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| **Vocabulary****Word** | **Part of Speech** | **Definition** | **Sentence from** **“Broken Chain”** | **Sentence of My Own** |
| apparent |  | Your definition:Verified definition: | Page 17“Last week he did fifty sit-ups a day, thinking that he would burn those already apparent ripples on his stomach to even deeper ripples, dark ones, so when he went swimming at the canal next summer, girls in cut-offs would notice” (Soto 17).  |  |
| sullen |  | Your definition:Verified definition: | “And his father, who was puro Mexicano, would sit in his chair after work, sullen as a toad, and call him “sissy” (Soto 18). |  |
| impulse |  | Your definition:Verified definition: | “On an impulse, he removed the chain to wipe off the gritty oil” (Soto 22). |  |
| retrieved |  |  | “Alfonso retrieved the chain, which was hopelessly broken” (Soto 22).  |  |
| emerged |  |  | “Free of worry now that his brother had come through, Alfonso emerged from behind the hedge with Ernie’s bike, which was mud-splashed but better than nothing” (Soto 24).  |  |