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n.

1. A variety of grape originating in Italy and used to make red wine, especially Chianti.
2. A medium-bodied red wine made from this grape.

[Italian, ultimately from Latin *sanguis Iovis*, blood of Jove : *sanguis*, blood + *Iovis*, genitive of *Iūpiter*, Jupiter; see [dyeu-](#) [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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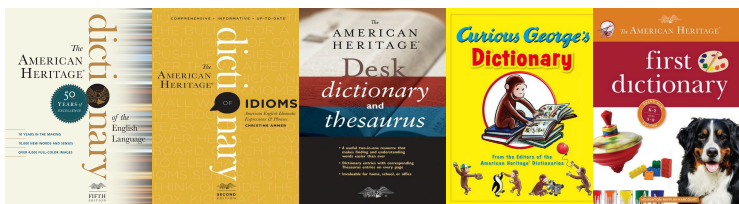
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