

# “Exploring the *Titanic*”

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## Words to Know

accommodations  
dazzled

eerie  
feverishly

indefinitely  
list

novelty  
prophecy

toll  
tribute

**A. Fill in each set of blanks with the correct word from the word list. The boxed letters will spell out a quality that the *Titanic* was famous for before it sailed.**

1. This is how you do something when you are frantically trying to get it done

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2. This is how you might feel when a lot of fireworks go off, especially if they're really great.

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3. This is how long something goes when it goes *on and on and on*.

\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

4. This is something that's unusual but not just unusual. It's kind of creepy, too.

\_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

5. This what a pair of glasses would be if they had little wipers for when it rained.

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Quality of the *Titanic*: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. For each phrase in the first column, find the phrase in the second column that is closest in meaning. Write the letter of that phrase on the line.**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1. a terrible toll

A. prevent a prediction

\_\_\_\_\_ 2. acres of accommodations

B. a large loss

\_\_\_\_\_ 3. a tremendous tribute

C. tilting tots

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. prohibit a prophecy

D. lots and lots of lodging

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. little lads who list

E. a huge honor

**C. Write a news flash (a summary) that might have been printed in a British newspaper about the sinking of the *Titanic* as soon as the news reached England.**