

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)

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

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