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Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman, The

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Word	Grade Level	Pronunciation	Definition
barren	6	bâr' ən	not able to bear young; unable to yield or produce crops or fruit; not fertile
deacon	9	dē' kən	a church leader who is not ordained
haul	5	hōl	to carry, drag, or pull something from one location to another; to pull, take, or draw something out of or from something else; to remove
kneel	5	nēl	to rest on the bendable middle parts of the legs
levee	7	lēv' ē	a raised embankment along a river to keep it from flooding the surrounding land
overalls	7	ó' vər-ólz	loose-fitting pants with an attached bib front and shoulder straps
politicians	8	pōl-ī-tīsh' əns	those who currently hold or hope to be elected to public offices or government services
preach	5	prēch	to present a speech about religion; to give a sermon; to give advice on morals or beliefs; to urge acceptance of an idea
pure	5	pyōōr	morally good; free from sin; innocent; untouched; completely clean and fresh; without stain; not at all dirty; not mixed with other elements
slim	5	słīm	slight or thin; slender

Pronunciation Guide

Examples	Examples	Examples
b bed	t toy, debt, thyme, receipt	ÿ sit, dessert
ch chalk, catch, question	th think	i slide, pie
d drawer, could	th than	ir pier, hear, miracle
f fish, rough, graph, calf	v savage	ō hot, conscious
g great, guest	w with, while	ó hope, boat, row
h happy	y yes	ó/ór caught, raw, for, war
hw where	z zebra	oi noise, boy
j jump, giraffe, bridge	zh leisure, genre	ōō book
k ankle, cat, rack, chasm, quiche	sh shut, motion, chandelier, issue	ōō tool
l lemon, needle	ă bad	ou found, how
m rhyme, hymn, tomb	â hate	ũ cup, rummage
n nice, know, gnat	âr care, hair, wear	ûr fur, heard
p pet	ä father, are	yōō cute, beautiful
r red, wrist, rhyme	ě fetch, head	ə afar, capable, us
s sister, cent, psalm, science	é be, seat, receive	ər father, fir