

Appearances and Attitudes (V)

Words to Define	
1.	ambivalent
2.	bucolic
3.	crotchety
4.	dilatory
5.	disconsolate
6.	dudgeon
7.	froward
8.	genteel
9.	jocund
10.	loquacious
11.	splenetic
12.	tendentious
13.	truculent
14.	vacuous
15.	venal

I. Which Word Comes to Mind? (circle one)			
1.	Cows in the meadow, sheep in the corn		
		venal	bucolic
2.	First, I want to go – then I want to stay		
		ambivalent	truculent
3.	“What’s your rush? So what if we’re late?”		
		jocund	dilatory
4.	The millionaire asked to be buried in his Rolls Royce		
		crotchety	tendentious
5.	“Were you vaccinated with a phonograph needle?”		
		vacuous	loquacious

II. True or False (circle one)		
1.	A <i>jocund</i> person has a good chance of being hired as a receptionist.	True or False
2.	<i>Splenetic</i> behavior is always a sign of good breeding.	True or False
3.	Truly great bullfighters welcome an animal which is <i>froward</i> .	True or False
4.	Watergate has become synonymous with <i>venal</i> arrangements.	True or False
5.	Skyscrapers and subways are integral parts of the <i>bucolic</i> life.	True or False

III. Matching		
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a.	resentment
b.	not easily controlled
c.	having conflicting feelings
d.	ill-tempered
e.	talkative
f.	irritable
g.	opinionated
h.	empty
i.	refined
j.	rural
k.	inclined to delay
l.	genial
m.	able to be bribed
n.	savage
o.	dejected