Vocabulary lesson 12

1. **Avail:** to help; benefit
2. **Bequeathed**: to have left something to someone else, usually in a will.
3. **Blasphemous**: against God or religion; disrespectful
4. **Conjectures**: opinions or judgments of something based on too little information
5. **Desirous** – having a desire or want for something
6. **Epicure**: a person who takes pleasure in food and drink
7. **Liable**: likely
8. **Mulattoes**: people of mixed white and black ancestry
9. **Presumptuous**: overstepping normal boundaries or taking liberties
10. **Superintend**: to be responsible for the management of something; to oversee
11. **![C:\Users\Mich\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\SPH0OBVL\MC900299133[1].wmf]()Toilsome**: involving hard work