

Vocabulary

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penitentiary [ˌpenɪ'tenʃəri] (30)

to try by court-martial [kɔːt-'mɑːʃl] (34)

to convict of a charge (35)

to discharge (38)

to ponder morally complex incidents (39)

combat [ˈkɒmbæt] (41)

crop of (43)

inaugural issue [ɪ'nɔːgjurəl ɪʃuː] (54)

unquestioned obedience [ə'biːdjəns] (61)

conscience [ˈkɒnʃəns] (66)

to assassinate [ə'sæsɪneɪt] (78)

fodder (for ethics classes) [ˈfɒdə] (87)

impetus [ɪ'mpɪtəs] (91)

ethics controversy [ˈeθɪks ˈkɒntrəvɜːsi] (95)

chaplain [ˈtʃæplɪn] (97)

to be awash in *s.th.* (105)

to be embedded in (112)

ethical concern (119)

noncombatant [nɒn'kɒmbətənt] (133)

protocol [ˈprɒtəkɒl] (138)

target selection [ˈtɑːɡɪt sɪ'leɪʃn] (138)

unscathed [ʌn'skeɪdɪd] (154)

collateral damage [kɒ'lætərəl ˈdæmɪdʒ] (160)

to pervade (160)

to hamstring [ˈhæmstrɪŋ] (166)

to outweigh [ˈaʊtwei] (169)

misuse, maltreatment

to make a request, to ask for

to reject, to refuse

unsuccessful, without an effective result

to submit (to send or bring in) a reclamation or accusation

the breaking (of human rights)

prison, jail (gaol), correctional facility

to find guilty of an offence

to dismiss, to relieve of duty

fight, struggle

group of

opening (first) release of a journal

to accept orders without question

to kill, to murder

subject matter (for ethics classes)

stimulus, impuls, incentive

a Christian clergyman

to be full of *s.th.*

to be fixed in a surrounding, to be rooted in

interest (worry about) ethical questions

a civilian in time of war

a code of behaviour

to choose an object of an attack

not harmed or injured

to spread throughout

to ruin, to disable, to lame

to be more important or significant than

Structure

Exercise:

Divide the article into three sections according to its content. Give each of the sections an appropriate title, and fill out the table below.

Section 1

Title: _____

Lines: _____

Place: _____

Year: _____

Who: _____

Section 2

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Section 3

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futilely ['fju:təli] (23)	in vain, unsuccessful, without an effective result
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(human rights) violations (29)	the breaking (of human rights)
penitentiary [ˌpenɪ'tenʃəri] (30)	prison, jail (gaol), correctional facility
to try by court-martial [kɔ:t-'mɑ:ʃl] (34)	to accuse <i>s.o.</i> before a military court of justice
to convict of a charge (35)	to find guilty of an offence
to discharge (38)	to dismiss, to relieve of duty
to ponder morally complex incidents (39)	to give deep consideration about a matter, which is difficult to be found right or wrong
combat ['kɒmbæt] (41)	fight, struggle
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collateral damage [kɒ'lætərəl 'dæmɪdʒ] (160)	unintentional damage to civil property and civilian casualties, caused by military operations
to pervade (160)	to spread throughout
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