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| A. ambulance | D. crucial | G. din | J. triumph |
| B. ancestor | E. descend | H. gleam | |
| C. collapse | F. detour | I. precious | |

- _____ 1. of great value or high price
- _____ 2. to fall or shrink together abruptly and completely
- _____ 3. important or essential as resolving a crisis; decisive
- _____ 4. the joy or exultation of victory or success
- _____ 5. a loud continued noise
- _____ 6. to shine with or as if with subdued steady light or moderate brightness
- _____ 7. a vehicle equipped for transporting the injured or sick
- _____ 8. a deviation or change from a direct course or the usual procedure
- _____ 9. one from whom a person is descended and who is usually more remote in the line of descent than a grandparent; family members that came before
- _____ 10. to pass from a higher place or level to a lower one; move down

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-----**Key (10 points)**-----

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