

Do you also often visit your new Facebook post to see how many likes and comments it has gotten? Well, you are not alone. All of us live in a time when everything we do goes on social media, and validation is sought through likes and comments of people we don't necessarily know. If you find this pressure and scrutiny associated with the number of likes overwhelming, here's how to hide likes on Facebook on iPhone, iPad, and desktop.



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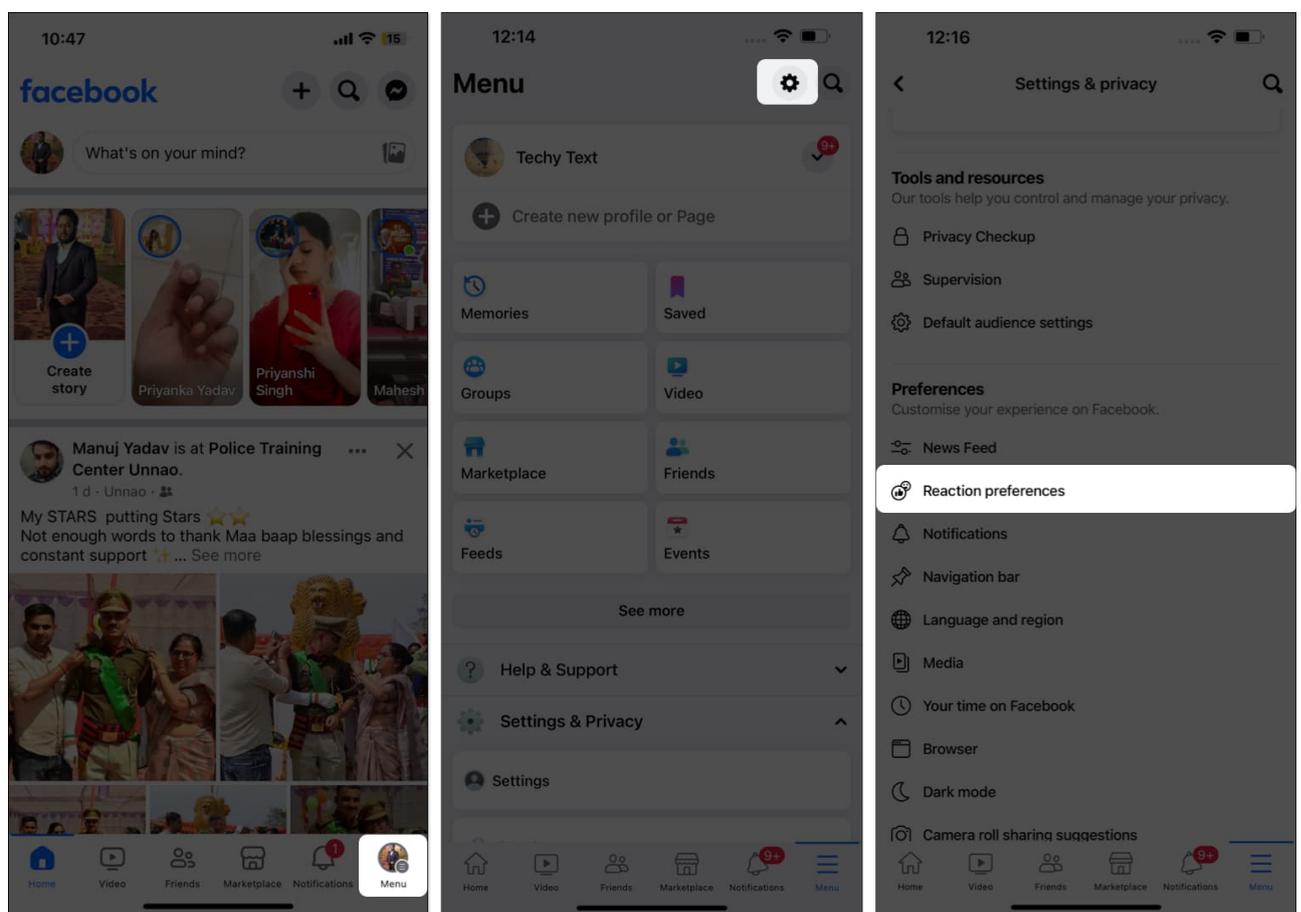
How to hide likes on Facebook on your iPhone or desktop

Whether you want to minimize the pressure or stop others from viewing how many people

