

Need another word that means the same as “memorial”? Find 10 synonyms and 30 related words for “memorial” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Memorial” are: monument, commemoration, remembrance, shrine, mausoleum, cenotaph, tribute, testimonial, memento, souvenir**

## Memorial as a Noun

### Definitions of "Memorial" as a noun

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

- *A statement of facts, especially as the basis of a petition.*
- *A written statement of facts submitted in conjunction with a petition to an authority.*
- *A structure erected to commemorate persons or events.*
- *A recognition of meritorious service.*
- *A statue or structure established to remind people of a person or event.*
- *A record or memoir.*
- *Intended to commemorate someone or something.*



## Synonyms of "Memorial" as a noun (10 Words)

<b>cenotaph</b>	A monument built to honor people whose remains are interred elsewhere or whose remains cannot be recovered.
<b>commemoration</b>	A ceremony to honor the memory of someone or something. <i><b>Commemorations</b> of wartime anniversaries.</i>
<b>mausoleum</b>	A large burial chamber, usually above ground. <i>A cultural <b>mausoleum</b> such as the Tate.</i>
<b>memento</b>	An object kept as a reminder of a person or event. <i>You can purchase a <b>memento</b> of your visit.</i>
<b><u>monument</u></b>	A building, structure, or site that is of historical importance or interest. <i>A <b>monument</b> to Magellan is in the main square of the city.</i>
<b>remembrance</b>	The action of remembering something. <i>I went through the papers and <b>remembrances</b> in his drawers.</i>
<b><u>shrine</u></b>	A place of worship hallowed by association with some sacred thing or person. <i>A Hindu <b>shrine</b> at which offerings are placed twice a day.</i>

**souvenir**

Something of sentimental value.

*The recording provides a **souvenir** of a great production.*

**testimonial**

Something given or done as an expression of esteem.

*A **testimonial** match.*

**tribute**

An act, statement, or gift that is intended to show gratitude, respect, or admiration.

*His victory in the championship was a **tribute** to his persistence.*



**Usage Examples of "Memorial" as a noun**

- *A memorial service in the dead man's honour.*
- *A memorial to General Robert E. Lee.*
- *The Council sent a strongly worded memorial to the Chancellor of the Exchequer.*
- *Mrs Carlyle's Letters and Memorials.*



## Associations of "Memorial" (30 Words)

- anniversary** The date on which a couple were married in a previous year.  
*He even forgot our tenth **anniversary**.*
- bicentennial** Of or relating to or completing a period of 200 years.  
***Bicentennial** celebration.*
- carve** Establish (a career, role, or reputation) for oneself through hard work.  
*The wood was **carved** with runes.*
- celebration** A joyful occasion for special festivities to mark some happy event.  
*The birth of his son was a cause for **celebration**.*
- ceremony** A formal event performed on a special occasion.  
*An inaugural **ceremony**.*
- commemorate** Mark by some ceremony or observation.  
*A wreath laying ceremony to **commemorate** the war dead.*
- effigy** A representation of a person (especially in the form of sculpture).  
*The coin bears an **effigy** of Lincoln.*
- engrave** Cut (a design) as lines on a metal plate for printing.  
*The crystal glasses were **engraved** with the Queen's cipher.*

<b>epigraph</b>	An engraved inscription.
<b>epitaph</b>	A summary statement of commemoration for a dead person. <i>The story makes a sorry <b>epitaph</b> to a great career.</i>
<b>eulogistic</b>	Formally expressing praise.
<b>gargoyle</b>	A spout that terminates in a grotesquely carved figure of a person or animal.
<b>gravestone</b>	An inscribed headstone marking a grave.
<b>hieroglyphic</b>	Writing that resembles hieroglyphics usually by being illegible. <i>A <b>hieroglyphic</b> sign.</i>
<b>inscription</b>	Letters inscribed (especially words engraved or carved) on something. <i>The <b>inscription</b> of memorable utterances on durable materials.</i>
<b>marble</b>	Used figuratively to refer to something with the smoothness hardness or colour of marble. <i>A couple of girls were playing <b>marbles</b>.</i>
<b>memorialize</b>	Address in a memorial. <i>The novel <b>memorialized</b> their childhood summers.</i>
<b>monument</b>	An enduring and memorable example of something. <i>A handsome <b>monument</b> of granite is placed over the grave.</i>
<b>monumental</b>	Relating or belonging to or serving as a monument. <i>Einstein s <b>monumental</b> contributions to physics.</i>
<b>perennially</b>	In a perennial manner; repeatedly. <i><b>Perennially</b> popular destinations like Rome.</i>
<b>plaque</b>	A small, distinct, typically raised patch or region on or within the body resulting from local damage or deposition of material, such as a fatty deposit on an artery wall in atherosclerosis or a site of localized damage of brain tissue in Alzheimer's disease. <i><b>Plaque</b> around gum margins can lead to gingivitis.</i>
<b>statuary</b>	Of or relating to or suitable for statues. <i>Classical <b>statuary</b>.</i>
<b>statue</b>	A sculpture representing a human or animal.
<b>stone</b>	Kill by throwing stones at. <i><b>Stone</b> is abundant in New England and there are many quarries.</i>
<b>tercentenary</b>	Relating to a three-hundredth anniversary. <i>Events arranged to mark the Library s <b>tercentenary</b>.</i>
<b>tomb</b>	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 <b>tomb</b>.</i>

- tombstone** A large, flat inscribed stone standing or laid over a grave.  
*His grin exposed his yellowed teeth like a row of **tombstones**.*
- tribute** An act, statement, or gift that is intended to show gratitude, respect, or admiration.  
*An Abba **tribute** band.*
- triennial** A visitation of an Anglican diocese by its bishop every three years.  
*The **triennial** meeting of the Association.*
- yearly** Once a year or every year.  
***Yearly** medical examinations.*

