

elegy['elɪdʒi] *n*

1. *поэт.*
- 1) элегия
- 2) стихотворение, написанное элегическим дистихом
- 3) погребальная песнь; плач
2. *муз.* элегия
3. надгробная речь (*мж.* funeral elegy)

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elegy [**elegy** **elegies**] *BrE* ['elədʒi] [ⓘ] *NAmE* ['elədʒi] [ⓘ] **noun** (pl. **elegies**)

a poem or song that expresses sadness, especially for sb who has died

Word Origin:early 16th cent.: from French *élegie*, or via Latin, from Greek *elegeia*, from *elegos* 'mournful poem'.**elegy**

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[Date: 1500-1600; Language: Latin; Origin: elegia]

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