

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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