

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

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**The synonyms of “Riveting” are: absorbing, engrossing, fascinating, gripping**

## **Riveting as an Adjective**

### **Definitions of "Riveting" as an adjective**

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

- *Completely engrossing; compelling.*
- *Capable of arousing and holding the attention.*



## Synonyms of "Riveting" as an adjective (4 Words)

- absorbing** Capable of arousing and holding the attention.  
*An **absorbing** account of their marriage.*
- engrossing** Capable of arousing and holding the attention.  
*The most **engrossing** parts of the book.*
- fascinating** Capable of arousing and holding the attention.  
*A **fascinating** woman.*
- gripping** Capable of arousing and holding the attention.  
*A **gripping** TV thriller.*



## Usage Examples of "Riveting" as an adjective

- *The book is a riveting account of the legendary freedom fighter.*





## Associations of "Riveting" (30 Words)

<b>absorbing</b>	Capable of arousing and holding the attention. <i>An <b>absorbing</b> account of their marriage.</i>
<b>amusing</b>	Providing enjoyment; pleasantly entertaining. <i>An <b>amusing</b> speaker.</i>
<b>attractive</b>	Having qualities or features which arouse interest. <i>The <b>attractive</b> force between the magnets and the metal plate.</i>
<b>bestseller</b>	A book that has had a large and rapid sale. <i>The <b>bestseller</b> list.</i>
<b><u>charming</u></b>	Pleasing or delighting. <i>He was a <b>charming</b> affectionate colleague.</i>
<b><u>delightful</u></b>	Causing delight; charming. <i>A <b>delightful</b> surprise.</i>

<b><u>diverting</u></b>	Entertaining or amusing. A <b>diverting</b> story.
<b><u>enchancing</u></b>	Delightfully charming or attractive. <i>Dinah looked <b>enchancing</b>.</i>
<b>engrossing</b>	Absorbing all one's attention or interest. <i>The most <b>engrossing</b> parts of the book.</i>
<b><u>entertaining</u></b>	Agreeably diverting. <i>A charming and <b>entertaining</b> companion.</i>
<b>enthraling</b>	Capturing interest as if by a spell. <i>An <b>enthraling</b> best seller.</i>
<b><u>entrancing</u></b>	Capturing interest as if by a spell. <i>I find you <b>entrancing</b>.</i>
<b>exciting</b>	Stimulating interest and discussion. <i>An <b>exciting</b> account of her trip.</i>
<b><u>fascinating</u></b>	Extremely interesting. <i>A <b>fascinating</b> woman.</i>
<b>fun</b>	A source of fun. <i>She s full of <b>fun</b>.</i>
<b>funny</b>	An account of an amusing incident (usually with a punch line). <i>A very <b>funny</b> writer.</i>
<b>humorous</b>	Full of or characterized by humor. <i>A <b>humorous</b> and entertaining talk.</i>
<b>intense</b>	Extremely sharp or intense. <i>Enemy fire was <b>intense</b>.</i>
<b>interesting</b>	Arousing or holding the attention. <i>It will be very <b>interesting</b> to see what they come up with.</i>
<b>intriguing</b>	Disturbingly provocative. <i>An <b>intriguing</b> smile.</i>
<b><u>irresistible</u></b>	Too attractive and tempting to be resisted. <i><b>Irresistible</b> or resistless impulses.</i>
<b>meteoric</b>	Relating to meteors or meteorites. <i><b>Meteoric</b> iron.</i>
<b>nice</b>	Exhibiting courtesy and politeness. <i>A <b>nice</b> point.</i>
<b><u>overwhelming</u></b>	Very great in amount. <i>His party won <b>overwhelming</b> support.</i>



**pleasantness** The feeling caused by agreeable stimuli; one pole of a continuum of states of feeling.

*The **pleasantness** of a cool breeze on a hot summer day.*

**salient**

(military) the part of the line of battle that projects closest to the enemy.

*The **salient** object in my view.*

**stardom**

The status of being acknowledged as a star.

*Her rise to **stardom** has been meteoric.*

**super**

An extra unwanted or unimportant person a supernumerary.

*A **super** party.*

**thrilling**

Causing a surge of emotion or excitement.

*A **thrilling** adventure.*

