

Need another word that means the same as “slavery”? Find 17 synonyms and 30 related words for “slavery” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Slavery” are: slaveholding, bondage, thralldom, thrall, thralldom, enslavement, servitude, subjugation, serfdom, vassalage, enthrallment, yoke, drudgery, toil, slog, grind, sweated labour**

## Slavery as a Noun

### Definitions of "Slavery" as a noun

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

- *A condition of having to work very hard without proper remuneration or appreciation.*
- *The practice of owning slaves.*
- *The practice or system of owning slaves.*
- *The state of being a slave.*
- *The state of being under the control of another person.*
- *Work done under harsh conditions for little or no pay.*
- *Excessive dependence on or devotion to something.*



## Synonyms of "Slavery" as a noun (17 Words)

<b>drudgery</b>	Hard menial or dull work. <i>Domestic <b>drudgery</b>.</i>
<b>enslavement</b>	The act of making slaves of your captives. <i>The <b>enslavement</b> of millions of Africans.</i>
<b>enthralment</b>	The state of being fascinated. <i>Their <b>enthralment</b> with the supernatural.</i>

<b>grind</b>	The act of grinding to a powder or dust. <i>A bump and <b>grind</b>.</i>
<b>serfdom</b>	The state of being a serf or feudal labourer. <i>The liberation of the peasants from <b>serfdom</b>.</i>
<b><u>servitude</u></b>	State of subjection to an owner or master or forced labor imposed as punishment. <i>You ve got thousands of years of peasant <b>servitude</b> to make up for.</i>
<b>slaveholding</b>	The practice of owning slaves.
<b>slog</b>	A spell of difficult, tiring work or travelling. <i>It wasn t all <b>slog</b> during those years.</i>
<b><u>subjugation</u></b>	The act of conquering. <i>The colonial <b>subjugation</b> of a country by means of brute military force.</i>
<b>sweated labour</b>	Agitation resulting from active worry.
<b>thraldom</b>	The state of being under the control of another person. <i>An escape from the <b>thraldom</b> of foreign domination.</i>
<b>thrall</b>	A slave, servant, or captive. <i>The town in <b>thrall</b> to a villain.</i>
<b>thralldom</b>	The state of being under the control of another person.
<b>toil</b>	Exhausting physical labour. <i>A life of <b>toil</b>.</i>
<b>vassalage</b>	The state of a serf.
<b>yoke</b>	A pair of draft animals joined by a yoke. <i>They threw off the <b>yoke</b> of domination.</i>



## Usage Examples of "Slavery" as a noun

- *Slavery to tradition.*
- *He was resolved to impose a number of reforms, including the abolition of slavery.*
- *Thousands had been sold into slavery.*
- *Female domestic slavery.*



## Associations of "Slavery" (30 Words)

<b>abolition</b>	The act of abolishing a system or practice or institution (especially abolishing slavery. <i>The <b>abolition</b> of the death penalty.</i>
<b>abolitionist</b>	A person who favours the abolition of a practice or institution, especially capital punishment or (formerly) slavery. <i>The <b>abolitionist</b> movement.</i>
<b>annulment</b>	The act of annulling something. <i>Grounds for an <b>annulment</b>.</i>
<b>cancellation</b>	The speech act of revoking or annulling or making void. <i>The debtor can procure <b>cancellation</b> if satisfied within one month.</i>
<b>captivity</b>	The state of being a slave. <i>So every bondman in his own hand bears the power to cancel his <b>captivity</b>.</i>
<b>colonialism</b>	Exploitation by a stronger country of weaker one; the use of the weaker country's resources to strengthen and enrich the stronger country. <i>The state apparatus that was dominant under <b>colonialism</b>.</i>
<b>colonize</b>	Settle as a colony; of countries in the developing world. <i>The Greeks <b>colonized</b> Sicily and southern Italy.</i>
<b>colony</b>	A group of people living in a colony consisting of the original settlers and their descendants and successors. <i>An artists <b>colony</b>.</i>
<b>confinement</b>	The condition of being in childbirth. <i>The pros and cons of home versus hospital <b>confinement</b>.</i>
<b>disunion</b>	The termination or destruction of union. <i>His rejection of <b>disunion</b> was consistent with his nationalism.</i>
<b>enslavement</b>	The state of being a slave-Shakespeare. <i>The <b>enslavement</b> of millions of Africans.</i>
<b>expel</b>	Remove from a position or office. <i>She <b>expelled</b> a shuddering breath.</i>
<b>labor</b>	A political party formed in Great Britain in 1900 characterized by the promotion of labor s interests and formerly the socialization of key industries. <i>His <b>labor</b> did not require a great deal of skill.</i>
<b>legally</b>	By law; conforming to the law. <i>The terms of the loan are <b>legally</b> binding.</i>

<b>manacle</b>	Confine or restrain with or as if with manacles or handcuffs. <i>The practice of keeping prisoners in <b>manacles</b>.</i>
<b>manumission</b>	The formal act of freeing from slavery. <i>Negotiated <b>manumissions</b> of slaves by their masters.</i>
<b>monarchy</b>	An autocracy governed by a monarch who usually inherits the authority. <i>The <b>monarchy</b> is the focus of loyalty and service.</i>
<b>neocolonialism</b>	Control by a powerful country of its former colonies (or other less developed countries) by economic pressures.
<b>peasant</b>	A crude uncouth ill-bred person lacking culture or refinement. <i><b>Peasants</b> left the farms to work in industry.</i>
<b>revocation</b>	The state of being cancelled or annulled. <i>For those who break the law <b>revocation</b> of their liquor licence may result.</i>
<b>runaway</b>	Someone who flees from an uncongenial situation. <i>The <b>runaway</b> success of the book.</i>
<b>secession</b>	Formal separation from an alliance or federation. <i>The republics want <b>secession</b> from the union.</i>
<b>serfdom</b>	The state of being a serf or feudal labourer. <i>The liberation of the peasants from <b>serfdom</b>.</i>
<b>servitude</b>	The subjection of property to an easement. <i>Penal <b>servitude</b>.</i>
<b>thrall</b>	The state of being in someone's power, or of having great power over someone. <i>The town in <b>thrall</b> to a villain.</i>
<b>vendible</b>	Fit to be offered for sale.

