

1. A few minutes later he emerged from the herd alone, got into his car, and drove off.

2. Mama laughed lightly in exasperation.

3. The heat swooped low over the land clinging like an invisible shroud and through it people moved slowly lethargically, as if under water.

4. Christopher-John, Little Man, and I stared open-mouthed and even Stacey, who had witnessed Mr. Morrison's phenomenal strength before, gazed in wonder.

5. Melvin nodded, a condescending smirk on his face which was lost on T.J.

6. "No," said Papa adamantly, "you do better in Chicago."

7. Long hours after we should have been in bed, we sat on the front porch lit only by the whiteness of the full moon and listened to the comforting sounds of Papa's and Uncle Hammer's voices mingling once again.

1. "Hush, Cassie," Stacey said, his eyes intent on the men.

2. Afterward both Mama and Big Ma changed their clothes, then we sat, very quiet, as the heat crept sticky and wet through our clothing and the thunder banged menacingly overhead.

3. A crescendo of ugly hate rose from the men as the second car approached.

4. Perhaps he felt that even a person as despicable as T.J. needed someone he could call "friend," or perhaps he sensed T.J.'s vulnerability better than T.J. did himself.

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| ___ 32. emerged | A. extremely unusual |
| ___ 33. exasperation | B. boldly; not giving in; firmly |
| ___ 34. shroud | C. something that conceals or screens like a garment |
| ___ 35. phenomenal | D. descending voluntarily to the level of an inferior person |
| ___ 36. condescending | E. mixing together |
| ___ 37. adamantly | F. came forth into view |
| ___ 38. mingling | G. irritation or annoyance |
| ___ 39. intent | A. threateningly |
| ___ 40. menacingly | B. a gradual increase in loudness or intensity |
| ___ 41. crescendo | C. concentrating on a single purpose; engrossed |
| ___ 42. vulnerability | D. ability to be injured or wounded |

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1. Write down the context clues you used to help define the word.
2. Write down the dictionary definition (do not use the word to define the word)
3. Use the word in a new sentence.
4. Draw a picture to help you remember the meaning of the word