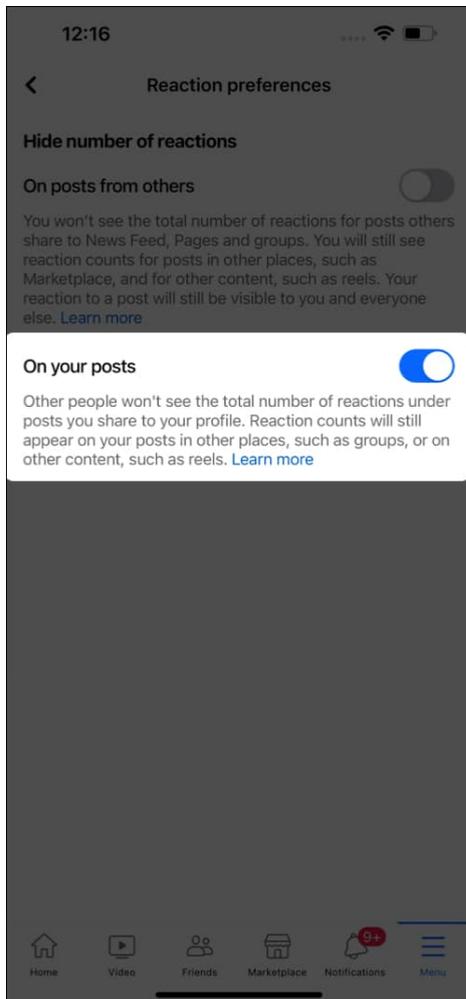
have liked your post, here's how you can hide the Likes count on Facebook posts.

Hide likes and reactions on Facebook for iPhone or iPad

1. Open the **Facebook** app and tap your **Profile** icon at the bottom right corner.
2. Select **Settings** at the top right of your screen.
3. Scroll down to the Preferences section and select **Reaction Preferences**.



4. Now, toggle on the switch next to **On your Posts**.



Once you toggle on **On your Posts**, other Facebook users can no longer view the total number of Likes or other reactions your posts receive.

Further, you can toggle on **On posts from others** if you don't want to view the total number of reactions on the posts shared by others.

Hide number of reactions

On posts from others



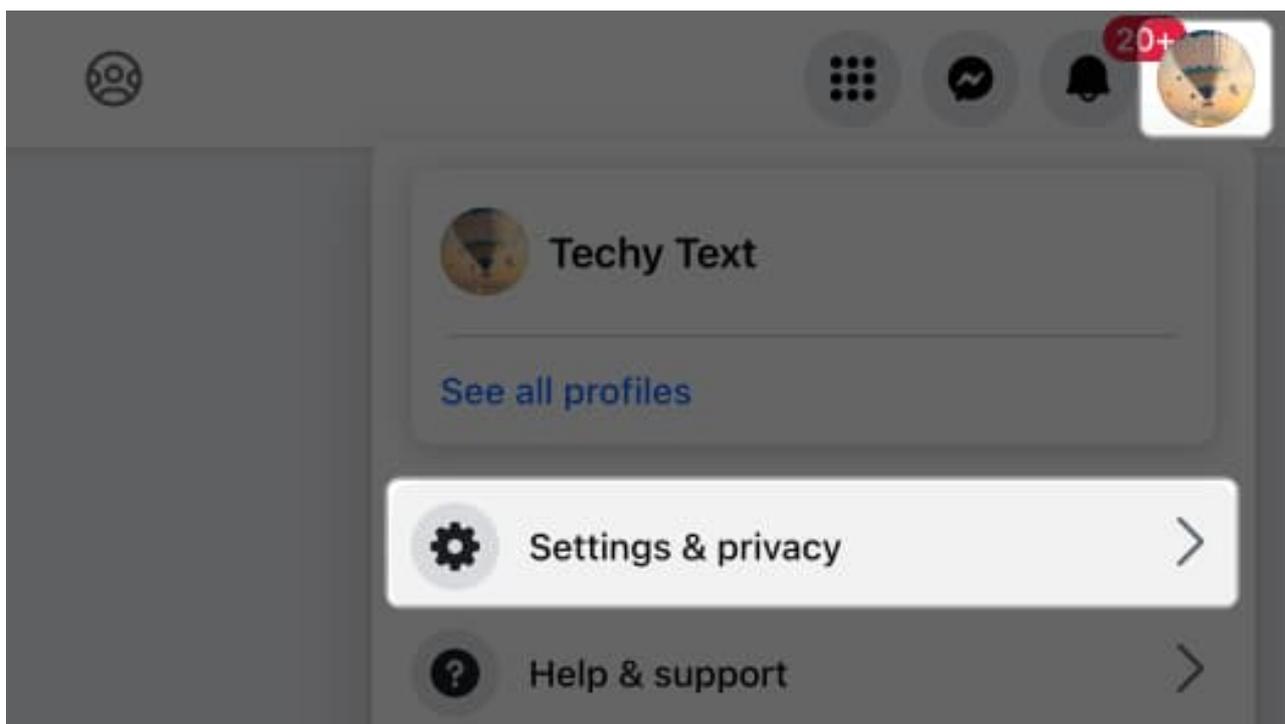
You won't see the total number of reactions for posts others share to News Feed, Pages and groups. You will still see reaction counts for posts in other places, such as Marketplace, and for other content, such as reels. Your reaction to a post will still be visible to you and everyone else. [Learn more](#)

Tip: You can check out our detailed guide if you wish to [hide comments for your Facebook posts](#) as well.

