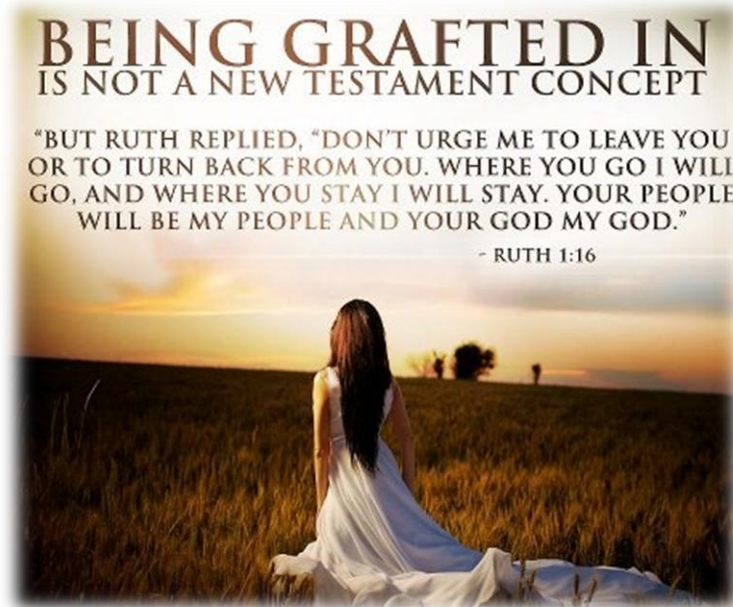


BEING GRAFTED IN

Learning Our Jewish Heritage



INTRODUCTION

This book was put together to help those who are interested
in Hebrew and the meanings in English.

Names from the Torah that I know will be helpful
for your studies also.

This book is dedicated to those who are incarcerated, to give them a
greater learning more of Our Lord



For the past three years interest has been building inside of me to learn more of our Jewish Roots. As Christians we tend to lean a lot to the New Testament and look at the Old Testament as a book of stories that we don't have to pay a lot of attention too now that we are living under "GRACE". Well, it bothered me a little when I asked about Jesus' Family and His customs and was told that it didn't matter, and that if we loved everyone that is what it was all about these days. I knew deep inside there was more and yet I just didn't know how to go about finding out.

A few years ago I met a person who studied Hebrew and we got talking about the Lord and I brought up the subject of my desire to learn about Jesus and His roots. This man sent me some DVD's and some Jewish Music and as I listened to these DVD's and Music my heart started to yearn to learn more. I went online and started to read about many Jews who came to Christ and all about the Torah and the Commandments and I was fascinated.

These past few years I have grown to love Jesus even more as I learn of the History, Feasts and Our Father God. My life is taking more meaning on now and I want to share with others what I have learned. I am still learning and one thing I found out was that those in prison wanted to learn and yet did not have many avenues of learning. This is why I put together this book. These are not all my words, but writings from people who have studied and taught the Bible from cover to cover. May you learn from these pages. This is part of a Series of books that will be available for you to read.

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The Tenach (Old Testament)

The Torah (The Law of Moses) Tor.

Genesis (**B'Reyshith**, Beginnings) Genesis, Gen. 1

Exodus (**Shemoth**, The Words) Exodus, Ex.

Leviticus (**WaYiqra**, And He Said) Leviticus, Lev.

Numbers (**BaMidbar**, In the Wilderness) Numbers, Num.

Deuteronomy (**Devarim**, Rep. of the Covenant) Deuteronomy, Deut.

The **Nevi'im** (Prophets) Prophetic Books, Nev., Proph.

Yeshayahu (Isaiah) Yesh., Ysh., Yeshay.

Yirmyahu (Jeremiah) Yir., Yirm.

Lamentations of **Yirmyahu (Eychah)** Lamentations, Lam.

Book of the Prophet **Yechezqel** (Ezekiel) Ychzql., Ych.

Book of the Prophet **Daniel**, Dan.

Book of the Prophet Hoshea (**Hosea**) Hos., Hosh.

Book of the Prophet **Yoel** (Joel) Yo.

Book of the Prophet **Amos**, Am.

Book of the Prophet Ovadyah (Obadiah) Ov., Ovad.

Book of the Prophet **Yonah** (Jonah) Yon.

Book of the Prophet **Micha** (Micah) Mic.

Book of the Prophet **Nachum** (Nahum) Nach.

Book of the Prophet **Havaqquq** (Habakkuk) Hav.

Book of the Prophet **Tsefanyah** (Zephaniah) Tsef., Tsf.

Book of the Prophet **Haggay** (Haggai) Hg., Hag.

Book of the Prophet **Zecharyah** (Zechariah) Zech., Zch.

Book of the Prophet **Malachi**, Mal.

The **Ketuvim** (Writings) Historical/Poetical Books, Ket., Ktvm.

Yehoshua (Joshua) Yeh., Yehosh.

Judges (**Shoftim**), Jdg., Judg.

Ruth, Ru.

Books of the Prophet **Shmu'el** (I & II Samuel) I Shm., 2 Shm.

Books of the Kings (**Melachim**), I K., 1 K., 2 Kgs.

Chronicles of Israel/Yehudah (**Dibri HaYamim**), I & II Chronicles, I Chr., 2 Chron.

Book of the Prophet **Ezra**, Ez.

Book of **Nechemyah** (Nehemiah) Nech.

The **Magillah** of **Hadassah (Esther)**, Had.
The Story of **Iyov** (Job) Iy.
The Psalms (**Tehillim**) Ps.
Proverbs of Solomon (**Mashley Shlomo**) Pr., Prov.
Qoheleth Ecclesiastes (The Preacher) Qoh.
Song of Songs (**Shir HaShirim**), Song of Solomon, Song/S., S/S
Part II: The Renewed Covenant (New Testament), R.C.

