

# celibate

 (*cel-i-bate*)

## Definition

adj. 1 abstaining from sexual relations as because of religious vows; n. an unmarried person who has taken a religious vow of chastity

## Example Sentence

The **celibate** priest devoted his life to the church.

## Synonyms

chaste; sexual abstention; virginity

## Antonyms

promiscuous

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