**siege (n.)**

1. the action of an armed force that surrounds a fortified place and isolates it while continuing to attack

**Merriam Webster**

**Siege**, n.

1. A seat; especially, a royal seat; a throne. [Obs.] “Upon the very siege of justice.” *Shak.*

A stately siege of sovereign majesty,
And thereon sat a woman gorgeous gay. *Spenser.*

In our great hall there stood a vacant chair . . .
And Merlin called it “The siege perilous.” *Tennyson.*

2. Hence, place or situation; seat. [Obs.]

Ah! traitorous eyes, come out of your shameless siege forever. *Painter (Palace of Pleasure).*

3. Rank; grade; station; estimation. [Obs.]

I fetch my life and being
From men of royal siege. *Shak.*

4. Passage of excrements; stool; fecal matter. [Obs.]

The siege of this mooncall. *Shak.*

5. The sitting of an army around or before a fortified place for the purpose of compelling the garrison to surrender; the surrounding or investing of a place by an army, and approaching it by passages and advanced works, which cover the besiegers from the enemy’s fire. See the Note under Blockade.

6. Hence, a continued attempt to gain possession.

Love stood the siege, and would not yield his breast. *Dryden.*

7. The floor of a glass-furnace.


**Siege gun**, a heavy gun for siege operations. -- **Siege train**, artillery adapted for attacking fortified places.

**Siege**, v. t. To besiege; to beset. [R.]

Through all the dangers that can siege
The life of man. *Burton.*

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**synonymes - siège**

assault, beleaguering, besiege, besieging, encirclement, investment, military blockade, offend

**locations**

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- 1980 Dominican Embassy siege in Bogotá • 1984 Libyan Embassy Siege • Bodies Under Siege • Dungeon Siege 2 • Dungeon siege 2 • First Siege of Krujë (1450) • Fourth Siege of Krujë (1478) • Great Siege of Gibraltar • Medieval siege weaponry • Palace of Justice siege • San Diego Siege • Second Siege of Krujë (1466) • Siege (book) • Siege (disambiguation) • Siege Perilous (disambiguation) • Siege Weapon • Siege and Battle of Corinth Sites • Siege engine • Siege hook • Siege of Acre (1291) • Siege of Acre (disambiguation) • Siege of Amida • Siege of Angband • Siege of Antioch (1268) • Siege of Arai • Siege of Ascalon • Siege of Athlone • Siege of Avalon • Siege of Baghdad (1258) • Siege of Barad-dûr • Siege of Belfort • Siege of Boston • Siege of Breda (1624) • Siege of Brescia • Siege of Breslau • Siege of Budapest • Siege of Busan • Siege of Béxar • Siege of Cahir Castle • Siege of Calais (1940) • Siege of Capua • Siege of Carrigafoyle Castle • Siege of Cetatea Neamțului • Siege of Chaves • Siege of Christmemel • Siege of Chōkō-ji • Siege of Compiègne • Siege of Constantinople (717–718) • Siege of Corinth • Siege of Damietta (1218) • Siege of Delhi • Siege of Dorostolon • Siege of Dunboy • Siege of Edo • Siege of El Arish • Siege of Faenza • Siege of Fort Detroit • Siege of Fort Gaines • Siege of Fort Laurens • Siege of Fort Morgan • Siege of Fort Motte •
Tower of Waterford
Siege of Tsingtao (1545)
Shika
Siege of Sancerre
Pusan
Marienburg (1410)
Sanh
Siege of Kanegasaki (1570)
Siege of Kojinyama
Siege of Hachigata (1568)
Siege of Gaeta
Siege of Fort Pitt

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