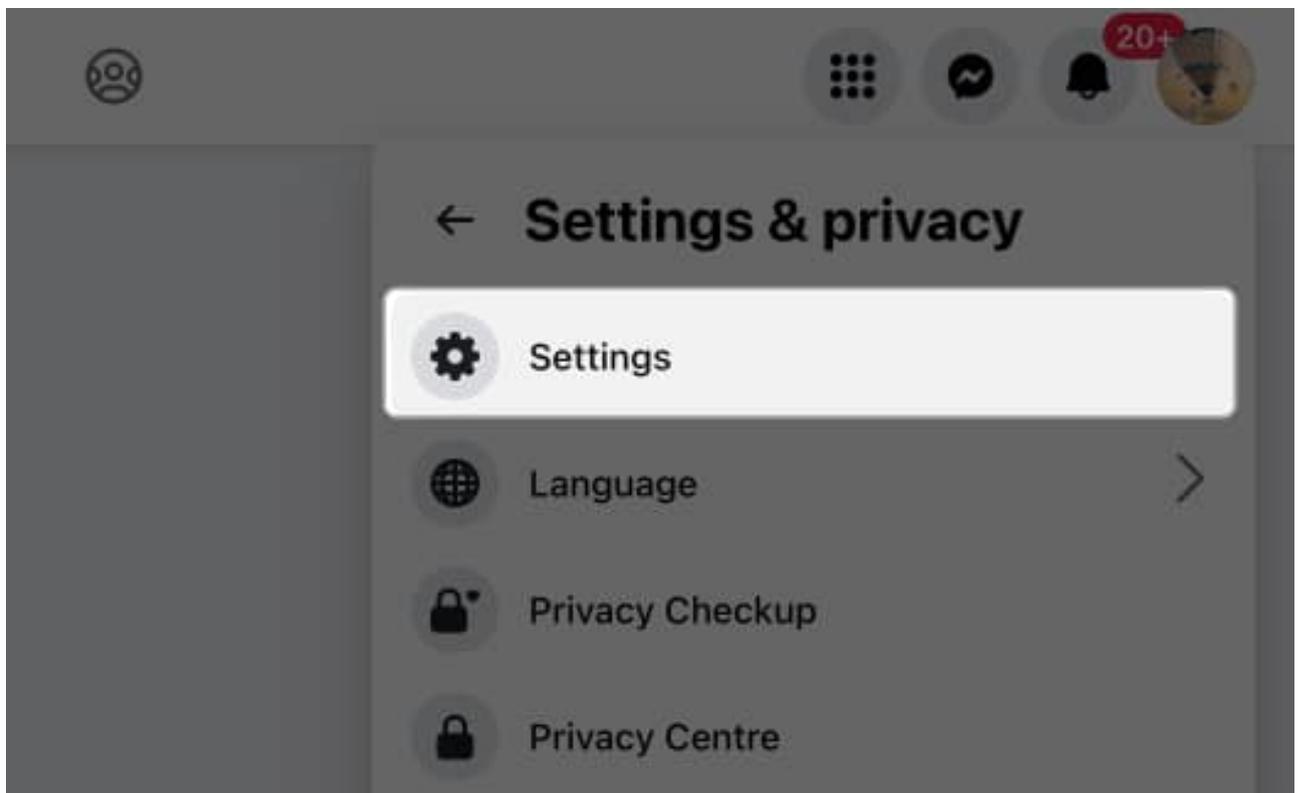
Hide likes on Facebook desktop

If you don't use Facebook from an iOS or iPadOS app, you can hide likes using a web browser on any device.

