

Spelling List C-23

Suffixes -ful, -ly, and -less

Spelling Words

1. slowly
2. powerful
3. fearless
4. useful
5. truthful



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12. careful
13. happily
14. flawless
15. calmly

16. inventor

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19. meaningful
20. peaceful

About Your Spelling Words

The suffix *-ful* means "full of." *Powerful* means "full of power." *Thankful* means "full of thanks."

The suffix *-less* means "without." *Flawless* means "without flaws." *Fearless* means "without fear."

The suffix *-ly* is used to change adjectives into adverbs. Look at the two sentences below.

My brother is sad.
My brother walked away sadly.

In the first sentence, the word sad is an adjective that describes my brother. In the second sentence, the word sadly is an adverb that describes how my brother walked.