(B'rit Chadasha) The Good News as Recounted by The Gospels G.N.
Mattithyahu (Matthew) Mat., Matt.
Markos (Mark) Mk., Mark.
Lukas (Luke) Lk., Luk.
Yochanan (John) Yoch.
Deeds of the Holy Spirit through the Envoys (Acts of the Apostles) Env.
Letters from the Envoys (Apostolic Epistles) Ltrs.
Letter from **Rav Shaul** (Paulos/Paul) to the Romans, Rom.
Letters from Shaul to the Korinthians (I & II Corinthians) I. Kor., 2 Kor.
Letter from Shaul to the Congregations in Galatia (Epistle of Paul to the Galatians) Gal.
Letter from Shaul to the Congreg. in Efesos (Epistle of Paul to the Ephesians) Ef., Efes.
Letter from Shaul to the Congreg. in Filippi (Epistle of Paul to the Philippians) Fil.
Letter from Shaul to the Congreg. in Kolossae (Epistle of Paul to the Colossians) Kol.
Letters from Shaul to the Cong. in Thessaloniki (I & II Thessalonians) I Thess., 1 Thes.
Letters from Shaul to Timotheos (I & II Timothy) I Tim., 2 Tim.
Letter from Shaul to Titos (Titus) Tt.
Letter from Shaul to Filemon (Philemon) Flmn.
Letter to the Hebrews (Messianic Jews) Heb.
Letter from **Yaakov** (James) Ykv.
Letters from (Shim'on) Kefa (I & II Peter) I Kf., 2 Kf.
Letters from Yochanan (I, II, & III John) I Yoch., 2 Yo., 3 Y.
Letter from **Rav Yehudah** (Jude) Yeh., Yhd. .

Prophecy:

Revelation of Yeshua the Messiah (Revelation to St. John the Divine) Rev.

Other Common Proper Names and their meanings:

Persons

Andreas (Andrew)

Avimelech (Abimelech) = My father is a king = Mein Vater ist ein König

Aviyah (Abijah) = Yahweh is my Father = Yahweh ist mein Vater

Avraham (Abraham) = Father of Many Nations = Vater vieler Nationen

Avram (Abram) = Exalted Father

Bar-Abbas (Barabbas) = Son of Abbas = Sohn von Abbas

Binyamin (Benjamin) = Son of my right hand/son of many days

Cham (Ham)

Chananyah (Hananiah, Ananias)

Chanokh (Enoch) = Teaching = Lehren

Chavvah (Eve) = Living = Das Leben

Dawid (David) from teh word for "beloved"

D'vorah (Deborah) = Bee = Biene

El'azar (Eleazar) = Elohim helped = Elohim hilft

Elisheva (Elizabeth) = My Elohim promised

Elohim Emphasizes that Yahweh is a judge (a plural word with singular grammatical usage)

Ever (Eber > Hebrew) = crossing over = Hinübergehen

Filippos (Philip) = Horse-lover = Pferde-Liebhaber

Gid'on (Gideon)

HaSikkaryoth (Iscariot) = Cut-throats = Kehlen-Durchschneider

Hevel (Abel)

Hizqiyahu (Hezekiah) = Yahweh is my strength = Yahweh ist meine Kraft

Kayafa (Caiaphas)

Kefa (Cephas, Peter, Petros) = A stone = Ein Stein

Lavan (Laban) = white one = Der Weisse.

Levi = My heart = Mein Herz

Manoach (Manoah) = Comfort, Strengthening

Mashiach (Messiah) = The Anointed One

Menashe (Manasseh) = Forgetting = Vergessen

Methushelach (Methuselah) = With his death, it [the deluge] will come =
Mit seinem Tod kommt die Flut

Miryam (Mary, Miriam)

Nachor (Nahor)

Noach (Noah) = Rest, Comfort = Behaglichkeit

Pinchas (Phinehas, Phineas)

Qayin (Cain)
Rechav'am (Rehoboam)
Reuven (Reuben) = Look, a son! = Guck mal, ein Sohn!
Rivqah (Rebekah)
Sheth (Seth) = Appointed
Shim'on (Simon, Simeon) = Really, truly hearing = Das wahre **Hören**
Shlomo (Solomon) = His peace = Sein Friede
Stefanos (Stephen) = Crown = Die krone
Terach (Terah)
Tsadoq (Zadok > **Sadducees**) = Righteous = **gerecht**
Ts'daqyah (Zedekiah) = Yahweh is (my) righteousness = Yahweh ist meine Gerechtigkeit
Ya'aqov (Jacob) = Heel-grabber, supplanter = Verdränger
Yafeth (Japheth)
Ya'ir (Jairus)
Yarav'am (Jeroboam)
Yared (Jared) = Shall come down = Soll herunter kommen
Yehoshafat (Jehoshaphat) = Yahweh is watching/looking = Yahweh wacht
Yehudah (Judah, Judas > Jew) = Praise = Lob
Yisrael (Israel) = One who struggles with Elohim/Prince with Elohim = Der mit Gott kämpft
Y'shua, Yeshua (Jesus) = Yahweh is salvation Yahweh ist die ErLösung
YHWH (Yahweh, Jehovah) = I will be what I will be ('Ich bin das Leben')
Yishai (Jesse)
Yishmael (Ishmael) = Elohim will hear = Gott wird hören
Yissaschar (Issachar) = There is recompense = Es ist eine Entschädigung da.
Yitzhaq (Isaac) = Laughter = Das Lachen
Yochanan (John) = Yahweh is gracious = Yahweh ist wohlwollend
Yoseyf (Joseph) = Yahweh will add = Yahweh wird dazu geben
Yoshiyahu (Josiah) = Yahweh is my salvation = Yahweh ist meine ErLösung
Zakkai (Zacchaeus)
Zavdi (Zebedee)
Zecharyah (Zechariah, Zacharias) = Yahweh remembered = Yahweh erinnert

Places

Amarah (Gomorrha)

Bavel (Babel) = Gate of Elohim = Das Tor zu Gott

Beyth Anyah (Bethany) = House of unripe figs = Das Haus der unreifen Feigen

Beyth Fagey (Bethphage) = House of ripe figs = Das Haus der reifen Feigen

Beyth Lechem (Bethlehem) = House of bread (food) = Das Haus des Brotes

Beyth Tsaydah (Bethsaida)

Eilat (Elath)

Ferath (Euphrates)

Galil (Galilee) = The circle = Der Kreis

Giv'ah (Gibeah)

Giv'on (Gibeon)

