

mizzen

 (*miz-zen*)

Definition

n. 1 third mast from the bow in a vessel having 3 or more masts; the after and shorter mast of a yawl ketch or dandy; 2 foreandaft sail set on the mizzenmast

Example Sentence

The **mizzen** on the boat was torn so the ship would not sail. Spelled with two Zs.

Synonyms

mizen; mizzenmast; 3rd mast from the bow; fore-and-aft sail

Antonyms

anchor

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