

JOHANSEN**WORD****SHORT DEFINITION**

Haughty (adj.)	disdainfully proud; snobbish; scornfully arrogant
Throng (n.) (v.)	(n.) a multitude of people crowded together; (v.) to assemble, go, or collect together as a large crowd
Wane (v.)(n.)	(v.) to decrease in strength, intensity; to decline in power, importance; to draw to a close; (n.) a gradual decrease or decline in strength, intensity, power; the drawing to close of a period, a life, an era; a period of waning
Insolent (adj.)(n.)	(adj.) boldly rude or disrespectful; contemptuously impertinent; (n.) such a person
Cull (v.)	to choose, select, pick; to gather the choice things or parts from
Nostalgia (n.) Nostalgic (adj.)	a wistful desire to return in thought or in fact to a former time or place in one's life; a sentimental yearning
Leery (adj.)	wary; suspicious (usually followed by 'of')
Tussle (v.)(n.)	to struggle or fight vigorously; wrestle; scuffle. A rough physical contest or struggle.
Vaunt (v.)(n.)	(v.) to brag or boast, to speak vaingloriously of; (n.) a boastful action or utterance
Boon (n.)	something to be thankful for, a blessing or benefit; something that is asked, a favor
Brood (v.)	to think or worry too much; to dwell on a subject with gloomy persistence; to warm, protect, or cover (young or eggs) with the wings or body
Mail (or chain mail)(n.)	flexible armor, usually of interlinked rings or scales or small plates
Plume (n.)	a long, large or conspicuous feather; a feather or tuft of feathers worn as an ornament; also: a visible pattern of smoke, steam, water, etc. coming from a pipe, chimney, or other opening
Draggle (v.)	to trail on the ground; to soil by dragging on the ground
Souse (v.)	to plunge into water or other liquid; to drench, as with water; to steep in pickling brine
Mum (adj.)(v.)	(adj.) silent, not saying a word; (v.) to call for silence, or to silence
Giddy (adj.)	dizzy, affected with vertigo; lighthearted, flighty or frivolous
Rabble (n.)	a disorderly crowd or mob; the lower classes; the common people
Truculent (adj.)	fierce, cruel, savagely brutal; brutally harsh or scathing; aggressively hostile or belligerent
Diligent (adj.)	constant in effort to accomplish something; attentive and persistent in doing anything