**Vocabulary List 6**

**impunity** (noun) - freedom from punishment, harm, or loss

**borne** (verb) - past tense of "bear," which means to tolerate or carry

**avenge** (verb) - to get revenge for; to punish an injuring party or wrongdoer

**redress** (verb) - to make right; remedy or rectify; make amends for

**retribution** (noun) - punishment imposed on a wrongdoer for repayment or revenge

**immolation** (noun) - killing or offering as a sacrifice; to set oneself on fire

**implore** (verb) - to beg for urgently; beseech

**grotesque** (adj.) - abnormal and hideous; distorted and unnatural in shape or size

**catacombs** (noun) - underground cemetery in tunnels with chambers or recesses for graves

**aperture** (noun) - opening; gap; slit

**recoil** (verb) - to shrink back, as in fear or extreme dislike; to spring back, as in firing a gun