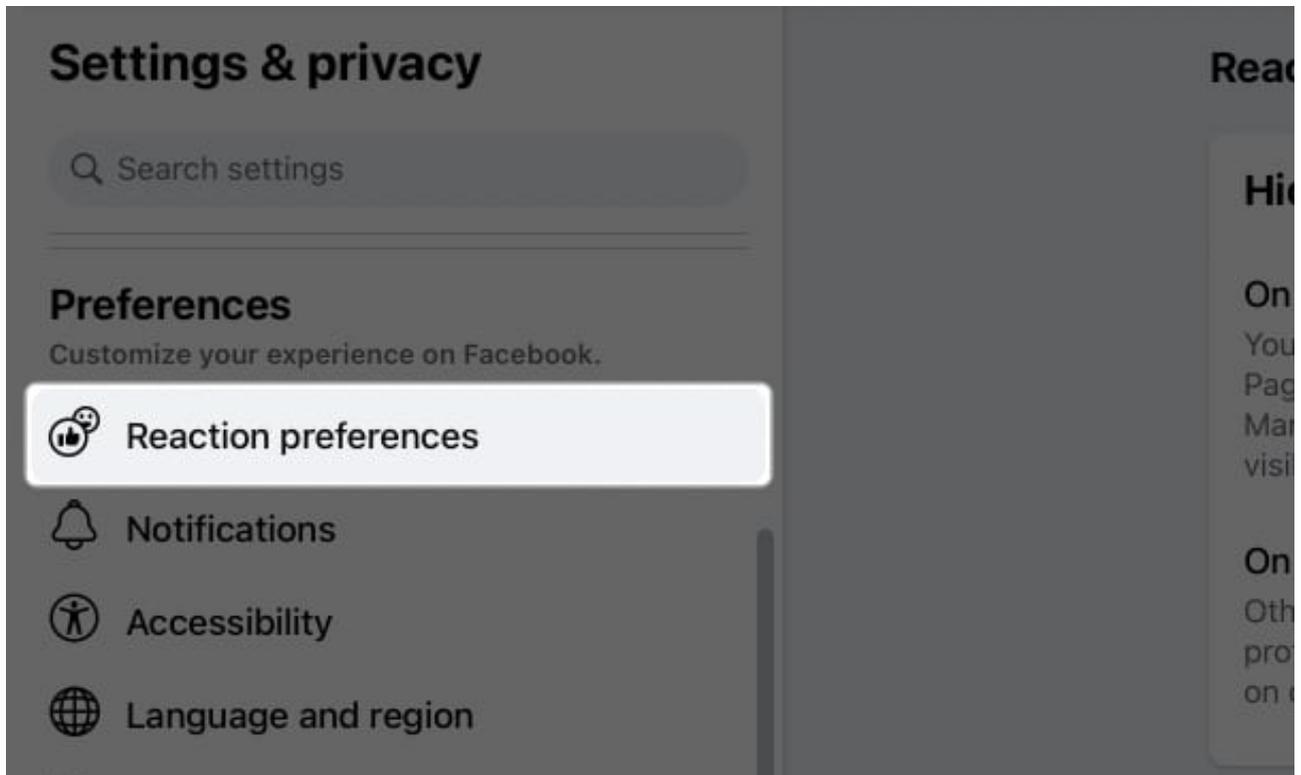
1. Visit **Facebook** on the web and **Sign in** to your account.
2. Click on your **Profile** icon at the top right corner.
3. Select **Settings & Privacy** in the drop-down menu.



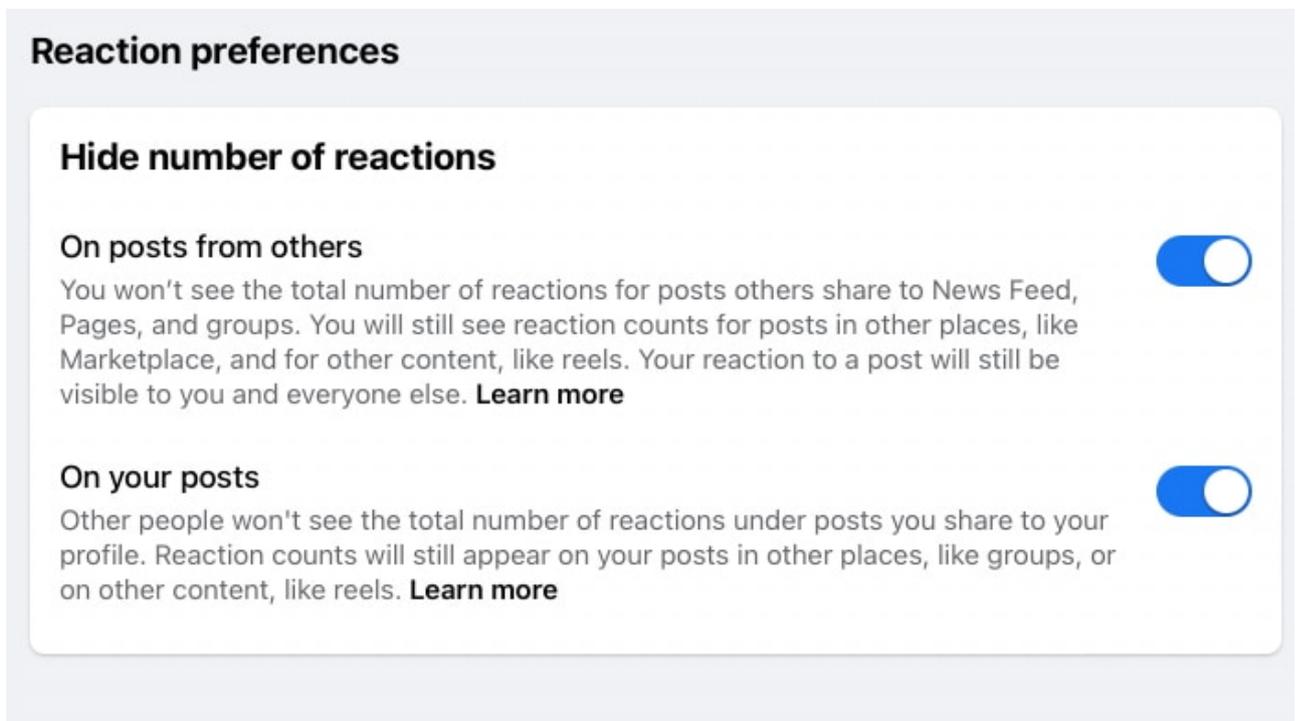
4. Next, click **Settings** in the subsequent menu.



