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Definition of CACHEXIA

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Late Latin cachexia, from Greek kachexia
bad condition, from kak- cac- + hexis
condition, from echein to have, be disposed — more at SCHEME

1 bodega
"Don't mess with the beloved bodegas" 2017
2 carceral
Of, relating to, or suggesting a jail
3 allegory
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4 hurricane
"A tropical cyclone"
5 rescind
To take away; cancel; repeal

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