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Definition of DEMISE

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transitive verb

- 1 : to **convey** (as an estate) by will or lease
- 2 *obsolete* : **CONVEY**, **GIVE**
- 3 : to transmit by **succession** or inheritance

intransitive verb

- 1 : **DIE**, **DECEASE**
- 2 : to pass by descent or **bequest** <the property has *demised* to the king's heirs>

Examples of DEMISE

<our much beloved, recently *demised* leader>

Origin of DEMISE

(see ²DEMISE)

First Known Use: 15th century

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Synonyms

check out, **conk (out)**, **croak** [*slang*], **decease**, **die**, **depart**, **drop**, **end**, **exit**, **expire**, **fall**, **flatline**, **go**, **kick in** [*slang*], **kick off** [*slang*], **pass (on)**, **pass away**, **part**, **peg out** [*chiefly British*], **perish**, **pop off**, **step out**, **succumb**

Antonyms

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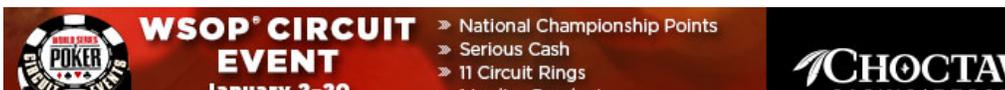
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