5. Here, scroll down and choose **Reactions Preferences** under the Preferences section in the left windowpane.



6. Finally, enable **On your posts** and **On posts from others**.



Note

According to Facebook, even if you hide the reaction counts on the posts you share to your profile, the reaction count will still appear when you post something in other places such as groups or reels

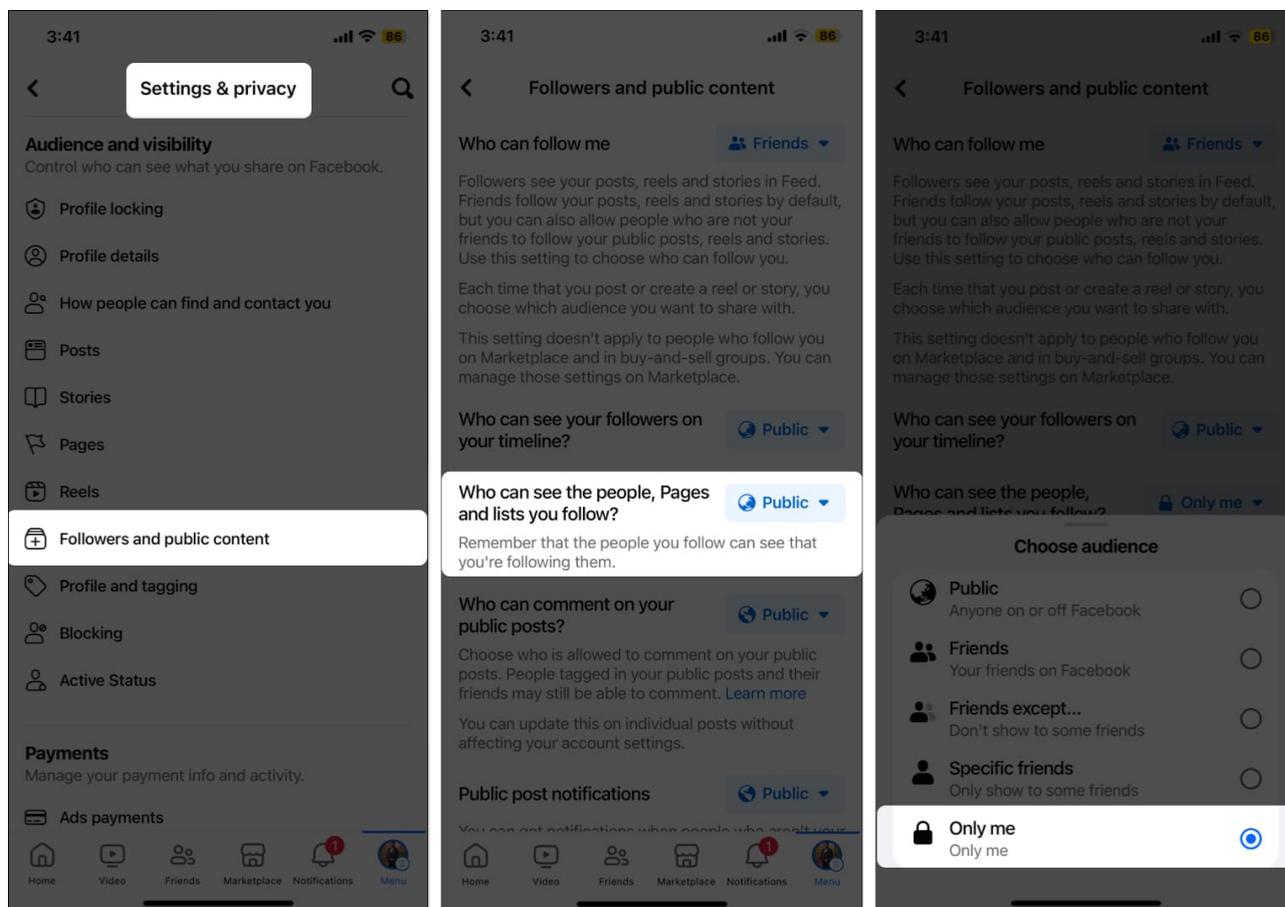
How to hide your liked pages on Facebook on iPhone and desktop

Following the pages of your favorite artists, politicians, or brands on Facebook isn't new. However, you may have some pages or lists on your following list that you don't want others to know about.

Fortunately, you can hide your liked pages and lists on Facebook from both the iOS app and website.

