

desperately

[ˈdɛsp(ə)rɪtli] *adv*

- отчаянно, безрассудно
to fight desperately - драться до последнего
- безнадёжно
- эмоц.-усил.* крайне, остро, страшно, отчаянно; позарез
desperately ill - вконец расхворавшийся
desperately in love with smb. - безумно влюблённый в кого-л.
he borrowed a small sum of money desperately needed - он занял небольшую сумму, в которой отчаянно /остро/ нуждался
I was desperately afraid - я страшно испугался
here everything is possible and so almost nothing is desperately precious - ≅ здесь все доступно, и поэтому почти ничто по-настоящему не ценится

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des·per·ate·ly *BrE* [ˈdɛspəreɪtli] ^m ; *NAmE* [ˈdɛspəreɪtli] ^m *adverb*

- desperately ill/unhappy/lonely**
- He took a deep breath, desperately trying to keep calm.
- They desperately wanted a child.
- She looked desperately around for a weapon.

Main entry: ↑desperate_{derived}

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- in a desperate way:
 - The doctors tried desperately to save her life.
 - He looked round desperately for someone to help him.
- very or very much
 - desperately want/need**
 - The crops desperately need rain.
 - desperately poor/ill/tired etc**
 - He was desperately ill with a fever.
 - desperately unhappy/lonely/worried etc**

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