Hatzor (Hazor) = The Rock = Der Felsen

Kanaan (Canaan)

Karmel (Carmel)

Kaysria (Caesarea) = Caesar's place = Der Platz des Cäsars

K'far Nachum (Capernaum) = Village of Consolation = das Dorf des Trostes

Moav (Moab) = From the father = Von meinem Vater

Moryah (Moriah) = Myrrh of Yahweh = Die Myrrhe des Yahweh

Natzereth (Nazareth) = Branch = Zweig

S'dom (Sodom)

Shiloah (Siloam)

Shomron (Samaria)

Soreq (Sorek)

Tsarfath (Zarephath, Sarepta)

Tsi'on (Zion)

Tsiydon (Sidon)

Tsora (Zorah)

Yafo (Joppa, Jaffa) = Beautiful = Schön

Yarden (Jordan) = Runs downward from Dan = Das was herunterströmt von Dan

Yehudah (Judea) = land of the Jews = Das Land der Juden

Yericho (Jericho)

Yerushalayim (Jerusalem) = Light and peace, or He sees (two kinds of)

peace = Licht und Friede oder Er sieht zwei Arten des Friedens
Yizre'el (Jezreel) = Elohim will help = Elohim wird helfen

Tribes and National groups Chittites (Hittites) **Chiwites** (Hivites)
Yevusites (Jebusites)

Namen und astrologische Symbole

Simeon <=> Hören <=> **Merkur**: Sprechen, Hören, schreiben, lesen.

Levi <=> Binden <=> **Saturn**: Binden, Festhalten, fest

Judah <=> Güte <=> **Jupiter**: Güte, Vater, Gerechtigkeit, Fülle

Naphtali <=> Kämpfer <=> **Mars**: Kampf, Stärke

Gad <=> Schicksal, Glück <=> ~

Asser <=> Fröhlich, Feuer <=> **Venus**: Feuer, fröhlich, Schönheit
(Venus=Ashera)

Issachar <=> käuflich <=> ~

Sebulaon <=> Wasser <=> ~ (fische/scorpion/krebs)

Josef <=> Das Leben geben <=> **Mond**

ADM Rot red

AVM 'um'
Schraubenmutter

AVNYH Schiff

AYN ajin Nichts

AYNSVF

eynsov

ALH Gott

ALA Großer Baum

ALH ela Göttin

ALHYM weibliche Götter

elohim

AM 'em Mutter

AMH Stamm,
Geschlecht

AMH Sklavin Magd

AMH Nation, Volk

AMN Amen

ARG	Weberschiffchen	
ARK	Lang lang andauernd	
BR	bar rein Sohn offen	
BRA	erschaffen von Gott	
BT	Tochter	
BTVLH betula	Jungfrau	
BG gov	Grube, Höhle	
GYNH gina	Garten	
gan	Garten,	garden
ganah, ginnah	Garten	
zayin	Penis	

Monate / Month

1. Tishri
 2. Heshvan
 3. Kislev
 4. Tevet
 5. Shevet
 6. Adar
 7. Nisan
 8. Iyar
 9. Sivan
 10. Tammuz
 11. Av
 12. Elul
- Alphabet

Letter Name	Trans- literation	Early	Middle	Late	Modern
Aleph	A				
Beyt	B				
Gimel	G				
Dalet	D				
Hey	H				
Vav	W				
Zayin	Z				
Chet	Hh				
Tet	Th				
Yud	Y				
Kaph	K				
Lamed	L				
Mem	M				
Nun	N				
Samech	S				
Ayin	Gh				
Pey	P				
Tsade	Ts				
Quph	Q				
Resh	R				
Shin	Sh				
Tav	T				

								
Tet (T)	Chet (Ch)	Zayin (Z)	Vav (V/O/U)	He (H)	Dalet (D)	Gimel (G)	Bet (B/V)	Alef (Silent)
								
Samech (S)	Nun (N)	Nun (N)	Mem (M)	Mem (M)	Lamed (L)	Khaf (Kh)	Kaf (K/Kh)	Yod (Y)
								
Tav (T/S)	Shin (Sh/S)	Resh (R)	Qof (Q)	Tzade (Tz)	Tzade (Tz)	Fe (F)	Pe (P/F)	Ayin (Silent)

Letter	Meaning	Literal meaning	Sound	Value
ALEF	first, #1, Strength Leader	OX, BULL	vowel	1
BET	household, in, into, family	TENT, HOUSE	b,v	2
GIMEL	to lift up, pride, animal	CAMEL	g	3
DALET	pathway, to enter	DOOR	d	4
HEY	'the', to reveal	BEHOLD	h	5
VAV	'and', to add, to secure	NAIL, PEG	v	6
ZAYIN	cut, to cut off	WEAPON	z	7
CHET	private, to separate	FENCE, INNER ROOM	ch	8
TET	surround	SNAKE, SURROUND	t	9
YOOD	work, a deed, to make	HAND CLOSED	y	10
KAF	to cover, to open, allow	PALM OPEN HAND	k,ch	20
LAMED	control, authority, the tongue	CATTLE GOAD	l	30
MEM	liquid, massive, chaos	WATER	m	40
NOON	activity, life	FISH DARTING THROUGH THE WATER	n	50

SAMECH	support, twist slowly, turn	PROP	s	60
AYIN	to see, know, experience	EYE	'	70
PEY	to speak, a word, to open	MOUTH	p	80
TSADIK	catch, desire, need	FISH HOOK	ts	90
KOOF	behind, the last, the least	BACK OF THE HEAD	q,k,c	100
REYSH	a person, the head, the highest	HEAD OF A MAN	r	200
SHEEN	to consume, to destroy	TEETH	s,sh	300
TAV	to seal, to covenant	SIGN OR MARK	t	400

I thought this might be of interest too.. It gives us a timeline of the events that took place in the Bible. It gives an estimated time limit. For many years I never knew this and being raised in a Christian church I should have been taught more of God and the Bible. Today also I have sat in many churches and so much is sugar coated. We cannot sugar coat the Word of God, the times are changing and we need to move forward and learn ourselves what God is telling us in His Word.

This book is part of a series of books that will help you find information regarding Jesus and His heritage.

