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Simple Definition of REPUDIATE

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: to refuse to accept or support (something) : to reject (something or someone)

: to say or show that (something) is not true

Source: Merriam-Webster's Learner's Dictionary

Examples: REPUDIATE in a sentence

Editor's note: Did You Know?

Tip: Synonym guide

Full Definition of REPUDIATE

repudiated **repudiating**

transitive verb

- 1 : to divorce or separate formally from (a woman)
- 2 : to refuse to have anything to do with : **DISOWN**
- 3 **a** : to refuse to accept; *especially* : to reject as unauthorized or as having no binding force
<repudiate a contract>
b : to reject as untrue or unjust <repudiate a charge>
- 4 : to refuse to **acknowledge** or pay <repudiate a debt>

—**repudiator** \-ä-tôr\ noun