

# declamation *(dec-la-ma-tion)*

## Definition

n. 1 recitation of a speech from memory with studied gestures and intonation as an exercise in elocution or rhetoric; 2 vehement oratory

## Example Sentence

They made a **declamation** urging others to help people in need.

## Synonyms

recitation; speech; oratory

## Antonyms

silence

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