And Then There Were None: Vocabulary Words and Definitions (Words 1-30)

- 1. adroit- skillful; adept
- 2. angular- lean; sharp cornered
- 3. ascend- to move upward; to rise from a lower station
- 4. aura-a distinctive quality about a person, thing or place
- 5. bizarre- out of the ordinary; odd
- 6. capricious- changing suddenly; fickle
- 7. caustic- sarcastically biting statement; acrid
- 8. conventional- customary; standard established behavior
- 9. covert- secret; concealed
- 10. deference (deferential)- courteous; going along with the opinions of another
- 11. disparage- to degrade; to speak of in a derogatory manner
- 12. dispassionate- lack of passion or emotion
- 13. exonerate- to free from blame; obligation or responsibility
- 14. flourish- to thrive; to grow well
- 15. gravity (gravely)- seriousness; importance
- 16.indignation (indignant)- anger as a result of something unjust
- 17. inert- unable to move or act; sluggish
- 18. luscious- very pleasant to the taste
- 19. luxuriant (luxurious)- nonessential, but conducive to pleasure and comfort
- 20. malevolence- ill will or evil intentions
- 21. monotony (monotonous) sameness
- 22. plaintive- mournful and expressing sorrow
- 23. quaint- unusual in character or appearance
- 24. replete- filled to capacity; abundantly supplied
- 25. reproach- to blame for something; a disgrace
- 26. ruminate- to consider for a long time at a slow pace; ponder
- 27. servile (servitude)- overly submissive
- 28. surreptitious- secret; clandestine; stealthy
- 29. unobtrusive- not readily noticeable, inconspicuous
- 30. vehement- forcefully expressing emotion or conviction

And Then There Were None: Vocabulary Words and Definitions (Words 31-60)

- 31. decorous- proper behavior
- 32. rancor- bitter deep-seated ill will
- 33. unwieldy- difficult to manage due to size
- 34. malicious- motivated by hate or deliberate intent to harm
- 35. desultory- jumping around; aimless; random furtive
- 36. obliquely- slanting; indirect; evasive; devious; misleading
- 37. acquiesced- to give in; comply
- 38. placid- peaceful; calm
- 39. waver- show indecision; to vacillate
- 40. juncture- a point of joining
- 41. perpetuate- to prolong the existence of something
- 42. oblivion- state of being forgotten
- 43. aversion- strong disinclination; disliking
- 44. impudent- disrespectful; characterized by improper behavior
- 45. apprehension- to seize; arrest; take into custody
- 46. muse (musingly)- to ponder
- 47. furtive- secret in an underhanded way; stealthy
- 48. overt- open to view
- 49. stealthily- acting in a secret and sneaky way
- 50. perjury- false testimony under oath
- 51. succinct- brief; compact
- 52. corroborate- confirmation
- 53. jubilee- a period of rejoicing
- 54. reiterate- to repeat
- 55. plight- difficult or adverse situation
- 56. tenacious- persistent; holding fast to a position
- 57. affable- friendly; courteous; amiable
- 58. laconic (laconically)- use of minimum of words; concise
- 59. congeal- to solidify or coagulate
- 60. meticulous- taking great care

And Then There Were None: Vocabulary Words and Definitions (Words 61-89)

- 61. ferocity- savagery
- 62. lithe- flexible and graceful
- 63. eon- a long period of time
- 64. sagacious (sagacity)- wise; shrewd; very discerning
- 65. methodical- proceeding in a regular or systematic order
- 66. pretentious (pretense)- an extravagant outward show; self-important
- 67. galling- very irritating
- 68. tacit- understood; silent; not spoken; implicit
- 69. summon- to call together; to send for or request to appear
- 70. astute (astuteness)- shrewd; perspicacious; perceptive
- 71. stolidly- showing little emotion
- 72. obstinate- unyielding regardless of reason or logic
- 73. lassitude- feeling of weariness; fatigue
- 74. innocuous- harmless; producing no injury
- 75. raucous- loud and boisterous; harsh; disorderly
- 76. hideous- very ugly; offensive; shocking
- 77. solicitous (solicitude)- worried; concerned
- 78. savory- appetizing
- 79. blunder- to make a mistake as a result of stupidity
- 80. palpable (palpably)- tangible; perceptible; easily noticeable
- 81. exigent- urgent; requiring immediate attention
- 82. incongruity- nonconformity; disagreement; incompatibility
- 83. innate- existing from birth; inborn
- 84. assuage- to ease; mitigate; make less painful or burdensome
- 85. protract- to prolong
- 86. rigorous- strict; sever
- 87. paradoxically- something that appears false but is actually correct
- 88. exquisite- perfect or close to perfect in a lovely way
- 89. vindictive- disposed to seek revenge