



Put Down Roots

Put down **WORD [ROOTS]** (most basic form able to convey particular description, thought, meaning; not prefixes or suffixes) on your Scrabble board (7s then 8s!)
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7s [FORC] & [FORT] (strength, strong)

COMFORT	CFMOORT	to soothe in time of grief [v -ED, -ING, -S]
DEFORCE	CDEEFOR	to withhold by force [v -D, -S, -CING]
EFFORTS	EFFORST	EFFORT, deliberate exertion [n]
ENFORCE	CEEFNOR	to compel obedience to [v -D, -S, -CING]
FORCERS	CEFORRS	FORCER, one that forces (to overcome resistance by exertion of strength) [n]
FORCING	CFGINOR	FORCE, to overcome resistance by exertion of strength [v]
FORTIFY	FFIORTY	to strengthen against attack [v -FIED, -FIES, -ING]
PIEFORT	EFIOPRT	unusually thick coin [n -S]

8s [FORC] & [FORT] (strength, strong)

DEFORCER	CDEEFORR	one that deforces (to withhold by force) [n -S]
ENFORCER	CEEFNORR	one that enforces (to compel obedience to) [n -S]
FORCEDLY	CDEFLORY	FORCE, to overcome resistance by exertion of strength [adv]
FORCEFUL	CEFFLORU	strong (having great strength) [adj]
FORCEOUT	CEFOORTU	play by which runner in baseball is put out [n -S]
FORCIBLE	BCEFILOR	effected by force [adj]
FORCIBLY	BCFILORY	FORCIBLE, effected by force [adv]
FORTRESS	EFORRSST	to fortify (to strengthen against attack) [v -ED, -ES, -ING]
PANFORTE	AEFNOPRT	hard spicy cake [n -S]
PERFORCE	CEEFOPRR	of necessity [adv]
PIEDFORT	DEFIOPRT	piefort (unusually thick coin) [n -S]
UNFORCED	CDEFNORU	not forced (to overcome resistance by exertion of strength) [adj]