

arbiter['ɑːbɪtə] *n*

1. *юр.* третейский судья, арбитр
2. *книжн.*

- 1) властитель повелитель
- 2) (верховный) судья

arbiter of our fate /of our destinies/ - вершитель нашей судьбы /наших судеб/

3. *спорт.* главный судья

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

ar·bi·ter [arbiter arbiters] *BrE* ['ɑːbɪtə(r)] *NAme* ['ɑːrbɪtər] **noun** ~ (of sth)

(formal)

a person with the power or influence to make judgements and decide what will be done or accepted

- The law is the final arbiter of what is considered obscene.
- an **arbiter of taste/style/fashion**

Word Origin:

late Middle English: from Latin, judge, supreme ruler.

Example Bank:

- This style would be dismissed as too ornate by contemporary arbiters of taste.

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ar·bi·ter /'ɑːbɪtə, 'ɑːbɪtəz/ *BrE* *AmE* **noun** [countable][**Date:** 1300-1400; **Language:** Old French; **Origin:** arbitre, from Latin arbiter]

1. someone who influences society's opinions about what is **↑stylish**, socially acceptable etc:

" The designer has received rave reviews from such arbiters of taste as 'Elle' magazine.

2. someone or something that settles an argument between two opposing sides **SYN judge**:

" The European Court of Justice will be the final arbiter (=make the final decision) in the dispute.

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