

Need another word that means the same as "assassin"? Find 11 synonyms and 30 related words for "assassin" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Assassin" are: assassinator, bravo, murderer, killer, executioner, gunman, butcher, slaughterer, liquidator, exterminator, terminator

Assassin as a Noun

Definitions of "Assassin" as a noun

According to the <u>Oxford Dictionary of English</u>, "assassin" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- A murderer (especially one who kills a prominent political figure) who kills by a surprise attack and often is hired to do the deed.
- A member of the Nizari branch of Ismaili Muslims at the time of the Crusades, when the newly established sect ruled part of northern Persia (1094–1256). They were renowned as militant fanatics, and were popularly reputed to use hashish before going on murder missions.
- A person who murders an important person for political or religious reasons.
- A member of a secret order of Muslims (founded in the 12th century) who terrorized and killed Christian Crusaders.





Synonyms of "Assassin" as a noun (11 Words)

A murderer (especially one who kills a prominent political figure) who kills

assassinator by a surprise attack and often is hired to do the deed.

Assassinators of kings and emperors.

bravo A cry of bravo.

Bravos rang out.

butcher A brutal indiscriminate murderer.

A pork **butcher**.

executioner An official who inflicts capital punishment in pursuit of a warrant.

Someone who exterminates (especially someone whose occupation is the

exterminator extermination of troublesome rodents and insects.

He became an **exterminator** of pumas tracking them down in dark caverns.

A professional killer who uses a gun.

gunmanA gang of masked gunmen.



Predatory black-and-white toothed whale with large dorsal fin; common in

killer cold seas.

The shift system was a killer.

liquidator A person (usually appointed by a court of law) who liquidates assets or

preserves them for the benefit of affected parties.

A criminal who commits homicide (who performs the unlawful premeditated

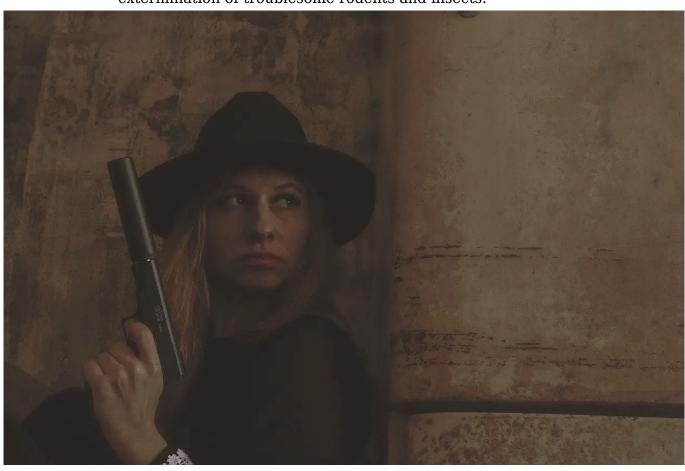
murderer killing of another human being.

Convicted murderers.

slaughterer A person who slaughters or dresses meat for market.

terminator Someone who exterminates (especially someone whose occupation is the

extermination of troublesome rodents and insects.



Usage Examples of "Assassin" as a noun

- His assassins were hunted down like animals.
- Assassinators of kings and emperors.







Associations of "Assassin" (30 Words)

accused A defendant in a criminal proceeding.

The **accused** was ordered to stand trial on a number of charges.

Destroy or damage seriously, as of someone's reputation.

assassinate The organization s leader had been **assassinate**d four months before the

coup.

The action of assassinating someone.

A wave of bombings and **assassination**s.

assault A physical attack.

He pleaded guilty to **assault**ing a police officer.

attempted Tried unsuccessfully.

Attempted murder.

chartered (of an aircraft or ship) having been hired.

The chartered buses arrived on time.

collusion Collusion between ostensible opponents in a lawsuit.

The armed forces were working in **collusion** with drug traffickers.

conscienceless Lacking a conscience.

Brash unprincipled and conscienceless.

conspirator

A person who takes part in a conspiracy.

Conspirators had planned to seize the state.

A person who has been convicted of a criminal offense.

Twelve people were **convict**ed for their part in an attempted coup.

culpable

Deserving blame or censure as being wrong or evil or injurious.

Mercy killings are less **culpable** than ordinary murders.

A report sent in from abroad by a journalist.

dispatch

It was done with dispatch.

(of a person) having a paid job.

employed

Up to 40 per cent of employed people are in part time jobs.

genocide Systematic killing of a racial or cultural group.

News of genocides went unreported.

hired Hired for the exclusive temporary use of a group of travelers.

Hired hands.

homicide A murderer.

He was charged with **homicide**.

The causal agent resulting in death.

There is a **killer** on the loose.



killing Extremely funny.

A killing schedule.

massacre Deliberately and brutally kill (many people.

Thousands were brutally **massacre**d by soldiers.

murderer A person who commits murder.

Convicted **murderer**s.

Suffering from or constituting a chronic mental disorder with abnormal

psychopathic or violent social behaviour.

An obsessive attention to detail that looked almost **psychopathic**.

regicide Someone who commits regicide the killer of a king.

Kill (animals) usually for food consumption.

At present the abattoir is **slaughter**ing animals for the domestic market.

Kill intentionally and with premeditation.

You **slay**ed at this quiz.

slayer Someone who kills a person or animal in a violent way.

A dragon **slayer**.

suicide A person who commits suicide.

A stretch of the line popular with would be **suicide**s.

unconscionable Not right or reasonable.

Unconscionable spending.

wanted Desired or wished for or sought.

A **wanted** criminal.



