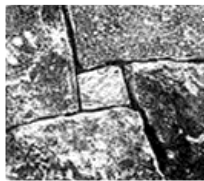


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stone (ston) n.

- 1. a. Concreted earthy or mineral matter; rock.
 - b. Such concreted matter of a particular type. Often used in combination.
- 2. A small piece of rock.
- 3. Rock or a piece of rock shaped or finished for a particular purpose, especially:
 - a. A piece of rock that is used in construction.
 - b. A gravestone or tombstone.
 - c. A grindstone, millstone, or whetstone.
 - d. A milestone or boundary.

nex-us (nek' sas) n., pl. nexus or nex-us-es.

- 1. A means of connection; a link or tie.
- 2. A connected series or group.
- 3. The core or center.

mag-a-zine (mag-uh-zeen), n.

- 1. A periodical containing a collection of articles, stories, pictures, or other features



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