

Need another word that means the same as “wraith”? Find 14 synonyms and 30 related words for “wraith” in this overview.

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**The synonyms of “Wraith” are: ghost, shade, specter, spectre, spook, spirit, phantom, apparition, manifestation, vision, shadow, presence, poltergeist, supernatural being**

## Wraith as a Noun

### Definitions of "Wraith" as a noun

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

- *A wisp or faint trace of something.*
- *A mental representation of some haunting experience.*
- *Used in reference to a pale, thin, or insubstantial person or thing.*
- *A ghost or ghostlike image of someone, especially one seen shortly before or after their death.*



## Synonyms of "Wraith" as a noun (14 Words)

### **apparition**

A remarkable or unexpected appearance of someone or something.  
*An **apparition** of the Virgin Mary.*

### **ghost**

The visible disembodied soul of a dead person.  
*He detected a **ghost** of a smile on her face.*

### **manifestation**

A symptom of an ailment.  
*A characteristic **manifestation** of Lyme disease.*

### **phantom**

A ghostly appearing figure.  
*A **phantom** ship.*

### **poltergeist**

A ghost or other supernatural being supposedly responsible for physical disturbances such as making loud noises and throwing objects about.

### **presence**

The state of being present; current existence.  
*My **presence** in the flat made her happy.*



shade

A lampshade.

*After several trials he mixed the **shade** of pink that she wanted.*

shadow

An indication that something has been present.

*He received little recognition working in the **shadow** of his father.*

**specter**

A mental representation of some haunting experience.

*It aroused **specters** from his past.*

spectre

Something widely feared as a possible unpleasant or dangerous occurrence.

*A dread of **spectres** and witches affected every aspect of daily life.*

**spirit**

Animation and energy in action or expression.

*He was a leading **spirit** in the conference.*

**supernatural being** Supernatural forces and events and beings collectively.

**vision**

The images seen on a television screen.

*Madame was a **vision** in black velvet.*





## Usage Examples of "Wraith" as a noun

- *Heart attacks had reduced his mother to a wraith.*
- *A sea breeze was sending a grey wraith of smoke up the slopes.*



## Associations of "Wraith" (30 Words)

<b>aeon</b>	A divine power or nature emanating from the Supreme Being and playing various roles in the operation of the universe. <i>He reached the crag <b>aeons</b> before I arrived.</i>
<b>apparition</b>	Something existing in perception only. <i>An <b>apparition</b> of the Virgin Mary.</i>

<b><u>cursed</u></b>	Deserving a curse; sometimes used as an intensifier. <i>I ll be <b>cursed</b> if I can see your reasoning.</i>
<b><u>demon</u></b>	A cruel wicked and inhuman person. <i>The <b>demon</b> drink.</i>
<b>devil</b>	(in Christian and Jewish belief) the supreme spirit of evil; Satan. <i>They prefer voting for <b>devils</b> than for decent men.</i>
<b>disembodied</b>	Separated from or existing without the body. <i>A <b>disembodied</b> ghost.</i>
<b>exorcise</b>	Drive out or attempt to drive out (a supposed evil spirit) from a person or place. <i><b>Exorcise</b> evil spirits.</i>
<b>extrasensory</b>	Seemingly outside normal sensory channels.
<b>fiend</b>	The Devil. <i>Britain s most notorious sex <b>fiend</b>.</i>
<b>genie</b>	A spirit of Arabian folklore, frequently depicted as being imprisoned within a bottle or oil lamp and as being capable of granting wishes when summoned.
<b><u>ghost</u></b>	Haunt like a ghost pursue. <i>How many books have you <b>ghostwritten</b> so far.</i>
<b>hallucinate</b>	Perceive what is not there; have illusions. <i>He starts hallucinating that he is Jesus.</i>
<b><u>haunt</u></b>	Haunt like a ghost pursue. <i>The bar was a favourite <b>haunt</b> of artists of the time.</i>
<b>incorporeal</b>	Without material form or substance. <i>An <b>incorporeal</b> spirit.</i>
<b>malevolent</b>	Having or exerting a malignant influence. <i>The glint of dark <b>malevolent</b> eyes.</i>
<b>mettle</b>	The courage to carry on. <i>The team showed their true <b>mettle</b> in the second half.</i>
<b>mummy</b>	(especially in ancient Egypt) a body of a human being or animal that has been ceremonially preserved by removal of the internal organs, treatment with natron and resin, and wrapping in bandages. <i>The <b>mummy</b> of Tutankhamen.</i>
<b><u>obsess</u></b>	Be preoccupied with something. <i>He was <b>obsessed</b> with the idea of revenge.</i>
<b>phantasm</b>	An illusory likeness of something. <i>The cart seemed to glide like a terrible <b>phantasm</b>.</i>

<b><u>phantom</u></b>	Something apparently sensed but having no physical reality. <i>He tried to clear the <b>phantoms</b> from his head and grasp reality.</i>
<b><u>psychic</u></b>	The study of psychic phenomena. <i>He dulled his <b>psychic</b> pain with gin.</i>
<b>scared</b>	Made afraid. <i>We re both <b>scared</b> of spiders.</i>
<b>scary</b>	Frightening; causing fear. <i>It was <b>scary</b> the way they bonded with each other.</i>
<b>seance</b>	A meeting of spiritualists. <i>The <b>seance</b> was held in the medium s parlor.</i>
<b>soul</b>	Black American culture or ethnic pride. <i>It was bad news for some poor <b>soul</b>.</i>
<b>specter</b>	A ghostly appearing figure. <i>It aroused <b>specters</b> from his past.</i>
<b>spectral</b>	Of or like a ghost. <i><b>Spectral</b> emanations.</i>
<b>spirit</b>	Infuse with spirit. <i>A year after he left his <b>spirit</b> is still present.</i>
<b>transcendental</b>	(in Kantian philosophy) presupposed in and necessary to experience; a priori. <i>Find <b>transcendental</b> motives for sublunary action.</i>
<b><u>zeitgeist</u></b>	The defining spirit or mood of a particular period of history as shown by the ideas and beliefs of the time. <i>The story captured the <b>zeitgeist</b> of the late 1960s.</i>



