

divine1. [dɪˈvaɪn] *n*

1. богослов, теолог
2. *книжн.* священник

2. [dɪˈvaɪn] *a*

1. божественный; божий
divine will - *рел.* произволение божие; воля божия
Divine Comedy - «Божественная комедия»
2. богоданный
divine right - право помазанника божьего
3. 1) святой, священный
2) религиозный; обращённый к богу
divine service - церковная служба, богослужение
4. небесный, богоподобный; божественный
the divine Shakespeare - божественный Шекспир
5. *эмоц.-усил.* изумительный, божественный
divine weather - дивная /божественная/ погода
divine hat - прелестная шляпка
you look divine in that dress - вы прелестно выглядите в этом платье

3. [dɪˈvaɪn] *v*

1. предсказывать, прорицать; пророчествовать
2. предугадывать; догадываться, понимать интуитивно
to divine smb.'s intentions - разгадать чьи-л. намерения
to divine the meaning of smth. - понять значение чего-л.
to divine what the future will be like - предвидеть будущее
3. *арх.* предвещать; быть предтечей, предвестником

divine

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di-vine [divine divines divined divining diviner divinest] *adjective, verb BrE*[dɪˈvaɪn] ^{AmE} *NAmE* [dɪˈvaɪn] ^{AmE}**adjective**

1. **usually before noun** coming from or connected with God or a god
 - **divine law/love/will**
 - **divine intervention** (= help from God to change a situation)
2. (*old-fashioned*) wonderful; beautiful
 - That mango tasted divine!

Word Origin:**adj.** late Middle English Old French Latin **divinus divus** 'godlike' **deus** 'god'**v.** late Middle English Old French **diviner** 'predict' Latin **divinare divinus divus** 'godlike' **deus** 'god'Derived Word ↑divinely**verb**

1. **transitive** ~ **what, whether, etc...** | ~ **sth** (*formal*) to find out sth by guessing
 - She could divine what he was thinking just by looking at him.
2. **transitive, intransitive** ~ (**sth**) to search for underground water using a stick in the shape of a Y, called a divining rod

Verb forms: verb forms

present simple	
I / you / we / they	divine
	BrE /dɪˈvaɪn/
	NAmE /dɪˈvaɪn/
he / she / it	divines
	BrE /dɪˈvaɪnz/
	NAmE /dɪˈvaɪnz/
past simple, past participle	divined
	BrE /dɪˈvaɪnd/
	NAmE /dɪˈvaɪnd/
-ing form	divining
	BrE /dɪˈvaɪnɪŋ/
	NAmE /dɪˈvaɪnɪŋ/

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- They had quickly divined that he was a fraud.

divineI. **diˈvaɪn**¹ /dəˈvaɪn, dɪˈvaɪn/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *adjective*

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: divin, from Latin divus 'god']

1. coming from or relating to God or a god

divine intervention/providence/revelation/guidance etc

- ˈ faith in divine providence
- ˈ divine power
- ˈ divine love

2. *old-fashioned* very pleasant or good—**divinely** *adverb*:

- ˈ a divinely inspired idea

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- **holy** [usually before noun] connected with God and religion, and therefore treated in a special way – used especially in the following phrases: the Holy Bible | the holy city of Mecca | a Hindu holy man | They believe they are fighting a holy war. | The priest puts some holy water on the child's head.
- **sacred** connected with God and religion, and therefore treated in a special way – used especially in the following phrases: This place is sacred to both Jews and Muslims. | In India, cows are considered sacred. | the Hindu sacred texts | sacred music | a sacred ritual
- **divine** relating to or coming from God: the divine right of kings | divine justice | divine providence | Human love should be a reflection of divine love, and so not be selfish or cruel.
- **spiritual** relating to the soul, the spirit, and religion, and not with physical things or ordinary human activities: Your spiritual life is far more important than any material things you could acquire. | the spiritual leader of the Tibetans
- **hallowed** a hallowed place is considered to be very holy: He was buried in hallowed ground. | The Golden Temple is Sikhism's most hallowed shrine.
- **blessed** made holy by God – used especially about saints: the blessed Virgin Mary

II. **diˈvaɪn**² *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *verb*1. [transitive] *literary* to discover or guess something**divine that**

- ˈ Somehow, the children had divined that he was lying.

2. [intransitive] to search for underground water or minerals using a Y-shaped stick:

- ˈ a divining rod (=the stick used for this)

—**diviner** *noun* [countable]**divine**

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