

**Use the context clues to complete the vocabulary.**

**Abandon   Meager   Yearn   Tormented   Poverty   Hopelessness   Shame**

**Defeated**

1. Frank's father left his family behind. His \_\_\_\_\_ forced Frank's family to live in near poverty.
2. Many immigrants move to the United States because they \_\_\_\_\_ for a better life.
3. Children who grow up in \_\_\_\_\_ experience many difficulties.
4. After a difficult day, I feel \_\_\_\_\_. I don't think I can overcome the obstacles in my way.
5. Children who live in poverty often live a very \_\_\_\_\_ childhood.
6. She doesn't feel she can learn the material. She has a feeling of \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Like many children who live a sparse life, Frank was full of \_\_\_\_\_. He didn't want his schoolmates to know how poor his family was.
8. Children who are abused live a \_\_\_\_\_ life.