

Solution to John's Acrostic #3 – October 2008

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EE Suffix: The recipient or beneficiary of a specific action or thing, such as employee and divorcee. In the interest of expanding your descriptive range, I have included the following examples: Boree – one who is bored. Gazee – a person who is stared at.

- A** APPRE+HENS+IVE (*paper* anagram)
- B** ME+GALOP(sOLId)S
- C** MIDWIFE (*I'd mew if* anagram)
- D** ORT+HOG+RAP+HIC
- E** NAPHTHALENE (*the plane Nah* anagram)
- F** SEREN(DIP)ITY
- G** HETEROGENEOUS (*House got Renee* anagram)
- H** E+NACT (*can't* anagram)
- I** AFFA(BIL)Ir+TY
- J** RE+CIT+ATIVE (*Evita tic* reversal)
- K** EFFERVESCENCE (*F Irv essence* homophone)
- L** A(S)CETIC
- M** DO+OR
- N** IONIZED (*Ionia* change a to zed)
- O** NEWFOUND (*Endow fun* anagram)
- P** GA+BAR+DINE
- Q** TERR(IF)Y
- R** H+EREW+IT+H (*were H* reversal)
- S** EXOGENOUS (*Go use oxen* anagram)
- T** O(SSOB+U+CC)O (*CC U boss* reversal)
- U** E(X(PeR)ES)SION (*noise, sex, rep* reversal)
- V** DIX+I+ELAND