

Need another word that means the same as “disillusioned”? Find 4 synonyms and 30 related words for “disillusioned” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Disillusioned” are: disenchanted, disappointed, downcast, discouraged

Disillusioned as an Adjective

Definitions of "Disillusioned" as an adjective

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

- *Freed from illusion.*
- *Disappointed in someone or something that one discovers to be less good than one had believed.*

Synonyms of "Disillusioned" as an adjective (4 Words)

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| disappointed | Disappointingly unsuccessful. <i>Thousands of disappointed customers were kept waiting.</i> |
| discouraged | Having lost confidence or enthusiasm; disheartened. <i>Felt discouraged by the magnitude of the problem.</i> |
| disenchanted | Freed from enchantment. <i>He became disenchanted with his erstwhile ally.</i> |
| downcast | Filled with melancholy and despondency. <i>Her modestly downcast eyes.</i> |

Usage Examples of "Disillusioned" as an adjective

- *The minority groups were completely disillusioned with the party.*

Associations of "Disillusioned" (30 Words)

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| bitterly | With bitterness, in a resentful manner. <i>The two governments quarrelled bitterly over the terms of the loan.</i> |
| cry | Bring into a particular state by crying. <i>Before we had newspapers a town crier would cry the news.</i> |
| daunting | Seeming difficult to deal with in prospect; intimidating. <i>A daunting task.</i> |
| defeated | People who are defeated. <i>The Romans had no pity for the defeated.</i> |
| dejected | Affected or marked by low spirits. <i>Is dejected but trying to look cheerful.</i> |
| despondent | Without or almost without hope. <i>Despondent about his failure.</i> |
| disappointed | Disappointingly unsuccessful. <i>Disappointed expectations and thwarted ambitions.</i> |
| disappointing | Not up to expectations. <i>It was disappointing that there were relatively few possibilities.</i> |
| disastrous | (of events) having extremely unfortunate or dire consequences; bringing ruin. <i>United made a disastrous start to the season.</i> |
| disillusion | Disappointment resulting from the discovery that something is not as good as one believed it to be. <i>The old enthusiasm for the government evaporated into a more cynical disillusion.</i> |
| foiled | Disappointingly unsuccessful. <i>Their foiled attempt to capture Calais.</i> |
| frustrated | Prevented from progressing, succeeding, or being fulfilled. <i>A frustrated actor.</i> |
| frustrating | Discouraging by hindering. <i>It can be very frustrating to find that the size you want isn't there.</i> |
| infelicitous | Marked by or producing unhappiness. <i>Infelicitous circumstances.</i> |

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| mischance | An instance of misfortune. <i>By pure mischance the secret was revealed.</i> |
| <u>mourn</u> | Observe the customs of mourning after the death of a loved one. <i>She mourned for her friends who died in the accident.</i> |
| <u>pathetic</u> | Miserably inadequate; of very low standard. <i>She looked so pathetic that I bent down to comfort her.</i> |
| piteous | Deserving or arousing pity. <i>Piteous appeals for help.</i> |
| <u>poignant</u> | Arousing affect. <i>The poignant scent of her powder.</i> |
| sad | Of things that make you feel sad. <i>It was a very sad story.</i> |
| <u>somber</u> | Lacking brightness or color; dull. <i>Children in somber brown clothes.</i> |
| <u>unfortunate</u> | Not auspicious; boding ill. <i>Those unfortunates whose lives are marred by poverty.</i> |
| unfulfilled | Not carried out or brought to completion. <i>I was restless and unfulfilled.</i> |
| unhappy | Not happy. <i>The unhappy truth.</i> |
| unlucky | Marked by or promising bad fortune. <i>An unlucky defeat.</i> |
| <u>unsatisfied</u> | Not satisfied. <i>The compromise left all sides unsatisfied.</i> |
| <u>unsuccessful</u> | Not successful. <i>An unsuccessful attempt to enter Parliament.</i> |
| <u>weep</u> | A fit or period of weeping. <i>She rubbed the sore making it weep.</i> |
| <u>whimper</u> | A whimpering sound. <i>Their first appearance in the top flight ended with a whimper rather than a bang.</i> |
| wretched | Very unhappy; full of misery. <i>I felt so wretched because I thought I might never see you again.</i> |