DATE * (B.C.)	Old Testament Event
3984	God creates Adam and Eve. Ussher's chronology places their creation at 4004, while other research suggests a date of 4024.
3984 - 3054	Life of Adam (Genesis 5:3-5) who will live 930 years
3854 - 2942	Life of Seth (Genesis 5:6-8)
3749 - 2844	Life of Enos (Genesis 5:9-11)
3659 - 2749	Life of Cainan (Genesis 5:12-14)

3589 - 2694	Life of Mahalaleel (Genesis 5:15-17)
3524 - 2562	Life of Jared (Genesis 5:18-20)
3362 - 2997	Life of Enoch (Genesis 5:21-24)
3297 - 2328	Life of Methuselah (Genesis 5:25-27)
3110 - 2333	Life of Lamech (Genesis 5:28-31)
2928 - 1978	Life of Noah (Genesis 9:29)
2426 - 1826	Life of Shem (Genesis 11:10-11)
2328	Noah was 600 years old when the great flood covered the earth (Genesis 7:6)
1975 - 1800	Life of Abraham (Genesis 25:7)
1876 - 1696	Life of Issac (Genesis 35:28)
1815 - 1668	Life of Jacob (renamed Israel - Genesis 32:24-28)
1724 - 1614	Life of Joseph (Genesis 50:22)
1685	Jacob and his entire household enter the land of Egypt (Genesis 46-47:9)
c. 1660's	The earliest book included in the Bible, the Book of Job, is written
1550 - 1069	Period when Egyptian Empire, also called the New Kingdom of Egypt, is at the height of its power and prosperity
1550 - 1526	Ahmose I reigns as Pharaoh of Egypt (dates disputed)
1526 - 1506	Amenhotep I reigns as Pharaoh of Egypt (dates disputed)
1525 - 1405	Life of Moses (Deuteronomy 34:7)
1506 - 1493	Thutmose I reigns as Egyptian Pharaoh

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- 1493 - 1479 Thutmose II reigns as Egyptian Pharaoh
- 1490 - 1380 Life of Joshua (Joshua 24:29)
- 1479 - 1458 Hatshepsut reigns as Pharaoh of Egypt
- 1479 - 1425 Thutmose III reigns as Pharaoh of Egypt. From 1479 to 1458, he is co-regent with stepmother Hatshepsut
- 1445 Exodus of the children of Israel out of Egyptian bondage
- 1445 - 1405 Children of Israel wander in wilderness 40 years (Deut. 8:2). Moses writes Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers and Deuteronomy
- 1405 Joshua leads the Children of Israel into the Promised Land
- 1398 The Land of Canaan (Promised Land) is divided by lot among the children of Israel (Joshua 14)
- 1398 - 1380 Joshua serves as Israel's Judge
- 1358 - 1350 Children of Israel oppressed by Cushan, King of Mesopotamia (Judges 3:8)
- 1350 - 1310 Othniel serves as Israel's Judge. (Judges 3:9-11)
- 1310 - 1292 Children of Israel oppressed by Eglon, King of Moab (Judges 3:12-14)
- 1292 - 1212 Ehud serves as Israel's Judge. (Judges 3:15-30)
- 1212 - 1192 Children of Israel oppressed by Jabin, King of Canaan (Judges 4:1-4)
- 1192 - 1152 Deborah and Barak serve as Israel's Judges (Judges 4-5)
- 1153 - 1113 Eli serves as one of Israel's Judges (1Samuel 4:18)
- 1152 - 1145 Children of Israel oppressed by Midianites (Judges 6:1)
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- 1145 - 1105 Gideon serves as Israel's Judge (Judges 6:11-40; 7; 8)
- 1105 - 1102 Abimelech serves as Israel's Judge in the North (Judges 9:1-54)
- 1105 - 1065 Children of Israel oppressed by Philistines in the South and West (Judges 13:1, 1Samuel 7:13)
- 1105 - 1087 Children of Israel oppressed by the Ammonites in the East (Judges 10:7-8)
- 1102 - 1079 Tola serves as Israel's Judge in the North (Judges 10:1-2)
- 1087 - 1081 Jephthah serves as Israel's Judge in the East (Judges 11; 12:1-7)
- 1085 - 1065 Samson serves as Israel's Judge in the South and West (Judges 15:20)
- 1085 - 1053 Samuel serves as Israel's Judge (1Samuel 7:6, 15-17)
- 1081 - 1074 Ibzan serves as Israel's Judge in the East (Judges 12:8-10)
- 1079 - 1057 Jair serves as Israel's Judge in the North (Judges 10:3-5)
- 1074 - 1064 Elon serves as Israel's Judge in the East (Judges 12:11-12)
- 1067 - 1050 Samuel the prophet writes the books of Judges and Joshua
- 1064 - 1056 Abdon serves as Israel's Judge in the East (Judges 12:13-14)
- 1060's Book of Ruth written
- 1053 - 1050 Samuel's sons serve as Israel's Judge (1Samuel 8:1-5)
- 1050 - 1010 King Saul, anointed by Samuel, reigns over a united Israel
- 1010 - 970 King David reigns over Israel. He writes Psalms 1-71, 107-119, 135-150.
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1010 - 970	Davidic priests write Psalms 73-88, 90-106.
970 - 930	King Solomon reigns over Israel. He writes Psalm 72, Proverbs 1-24, Ecclesiastes, and Song of Solomon.
966 - 965	Solomon begins building Jerusalem's temple. (1Kings 6:1)
959 - 958	Solomon completes building Jerusalem's temple. (1Kings 6:38)
930	
930 - 723	Period of the nineteen Kings of Israel
930 - 586	Period of the twenty rulers (19 Kings and 1 Queen) over Judah
884 - 612	Period when Assyria is a world empire
809 - 757	Part of the book of 2Kings written
798 to c. 400	The books of the Minor Prophets are written
757 - 696	Books of Isaiah, 1Kings, 1Samuel and 2Samuel written.
753	City of Rome is founded by Romulus
745 - 727	Tiglath-pileser III ("Pul") is King of Assyria. King Menahem of Israel pays him tribute money (2Kings 15:19-20).
727 - 722	Shalmaneser V reigns as King of Assyria.
723	Samaria is conquered by Assyrian King Shalmaneser V. Israel is taken captive to Assyria (2Kings 17:1-6).
715 - 686	Hezekiah writes Psalms 120-134 and has Proverbs 25-29 written for him
705 - 681	Sennacherib reigns as King of Assyria

