

Need another word that means the same as “crypt”? Find 8 synonyms and 30 related words for “crypt” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Crypt” are: tomb, vault, mausoleum, burial chamber, sepulchre, catacomb, ossuary, undercroft

Crypt as a Noun

Definitions of "Crypt" as a noun

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

- *An underground room or vault beneath a church, used as a chapel or burial place.*
- *A cellar or vault or underground burial chamber (especially beneath a church.*
- *A small tubular gland, pit, or recess.*



Synonyms of "Crypt" as a noun (8 Words)

burial chamber	The ritual placing of a corpse in a grave.
catacomb	An underground construction resembling or compared to catacombs.
mausoleum	A large burial chamber, usually above ground. <i>A cultural mausoleum such as the Tate.</i>
ossuary	A container or room in which the bones of dead people are placed.
sepulchre	A small room or monument, cut in rock or built of stone, in which a dead person is laid or buried.
<u>tomb</u>	A place for the burial of a corpse especially beneath the ground and marked by a tombstone. <i>None escape the tomb.</i>
undercroft	The crypt of a church.
<u>vault</u>	A chamber beneath a church or in a graveyard used for burials. <i>A wine vault.</i>



Associations of "Crypt" (30 Words)

below

See below.
*I ll go **below** and fix us a drink.*

beneath

In or to a place that is lower.
*The smile revealed the evil **beneath**.*

burial

A ceremony at which someone's body is buried; a funeral.
***Burial** mounds.*

bury

Enclose or envelop completely, as if by swallowing.
*I tried to **bury** these unpleasant memories.*

casket	Enclose in a casket. <i>A small brass casket containing four black opals.</i>
cemetery	A large burial ground, especially one not in a churchyard. <i>A military cemetery.</i>
coffin	Put a dead body in a coffin. <i>Her body was coffined.</i>
conceal	Not allow to be seen; hide. <i>They were at great pains to conceal that information from the public.</i>
den	Of a wild animal live in a den. <i>Harriet built a den in a tree.</i>
entomb	Bury or trap within something. <i>Mummified bodies were entombed in the pyramids of Egypt.</i>
excavate	Remove the inner part or the core of. <i>The cheapest way of doing this was to excavate a long trench.</i>
grave	Carve, cut, or etch into a material or surface. <i>Grave responsibilities.</i>
gravestone	An inscribed headstone marking a grave.
hidden	Kept out of sight; concealed. <i>Hidden valleys.</i>
inhume	Place in a grave or tomb. <i>No hand his bones shall gather or inhume.</i>
inter	Place (a corpse) in a grave or tomb, typically with funeral rites. <i>He was interred with the military honours due to him.</i>
interment	The ritual placing of a corpse in a grave. <i>The day of interment.</i>
lair	The habitation of wild animals. <i>A group of adventurers stormed into his mountain lair and killed him.</i>
mausoleum	A stately or impressive building housing a tomb or group of tombs. <i>A cultural mausoleum such as the Tate.</i>
mummification	Gangrene that develops in the presence of arterial obstruction and is characterized by dryness of the dead tissue and a dark brown color. <i>Bureaucratic mummification in red tape.</i>
necropolis	A cemetery, especially a large one belonging to an ancient city.
quietus	Something that has a calming or soothing effect.
sarcophagus	A stone coffin (usually bearing sculpture or inscriptions).
sepulcher	A chamber that is used as a grave.

<u>subterranean</u>	Being or operating under the surface of the earth. <i>Subterranean motives for murder.</i>
<u>tomb</u>	A place for the burial of a corpse especially beneath the ground and marked by a tombstone. <i>The house was as quiet as a tomb.</i>
<u>ulterior</u>	Lying beyond what is openly revealed or avowed (especially being kept in the background or deliberately concealed)- Bertrand Russell. <i>Looked too closely for an ulterior purpose in all knowledge.</i>
<u>under</u>	Under water. <i>The operation was quick she was only under for 15 minutes.</i>
<u>underground</u>	An underground railway especially the one in London. <i>Miners working underground.</i>
<u>underneath</u>	Partly or wholly concealed by a garment. <i>There was plenty of storage room underneath.</i>

