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Pale: (of a person, their face etc.) having skin that is almost white, having skin that is whiter than usual because of illness, a strong emotions etc.

Unconscious: in a state like sleep because of an inquiry or illness and not able to use your senses.

Starve: to suffer or die because you do not have enough food to eat.

Inmates: one of the people living in an institution such as a prison or a mental hospital.

Ounce: a unit for measuring weight. 1/16 of a pound, equal to 28.35 grams.

Devoured: ate hungrily or quickly.

Appetite: the desire to eat, hunger.

Voracious: wanting great quantities of food.

Companions: a person or an animal that travels with you or spends a lot of time with you.

Reckless: showing a lack of care about danger and the possible results of your actions.

Gaze: to look steadily at somebody/ something from long time, either because you are very interested or surprised.

Paralyzed: became motionless.

Faint: that cannot be seen, heard or smelt.

Or

Feeling weak and tired and likely to become unconscious.

Shrieked: to say something in a loud high voice.

Countenance: a person's face or facial expression.

Supper: the last meal of the day, either a main meal, usually smaller and less formal than dinner or a snack eaten before you to go to bed.

Contradict: To say that something that somebody else has said is wrong and that the opposite is true.

Prophetic: correctly stating or showing what will happen in the future.

Confinement: putting in a prison or a closed room.

Pardon: used to ask somebody to repeat something because you did not hear it or did not understand.