701	Sennacherib threatens to destroy Jerusalem. God has Angel of the Lord kill 185,000 troops as they prepare to enter city (2Kings 18-19).
626 - 585	Book of Jeremiah, Psalm 89 and a part of 2Kings written
612	Nineveh, capital of the Assyrian Empire, falls to Babylonian King Nabopolassar.
612 - 539	Period when Babylon is a world empire
608 - 586	Book of Lamentations written
605	King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon makes his first attack of Jerusalem. Taken captive are the prophet Daniel and his companions
605 - 530	Book of Daniel written
597	Jerusalem falls to King Nebuchadnezzar. He takes Judah's king as prisoner to Babylon and sets up Zedekiah as a puppet king (2Kings 24-25).
597 - 570	Book of Ezekiel written
586	Nebuchadnezzar attacks Jerusalem a third time. He destroys the city and burns the temple. Judah goes into captivity in Babylon (2Kings 24-25)
586 - 513	Books of Ezra, 1Chronicles and 2Chronicles are written
585 - 572	Book of Esther written
565 - 513	Book of Nehemiah written
559 - 530	Cyrus the Great reigns as King of Persia
555 - 539	Nabonidus reigns as last king of the Babylonian empire

539	King Nabonidus fights, surrenders to King Cyrus of Persia. Cyrus issues decree allowing Jews to go to Jerusalem
539 - 331	Period when Persia is a world empire
521 - 486	Darius I the Great is King of the Persian empire
516	The rebuilding of Jerusalem's temple is completed during the reign of Darius I
500s - 400s	Ezra and priests, Levites known as The Great Assembly complete the canonization of the Old Testament
336 - 323	Alexander the Great, King of Macedon, builds and rules his world empire
331	Persian King Darius III is defeated in battle by Alexander the Great. Persia falls.
175	Antiochus IV Epiphanes becomes ruler of Hellenistic Seleucid Empire. He begins to force Greek culture into Judea.
167	Mattathias, a Jewish priest, starts a revolt against the Seleucids by refusing to worship their Greek gods.
164	Judas Maccabeus, son of Mattathias, leads an army of Jewish dissidents to victory over the Seleucids.
147	Judea gains independence
63	Roman troops occupy Palestine (Judea). Jerusalem falls.
60 - 54	A coalition between Julius Caesar, Pompey and Crassus governs the Roman Republic
44	Julius Caesar is assassinated
37	Herod the Great becomes King of Judea through Rome
27	The Roman Republic ends. Augustus Caesar becomes

Roman Emperor.

20 Herod the Great begins work to rebuild Jerusalem's temple

5 Jesus is born in Bethlehem

c. 4 Herod the Great dies. Herod Antipas, his son, becomes tetrarch.



Pictures of Jerusalem



(A.D.)

EVENT

37 B.C. Period when Herod the Great, who would order males up to 2
to years old killed when Jesus is born, rules as Roman-
c. 4 appointed King of Judea
B.C.

27 B.C. Period when Augustus, the first true Roman emperor, rules
to the empire
14 A.D.

20 B.C. Herod the Great begins rebuilding Jerusalem's temple.

5 B.C. The birth, life, ministry, death, and resurrection of Jesus
to
30
A.D.

c. 4 After Herod the Great's death, his son Herod Antipas
B.C. becomes the new Roman tetrarch of Galilee and Perea
to
39 A.D.

26 - 29 Period of John the Baptist's ministry

Fall Period of Jesus' earthly ministry
26
to
Spring
30

32 Martyrdom of Stephen (Acts 6-7). Philip preaches the gospel
to the Ethiopian eunuch (Acts 8)

33 Saul, on his way to Damascus, is converted and becomes the

apostle Paul (Acts 9)

- 33 - 44 Paul's travels before his Missionary Journeys (Galatians 1, Acts 9-12)
- 35 Matthew completes the first Gospel book
- 38 Peter baptizes Cornelius, the first Gentile (non-Jew) believer to be converted (Acts 10)
- 39 - 44 After Herod Antipas' death, his son, Herod Agrippa I, becomes new ruler of Galilee and Perea
- 44 In the Spring Herod beheads the apostle James (brother of John) and has Peter arrested. Soon afterwards, God strikes him dead (Acts 12)
- 44 - 46 Apostle Paul conducts his FIRST Missionary Journey (Acts 13-14)

- 49 The 'Jerusalem Conference,' which will discuss the role of circumcision in regard to salvation, takes place in the Fall (Acts 15)

- 49 - 52 Apostle Paul conducts his SECOND Missionary Journey (Acts 15-18)

- 53 - 58 Apostle Paul conducts his THIRD Missionary Journey (Acts 18-21)

- 54 - Emperor Nero rules the Roman Empire. The apostles

- 68 Paul and Peter, along with others, become martyrs under his reign
- 60 - The apostle Paul travels on his FOURTH Missionary
63 Journey (Acts 21-28)
- 62 In Jerusalem, religious zealots martyr James around the time of Passover
- 63 - Apostle Paul conducts his FIFTH and final
67 Missionary Journey (Acts 28; Titus 1, 3; Romans 15)
- 65 The rebuilding of Jerusalem's temple, begun by Herod the Great, completes
- 67 The apostle Paul is back in prison in Rome, where he writes his last book (2Timothy)
- 67 - Roman Emperor Nero conducts Rome's first of ten
68 persecutions against Christians
- 68 The Apostle Paul suffers a martyr's death in Rome less than 2 months before Emperor Nero commits suicide
- 70 The Romans destroy Jerusalem and its temple
- 95 The apostle John writes the book of Revelation
- 96 - The Apostle John completes the final arrangement of

