

Need another word that means the same as “anecdote”? Find 4 synonyms and 30 related words for “anecdote” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Anecdote” are: story, tale, narrative, sketch

Anecdote as a Noun

Definitions of "Anecdote" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “anecdote” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *A short amusing or interesting story about a real incident or person.*
- *An account regarded as unreliable or hearsay.*
- *The depiction of a minor narrative incident in a painting.*
- *Short account of an incident (especially a biographical one).*

Synonyms of "Anecdote" as a noun (4 Words)

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| narrative | A representation of a particular situation or process in such a way as to reflect or conform to an overarching set of aims or values. <i>Traditions of oral narrative.</i> |
| sketch | A brief written or spoken account or description, giving only basic details. <i>A hilarious sketch for their latest BBC series.</i> |
| story | A plot or storyline. <i>The film is based on a true story.</i> |
| tale | A trivial lie. <i>She enjoyed hearing others tell their tales.</i> |

Usage Examples of "Anecdote" as a noun

- *The use of inversions of hierarchy, anecdote, and paradox by Magritte, Dali, and others.*
- *He told anecdotes about his job.*
- *His wife's death has long been the subject of rumour and anecdote.*

Associations of "Anecdote" (30 Words)

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| boyhood | The childhood of a boy. A boyhood friend. |
| catchy | Likely to attract attention. A catchy title for a movie. |
| conjure | Engage in plotting or enter into a conspiracy, swear together. A special tune that conjures up a particular time and place. |
| eidetic | Relating to or denoting mental images having unusual vividness and detail, as if actually visible. An eidetic memory. |
| evocative | Bringing strong images, memories, or feelings to mind. Powerfully evocative lyrics. |
| evoke | Evoke or provoke to appear or occur. Akasha is evoked in India when a house is being built to ensure its completion. |
| implore | Beg earnestly for. He implored her to change her mind. |
| impressed | Feeling or showing admiration or respect for someone or something. The total impressed voltage. |
| joke | Tell a joke speak humorously. Public transport is a joke . |
| memoir | An account of the author's personal experiences. In 1924 she published a short memoir of her husband. |
| memory | The area of cognitive psychology that studies memory processes. I ve a great memory for faces. |
| mindful | Focusing one's awareness on the present moment, especially as part of a therapeutic or meditative technique. I arrived home for the summer ever mindful of my obligations to my parents. |

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| <u>narrate</u> | Narrate or give a detailed account of. <i>The story is narrated by the heroine.</i> |
| <u>nostalgic</u> | A nostalgic person. <i>A nostalgic account of an idyllic childhood.</i> |
| personal | An advertisement or message in the personal column of a newspaper. Personal papers. |
| reawaken | (with reference to a feeling or state) emerge or cause to emerge again; awaken again. <i>His departure reawakened deep divisions within the party.</i> |
| recall | An act or instance of officially recalling someone or something. <i>Expert systems can produce solutions with the speed recall accuracy and consistency that only a computer can provide.</i> |
| recollect | Recall knowledge from memory have a recollection. <i>He could not quite recollect the reason.</i> |
| <u>recollection</u> | Something recalled to the mind. <i>A biography based on his wife s recollections.</i> |
| redolent | Fragrant or sweet-smelling. <i>A rich inky redolent wine.</i> |
| remember | Pray for the well-being of. <i>He remembered her in his will.</i> |
| remembrance | A thing kept or given as a reminder or in commemoration of someone. <i>A flash of remembrance passed between them.</i> |
| remind | Cause someone to think of (something) because of a resemblance. <i>His impassive fierce stare reminded her of an owl.</i> |
| reminder | A letter sent to remind someone of an obligation, especially to pay a bill. <i>He ignored his wife s reminders.</i> |
| <u>reminisce</u> | Indulge in enjoyable recollection of past events. <i>They reminisced about their summers abroad.</i> |
| reminiscence | A story told about a past event remembered by the narrator. <i>His story made me smile in reminiscence.</i> |
| <u>reminiscent</u> | Suggesting something by resemblance. <i>Her robes were vaguely reminiscent of military dress.</i> |
| <u>retrospect</u> | A survey or review of a past course of events or period of time. <i>In retrospect.</i> |
| story | A plot or storyline. <i>Having such information is useful but it is not the whole story.</i> |

vididly

In an intensely deep or bright manner.
*I am **vididly** aware of the need for good journalism.*