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Spelling Vocabulary G1

ANSWER KEY

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Read each definition. Write the spelling word that matches it.

1. **sergeant** — an officer in the army or police
2. **plague** — a deadly disease that spreads widely
3. **feudalism** — a system of lords, vassals and land
4. **acquire** — to get or gain
5. **fierce** — wild and violent
6. **vegetable** — a plant grown for food
7. **rhythm** — a repeated beat
8. **cathedral** — a large, important church
9. **jealous** — wanting what someone else has
10. **mischievous** — playfully causing trouble
11. **chivalry** — the code of honor of knights
12. **genuine** — real and true
13. **boundary** — a dividing line
14. **manor** — a lord's large estate
15. **nuisance** — something annoying
16. **peasant** — a poor farm worker
17. **pilgrimage** — a journey to a holy place
18. **charter** — a written grant of rights
19. **parliament** — a lawmaking group, as in Britain
20. **silhouette** — a dark outline against a light

WORD BANK

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