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Last Of Sadness Thesaurus

Confidence *noun*: 'kän-fə-dən(t)s: blossomed eleven hundred miles away, eleven hundred days later

Anxiety *noun*: ən-'zī-ə-tē caused by hidden memories

Rage *verb*: 'rāj blamed for a deadly cough. I was last to see Grandfather.

Remorse *noun*: ri-'mōrsq an emotion burned away with drugs. See **Numb**.

Lost *adjective*: 'lōst years, days, minutes

Numb *addiction*: 'nəm thoughts locked in a suit of steel, feelings burnt away

Found *transitive verb*: 'faund living clean of restraints, addiction is in the past

Satisfaction *noun*: ,sa-təs-'fak-shən when the chance to say goodbye to Grandfather granted

Strange *adjective*: 'strānj: in the form of a doppelganger.

Colour *noun, often attributive*: 'kə-lər: with the shadow of Grandfather's face.

Confused *adjective*: kən-'fyüzd by his grey-faced similarities, posture. Suspenders.

Friendship *noun*: 'fren(d)-ship: an inner draw to want this man's approval.

Adoration *verb*: ,a-də-'rā-shən, and he's an author.

Denial *noun*: di-'nī(-ə)l but this man, doesn't accept friendship. He's strong-willed, silent.

Agitation *noun*: ,a-jə-'tā-shən turned down on my quest

Speech *plot*: 'spēch one day, sassy man says, "I had a thought, you'll be a famous author."

Surprise *verb*: sər-'prīz felt by his whispered praise

Amazement *noun*: ə-'māz-mənt sounding like words from beyond the grave

Forgiveness *noun*: fər-'giv-nəs granted by Grandfather

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