

# malevolent *(ma-lev-o-lent)*

## Definition

adj. having or showing a wish to do evil to others.

## Example Sentence

He has a **malevolent** inclination to destroy the happiness of others.

## More Example Sentences

The **malevolent** villain plotted against the hero.

## Synonyms

malicious; evil; hostile

## Antonyms

benevolent; kind; friendly

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