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| B. composition | E. irresponsible | H. talon |
| C. gratitude | F. modest | I. tantalize |

- _____ 1. to tease or torment by or as if by presenting something desirable to the view but continually keeping it out of reach
- _____ 2. a piece of writing; essay
- _____ 3. kept from knowledge or view; hidden
- _____ 4. the state of being grateful; thankfulness
- _____ 5. lacking a sense of responsibility
- _____ 6. the claw of an animal and especially of a bird of prey
- _____ 7. neither bold nor self-assertive; tending toward diffidence
- _____ 8. something that is inspired; idea
- _____ 9. boldly rude, impudent, or disrespectful in usually a playful or appealing way

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