99 Bible books

c. John, the last living apostle, dies

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All Dates are Approximate

6 BC	Birth of John the Baptist	Luke 1 , John 1:6
6 BC	Augustus Taxes the Roman Empire	Luke 2
5 BC	Birth of Jesus	Matthew 1 , Mark 1 , Luke 2:6 , John 1:14
5 BC	Visit of the Magi	Matthew 2
5 BC	Escape to Egypt	Matthew 2:13
4 BC	Slaughter of Infants	Matthew 2:16
4 BC	Return to Nazareth	Matthew 2:23
8 AD	The Boy Jesus at the Temple	Luke 2:41
26 AD	John the Baptist Prepares the Way	Matthew 3 , Mark 1:4 , Luke 3 , John 1:15
26 AD	The Baptism of Jesus	Matthew 3:13 , Mark 1:9 , Luke 3:21
27 AD	Temptation of Jesus	Matthew 4 , Mark 1:12 , Luke 4
27 AD	Jesus Calls his First Disciples	Matthew 4:18 , Mark 1:16 , Luke 5
27 AD	Wedding at Cana	John 2
27 AD	Jesus Teaches Nicodemus	John 3
27 AD	Jesus Testifies to the Samaritan Woman	John 4
27 AD	Sermon on the Mount	Matthew 5 - 7
28 AD	Instructions on Prayer	Luke 11
28 AD	Jesus Ministers in Galilee	Matthew 8 , Mark 2

		Luke 4:14
28 AD	The Pool of Bethesda	John 5
28 AD	Jesus Lord of the Sabbath	Matthew 12, Mark 3, Luke 6
28 AD	Jesus Answers John's Disciples	Matthew 11, Luke 7
28 AD	Jesus Speaks Many Parables	Matthew 13, Mark 4, Luke 8
28 AD	Jesus Heals a Demoniac	Matthew 8:28, Mark 5, Luke 8:26
28 AD	Jesus Heals a Paralytic	Matthew 9
29 AD	Jesus Sends out His Twelve Apostles	Matthew 10, Mark 6
29 AD	John the Baptist Beheaded	Matthew 14, Mark 6:14
29 AD	Jesus Feeds the 5,000	Matthew 14:15, Mark 6:30, Luke 9, John 6
29 AD	Teachings on Clean and Unclean	Matthew 15, Mark 7
29 AD	Peter's Confession of Christ	Matthew 16, Mark 8, Luke 9:18
29 AD	The Transfiguration	Matthew 17, Mark 9, Luke 9:28
29 AD	Greatest and Least in the Kingdom	Matthew 18
29 AD	Jesus Sends out the Seventy-two	Luke 10
29 AD	Jesus Teaches at the Feast of Tabernacles	John 7
29 AD	The Woman Caught in Adultery	John 8

29 AD	Jesus Affirms He is the Son of God	John 9
29 AD	The Shepherd and His Flock	John 10
30 AD	Jesus Speaks More Parables	Luke 12 - 16
30 AD	Jesus Cleanses the Ten Lepers	Luke 17
30 AD	Jesus Raises Lazarus	John 11
30 AD	Final Journey to Jerusalem	Matthew 19, 20, Mark 10, Luke 18
30 AD	The Triumphal Entry	Matthew 21, Mark 11, Luke 19, John 12
30 AD	Closing Ministry in Jerusalem	Matthew 22 - 25, Mark 12, 13, Luke 20, 21
30 AD	Thursday Before Passover	Matthew 26, Mark 14, Luke 22, John 13
30 AD	Jesus Comforts His Disciples	John 14
30 AD	Jesus the True Vine	John 15
30 AD	Jesus Promises the Holy Spirit	John 16
30 AD	Jesus' Intercessory prayers	John 17
30 AD	Jesus' Betrayal, Trial, Crucifixion	Matthew 27, Mark 15, Luke 23, John 18, 19
30 AD	Jesus' Resurrection	Matthew 28, Mark 16, Luke 24, John 20, 21
30 AD	The Ascension	Acts 1
30 AD	Matthias Chosen by Lot	Acts 1:12
30 AD	The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost	Acts 2
30 AD	Peter Heals and Preaches	Acts 3

30 AD	Peter and John Arrested and Released;	Acts 4
30 AD	Believers Share All	Acts 4:32
30 AD	Deaths of Ananias and Sapphira	Acts 5
30 AD	Apostles Preach and Heal	Acts 5:11
31 AD	Stephen's Speech, Stoning and Death	Acts 6, 7
31 AD	Saul Persecutes the Church	Acts 8
31 AD	Philip in Samaria	Acts 8:3
31 AD	Simon the Sorcerer	Acts 8:9
31 AD	Philip and the Ethiopian	Acts 8:26
34 AD	Saul's Conversion	Acts 9
37 AD	Peter Preaches to the Gentiles	Acts 10, 11
42 AD	Barnabas Sent to Antioch	Acts 11:22
42 AD	Peter Led from Prison by the Angel	Acts 12
44 AD	Herod Agrippa Dies	Acts 12:20
45 AD	James Writes his Letter	James 1 - 5
48 AD	Paul's First Missionary Journey	Acts 13
48 AD	Paul preaches in Pisidian Antioch	Acts 13:14
48 AD	Paul and Barnabas in Iconium	Acts 14
48 AD	Paul and Barnabas in Lystra and Derbe	Acts 14:8
48 AD	Paul and Barnabas Return to Syrian Antioch	Acts 14:21
48 AD	Return to Syrian Antioch	Acts 14:24
48 AD	The Council at Jerusalem	Acts 15
49 AD	Paul's Second Missionary Journey	Acts 15:36
49 AD	Paul in Philippi	Acts 16
49 AD	Paul in Thessalonica, Berea, Athens	Acts 17
51 AD	Paul in Corinth	Acts 18
51 AD	Paul Writes to the	1 Thess. 1 - 5

