

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)

cenotaph	A monument built to honor people whose remains are interred elsewhere or whose remains cannot be recovered.
commemoration	A ceremony to honor the memory of someone or something. <i>Commemorations of wartime anniversaries.</i>
mausoleum	A large burial chamber, usually above ground. <i>A cultural mausoleum such as the Tate.</i>
memento	An object kept as a reminder of a person or event. <i>You can purchase a memento of your visit.</i>
<u>monument</u>	A building, structure, or site that is of historical importance or interest. <i>A monument to Magellan is in the main square of the city.</i>
remembrance	The action of remembering something. <i>I went through the papers and remembrances in his drawers.</i>
<u>shrine</u>	A place of worship hallowed by association with some sacred thing or person. <i>A Hindu shrine 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. <i>He even forgot our tenth anniversary.</i>
bicentennial	Of or relating to or completing a period of 200 years. <i>Bicentennial celebration.</i>
carve	Establish (a career, role, or reputation) for oneself through hard work. <i>The wood was carved with runes.</i>
celebration	A joyful occasion for special festivities to mark some happy event. <i>The birth of his son was a cause for celebration.</i>
ceremony	A formal event performed on a special occasion. <i>An inaugural ceremony.</i>
commemorate	Mark by some ceremony or observation. <i>A wreath laying ceremony to commemorate the war dead.</i>
effigy	A representation of a person (especially in the form of sculpture). <i>The coin bears an effigy of Lincoln.</i>
engrave	Cut (a design) as lines on a metal plate for printing. <i>The crystal glasses were engraved with the Queen's cipher.</i>

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

