naming ceremonies Lecture1

- 1. The kung people of Namibia: a tribe native to southern Africa.
- 2. To live up to: to achieve a goal or value in one's personal life.
- 3. Ochre: a kind of clay or mineral that is orange-yellow in color.

the people of Malawi were kind to her son Lecture2

 The peace corps: is a volunteer organization by U.S president john F.Kennedy. peace corps volunteers go to developing countries to do volunteer work in the fields of education, agriculture, and technology.

papa who wakes up tired in the dark Lecture3

- 1. Abuelito: Spanish for grandfather.
- 2. Esta muerto: Spanish for he is dead.

3. **Spears**: the author is probably referring calla lilies. These long, white, slender flowers are often used in death ceremonies in México.

Physician Lecture 5

- 1. In the long run: over a long period of time
- 2. Primary care: general, or non-specialized medical care
- 3. to stick to : to persist or commit to do something for a long period of time.

The World's Fastest Woman Lecture 6

- 1. The 100 meter event: a foot race of a short distance.
- 2. To top of: to accomplish a goal in way that exceed minimum requirement.
- 3. The anchor leg: a position on a relay race.
- 4. A relay race: a race in which runners pass a baton to another runner who the continues the race.

Wheelchair Basketball Lecture 7

- 1. Lap : one trip around a basketball court.
- 2. **Depend**: rely on.
- 3. Pace: step.
- 4. In a row : in a series without interruption.
- 5. Violate: to break a rule or do something illegal.

The <u>opposite</u> of the word *Easy* is hard.

The <u>opposite</u> of the word *heavyweight* is lightweight.

Twelve-Year-Old Spelling Champ Lecture 8

- 1. Illusion : An erroneous perception of reality.
- 2. champ: winner.
- 3. drill: train.
- 4. Via: by or through something
- 5. Marvelous: the same meaning as wonderful.
- 6. Eliminate: defeat.

Rules of the Game Lecture 9

- 1. **Diminish**: make or become less.
- 2. Slit: cut.
- 3. Humility: low view of one's importance.(the opposite vanity)
- 4. **To bite back one's tongue**: to keep quiet.
- 5. **Observe**: to watch or listen someone.
- 6. **Distract**: prevent someone from concentrating on something.
- 7. Vincent: the narrator's brother.
- 8. Life savers: a kind of candy.
- 9.

Synonyms (same meaning)

- 1. The synonym of <u>Vanity</u> : Pride
- 2. The synonym of **Opponent** : Challenger or Rival
- 3. The synonym of <u>humility</u>: Modesty

Antonyms / Opposites

- 1. The antonym/opposite of <u>Defeat</u> : Victory
- 2. The antonym/opposite of Humility : Pride or Vanity
- 3. The antonym/opposite of <u>Avoid</u> : confront
- 4. The antonym/opposite of Murmur : Shout
- 5. The antonym/opposite of <u>Diminish</u> : increase
- 6. The antonym/opposite of Grin : frown

Private Detectives and Investigators Lecture 10

- 1. **aggressive** : strong.
- 2. apprehend : arrest or catch .
- 3. **assemble**: collect.
- 4. assist: help.
- 5. evidence: Proof against someone ex- criminal.

A close Encounter with a UFO Lecture 11

- 1. **Pulled over**: parked on the side of the road.
- 2. Recount: to tell a story something and mostly a story
- 3. **Reverse**: to change to the opposite.
- 4. Apprehension: get captured or arrested.

Time Traveler Lecture 12

- 1. Picture-perfect: so perfect it looked like a photo.
- 2. Traffic-free: clear of all vehicles <u>or</u> no traffic.
- 3. Turtle-back-type: a smooth, rounded top typical of cars from the 40s.
- 4. Show-room-condition: perfect condition; like new.
- 5. Mint condition: same meaning as " Show-room-condition"
- 6. On the verge of: very close to.
- 7. Vanish: disappear
- 8. Nippy: chilly
- 9. Haunt: Appears in a scary way.

Antonio's First day of school Lecture 13

- 1. Yawing: large and open.
- 2. Foreign tongue: a foreign language.
- 3. Sounds that seemed to gurgle from its belly: low bubbling sounds came from deep inside the school.
- 4. cómo te llamas: Spanish for " what's your name?"
- 5. tortilla: a kind of bread commonly used in Mexico.
- 6. La tristeza de la vida: Spanish for " the sadness of life".
- 7. Fascinated: Very interested in
- 8. Outcast: person rejected
- 9. the <u>opposite</u> of the word shame is: pride

Bilingual Education in the United States Lecture 14

- 1. Host country: The country in which an immigrant lives
- 2. Vary: Different things
- 3. Implement: put a plan
- 4. Mandate: give
- 5. Literate: Someone who's educated

the <u>opposite</u> of the word <u>Effective</u> : ineffective the <u>opposite</u> of the word <u>Oppose</u>: Agree the <u>opposite</u> of the word <u>Literate</u>: illiterate