	Thessalonians	
52 AD	Paul Writes again to the Thessalonians	2 Thess. 1 - 3
54 AD	Paul in Ephesus	Acts 19
54 AD	Paul Writes to the Corinthians	1 Corinthians 1 - 16
54 AD	Paul Writes to the Galatians	Galatians 1 - 6
57 AD	Paul in Macedonia and Greece	Acts 20
57 AD	Paul Writes to the Romans	Romans 1 - 16
57 AD	Paul Writes again to the Corinthians	2 Corinthians 1 - 13
59 AD	Paul Returns to Jerusalem	Acts 21 - 23
60 AD	Paul imprisoned in Caesarea	Acts 24
62 AD	Paul Before Festus	Acts 25
62 AD	Paul Before Agrippa	Acts 26
62 AD	Paul Sails for Rome	Acts 27
62 AD	The Shipwreck	Acts 27:13
62 AD	Paul Ashore at Malta	Acts 28
62 AD	Paul Preaches at Rome	Acts 28:11
62 AD	Paul Writes to the Ephesians	Ephesians 1 - 6
62 AD	Paul Writes to the Philippians	Philippians 1 - 4
62 AD	Paul Writes to the Colossians	Colossians 1 - 4
62 AD	Paul Writes to Philemon	Philemon 1
63 AD	Paul Writes to Timothy	1 Timothy 1 - 6
64 AD	Peter Writes his First Letter	1 Peter 1 - 5
66 AD	Paul Writes to Titus	Titus 1 - 3
67 AD	Paul Writes Again to Timothy	2 Timothy 1 - 4
67 AD	Peter Writes his Second Letter	2 Peter 1 - 3
68 AD	Letter to the Hebrews	Hebrews 1 - 13
68 AD	Jude Writes his Letter	Jude 1
90 AD	John Writes his First Letter	1 John 1 - 5
92 AD	John Writes his Second Letter	2 John 1
94 AD	John Writes his Third Letter	3 John 1
95 AD	John's Revelation on Patmos	Revelation 1 - 22

Hebrew Bible Names of the Bible Books of the Tanach

Hebrew Book	English	Meaning
Bereishit	Genesis	In the Beginning
Shemot	Exodus	Names
Vayikra	Leviticus	And He Called
Bamidbar	Numbers	In the Wilderness
Devarim	Deuteronomy	Words
Yehoshua	Joshua	God is Salvation
Shoftim	Judges	Judges
Rut	Ruth	Friendship
Shmuel	Sameul	His Name is God
Melachim	Kings	Kings
Divrei HaYamim	Chronicles	Words of the Days
Ezra	Ezra	Help
Nechemya	Nehemiah	Comfort of God
Ester / Hadassah	Esther / Myrtle	Star / Myrtle Tree
Iyov	Job	Hated, Oppressed

Hebrew Book	English	Meaning
Tehillim	Psalms	Praises
Mishlei	Proverbs	Wisdom
Kohelet	Ecclesiastes	Maggid/Preacher, Speaker, Collector of Sentences
Shir HaShirim	Songs of Songs	Song of Songs
Yeshayahu	Isaiah	God is Salvation
Yirmeyahu	Jeremiah	God Will Raise Up
Eicha	Lamentations	Alas!
Yechezkel	Ezekiel	God Will Strengthen
Dani'el	Daniel	God is My Judge
Hoshea	Hosea	Salvation
Yoel	Joel	God is Willing, HaShem is God
'Amos	Amos	To be Burdened, Troubled
'Ovadya	Obadiah	Servant of God
Yonah	Jonah	Dove
Micha	Micah	Who is Like God?
Nachum	Nahum	Comfort

Hebrew Book	English	Meaning
Chavakkuk	Habakkuk	To Wrestle, To Embrace
Tzefanya	Zephaniah	Hidden by God
Chaggai	Haggai	My Feast, Festive
Zecharya	Zechariah	Memory, Remembrance of HaShem
Malachi	Malachi	My Messenger, My Minister, My Servant

Names of Men in Torah Biblical Names for Men

A partial list of names from the Torah.
Hebrew names each have their own specific meaning.

Adam	Earth	Name of the Bereishit 2:7 first man
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Achiezer	My brother is my helper	Prince of the Bamidbar Tribe of Dan 1:12
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Achiman	My brother is a gift	Son of Anak, a giant Bamidbar 13:22
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Achira	My brother is	Leader of the Tribe of Bamidbar
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	evil	Naftali	1:15
Achiram	My brother is noble	Son of Binyamin	Bamidbar 26:38
Achisamach	My brother is my support	Father of Oholiav, a craftsman of the Temple	Shemot 31:6
Achran	Disturbed; troubled	Member of the Tribe of Asher	Bamidbar 1:13
Adbe'el	God has established	Grandson of Avraham, son of Yishmael	Bereishit 25:13
Aharon	Mountain; shining; lights the way	Moshe's brother	Shemot 4:14
Alvah	Sin; transgression	Leader of a family of Esav	Bereishit 36:40
Alvan		Edomi name	Bereishit 36:23
Amishadai	My people belong to God	Member of the Tribe of	Bamidbar 1:12

		Dan	
Amram	Might nation	Father of Moshe	Shemot 6:18
Anah	To sing; to chant	Father of a wife of Esav	Bereishit 36:2
Aner	Meaning uncertain	Ally of Avraham	Bereishit 14:13
Aram	High; heights	Grandson of Noach	Bereishit 10:22
Aran	Sarcophagus; chest	Son of Seir the Chori	Bereishit 36:28
Ard	Bronze; wild ox	Son of Binyamin	Bereishit 46:21
Arnon	Roaring scream	Stream flowing from Moav into Dead Sea	Bamidbar 21:13
Arodi	Bronze	Son of Gad, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:16
Arioch	Measurement	King of Elasar	Bereishit 14:1
Ashbel	The fire of Bel	Son of	Bereishit

		Binyamin	46:21
Asher	Blessed; fortunate	Son of Yaakov & Zilpah	Bereishit 30:13
Ashkenaz	Meaning uncertain	Son of Gomer, great- grandson of Noach	Bereishit 10:3
Assir	Imprisoned; bound	Son of Korach	Shemot 6:24
Asriel	Prince of God	Son of Gilad, grandson of Menashshe	Bamidbar 26:31
Aviasaf	My father gathered; Father of multitude	Son of Korach	Shemot 6:24
Avida	My father knows	Grandson of Avraham & Keturah	Bereishit 25:4
Avidan	My father judges	A leader of the Tribe of Binyamin	Bamidbar 1:11

