

# *A Word*

## *Administratrices*

*Administratrices:*  
It lingers on the breeze.  
It's quite the weirdest word  
I've heard.

Lynn Truss (*Eats, Shoots and Leaves*)  
Adores it, and she weaves  
Its magic in a book:  
Just look.

It's female, plural, long,  
With scope for going wrong.  
*Administratrices*  
Pleases.

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