

Complete the exercise below with the words from the word box.

rummaging	wondrous	blatant	obsolete
beholding	ecstatic	upside	occurred to

1. The most poignant scene in Doctor Faustus, a play by Christopher Marlow, is where Faustus, before his eternal damnation in hell, makes his one last wish to summon the spirit of Helen of Troy, believing that _____ her beauty would bring him salvation and receiving a kiss from her would make him immortal.
2. Protests against racial prejudice have sprung up across the globe after a black man died from being restrained by a police officer during an arrest, a tragedy which many see as a case of _____ discrimination against people of colour.
3. Reading his A level statement of results which he had just received from his teacher, Richard inadvertently let out an _____ scream, knowing that he was one step closer to becoming a medical practitioner.
4. Floppy disks, small square pieces of plastic used for storing information from a computer, have become _____ and curious objects to today's younger generations since the advent of flash drives and cloud storage.
5. 'Looking back, it never _____ me that our friendship would ever evolve into anything else. How do you expect me to let go of our past memories as friends, and start a future together as lovers?' responded Rachel to the confession from her best friend, Gary.
6. Anxious and bordering on hysteria, Liam was _____ through the drawers one by one for his admission form for the HKDSE, an hour before his first examination began.
7. Living in a rural area means sacrificing easy accessibility to well-developed infrastructure in the city. The _____, however, is that it enables you to lead a simpler lifestyle which many city dwellers find enticing.
8. It is said by many that swimming in the Dead Sea provides _____ relief for those suffering from eczema.