

someone
 ['sʌm|wʌn,-{sʌm}wən] *indef pron*

кто-то, кто-нибудь, кто-либо
 someone else - кто-то другой
 someone else's - чужой, не свой
 someone or other - тот или иной; кто-нибудь, кто-либо
 someone has to lock up the house - кто-нибудь /кто-то/ должен запереть дом

someone Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

some-one [someone] *BrE* ['sʌmwʌn] ¹ *NAmE* ['sʌmwʌn] ² (also **some-body**)

pronoun

1. a person who is not known or mentioned by name
 - There's someone at the door.
 - Someone's left their bag behind.
 - It's time for someone new (= a new person) to take over.
 - It couldn't have been me— it must have been **someone else** (= a different person) .
 - Should we call a doctor **or someone** ? The difference between **someone** and **anyone** is the same as the difference between **some** and **any**. Look at the notes there.
2. an important person
 - He was a small-time lawyer keen to **be someone** .

compare ↑nobody

See also: ↑somebody

Example Bank:

- He was a small-time lawyer keen to be someone.

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I. **some-one**¹ **S1 W1** /'sʌmwʌn/ *BrE* ¹ *AmE* ² *pronoun*

used to mean a person, when you do not know or do not say who the person is **SYN somebody** ⇔ **anyone** , **everyone** , **no one** :

- What would you do if someone tried to rob you in the street?
- Will someone please explain what's going on?

someone new/different etc

- 'When are you planning to hire someone?' 'As soon as we find someone suitable.'
- Can you ask someone else (=a *different person*) to help you? I'm really busy.
- Have Brooks or someone fax this to New York right away.

II. **someone**² *BrE* ¹ *AmE* ² *noun*

be someone to be or feel important:

- Gerber was determined to be someone.

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