

Surely, we ought to be very thankful to our great and gracious Creator for the blessing of sight, and for the favors and happiness we thereby enjoy.

Perhaps the feeling of gratitude may increase, by contrasting these benefits with the privations of those who are blind.

But we should not want to see things that are improper for us to look at; nor should we indulge a curious desire to see things that would be of no use to us.

We have read of a little boy who often repeated these lines :

O that mine eyes might closed be,
To what becomes me not to see ;
That deafness might possess mine ear,
To what concerns me not to hear.

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cir cum vo lu tion	com mem o ration
co op er a tion	cir cum lo cu tion
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de pre ci a tion	dis ad van ta geous
en cy clo pe di a	e quiv o ca tion
grat i fi ca tion	fruc ti fi cation
ex ten u a tion	per am bu la tion
ex tem po ra ne ous	plen i po ten tia ry
e lec tion eer ing	pre des ti na ri an
glo ri fi ca tion	pro nun ci a tion
het er o ge ne ous	mis un der stand ing
in di vid u al i ty	qual i fi ca tion
in ter pre ta tion	sus cep ti bil i ty
in stru men tal i ty	re gen er a tion