

illustrious[ɪˈlʌstriəs] *a*

известный, знаменитый, прославленный, выдающийся

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

illustrious**il·lus·tri·ous** *BrE* [ɪˈlʌstriəs] ^ˈ *NAmE* [ɪˈlʌstriəs] ^ˈ *adjective* (formal)

very famous and much admired, especially because of what you have achieved

Syn: †distinguished

- The composer was one of many illustrious visitors to the town.
- a long and illustrious career

Word Origin:[**illustrious**] mid 16th cent.: from Latin *illustis* 'clear, bright' + †-ous.Example Bank:

- This picture shows him at the beginning of his long and illustrious career.

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il·lus·tri·ous /ɪˈlʌstriəs/ *BrE* ^ˈ *AmE* ^ˈ *adjective formal*[**Date:** 1500-1600; **Language:** Latin; **Origin:** *illustis* 'bright, famous', from *illustrare*; ⇒ †**illustrate**]

famous and admired because of what you have achieved:

- ˈ She has had an illustrious career.
- ˈ Wagner was just one of many illustrious visitors to the town.

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