

The Pearl Vocabulary Chapter 3

Adoration- Deep love and respect.
Baptize- A ceremonial immersion in water as an initiatory rite or sacrament of the Christian church.
Benediction- The utterance or bestowing of a blessing, especially at the end of a religious service.
Brood- Think deeply about something that makes one unhappy.
Caress- Touch or stroke gently or lovingly.
Colonial- Relating to or characteristic of a colony or colonies.
Conceal- Keep (something) secret; prevent from being known or noticed.
Curt- Rudely brief.
Despair- The complete loss or absence of hope.
Disparage- To express scornfully one's low opinion of.
Dissemble- Conceal one's true motives, feelings, or beliefs.
Fringe- The line or relatively narrow space that marks the outer limit of something.
Judicious- Having or showing good judgment and restraint especially in conduct or speech.
Lantern- A device that provides light and that usually has a glass covering and can be carried by a handle
Lucent- Glowing with or giving off light.
Lust- A passionate desire for something.
Marvel- Something extraordinary or surprising.
Prophecy- A prediction.
Residue- A small amount of something that remains after the main part has gone or been taken or used.
Scowl- An angry or bad-tempered expression.
Semblance- The outward appearance of something, especially when the reality is different.
Spasm- A sudden involuntary muscular contraction or convulsive movement.
Subjugation- The action of bringing someone or something under domination or control.
Transfigure- To change in form, appearance, or use.

