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| <b>announce</b>          | Announce publicly or officially.<br><i>The President s office <b>announced</b> that the siege would be lifted.</i>   |
| <b><u>apologetic</u></b> | Offering or expressing apology.<br><i>She was very <b>apologetic</b> about the whole incident.</i>   |
| <b>apologize</b>         | Acknowledge faults or shortcomings or failing.<br><i>He <b>apologized</b> for the many typos.</i>  |
| <b>confess</b>           | Of a priest listen to the confession of.<br><i>150 people <b>confessed</b> faith in Christ.</i>  |
| <b><u>confession</u></b> | The religious body or Church sharing a confession of faith.<br><i>He signed a <b>confession</b> to both the murders.</i>   |
| <b>contrite</b>          | Feeling or expressing remorse at the recognition that one has done wrong.<br><i>A <b>contrite</b> tone.</i>  |
| <b>contrition</b>        | (in the Roman Catholic Church) the repentance of past sins during or after confession.<br><i>To show <b>contrition</b> for his crime he offered to do community service.</i> |
| <b>deplorable</b>        | Bringing or deserving severe rebuke or censure.<br><i>My finances were in a <b>deplorable</b> state.</i>   |
| <b>forgive</b>           | Stop blaming or grant forgiveness.<br><i>I was willing to <b>forgive</b> all her faults for the sake of our friendship.</i>  |
| <b>pardon</b>            | Grant a pardon to.<br><i>Ford <b>pardoned</b> Nixon.</i>   |
| <b>penance</b>           | Impose a penance on.<br><i>He had done public <b>penance</b> for those hasty words.</i>  |
| <b>penitence</b>         | Remorse for your past conduct.<br><i>A public display of <b>penitence</b>.</i>   |

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| <b>penitent</b>    | A person who repents their sins and (in the Christian Church) seeks forgiveness from God.<br><i>A <b>penitent</b> expression.</i>                |
| <b>penitential</b> | Relating to or expressing penitence or penance.<br><i>Wrote a <b>penitential</b> letter apologizing for her hasty words.</i>                     |
| <b>pity</b>        | An unfortunate development.<br><i>It s a <b>pity</b> you didn t contact us first.</i>  |
| <b>profess</b>     | Teach a subject as a professor.<br><i>Though knowing little of the arts I <b>professed</b> he proved a natural adept.</i>                        |
| <b>regret</b>      | Express with regret.<br><i>Any inconvenience to readers is <b>regretted</b>.</i>   |
| <b>regretful</b>   | Feeling or expressing regret or sorrow or a sense of loss over something done or undone.<br><i><b>Regretful</b> over mistakes she had made.</i>  |
| <b>regrettable</b> | (of conduct or an event) giving rise to regret; undesirable; unwelcome.<br><i>It s <b>regrettable</b> that she didn t go to college.</i>         |
| <b>remorse</b>     | A feeling of deep regret (usually for some misdeed).<br><i>They were filled with <b>remorse</b> and shame.</i>                                   |
| <b>remorseful</b>  | Feeling or expressing pain or sorrow for sins or offenses.<br><i>The defendant was <b>remorseful</b> for what he had done.</i>                   |
| <b>repent</b>      | View or think of (an action or omission) with deep regret or remorse.<br><i>Marian came to <b>repent</b> her hasty judgement.</i>                |
| <b>repentance</b>  | The action of repenting; sincere regret or remorse.<br><i>Each person who turns to God in genuine <b>repentance</b> and faith will be saved.</i> |
| <b>repentant</b>   | Feeling or expressing remorse for misdeeds.<br><i>He is truly <b>repentant</b> for his incredible naivety and stupidity.</i>                     |
| <b>rue</b>         | Bitterly regret (something one has done or allowed to happen) and wish it undone.<br><i>With <b>rue</b> my heart is laden.</i>                   |
| <b>rueful</b>      | Feeling or expressing pain or sorrow for sins or offenses.<br><i>She gave a <b>rueful</b> grin.</i>  |
| <b>sceptic</b>     | A person who doubts the truth of Christianity and other religions; an atheist.   |
| <b>sinner</b>      | A person who sins (without repenting).<br><i>God forgives repentant <b>sinner</b>s.</i>  |
| <b>sorrow</b>      | An event or circumstance that causes sorrow.<br><i>A bereaved person needs time to work through their <b>sorrow</b>.</i>                         |

**sorry**

Feeling or expressing regret or sorrow or a sense of loss over something done or undone.

**Sorry** *I was trying not to make a noise.*