

# levee *(lev-ee)*

## Definition

n. 1 an embankment built to keep river water from flooding the land 2 a formal reception

## Example Sentence

The **levee** was on the side of the river. OR They had a presidential **levee** at the White House.

## Synonyms

embankment; bank; breakwater; earthwork

## Antonyms

ocean

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