Hide your liked pages on Facebook for iPhone

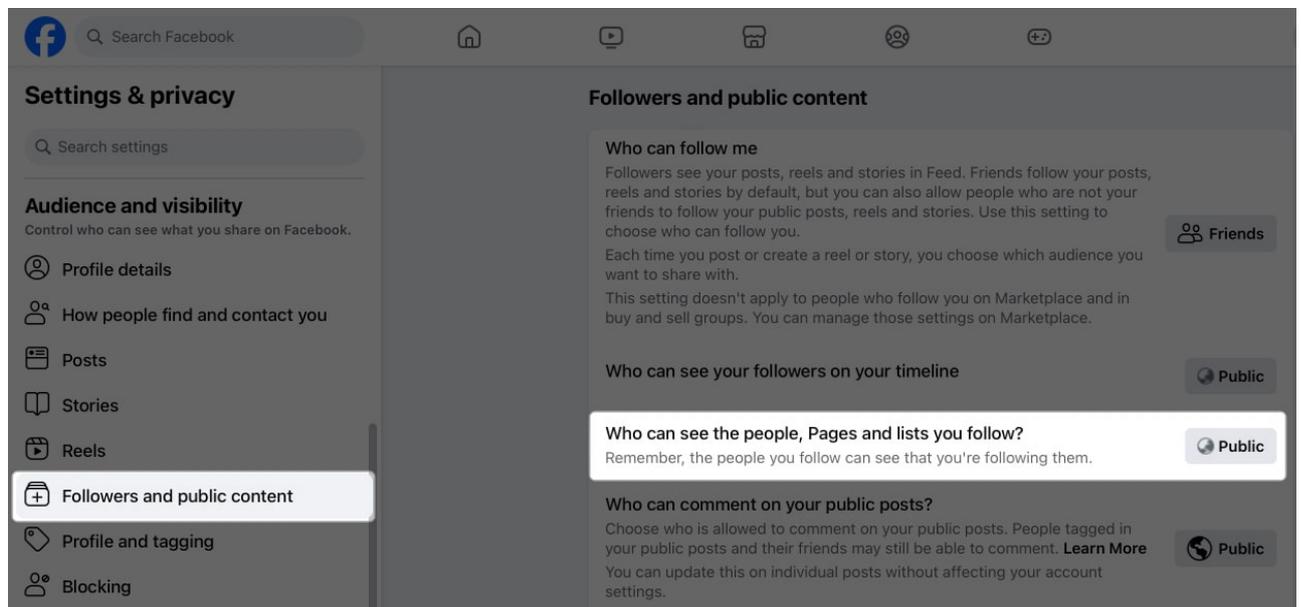
1. Open **Facebook app** and tap the **Profile** icon at the bottom right corner.
2. Next, tap **Settings & Privacy** → Pick **Settings** in the drop-down menu.
3. Under the Audience and visibility section, tap **Followers and public content**.
4. Here, tap the **dropdown menu** next to **Who can see the people, Pages, and lists you follow**.
5. Finally, select **Only Me** from the available audience options.



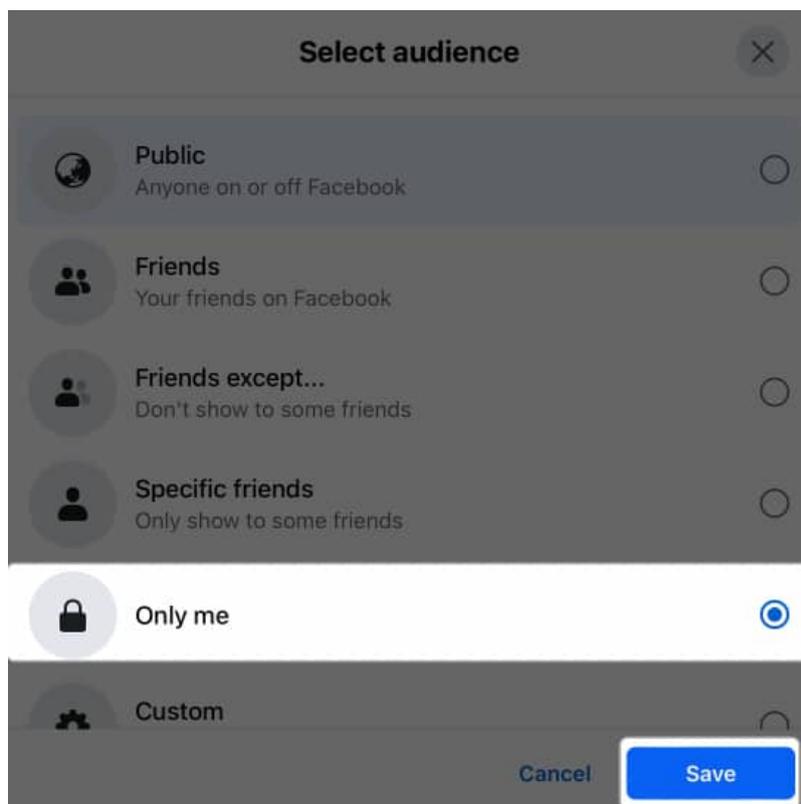
Going forward, none of your followers will be able to view the Pages you have liked.

