

**memoir**[ˈmemwɑː] *n*

1. краткая (авто)биография
2. *pl* мемуары, воспоминания
3. 1) научная статья; мемуар  
2) *pl* учёные записки
4. некролог (*в газете*)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**mem·oir** [memoir memoirs] *BrE* [ˈmemwɑː(ɪ)] *AmE* [ˈmemwɑː] *noun*

1. **memoirs plural** an account written by sb, especially sb famous, about their life and experiences
2. **countable (formal)** a written account of sb's life, a place, or an event, written by sb who knows it well

Word Origin:

late 15th cent. (denoting a memorandum or record): from French **mémoire** (masculine), a special use of **mémoire** (feminine) 'memory'.

Example Bank:

- He has published a long memoir about those years.
- O'Connor published a childhood memoir.
- She describes in her memoirs how she coped with her mother's death.
- a personal memoir of these important events
- an excerpt from an unpublished memoir
- his brief memoir of his father's life
- the market for political memoirs

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[**Word Family:** **noun:** ↑memorial, ↑memory, ↑memo, ↑memoir, ↑memorabilia, ↑memorandum; **adjective:** ↑memorable, ↑memorial, ↑immemorial; **verb:** ↑memorize, ↑memorialize; **adverb:** ↑memorably]

[**Date:** 1600-1700; **Language:** French; **Origin:** mémoire 'memory', from Latin memoria; ⇔ ↑memory]

1. **memoirs [plural]** a book by someone important and famous in which they write about their life and experiences:  
"Lady Thatcher had just published her memoirs.
2. **formal** a short piece of writing about a person or place that you knew well, or an event that you experienced

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