

NOUNS + -FUL / -LESS

EXERCISE 1.

Complete the sentences using the nouns in the box and adding -less or -ful to form adjectives.

THOUGHT

MEANING

HARM

WONDER

CHEER

PENNY

e.g. *“Everything I say is meaningless, but I say it just to reach you, Julia” (The Beatles).*

1. I'm very worried for my son and his wife. They are _____ . They can't even afford to buy decent food.
2. I like living with my parents, because the atmosphere is always relaxed and _____ at home.
3. My sister and I went to the mountains last month and I must admit that we had a _____ time together.
4. You shouldn't smoke. Nicotine is really _____ to your health.
5. My boyfriend is so _____ sometimes.
Last year we went to Greece together and just before checking in at the airport he realised that he didn't have any ID with him. What a nightmare!

EXERCISE 2.

Write an adjective with a similar meaning next to the words listed below. Use the nouns in the box and add *-less* or *-ful* to form the adjectives.

Beauty	Hope	End
Pity	Bottom	Help

1. CRUEL
2. INFINITE
3. ATTRACTIVE
4. VERY DEEP
5. USEFUL
6. POSITIVE/OPTIMISTIC