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**Vocabulary Practice L 12**

trembles	wreckage	slab	possessions
tenement	crushing	rubble	debris
timbers	constructed		

*Fill in the blank with the correct vocabulary word.*

1. There was a lot of trash and \_\_\_\_\_ on the ground after the tornado hit.
2. The family lived in a \_\_\_\_\_ down town.
3. When an earthquake hits, the ground \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the ship sank to the bottom of the ocean.
5. Houses in earthquake prone places are \_\_\_\_\_ in a sturdy fashion.
6. The wooden \_\_\_\_\_ from the roof of the house snapped like twigs during the storm.
7. The team had a \_\_\_\_\_ defeat when the other team scored in the last seconds of the game.
8. The large, square, concrete \_\_\_\_\_ was too heavy to lift without a crane.
9. The brick wall fell apart and landed as \_\_\_\_\_ during the earthquake.
10. The family lost all of their \_\_\_\_\_ during the storm.