Hide your liked pages on Facebook desktop

1. Visit **Facebook** on the web and **log in** to your account.
2. Head to your **Profile** → **Settings & privacy** → **Settings**.
3. In the left pane, scroll down and choose **Followers and Public Content** under the Audience and Visibility section.
4. Click the button next to **Who can see the people, Pages, and Lists you follow**.

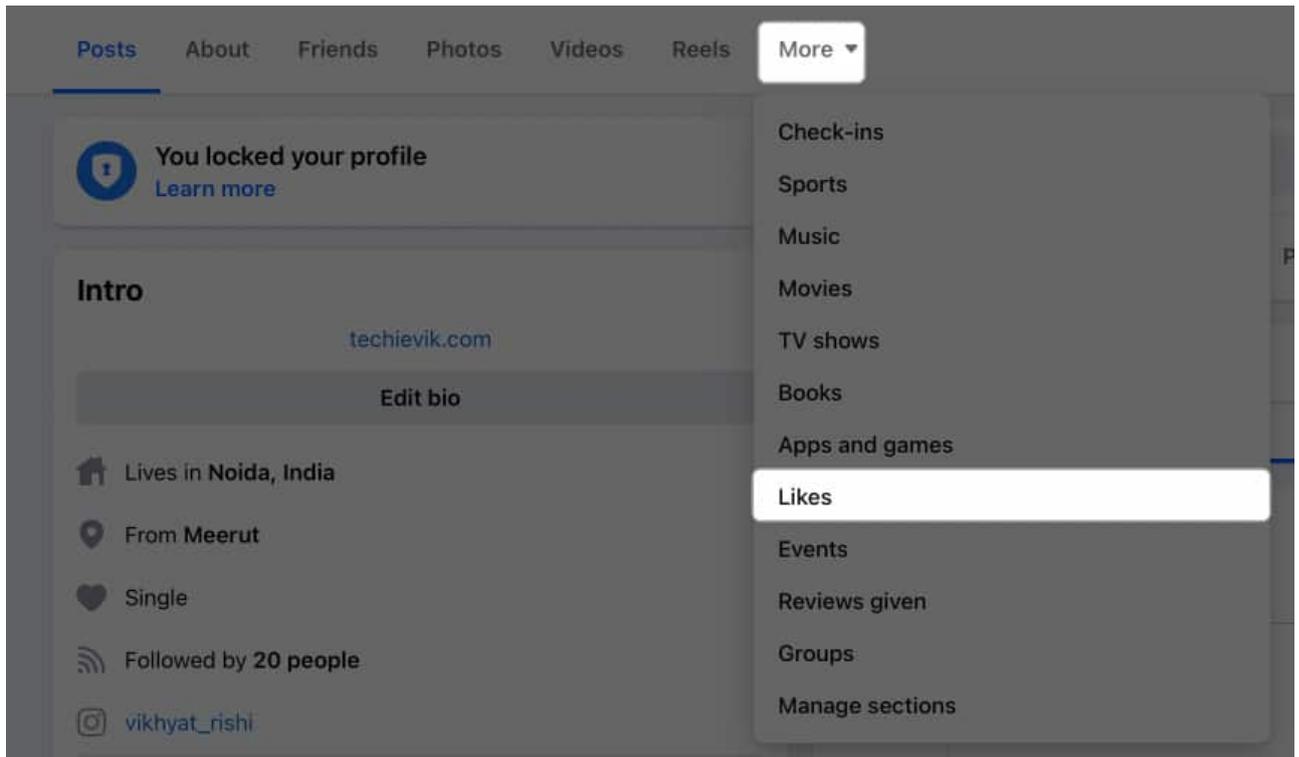


5. From the options available, select **Only Me** and hit **Save** to record your preferences.

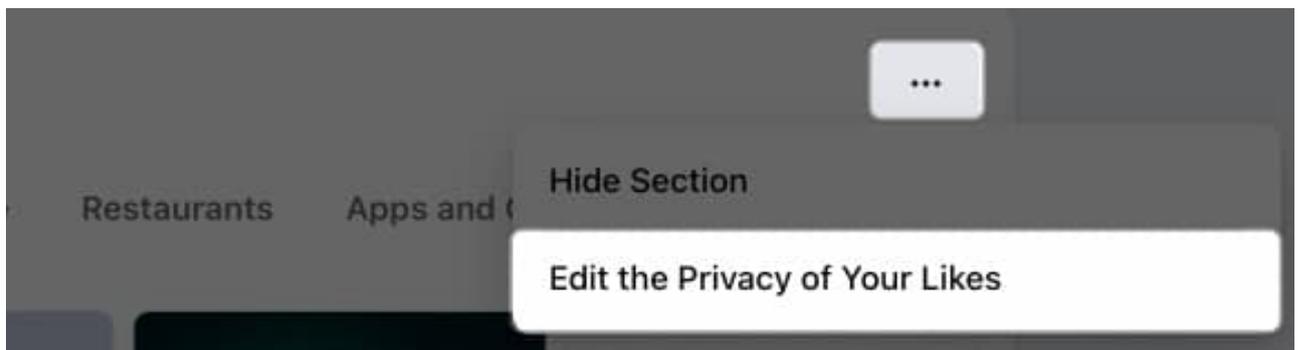


The desktop version allows you to hide liked pages belonging to a particular genre as well. Here's how:

