

Need another word that means the same as "darling"? Find 55 synonyms and 30 related words for "darling" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Darling" are: darling river, dearie, deary, ducky, favorite, favourite, pet, dear, dearest, dear one, love, lover, sweetheart, beloved, sweet, apple of one's eye, celebrity, idol, hero, heroine, precious, adored, loved, much loved, cherished, treasured, prized, esteemed, worshipped, idolized, delightful, adorable, lovable, appealing, charming, cute, enchanting, bewitching, captivating, alluring, engaging, endearing, lovely, beautiful, attractive, gorgeous, winsome, winning, fetching, pleasing

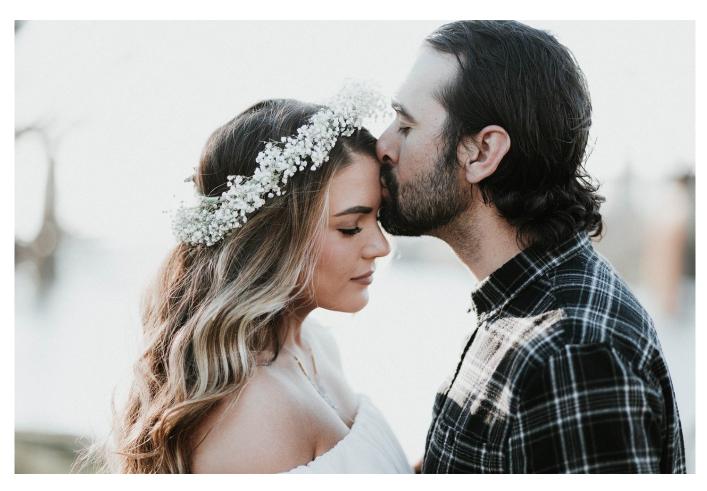
Darling as a Noun

Definitions of "Darling" as a noun

According to the Oxford Dictionary of English, "darling" as a noun can have the following definitions:

- Used as an affectionate form of address to a beloved person.
- An Australian river; tributary of the Murray River.
- A person who is particularly popular with a certain group.
- A lovable or endearing person.
- A special loved one.





Synonyms of "Darling" as a noun (20 Words)

apple of one's eye Fruit with red or yellow or green skin and sweet to tart crisp whitish flesh.

A beloved person used as terms of endearment.

He watched his **beloved** from afar.

A famous person, especially in entertainment or sport.

His prestige and **celebrity** grew.

darling river A special loved one.

dear A sweet or endearing person.

ear Harry s a **dear**.

celebrity

dear one

A beloved person; used as terms of endearment.

A beloved person; used as terms of endearment.

You make me so happy **dearest**.



dearie A special loved one.

Having trouble **dearie**.

deary A special loved one.

ducky Dear (used as a form of address.

Come and sit down ducky.

favorite A special loved one.

That book is one of my **favorites**.

A record of the address of a website or other data made to enable

favourite quick access; a bookmark.

You could always fall back on that old **favourite** the omelette.

A being of great strength and courage celebrated for bold exploits;

hero often the offspring of a mortal and a god.

Jumpsuits are hands down our hottest **hero** piece right now.

The chief female character in a book, play, or film, who is typically

identified with good qualities, and with whom the reader is expected to

sympathize.

She was a true feminist heroine.

A material effigy that is worshipped.

A soccer **idol**.

heroine

love A personified figure of love often represented as Cupid.

His **love**making disgusted her.

lover A significant other to whom you are not related by marriage.

Music **lover**s.

A fit of petulance or sulkiness especially at what is felt to be a slight.

I found the chairs at my **pet** antiques dealer in Cannes.

The sweet part or element of something.

Sweet shop.

sweetheart A person loved by another person.

The pair were childhood **sweetheart**s.





Usage Examples of "Darling" as a noun

- He's such a darling.
- He is the darling of Labour's left wing.
- Good night, darling.





Darling as an Adjective

Definitions of "Darling" as an adjective

According to the $\underbrace{Oxford\ Dictionary\ of\ English}_{}$, "darling" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- (in affected use) pretty; charming.
- Dearly loved.
- Beloved.





Synonyms of "Darling" as an adjective (35 Words)

adorable Inspiring great affection or delight. *I have four adorable Siamese cats.*

Regarded with deep or rapturous love (especially as if for a god.

Adored grandchildren.

alluring Highly attractive and able to arouse hope or desire.

An **alluring** prospect.

(of characters in literature or drama) evoking empathic or sympathetic

appealing feelings.

adored

An **appealing** look.

attractive Pleasing to the eye or mind especially through beauty or charm.

A remarkably **attractive** young man.

beautiful Of a very high standard; excellent.

What a **beautiful** day.



beloved Dearly loved.

His **beloved** son.

bewitching Enchanting or delightful.

I gazed deeply into the most **bewitching** blue eyes.

captivating Capable of attracting and holding interest; charming.

^{ny} Roosevelt was a **captivating** speaker.

charming Pleasing or delighting. *A charming* personality.

• Characterized by feeling or showing fond affection for.

cherished Characterized by feeling or snowing fond affection for.

A **cherished** friend.

cute Attractive in a pretty or endearing way.

Ryan s **cute** but he s kinda young.

dear Dearly loved.

A **dear** little puppy.

dearest Earnest.

One of my **dearest** friends.

delightful

A delightful sockydod garden

A **delightful** secluded garden.

enchanting Delightfully charming or attractive.

Enchanting views.

endearing Lovable especially in a childlike or naive way.

An **endearing** little grin.

engaging Attracting or delighting. An **engaging** smile.

esteemed Having an illustrious reputation; respected.

Our **esteemed** leader.

favourite Preferred to all others of the same kind.

Their **favourite** Italian restaurant.

fetching Very attractive; capturing interest.

