Les Miserables St Denis Vocabulary

1. Amours love affairs; one’s loves
2. Bereavement the state or fact of being bereaved or deprived of something or

Someone

1. Bunghole an opening in a cask in which it is filled
2. Calumniate to utter maliciously false statements, charges, imputations
3. Carbineer a soldier armed with a light weight rifle
4. Charlatanism the dishonesty of a con-man
5. Conflagration a destructive fire, usually an extensive one
6. Connivance willingness to secretly allow or be involved in wrongdoing,

Especially an immoral or illegal act

1. Coquetry flirtatious behavior
2. Cortege a ceremonial procession, in fashion of a funeral
3. Damask a reversible fabric of linen, silk, cotton, or wool, woven with

patterns

1. Deification the act of promoting to a godly state
2. Denouement the final part
3. Despondencies state of being despondent; depression of the spirits from loss

of courage or hope

1. Dithyramb wildly enthusiastic speech or piece of writing
2. Dragoons British cavalrymen
3. Embalming to treat a dead body to preserve it with chemicals, drugs,

Balsams

1. Emeutes a mob; commotion of rebellious people; outbreak
2. Enigma a person or thing that is mysterious, puzzling, difficult to

understand

1. Equivocation intentionally used vague language intended to mislead others
2. Evocation something that isn’t completely but has no evidence of truth;

 a recreation

1. Idler a person who passes time in a lazy or unproductive way
2. Idyll a simple descriptive work in poetry or prose that deals with

rustic life/pastoral scenes or suggests a mood of peace

1. Infidelity disloyalty
2. Ingenuous innocence and naïve
3. Intrepid fearless and bold
4. Imperturbable unable to be upset or excited, calm
5. Insurrection a violent uprising against an authority or government
6. Interpenetrated permeate, penetrate with something
7. Languor a state of feeling tired and relaxed
8. Latent existing but not presently evident, hidden
9. Lucidities thoughts or conversations that clear up anything mistaken or

mislead

1. Monotonous lacking in variety; tediously unvarying
2. Morose sad or gloomy, sullen
3. Nadir the worst or lowest point of something
4. Octogenarian 80-89 years old
5. Omnibus a volume containing several novels or other items previously

Published, comprising of several items

1. Palisade a fence of wooden or iron stakes fixed in the ground
2. Pensive dreamily thoughtful
3. Pilasters architectural pillar attached to a wall
4. Precipice a very steep or overhanging place
5. Prudence cautious wisdom; discreet
6. Rectification remedy
7. Renown fame
8. Ricocheted rebound one or more times off a surface
9. Seraphic angelic, having the qualities of the first order of angels
10. Somnambulists sleepwalkers
11. Staunch of strong or firm construction
12. Stupefaction being stunned
13. Stupor suspension or great diminution of sensibility
14. Sylvan consisting of or abounding in woods or trees; wooded
15. Tocsin alarm or signal
16. Ubiquitous widespread, everywhere at once
17. Votary a person bound by religious vows; devoted worshipper