

Need another word that means the same as "devote"? Find 15 synonyms and 30 related words for "devote" in this overview.

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The synonyms of "Devote" are: commit, consecrate, dedicate, give, pay, allocate, assign, allot, give over, afford, apportion, surrender, consign, sacrifice, pledge

Devote as a Verb

Definitions of "Devote" as a verb

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

- Invoke or pronounce a curse upon.
- Set aside or apart for a specific purpose or use.
- Give entirely to a specific person, activity, or cause.
- Dedicate.
- Give all or most of one's time or resources to (a person or activity.
- Use a certain amount of space or time to cover (a topic.





Synonyms of "Devote" as a verb (15 Words)

afford Afford access to.

Only aristocrats could **afford** to stoop to such practices.

allocate Distribute (resources or duties) for a particular purpose.

Students are allocated accommodation on a yearly basis.

... Give out.

Equal time was allotted to each.

Divide up and share out.

apportion They did not apportion blame or liability to any one individual.

assign

Give an assignment to a person to a post or assign a task to a person.

They will ask you to assign your rights against the girling.

They will ask you to **assign** your rights against the airline.



Refer a parliamentary or legislative bill to a committee. commit

I **commit** my soul to God.

Dedicate to a deity by a vow.

consecrateThe present Holy Trinity church was **consecrate**d in 1845.

Send to an address.

consign The package was **consign**ed by a famous sporting goods company.

Devote (time or effort) to a particular task or purpose.

dedicate Today the President **dedicate**s the new Second World War memorial in

Washington.

Give or supply. give

This material doesn t **give**.

give over Proffer (a body part.

Do or give something to somebody in return. pay

The destroyer responsible for these atrocities would have to **pay** with his life.

Bind or secure by a pledge.

pledge *In his hand a sculptured goblet as he pledged the merchant kings.*

Offer or kill as a religious sacrifice. sacrifice

The general had to **sacrifice** several soldiers to save the regiment.

Stop resisting to an enemy or opponent and submit to their authority. surrender

The UK is opposed to **surrender**ing its monetary sovereignty.





Usage Examples of "Devote" as a verb

- I wanted to devote more time to my family.
- $\bullet \ \textit{She devoted herself to fundraising}.$
- This land was devoted to mining.
- The hostile army was devoted with dire execrations to the gods of war.
- A full page is devoted to each ski run.





Associations of "Devote" (30 Words)

admirer Someone who admires a young woman.

He was a great **admirer** of Henry James.

ardent Characterized by strong enthusiasm.

From rank to rank she darts her **ardent** eyes.

attached Joined, fastened, or connected to something.

A block of **attached** houses.

benedict United States anthropologist (1887-1948.

bestThe finest aspect of a person or thing.

The **best** time for planting.



A dose of a vaccine that increases or renews the effect of an earlier one.

Boosters at five year intervals are recommended.

cardinal A deep scarlet colour like that of a cardinal s cassock.

Cardinal numbers.

Refer a parliamentary or legislative bill to a committee.

She didn t love him enough to **commit** herself to him.

committed In or denoting a long-term emotional relationship.

Esther has a **committed** boyfriend.

consecrate Dedicate to a deity by a vow.

The **consecrate**d chapel.

consign Send (goods) by a public carrier.

She **consign**ed the letter to the waste paper basket.

dedicate Open to public use, as of a highway, park, or building.

Volume four is **dedicate**d to wasps.

dedicated Solemnly dedicated to or set apart for a high purpose.

A **dedicated** dancer.

devotion Love, loyalty, or enthusiasm for a person or activity.

She went to her **devotion**s.

A follower or pupil of a teacher, leader, or philosopher.

A **disciple** of Rousseau.

enthusiastically With enthusiasm; in an enthusiastic manner.

The report was **enthusiastically** welcomed by all groups.

fanatically In a passionately fanatic manner.

holy Dedicated or consecrated to God or a religious purpose; sacred.

Holy smoke.

lover A person who likes or enjoys a specified thing.

He was a great **lover** of cats.

oblation The act of offering the bread and wine of the Eucharist.

Oblations for aid to the poor.

offering The verbal act of offering.

Everyone transported their **offering**s to the bring and buy stall.

passionatelyIn a way that shows strong feelings or beliefs.

He argued **passionately** against war.

Righteousness by virtue of being pious.

Acts of **piety** and charity.

pope English poet and satirist (1688-1744.



pour Pour out.

Water **pour**ed all over the floor.

(often followed by `to') devoted exclusively to a single use or purpose or

sacred person.

The **sacred** name of Jesus.

Formally recognize as a saint canonize.

saint The sandy shores of the River Nid where Holy Olaf s bones were laid to

rest before he had been **saint**ed.

written formula for ending a letter.

I **sincerely** hope that we shall have a change of government.

A priest or priestess (or consecrated worshipper) in a non-Christian

votary religion or cult.

A **votary** of Aphrodite.

votive Dedicated in fulfillment of a vow.

Votive offerings.