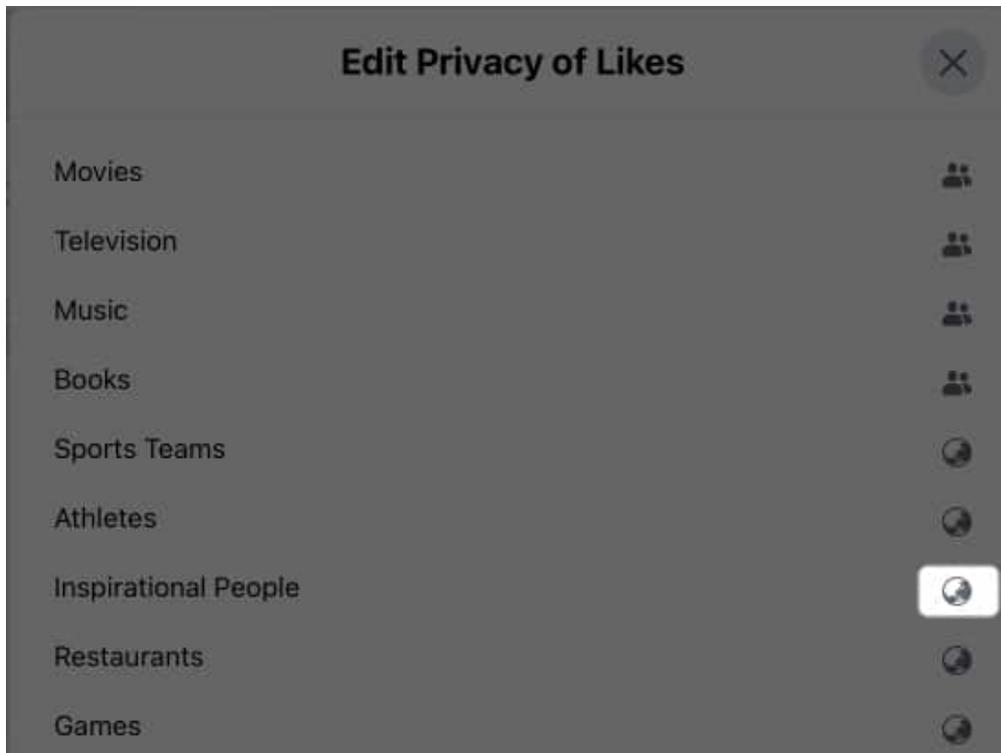
1. Open your **Facebook Profile**.
2. Go to the **More** tab under your profile picture.
3. Select **Likes** from the list of options.



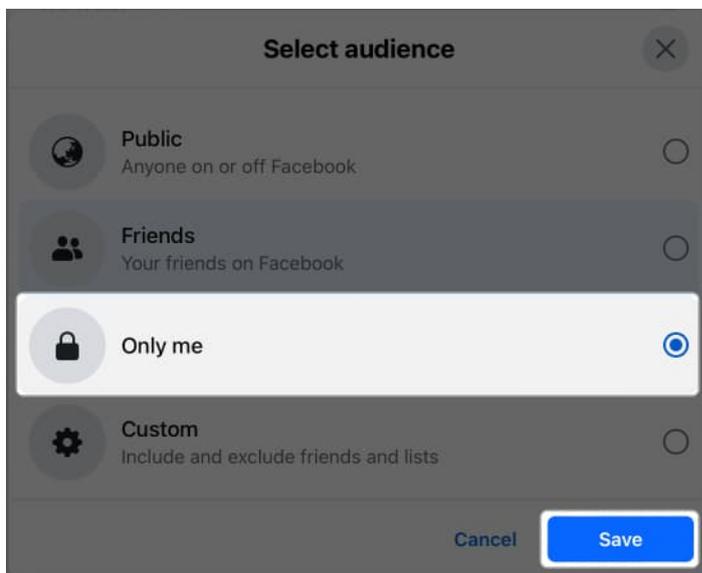
4. Next, click the **three-dot menu** on the right and select **Edit the Privacy of Your Likes**.



5. Now, click the **Audience** button (globe icon) next to a particular genre.



6. Finally, select **Only Me** and click **Save**.



Signing off...

That's it; this is all about hiding likes on Facebook. Now, you can easily hide the Like count on your and other users' posts, tailoring the user experience to your preference. Also,

instead of focusing just on Likes, I'd recommend focusing on engaging with content that resonates with your interests and fosters genuine connections with your friends and followers alike.

If you have any doubts or queries, comment below, and I'll happily respond.

Know more about Facebook:

- [How to take a break from someone on Facebook](#)
- [How to lock Facebook profile on iPhone](#)
- [How to log out of Facebook Messenger on iPhone and iPad](#)