

gloat1. [gləʊt] *n*

- любование, восхищение
- радость (по поводу чужого несчастья); злорадство

2. [gləʊt] *v* (мж. *gloat over*)

- смотреть с восхищением, с вождением
the miser gloated over his gold - скряга радовался, глядя на своё золото
- радоваться (чужому несчастью); злорадствовать; торжествовать
to sit gloating by oneself - радоваться в одиночку
to gloat over another's misfortune - радоваться чужому несчастью
he gloated quietly at the thought that ... - он тихо /втайне/ злорадствовал при мысли, что ...
he was gloating over his success - он торжествовал по поводу своего успеха
it's nothing to gloat over - тут нечему радоваться

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gloat [gloat gloats gloated gloating] *BrE* [gləʊt] ^u *NAmE* [glout] ^u *verb***intransitive** ~ (about/at/over sth)

to show that you are happy about your own success or sb else's failure, in an unpleasant way

Syn: ↑crow

- She was still gloating over her rival's disappointment.
- Having lost a large percentage of the vote, they were in no position to gloat.
- I hope you haven't just come here to gloat.

Derived Word ↑gloating**Verb forms:**

verb forms	
present simple	
I / you / we / they	gloat
	<i>BrE</i> /gloʊt/
	<i>NAmE</i> /glout/
he / she / it	gloats
	<i>BrE</i> /gloʊts/
	<i>NAmE</i> /glouts/
past simple, past participle	gloated
	<i>BrE</i> /gloʊtɪd/
	<i>NAmE</i> /gloutɪd/
-ing form	gloating
	<i>BrE</i> /gloʊtɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> /gloutɪŋ/

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: of unknown origin; perhaps related to Old Norse **glotta** 'to grin' and Middle High German **glotzen** 'to stare'. The original sense was 'give a sideways or furtive look', hence 'cast amorous or admiring glances'; the current sense dates from the mid 18th cent.

Example Bank:

- He didn't want to hear her gloating at his misfortune.
- I hope you haven't just come here to gloat.
- She was still gloating over her rival's disappointment.

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gloat /gləʊt \$ glout/ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u *verb* [intransitive]

[Date: 1500-1600; Origin: Probably from a Scandinavian language]

to show in an annoying way that you are proud of your own success or happy about someone else's failure

gloat over

The fans are still gloating over Scotland's victory.

—gloat *noun* [singular]

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THESAURUS

- boast** to talk too proudly about your abilities, achievements, or possessions because you want other people to admire you: She's always boasting about how good she is at languages.
- brag** to boast in a way that annoys other people. **Brag** is more informal than **boast**: He was bragging about how many girlfriends he had had. | I don't think they have anything to brag about. | The rebels have repeatedly bragged that their fighters have been responsible for the mounting attacks on policemen, 226 of whom were killed last year.
- blow your own trumpet** *British English*, **blow your own horn** *American English spoken* to talk a lot about your achievements – used especially when you want to mention your achievements but do not want to sound as if you are boasting: I don't want to blow my own trumpet, but it was me who came up with the idea for the project in the first place.
- crow** to boast about something you have achieved, when other people have been less lucky or successful: Nordstrom and his supporters are still crowing about winning the lawsuit.
- gloat** to behave in a way that shows that you are proud of your own success and happy about someone else's failure: The Australians are still gloating over their victory over England. | The liberals are gloating and celebrating all over town. | I haven't come to gloat! We all have to lose sometimes.

- **be full of yourself** *informal* to show by your words and behaviour that you are very proud of your abilities and achievements - used when you dislike someone because of this: 'He's so full of himself,' Constance complained. 'He thinks he can get away with anything.' | After the game she was really full of herself.

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