

lifetime

- 1) продолжительность жизни; целая жизнь
 during smb.'s lifetime - в течение чьей-л. жизни
 the chance of a lifetime - возможность, представляющаяся раз в жизни
- 2) *физ.* время жизни (*частицы и т. п.*)
- 3) *тех.* срок эксплуатации (*оборудования и т. п.*)
 a lifetime guarantee - бессрочная гарантия
 ◇ it is all in a /one's/ lifetime - ≅ в жизни всякое бывает

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

life-time [**lifetime** **lifetimes**] *BrE* ['laɪftaɪm] ^ˈ *NAmE* ['laɪftaɪm] ^ˈ **noun**

the length of time that sb lives or that sth lasts

- His diary was not published during his lifetime.
- a lifetime of experience
- in the lifetime of the present government
- He had spent a lifetime trying to please his father.

| **idioms** ↑ **chance of a lifetime** ▪ ↑ **once in a lifetime****Example Bank:**

- After a lifetime as a journalist in the trouble spots of the world, he retired to the country.
- Callas was a legend in her own lifetime.
- College seems a half a lifetime away.
- He devoted a lifetime to working with disabled children.
- Herbert von Karajan was a legend in his own lifetime.
- I've seen many changes during my lifetime.
- It seems a lifetime since we first met.
- It took a whole lifetime to solve the mystery of her father's disappearance.
- It was the holiday of a lifetime!
- It's hard to break the habits of a lifetime.
- Payments are based on expected lifetime income.
- She gave the performance of a lifetime.
- She spent a lifetime in politics.
- That sort of thing happens only once in a lifetime.
- The artist was little known in his lifetime.
- The images are part of a lifetime's worth of photographs from Cohen's long career.
- The veteran director won a lifetime achievement award.
- This watch should last you a lifetime.
- You can live a whole lifetime and not witness such an event
- a lifetime of problems
- wisdom gained in the course of a long lifetime
- For the chance of a lifetime fill in the coupon below and send it to the following address.
- He has nothing to look forward to but a lifetime of misery.
- Only two volumes of his poetry were published during his lifetime.
- These spending commitments are not achievable in the lifetime of the present government

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

life time /'laɪftaɪm/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ **noun** [countable usually singular]1. the period of time during which someone is alive or something exists ⇒ **lifespan****during/in sb's lifetime**

- During her lifetime she had witnessed two world wars.
- It's the sort of opportunity you see only once in a lifetime.

2. **the chance/experience etc of a lifetime** the best opportunity, experience etc that you will ever have:

- It was the holiday of a lifetime.

3. **not in this lifetime** *spoken* not at all **SYN never**:

- 'Would you go out with him after he dropped you?' 'Not in this lifetime.'

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