

Need another word that means the same as “degraded”? Find 21 synonyms and 30 related words for “degraded” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Degraded” are: debased, devalued, debauched, degenerate, dissipated, dissolute, fast, libertine, profligate, riotous, humiliated, cheap, ashamed, corrupt, corrupted, depraved, perverted, decadent, immoral, base, sordid

Degraded as an Adjective

Definitions of "Degraded" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “degraded” as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Unrestrained by convention or morality.*
- *Reduced in quality; inferior.*
- *Lowered in value.*
- *Treated or regarded with contempt or disrespect.*



Synonyms of "Degraded" as an adjective (21 Words)

- ashamed** Embarrassed or guilty because of one's actions, characteristics, or associations.
*She felt **ashamed** that she had hit him.*
- base** Of low birth or station base is archaic in this sense.
*An attempt to eliminate the **base** coinage.*
- cheap** Of very poor quality; flimsy.
*Her moment of **cheap** triumph.*
- corrupt** Having or showing a willingness to act dishonestly in return for money or personal gain.
***Corrupt** is archaic.*
- corrupted** Lacking in integrity.
*Spoke a **corrupted** version of the language.*
- debased** Lowered in value.
*A **debased** currency.*

- debauched** Unrestrained by convention or morality.
*Congreve draws a **debauched** aristocratic society.*
- decadent** Marked by excessive self-indulgence and moral decay.
*I spent a **decadent** day at a spa.*
- degenerate** (of matter) at densities so high that gravitational contraction is counteracted, either by the Pauli exclusion principle or by an analogous quantum effect between closely packed neutrons.
*A **degenerate** form of a higher civilization.*
- depraved** Deviating from what is considered moral or right or proper or good.
***Depraved** criminals.*
- devalued** Lowered in value.
- dissipated** (of a person or way of life) overindulging in sensual pleasures.
*Led a **dissipated** life.*
- dissolute** Unrestrained by convention or morality.
*Unfortunately his heir was feckless and **dissolute**.*
- fast** Hurried and brief.
*The band played a **fast** fox trot.*
- humiliated** Made to feel uncomfortable because of shame or wounded pride.
***Humiliated** that his wife had to go out to work.*
- immoral** Not conforming to accepted standards of morality.
*They considered colonialism **immoral**.*
- libertine** Unrestrained by convention or morality.
*His more **libertine** impulses.*
- perverted** (of a thing) having been corrupted or distorted from its original course, meaning, or state.
*A **perverted** translation of the poem.*
- profligate** Recklessly wasteful.
*He succumbed to drink and a **profligate** lifestyle.*
- riotous** Produced or growing in extreme abundance.
*A **riotous** crowd.*
- sordid** Foul and run-down and repulsive.
*The overcrowded housing conditions were **sordid** and degrading.*



Usage Examples of "Degraded" as an adjective

- *Deplorably dissipated and degraded.*
- *She had felt cheap and degraded.*
- *It will grow successfully even on degraded land.*



Associations of "Degraded" (30 Words)

abject	Of the most contemptible kind. <i>An abject apology.</i>
ambidextrous	Marked by deliberate deceptiveness especially by pretending one set of feelings and acting under the influence of another- Israel Zangwill. <i>Few of us are naturally ambidextrous.</i>
contemptible	Deserving contempt; despicable. <i>A display of contemptible cowardice.</i>
corrupt	Corrupt morally or by intemperance or sensuality. <i>A corrupt and incompetent city government.</i>
debauchery	A wild gathering involving excessive drinking and promiscuity.
despicable	Morally reprehensible. <i>Would do something as despicable as murder.</i>
disappearance	The act of leaving secretly or without explanation. <i>The disappearance of resistance at very low temperatures.</i>
dishonorable	Deceptive or fraudulent; disposed to cheat or defraud or deceive. <i>Dishonorable in thought and deed.</i>
disintegration	The spontaneous disintegration of a radioactive substance along with the emission of ionizing radiation. <i>The disintegration of infected cells.</i>
dissipation	Overindulgence in sensual pleasures; dissipated living. <i>The dissipations in the switch and diode are small.</i>
dissolute	(of a person or a way of life) overindulging in sensual pleasures. <i>Unfortunately his heir was feckless and dissolute.</i>
extravagance	Lack of restraint in spending money or using resources. <i>Salmon trout is an unnecessary extravagance.</i>
ignoble	Not honourable in character or purpose. <i>Ignoble feelings of intense jealousy.</i>
immoral	Deliberately violating accepted principles of right and wrong. <i>They considered colonialism immoral.</i>
lascivious	Feeling or revealing an overt sexual interest or desire. <i>He gave her a lascivious wink.</i>
lechery	Unrestrained indulgence in sexual activity. <i>The vice of lechery.</i>
lewd	Crude and offensive in a sexual way. <i>She began to gyrate to the music and sing a lewd song.</i>

libertine	Characterized by free indulgence in sensual pleasures. <i>His more libertine impulses.</i>
libidinous	Showing excessive sexual drive; lustful. <i>Libidinous teenagers.</i>
licentious	Lacking moral discipline; especially sexually unrestrained. <i>The ruler s tyrannical and licentious behaviour.</i>
prodigal	A person who leaves home to lead a prodigal life but later makes a repentant return. <i>Prodigal habits die hard.</i>
profligacy	Reckless extravagance or wastefulness in the use of resources. <i>The government returned to fiscal profligacy.</i>
profligate	Unrestrained by convention or morality. <i>He succumbed to drink and a profligate lifestyle.</i>
spending	The act of spending or disbursing money.
spendthrift	Someone who spends money prodigally. <i>Putt was a spendthrift and a heavy gambler.</i>
untrustworthy	Not worthy of trust or belief. <i>These untrustworthy impressions were instinctive.</i>
vicious	Serious or dangerous. <i>Vicious kicks.</i>
wasteful	Inefficient in use of time and effort and materials. <i>Wasteful energy consumption.</i>
wastrel	A wasteful or good-for-nothing person. <i>I have no intention of seeing my dues gambled away by your wastrel of a son.</i>

