

# deponent *(de-po-nent)*

## Definition

n. a person who testifies or gives a deposition; adj. of a verb esp in Latin having the inflectional endings of a passive verb but the meaning of an active verb

## Example Sentence

The lawyer called the **deponent** to the stand.

## Synonyms

testifier; deposer; witness; attestor

## Antonyms

defendant

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