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<b>announce</b>	Announce publicly or officially. <i>The President s office <b>announced</b> that the siege would be lifted.</i>
<b><u>apologetic</u></b>	Offering or expressing apology. <i>She was very <b>apologetic</b> about the whole incident.</i>
<b>apologize</b>	Acknowledge faults or shortcomings or failing. <i>He <b>apologized</b> for the many typos.</i>
<b>confess</b>	Of a priest listen to the confession of. <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. <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. <i>A <b>contrite</b> tone.</i>
<b>contrition</b>	(in the Roman Catholic Church) the repentance of past sins during or after confession. <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. <i>My finances were in a <b>deplorable</b> state.</i>
<b>forgive</b>	Stop blaming or grant forgiveness. <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. <i>Ford <b>pardoned</b> Nixon.</i>
<b>penance</b>	Impose a penance on. <i>He had done public <b>penance</b> for those hasty words.</i>
<b>penitence</b>	Remorse for your past conduct. <i>A public display of <b>penitence</b>.</i>

<b>penitent</b>	A person who repents their sins and (in the Christian Church) seeks forgiveness from God. <i>A <b>penitent</b> expression.</i>
<b>penitential</b>	Relating to or expressing penitence or penance. <i>Wrote a <b>penitential</b> letter apologizing for her hasty words.</i>
<b>pity</b>	An unfortunate development. <i>It s a <b>pity</b> you didn t contact us first.</i>
<b>profess</b>	Teach a subject as a professor. <i>Though knowing little of the arts I <b>professed</b> he proved a natural adept.</i>
<b>regret</b>	Express with regret. <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. <i><b>Regretful</b> over mistakes she had made.</i>
<b>regrettable</b>	(of conduct or an event) giving rise to regret; undesirable; unwelcome. <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). <i>They were filled with <b>remorse</b> and shame.</i>
<b>remorseful</b>	Feeling or expressing pain or sorrow for sins or offenses. <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. <i>Marian came to <b>repent</b> her hasty judgement.</i>
<b>repentance</b>	The action of repenting; sincere regret or remorse. <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. <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. <i>With <b>rue</b> my heart is laden.</i>
<b>rueful</b>	Feeling or expressing pain or sorrow for sins or offenses. <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). <i>God forgives repentant <b>sinner</b>s.</i>
<b>sorrow</b>	An event or circumstance that causes sorrow. <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.*