

# ironsides *(i-ron-sides)*

## Definition

n. a term historically used to refer to soldiers of the English Parliament during the English Civil War, known for their discipline and effective combat; also refers to armored naval vessels.

## Example Sentence

The **ironsides** were known for their fierce loyalty and bravery in battle.

## More Example Sentences

Many historical accounts praise the strategic prowess of the **ironsides** during the conflict.

## Synonyms

soldiers; cavalry; warships

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