

Imperial Russian Religion Terms

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Nationality

Anglichanin / Anglichanka	English (m/f)
Armyanin / Armyanka	Armenian (m/f)
Azerbaidzhanets / Azerbaidzhanka	Azerbaijani (m/f)
Bashkir / Bashkirka	Bashkir (m/f)
Belorus / Beloruska	Belorussian (m/f)
Bolgarin / Bolgarka	Bulgarian (m/f)
Chuvash / Chuvashka	Chuvash (m/f)
Estonets / Estonka	Estonian (m/f)
Gruzin / Gruzinka	Georgian (m/f)
Grek / Grechanka	Greek (m/f)
Kazak / Kazashka	Kazakh (m/f)
Khokhol / Khokholka	(<i>vulgar</i>) Ukrainian (m/f)
Kirgiz / Kirgizka	Kirghiz (m/f)
Latviets / Latviika	Latvian (m/f)
Litovets / Litovka	Lithuanian (m/f)
Maloross / Malorosska	(<i>archaic</i>) Little Russian; Ukrainian (m/f)
Moldavanin / Moldavanka	Moldavian (m/f)
Mongol / Mongolka	Mongol (m/f)
Mordvin / Mordvinka	Mordvin (m/f)
Nemets / Nemka	German (m/f)
Polyak / Pol'ka	Pole (m/f)
Rumyn / Rumynka	Romanian (m/f)
Russkii / Russkaya	Russian (m/f)
Shved / Shvedka	Swede (m/f)
Tatarin / Tatarka	Tatar (m/f)
Tsygan / Tsyganka	Gypsy (m/f)
Turkmen / Turkmenka	Turkmen (m/f)
Turok / Turchanka	Turk (m/f)
Ukrainets / Ukrainka	Ukrainian (m/f)
Uzbek / Uzbekka	Uzbek (m/f)
Vengerets / Vengerka	Hungarian (m/f)

Religion

Baptist / Baptistka	Baptist (m/f)
Besermenin / Besermenka	Moslem (m/f)
Buddist	Buddhist (m/f)
Dukhoborets / Dukhoborka	Doukhobor (m/f)
Edinoverets / Edinoverka	Religious dissenter (m/f)
Evrei / Evreika	Jew (m/f)
Inoverets / Inoverka	dissenter; non-Christian (m/f)

Iudei / Iudeika	Judaic (m/f)
Katolik / Katolichka	Catholic (m/f)
Khlyst	Khlyst; Flagellant (m/f)
Khristianin / Khristianka	Christian (m/f)
Lyuteranin / Lyuteranka	Lutheran (m/f)
Menonit / Menonitka	Mennonite (m/f)
Molokan / Molokanka	Molokan (m/f)
Musul'manin / Musul'manka	Moslem (m/f)
Pravoslavni / Pravoslavnyaya	Russian Orthodox (m/f)
Protestant / Protestantka	Protestant (m/f)
Raskol'nik / Raskol'nitsa	Schismatic / Old Believer (m/f)
Sektant / Sektantka	Sectarian (m/f)
Shtundist / Shtundistka	Stundist (m/f)
Staroobryadets / Staroobryadka	Old Ritualist / Old Believer (m/f)
Starover / Staroverka	Old Believer (m/f)
Subbotnik / Subbotnitsa	Sabbatarian (m/f)
Uniat / Uniatka	Uniate (m/f)
Zhid / Zhidovka	(<i>vulgar</i>) Jew (m/f)

Class

Dvoryanin / Dvoryanka	member of the nobility (<i>dvoryanstvo</i>) in Imperial Russia (m/f); persons of this class were entitled, through inheritance or earned through state service noble status, either inherited or earned through state service, entitled the holder to own land and serfs, enter civil service, freedom from military service and other privileges
Svyashchennik	member of the clergy (<i>dukhovenstvo</i>) in Imperial Russia
Kupets / Kupchikha	member of the merchant class (<i>kupechestvo</i>) in Imperial Russia (m/f); persons of this class were divided into three guilds by wealth and status
Meshchanin / Meshchanka	member of the citizen class (<i>meshchane</i>) in Imperial Russia (m/f); urban dweller of lower social status; petty bourgeois townsman
Krest'yanin / Krest'yanka	member of the peasant class (<i>krest'yane</i>) in Imperial Russia (m/f); persons of this class possessed their own household and held a small plot of land (owned by themselves or others) with appurtenances and owed an obligation to perform military service and pay taxes; persons of this class were divided into numerous sub-classes of free and bonded peasants
Odnodvoret / Odnodvorka	one-homesteader (m/f); persons of the one-homesteader (<i>odnodvortsy</i>) class descended from military servitors settled on the southern and eastern frontiers of the Empire and had the right to own their own lands and serfs and the obligation to perform military service and pay taxes; this class, which stood between the nobility and peasantry, eventually was transferred to the state peasant class
Kazak / Kazachka	Cossack (m/f); the Cossack class (<i>kazaki</i>) were an elite military force in Imperial Russia made up of free-spirited adventurers, employed by the Tsars as an auxiliary to its regular troops in the more remote southern areas of the Empire; a person of this category owed an obligation to perform military service but not to pay taxes
Inorodets / Inorodka	native tribesman (m/f); members of native tribes and ethnic groups (<i>inorodtsy</i>) in Siberia and the Far East held special legal status and privileges