

TERMS FOR TONES

abashed	blithe	despairing	ghoulish
abrasive	boastful	detached	giddy
abusive	bored	devil-may-care	gleeful
acquiescent	brisk	didactic	glum
accepting	bristling	disbelieving	grim
acerbic	brusque	discouraged	guarded
admiring	calm	disdainful	guilty
adoring	candid	disparaging	happy
affectionate	caressing	disrespectful	harsh
aghast	caustic	distracted	haughty
allusive	cavalier	doubtful	heavy-hearted
amused	childish	dramatic	hollow
angry	child-like	dreamy	horrified
anxious	clipped	dry	humorous
apologetic	cold	ecstatic	hypercritical
apprehensive	complimentary	entranced	indifferent
approving	condescending	enthusiastic	indignant
arch	confident	eulogistic	indulgent
ardent	confused	exhilarated	ironic
argumentative	coy	exultant	irreverent
audacious	contemptuous	facetious	joking
awe-struck	conversational	fanciful	joyful
bantering	critical	fearful	languorous
begudging	curt	flippant	languid
bemused	cutting	fond	laudatory
benevolent	cynical	forceful	light-hearted
biting	defamatory	frightened	lingering
bitter	denunciatory	frivolous	loving

marveling	sarcastic	sympathetic
melancholy	sardonic	taunting
mistrustful	satirical	tense
mocking	satisfied	thoughtful
mysterious	seductive	threatening
naïve	self-critical	tired
neutral	self-dramatizing	touchy
nostalgic	self-justifying	trenchant
objective	self-mocking	uncertain
peaceful	self-pitying	understated
pessimistic	self-satisfied	upset
pitiful	sentimental	urgent
playful	serious	vexed
poignant	severe	vibrant
pragmatic	sharp	way
proud	shocked	whimsical
provocative	silly	withering
questioning	sly	wry
rallying	smug	zealous
reflective	solemn	
reminiscing	somber	
reproachful	stem	
resigned	straightforward	
respectful	stentorian	
restrained	strident	
reticent	stunned	
reverent	subdued	
rueful	swaggering	
sad	sweet	