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| WORD | DEFINITION | IN A SENTENCE | SYNONYM | ANTONYM | REMINDS ME |
| Akin (adj) | Similar or related | The criminal showed no emotion, nothing akin to sorrow, and was punished more severely. |  |  |  |
| Disparage (v) | To belittle or discredit someone or something. | His disparaging remarks hurt his friend’s reputation. |  |  |  |
| Ensuing (v) | To come at a later time, to happen as a result. | In the ensuing struggle with the empire, the rebel leader became a legendary hero. |  |  |  |
| Fetid (adj) | Having a strong, unpleasant smell | The fetid odor of rotting vegetables made me gag. |  |  |  |
| Lucrative (adj) | Producing wealth or money; profitable. | The business proved to be highly lucrative, and he was able to buy a new house. |  |  |  |
| Meticulous (adj) | extremely careful with details | He described the scene in meticulous detail. |  |  |  |
| Opulent (adj) | Very comfortable and expensive; Very wealthy | She lived in an opulent mansion filled with priceless art and antiques. |  |  |  |
| Ostentatious (adj) | Designed to get noticed or draw attention in an inappropriate, showy manner. Often behavior or dress. | Her ostentations display of wealth attracted the anger and jealousy of many. |  |  |  |
| Overt (adj) | Easily seen; out in the open | Overt aggression with your boss is no way to “climb the corporate ladder.” |  |  |  |

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| PROLIFERATE (v)  PROLIFERATION (n) | To increase in number or amount quickly; rapid growth | Rumors about the incident proliferated online in mere hours. |  |  |  |
| Supposition (n) | An idea or theory that believed despite a lack of proof. | “This is just idle supposition,” she said, “but I’ve heard it from three people.” |  |  |  |
| Surreptitious (adj) | Done in a secret way; make or acquired by stealth | They were able to obtain surreptitious access into the secure building. |  |  |  |
| Tenacious (adj)  Tenacity (n) | Not easily stopped or pulled apart; strong or firm; continuing for a long time; determined. | The company has a tenacious hold on the market and thus is able to increase prices as they want. |  |  |  |
| Wizened (adj) | Dry, shrunken, wrinkled | Agatha’s grandmother, Stephanie, had the most *wizened* countenance, full of leathery wrinkles. |  |  |  |

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