

branded

marked by burning the  
skin with a hot iron

constructed

fitted together;  
built

daintily

with delicate beauty;  
freshly and prettily

devastation

waste;  
destruction

lullaby

song for singing  
to a child

pitch

thick, black, sticky  
substance made from  
tar or turpentine

resourceful

good at thinking of  
ways to do things

thieving

stealing

**veins**

blood vessels that  
carry blood to the  
heart from all parts  
of the body