

Said is Dead

Verbs to Substitute for "Said"

In a happy way

laughed
rejoiced
giggled
joked
lilted
sang out

In a sad way

cried
agonized
bawled
blubbered
lamented
sobbed
groaned
sniveled
wept
mourned

In a bossy way

insisted
bossed
demanded
preached
dictated
professed
ordered

In an angry way

raged
miffed
seethed
fumed
retorted
thundered
blurted

In a pained way

barked
cried out
cried
screamed
jabbered
bellowed
groaned
howled
shrieked
roared
grieved
wailed
yelped

In a frightened way

quaked
stammered
shuddered
quivered

trembled

In an understanding way

empathized
accepted
consoled
crooned
comforted
sympathized
agreed

In a tired way

mumbled
struggled
emitted
wearied

In a begging way

beseeked
begged
implored
pleaded
entreated
appealed to

As an answer

responded
retorted
replied
rejoined
answered

acknowledged

A

accused
acknowledged
acquiesced
added
addressed
ad-libbed
admitted
admonished
advised
advocated
affirmed
agreed
alleged
allowed
announced
answered
apologized
approved
argued
articulated
assented
asserted
assumed
assured

attacked
attested
averred
avowed

B

babbled
balked
bargained
bantered
barked
bawled
beckoned
began
begged
bellowed
blabbed
blasted
blubbered
blurled
boasted
boomed
bragged
brayed
breathed
bubbled
C
cackled
called
cautioned

charged
chanted
chattered
cheered
chided
chimed in
chirped
chuckled
cited
choked
claimed
commanded
commented
complained
conceded
concluded
condescended
confessed
confided
consented
consoled
contested
contended
continued
contradicted
conveyed
cooed
corrected
counseled

countered
cracked
cried
croaked
crowed

D

dared
debated
decided
declared
declined
decreed
decried
deduced
defended
deferred
delivered
demanded
demurred
denied
denounced
described
dictated
directed
disclosed
divulged
drawled
droned

E

echoed
elaborated
emitted
emphasized
encouraged
enjoined
enunciated
estimated
exclaimed
exhorted
explained
exploded
expressed

F

faltered
feared
foretold
fumed

G

gabbed
gaspd
giggled
gossiped
granted
grinned
groaned
growled
grumbled

grunted	J	O	propounded
guessed	jawed	objected	protested
gurgled	jested	observed	proved
H	joked	orated	puffed
haggled	joshed	ordered	Q
hedged	judged	outlined	quibbled
held (forth)	justified	P	quipped
hesitated	L	panted	quizzed
hinted	lamented	pattered	quoted
hissed	laughed	persisted	questioned
hollered	lectured	persuaded	R
howled	lied	pestered	rambled
hummed	lisped	phrased	ranted
I	listed	piped	reaffirmed
imparted	M	pleaded	reasoned
implied	made known	pointed out	recalled
implored	maintained	pondered	recommended
indicated	mentioned	positioned	referred
informed	mimicked	praised	refused
injected	moaned	prattled	refuted
insinuated	mumbled	prayed	regretted
insisted	murmured	preached	reiterated
instructed	mused	predicted	rejoiced
interjected	muttered	proclaimed	rejoined
interrupted	N	professed	related
intimidated	nagged	promised	relayed
invited	narrated	prompted	reflected
itemized	noted	pronounced	remarked
	notified	proposed	remembered

reminded	sniffed	testified	wondered aloud
repeated	snorted	thanked	wrangled
replied	sobbed	thought	Y
reported	soothed	threatened	yapped
reprimanded	sounded	thundered	yawned
responded	specified	told	yelled
restated	speculated	twitted	yelped

resumed
retorted
roared
returned
ruled

S

sanctioned
sang
scoffed
scolded
screamed
screeched
scolded
shared
shot back
shouted
shrieked
sighed
snapped
snarled
sneered
snickered

spewed
spieled
spoke
sputtered
squawked
squeaked
squealed
stammered
stated
stipulated
stormed
stressed
stuttered
submitted
suggested
supposed

T

talked
tattled
taught
taunted
teased

U
urged
uttered
V
verbalized
vocalized
voiced
vowed

W

wailed
warbled
warned
went on
wept
wheezed
whimpered
whined
whispered
whistled
whooped
wished
wondered

Verbs to Substitute for "Asked"

begged
beseeched
entreated
inquired
interrogated
prayed
pleaded
pled
petitioned
proposed
queried
questioned
requested
solicited
suggested
wondered