

A Streetcar Named Desire Vocabulary List # 1 (Scenes 1-4)

Word	part of speech, definition	2 Synonyms	1 Antonym
raffish (13)	adj-vulgar; showy		
attenuate (13)	v-decrease		
incongruous (15)	adj-incompatible; unsuitable		
feverish (18)	adj-emotional; passionate		
vivacity (18)	n-energy; cheer		
dubious[ly] (22)	adj [adv]-doubtful; untrustworthy		
reproach (25)	v-condemn; criticize		
ominously (33)	adv-threateningly; forebodingly		
gander (34)	n-a quick look		
swindle (35)	v-cheat; deceive		
preen (35)	v-groom; primp		
judicial (41)	adj-legal; analytical		
abscond[ing] (41)	v-disappear; escape; flee		
improvident (43)	adj-reckless; wasteful		
fornication (43)	n-extramarital sex		
lurid (45)	adj-gruesome; horrifying		
portieres (45)	n-curtains hung across doorways		
indolent (51)	adj-lazy		
gallantry (56)	n-courage; graciousness		
reverence (56)	n-respect; adoration		
grappling (57)	n-struggling; grasping		
pinioned (57)	adj-restrain by holding arms		
dissonant (59)	adj-unharmonious; incompatible		
diffidently (61)	adv-shyly		
incredulously (65)	adv-with surprise; skeptically		
stealthily (72)	adv-secretively; slyly		
gravely (72)	adv-seriously		