Fill in the blanks

1. He is so __________________ that no one knew whether he enjoyed the party or not.
   - garrulous
   - loquacious
   - taciturn

2. He _____________________________ his brothers out of their inheritance.
   - flummoxed
   - swapped
   - swindled

3. He had a __________________________ outlook on life.
   - sagacious
   - salacious
   - sanguine

4. Regular exercise is ________________________________
   - sagacious
   - salubrious
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deleterious

5. We pray that the court will reach a ........................ decision.

sanctimonious
sacrilegious
sagacious

6. He was a ........................ tyrant.

ruthless
lenient
remorseful

7. He ........................ on the courses of action open to him.

rummaged
collaborated
ruminated

8. He is so ........................ that his troubles never seem to get him down.
9. Just when I thought he had recovered, he suffered a ……………………………….

relapse
remission

10. Our relationship is based on ……………………………………. respect.

equivocal
unilateral
reciprocal

11. The …………………………………… youth needed more understanding teachers.

redundant
recalcitrant
compliant
12. A victim of injustice is bound to be full of

rupture
rancor
amity

Answers
1. He is so taciturn that no one knew whether he enjoyed the party or not.
2. He swindled his brothers out of their inheritance.
3. He had a sanguine outlook on life.
4. Regular exercise is salubrious.
5. We pray that the court will reach a sagacious decision.
6. He was a ruthless tyrant.
7. He ruminated on the courses of action open to him.
8. He is so resilient that his troubles never seem to get him down.
9. Just when I thought he had recovered, he suffered a relapse.
10. Our relationship is based on reciprocal respect.
11. The recalcitrant youth needed more understanding teachers.
12. A victim of injustice is bound to be full of rancor.