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n.

A stately carriage of the late 1500s and the 1600s.

[Obsolete French *carroche*, from Old Italian *carrozza*, ultimately from *carro*, cart, from Latin *carrus*, a Gallic type of wagon; see **kers-** [in the Appendix of Indo-European roots](#).]

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