

curiosity

an eager desire
to know

glorious

magnificent;
splendid

granite

a very hard gray or
pink rock that is
formed when lava cools
slowly underground

ruins

what is left after a
building, wall, etc., has
fallen to pieces

terraced

formed into flat, level
land with steep sides

thickets

bushes or small trees
growing close
together

torrent

a violent, rushing
stream of water