

Need another word that means the same as “traitorous”? Find 6 synonyms and 30 related words for “traitorous” in this overview.

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The synonyms of “Traitorous” are: faithless, treasonable, treasonous, unfaithful, treacherous, disloyal

Traitorous as an Adjective

Definitions of "Traitorous" as an adjective

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

- *Having the character of, or characteristic of, a traitor.*
- *Relating to or characteristic of a traitor; treacherous.*



Synonyms of "Traitorous" as an adjective (6 Words)

- disloyal** Deserting your allegiance or duty to leader or cause or principle.
*She was accused of being **disloyal** to the government.*
- faithless** Having the character of, or characteristic of, a traitor.
*They were ungodly and **faithless**.*
- treacherous** Tending to betray especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans.
*The fiercest and most **treacherous** of foes.*
- treasonable** Having the character of, or characteristic of, a traitor.
*There was no evidence of **treasonable** activity.*
- treasonous** Involving or guilty of the betrayal of someone or something.
*He was accused of a **treasonous** conspiracy to topple the government.*
- unfaithful** Having the character of, or characteristic of, a traitor.
*Her **unfaithful** husband.*

Usage Examples of "Traitorous" as an adjective

- A lying traitorous insurrectionist.

- *When his traitorous actions were discovered, he was imprisoned.*

Associations of "Traitorous" (30 Words)

apostate	Not faithful to religion or party or cause. <i>An apostate Roman Catholic.</i>
betray	Be sexually unfaithful to one's partner in marriage. <i>A double agent who betrayed some 400 British and French agents to the Germans.</i>
betrayal	An act of deliberate betrayal. <i>The betrayal by the king by his daughter.</i>
betrayed	A person who says one thing and does another.
cheat	An act of cheating a fraud or deception. <i>She cheated death in a spectacular crash.</i>
cheating	Violating accepted standards or rules.
deceit	A misleading falsehood. <i>Hypocrisy and deceit were anathema to her.</i>
deceive	Cause someone to believe an untruth. <i>The insurance company deceived me when they told me they were covering my house.</i>
defector	A person who has abandoned their country or cause in favour of an opposing one. <i>Staff interviewed escapees and defectors to the West.</i>
disloyal	Failing to be loyal to a person, country, or organization to which one has obligations. <i>Disloyal mutterings about his leadership.</i>
duplicitous	Deceitfulness. <i>The president was accused of duplicitous in his dealings with Congress.</i>
faithless	Disloyal, especially to a spouse or partner. <i>Her faithless lover.</i>
fraudulent	A fraudulent or duplicitous representation.
infidelity	The action or state of being unfaithful to a spouse or other sexual partner. <i>Her infidelity continued after her marriage.</i>
insurgent	A member of an irregular armed force that fights a stronger force by sabotage and harassment. <i>Alleged links with insurgent groups.</i>

perfidious	Deceitful and untrustworthy. <i>The perfidious Judas.</i>
perfidy	The state of being deceitful and untrustworthy. <i>Hapsburg perfidy.</i>
quisling	A traitor who collaborates with an enemy force occupying their country. <i>He had the Quisling owner of the factory arrested.</i>
rebel	Take part in a rebellion renounce a former allegiance. <i>Respect did not prevent children from rebelling against their parents.</i>
rebellious	Resisting control or authority. <i>I became very rebellious and opted out.</i>
renegade	Become a renegade. <i>Renegade supporters of the usurper.</i>
sedition	Arousing to action or rebellion. <i>The letter was declared sedition.</i>
traitor	Someone who betrays his country by committing treason. <i>He was a traitor to his own class.</i>
treacherous	Tending to betray especially having a treacherous character as attributed to the Carthaginians by the Romans. <i>The fiercest and most treacherous of foes.</i>
treachery	Betrayal of trust. <i>The treachery of language.</i>
treason	Disloyalty by virtue of subversive behavior. <i>Doubt is the ultimate treason against faith.</i>
treasonable	(of an offence or offender) punishable as treason or as committing treason. <i>There was no evidence of treasonable activity.</i>
trick	A mischievous practical joke. <i>Many people have been tricked by villains with false identity cards.</i>
turncoat	A person who deserts one party or cause in order to join an opposing one. <i>They denounced him as a turncoat.</i>
unfaithful	Engaging in sexual relations with a person other than one's regular partner in contravention of a previous promise or understanding. <i>You haven't been unfaithful to him have you.</i>