

# desolation *(des-o-la-tion)*

## Definition

n. 1 the state of being decayed or destroyed; 2 a feeling of loneliness and isolation; 3 a feeling of grief or misery

## Example Sentence

They saw the **desolation** of cities by heavy bombing.

## Synonyms

devastation; ruin; mourning; distress; unhappiness

## Antonyms

cheer

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