

brotherhood['brʌðəhʊd] *n*

- 1) братство
brotherhood of blood - кровное братство
- 2) содружество, братство
the great brotherhood of nations - великое братство народов
2. братские, дружеские отношения
3. собратья, коллеги
legal brotherhood - юристы
4. *амер.* профсоюз (*обыкн.* железнодорожников)
5. религиозное братство

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brother·hood [brotherhood brotherhoods] *BrE* ['brʌðəhʊd] ^ˈ *NAmE*['brʌðərhʊd] ^ˈ *noun*

1. **uncountable** friendship and understanding between people
 - to live in peace and brotherhood
2. **countable + singular or plural verb** an organization formed for a particular purpose, especially a religious society or political organization
3. **uncountable** the relationship of brothers
 - the ties of brotherhood

Word Origin:

Middle English: probably from obsolete brotherred (based on Old English -ræðen 'condition, state'; compare with ↑kindred). The change of suffix was due to association with words ending in ↑-hood and -head.

Example Bank:

- The group tries to promote a spirit of brotherhood among its members.
- a brotherhood of union members

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broth·er·hood /'brʌðəhʊd \$ -ər-/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *noun*[*Word Family:* *noun:* ↑brother, ↑brotherhood; *adjective:* ↑brotherly]

1. [**uncountable**] a feeling of friendship between people:
the spirit of brotherhood
2. [**countable**] an organization formed for a particular purpose, especially a religious one:
the Franciscan brotherhood
3. [**countable**] *old-fashioned* a union of workers in a particular trade
4. [**uncountable**] the relationship between brothers

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