A **fetching** new hairstyle.

gorgeous

Beautiful; very attractive.

Gorgeous colours and exquisite decoration.

idolized Regarded with deep or rapturous love (especially as if for a god.

An **idolized** wife.

loyable Having characteristics that attract love or affection.

A naughty but **lovable** child.



Held dear. loved

His **loved** companion of many years.

Very pleasant or enjoyable; delightful. lovely

How **lovely** to see you.

much loved Great in quantity or degree or extent.

Pleasant or agreeable to the senses.

pleasing A **pleasing** piece of news.

Of high worth or cost.

precious Look after my daughter she s very **precious** to me.

Of superior grade.

prized The bicycle was her most **prized** possession.

Having a sweet nature befitting an angel or cherub.

sweet She seemed quite **sweet** on him.

Characterized by feeling or showing fond affection for. **treasured**

A **treasured** heirloom.

Attractive; endearing. winning

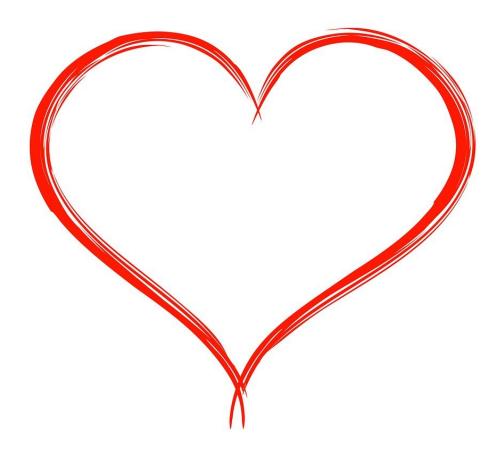
The **winning** team.

Attractive or appealing in a fresh, innocent way. winsome

A winsome smile.

worshipped Regarded with deep or rapturous love (especially as if for a god.

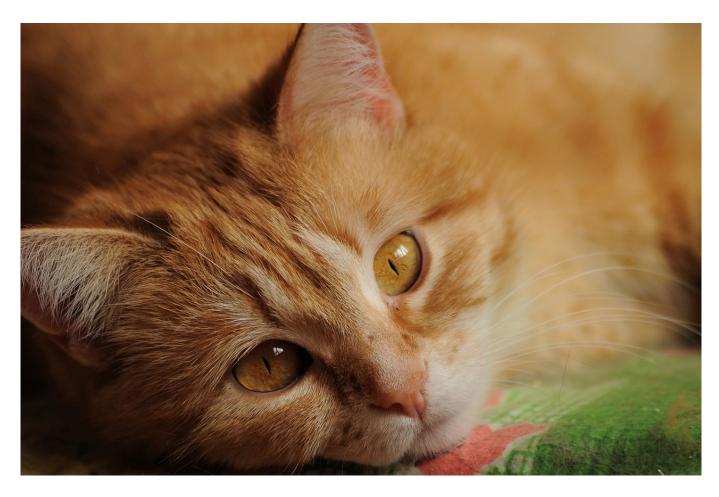




Usage Examples of "Darling" as an adjective

- A darling little pillbox hat.
- His darling wife.





Associations of "Darling" (30 Words)

A beloved person used as terms of endearment.

He watched his **beloved** from afar.

bigamy The state of having two spouses at the same time.

compatriot A person from your own country.

Stich defeated his **compatriot** Boris Becker in the quarter finals.

Relating to marriage or the relationship between a married couple.

conjugal visits.

connubial In a conjugal manner.

Connubial bliss.

consummate Without qualification; used informally as (often pejorative) intensifiers.

Consummate skill.

daughter

A thing personified as a daughter in relation to its origin or source.

Her **daughter** cared for her in her old age.



dear Endearing sweet.

She loved him **dear**ly.

estranged (of a person) no longer close or affectionate to someone; alienated.

Harriet felt more **estranged** from her daughter than ever.

friendship A relationship between friends.

She formed close **friendship**s with women.

girlfriend Any female friend.

She would rather go to the cinema with a **girlfriend**.

harridan A scolding (even vicious) old woman.

A bullying old **harridan**.

A heterosexual person someone having a sexual orientation to persons of the

heterosexual opposite sex.

Heterosexual relationships.

housework Regular work done in housekeeping, especially cleaning and tidying.

I was busy doing **housework** when the doorbell rang.

husband Use cautiously and frugally.

She **husband**ed their financial resources through difficult times.

Used to express affection at the end of a letter (conventionally represented

kiss by the letter X.

She **kiss**ed her grandfather on the forehead when she entered the room.

married Married people.

We were young **married**s during World War Two.

marry

Become a member of (a family) by marriage.

Eric asked me to **marry** him.

matrimony The ceremony or sacrament of marriage.

The joys of **matrimony**.

mistress A female schoolteacher who teaches a particular subject.

A **mistress** of the sound bite she is famed for the acidity of her tongue.

Of a marriage between one of royal or noble birth and one of lower rank;

walid but with the understanding that the rank of the inferior remains

unchanged and offspring do not succeed to titles or property of the superior.

He contracted a **morganatic** marriage with a German born actress.

newlywed Someone recently married.

paramour A woman's lover.

Associate or work together as partners.

partner We ve **partner**ed with several venues and organizations to bring fun science

events to the city.



philanderTalk or behave amorously, without serious intentions.

Married men who philander.

The relationship between sisters.

sisterhood Canadian feminists acknowledge their **sisterhood** with women around the

globe.

spouse A person's partner in marriage.

wed Get married.

In this album he **wed**s an excellent programme with a distinctive vocal style.

widower A man who has lost his spouse by death and has not married again.

Her new found passion has turned me into a tennis widower.

The wife of a person with a specified occupation.

He and his wife are keen gardeners.

