

burly

[ˈbɜːli] *a*

1. дородный, плотный
2. большой и сильный, дюжий
3. грубый; бесцеремонный
4. *ycm.* толстый (о материале)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

burly [burly burlier burliest] *BrE* [ˈbɜːli] *NAmE* [ˈbɜːrli] *adjective* (**bur-lier**, **bur-li-est**) (of a man or a man's body)

big, strong and heavy

Syn: †brawny

Word Origin:

Middle English (in the sense 'dignified, imposing'): probably from an unrecorded Old English word meaning 'stately, fit for the bower' (see †bower, †-ly).

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[**Date:** 1300-1400; **Origin:** burly 'noble, impressive' (13-17 centuries), perhaps from an unrecorded Old English borlic 'excellent']

a burly man is big and strong:

▪ a burly policeman

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