

# Vocabulary

atrocious [ə'trɒsətɪ], <i>pl.</i> -ties (4)	acts of extreme cruelty, esp. against prisoners or civilians in wartime
abuse (12)	misuse, maltreatment
to appeal to <i>s.o.</i> for <i>s.th.</i> (17)	to make a request, to ask for
to turn down (19)	to reject, to refuse
futilely [ˈfjuːtaɪli] (23)	in vain, unsuccessful, without an effective result
to file a complaint (24)	to submit (to send or bring in) a reclamation or accusation
(human rights) violations (29)	the breaking (of human rights)
penitentiary [ˌpenɪ'tenʃəri] (30)	prison, jail (gaol), correctional facility
to try by court-martial [kɔːt-'mɑːʃl] (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 [ˈkɒmbæt] (41)	fight, struggle
crop of (43)	group of
inaugural issue [ɪ'nɔːgʃərəl ɪ'ʃuː] (54)	opening (first) release of a journal
unquestioned obedience [ə'biːdʒəns] (61)	to accept orders without question
conscience [ˈkɒnʃəns] (66)	the sense of right and wrong that governs a person's thoughts and actions
to assassinate [ə'sæsɪneɪt] (78)	to kill, to murder
fodder (for ethics classes) [ˈfɒdə] (87)	subject matter (for ethics classes)
impetus [ɪ'mpɪtəs] (91)	stimulus, impuls, incentive
ethics controversy [ˈeθɪks 'kɒntrəvɜːsi] (95)	dispute, debate of what is ethically (morally) right or wrong
chaplain [ˈtʃæplɪn] (97)	a Christian clergyman
to be awash in <i>s.th.</i> (105)	to be full of <i>s.th.</i>
to be embedded in (112)	to be fixed in a surrounding, to be rooted in
ethical concern (119)	interest (worry about) ethical questions
noncombatant [nɒn'kɒmbətənt] (133)	a civilian in time of war
protocol [ˈprɒtəkɒl] (138)	a code of behaviour
target selection [ˈtɑːɡɪt sɪ'leɪʃn] (138)	to choose an object of an attack
unscathed [ʌn'skeɪðd] (154)	not harmed or injured
collateral damage [kɒ'lætərəl 'dæmɪdʒ] (160)	unintentional damage to civil property and civilian casualties, caused by military operations
to pervade (160)	to spread throughout
to hamstring [ˈhæmstrɪŋ] (166)	to ruin, to disable, to lame
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