Vocabulary Quiz #5

| # | Phrase | Definition |
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| 1. | credulous disposition | gullible attitude |
| 2. | cringing flattery | wincing/cowering/squirming |
| | | praise/compliments |
| 3. | cryptic meaning | secret/mysterious |
| | | definition/message |
| 4. | crystalline clearness | sparkling clarity |
| 5. | culpable carelessness | guilty thoughtlessness |
| 6. | cumulative effect | increasing/accumulating |
| | | consequence/result |
| 7. | cursory remark | hasty (brief) comment |
| 8. | cynical disbelief | pessimistic astonishment |
| 9. | debilitating tendency | weakening trend |
| 10. | decorous behavior | proper behavior |
| 11. | decrepit form | old (falling apart) |
| | | document/state |
| 12. | delectable undertaking | delightful engagement |
| 13. | deleterious effect | harmful result (ex. of smoking) |
| 14. | demonical leer | devilish stare/look |
| 15. | demure manner | modest demeanor |
| 16. | denunciatory tone | condemning mood/sound |
| 17. | depleted energy | exhausted/drained enthusiasm |
| 18. | deplorable incident | disastrous occurrence |
| 19. | deprecating air | deplorable expression |
| 20. | diabolical scheme | evil/devilish plan |
| 21. | disconcerting mood | unsettling state of mind/spirit |