Avihu	He is my father	Second son of Aharon	Shemot 6:23
Avimael	God is my father	Descendant of Shem, who was Noach's son	Bereishit 10:28
Avimelech	My father, the king	King of Pelishiti	Bereishit 20:2
Aviram	My father is mighty	Conspirator against Moshe	Bamidbar 16:1
Avraham	Father of many nations	First Patriarch of the Jewish People	Bereishit 17:5
Avram	My father is noble	Avraham's original name	Bereishit 11:26
Avrech	Kneel down	A salutation for Yosef	Bereishit 41:43
Ayah	To fly swiftly	Descendant of Esav	Bereishit 36:24
Bela	Swallow or engulf	Son of Benyamin	Bereishit 46:21

Be'eri	My well	Father of Yehudit (one of Esav's wives)	Bereishit 26:34
Ben-Ami	Son of my people	Son of one of Lot's daughters	Bereishit 19:38
Betuel	House of God	Father of Rivkah, nephew of Avraham	Bereishit 22:22
Betzalel	Shadow of God	Builder of the Mishkan	Shemot 31:2
Binyamin	Son of my right hand	Youngest of Yaakov's 12 sons	Bereishit 35:18
Bukki	Tested; investigated	Leader of the Tribe of Dan	Bamidbar 34:22
Buz	Contempt	Son of Nachor	Bereishit 22:21
Datan	Meaning uncertain	Member of the Tribe of Reuven, one of the	Bamidbar 16:1

		conspirators against Moshe	
Deuel	Knowledge of God	Member of the Tribe of Gad	Bamidbar 1:14
Diklah	Palm tree	Descendant of Noach	Bereishit 10:27
Divri	Orator	Father of a daughter of Yisrael who married an Egyptian	Vayikra 24:11
Dumah	Silence	Son of Yishmael	Bereishit 25:14
Ever	Other side	Descendant of Shem, grandson of Noach	Bereishit 10:21
Edom	Red	Name applied to Esav and his descendants	Bereishit 25:30
Efer	Mountain goat;	Son of	Bereishit 25:4

	deer	Midyan, grandson of Avraham	
Efod	Vest	Father of a leader of the Tribe of Menashshe	Bamidbar 34:23
Efrayim	Fruitful	Second son of Yosef, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 41:52
Efron	Bird	Chitti who sold burial plot to Avraham	Bereishit 23:8
Eilam	Eternal	Eldest of Shem's five sons	Bereishit 10:22
Einan	Yes	Father of a leader of the Tribe of Naftali	Bamidbar 1:15
Elon	Oak tree	Son of Zevulun, grandson of	Bereishit46:14

Yaakov			
Elda'ah	God knows	Descendant of Avraham and Keturah	Bereishit 25:4
Eldad	Beloved of God	Man of Yisrael who prophesied in the desert	Bamidbar 11:26
Elazar	My God is my help	Son of Aharon the Kohen Gadol	Shemot 6:23
Eliav	My God is my father	A leader of the Tribe of Zevulun	Bamidbar 1:9
Elidad	My God is my friend	A leader of the Tribe of Binyamin	Bamidbar 34:21
Eliezer	My God is my help	Avraham's servant; also the name of Moshe's son	Bereishit 15:2; Shemot 18:4
Elishama	My God hears	A prince of the Tribe of Efrayim	Bamidbar 1:10

Elitzur	My God is a rock	A prince of the Tribe of Reuven	Bamidbar 1:5
Eltzafan	God has hidden	Cousin of Moshe & Aharon	Shemot 6:22
Elyassaf	God will increase	A leader of the Tribe of Gad	Bamidbar 1:14
Er	Guardian; awake	Son of Yehudah	Bereishit 38:3
Eri	My guardian	Son of Gad	Bereishit 46:16
Esav	Hairy	Son of Yitzchak & Rivkah	Bereishit 25:25
Eshban	Galley	Descendant of Seir the Chori	Bereishit 36:26
Eshkol	Cluster of grapes	A man who made a covenant with Avraham	Bereishit 13:24

Evi	Desire	One of the five kings of Midyan	Bamidbar 31:8
Gacham	To kindle;burn; flame	Avraham's nephew	Bereishit 22:24
Gad	Happy; fortunate	One of Yaakov's sons from Zilpah	Bereishit 30:11
Gadiel	God is my blessing	Of the Tribe of Zevulun, one of the spies	Bamidbar 13:10
Gamliel	God is my reward	A leader of the Tribe of Menashshe	Bamidbar 1:10
Gemali	My reward	Member of the Tribe of Dan	Bamidbar 13:12
Gera	Combat; dispute	One of the sons of Binyamin	Bereishit 46:21
Gershom	Stranger	Son of Moshe	Shemot 2:22

Gershon	Stranger	Son of Levi	Bereishit 46:11
Geuel	Redeemed by God	Member of the Tribe of Gad; one of the spies	Bamidbar 13:15
Gomer	To end	Son of Yefet	Bereishit 10:2
Guni	Tinge of color	Son of Naftali	Bereishit 46:24
Hevel	Breath; vapor; emptiness	Son of Adam & Chavah, Brother of Kayin	Bereishit 4:3
Hoshea	Salvation	Original name of Yehoshua	Bamidbar 13:8
'Irad	To escape	Granson of Kayin	Bereishit 4:18
'Iram	To escape	A prince in Esav's family	Bereishit 36:43
Itamar	Islands of palms	Aharon's youngest	Shemot 6:23

		son	
Kayin	To acquire	Son of Adam & Chavah, and brother of Hevel	Bereishit 4:1
Kalev	Dog; heart	One of the twelve spies	Bamidbar 13:6
Karmi	My vineyard	Son of Reuven, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:9
Kedar	Black; dark	Son of Yishmael	Bereishit 25:13
Kedem	Eastward	Son of Yishmael	Bereshit 25:15
Kehat	Faint; weak	Son of Levi, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:11
Kemuel	To stand up for God	Son of Nachor, Avraham's brother	Bereishit 22:21
Kenan	Acquire;	Great-grandson of	Bereishit 5:9

	possess	Adam, son of Enosh	
Kenaz	Reed	Granson of Esav, the son of Elifaz	Bereishit 36:11
Korach	Bald	A Levi who led rebellion against Moshe and Aharon	Bamidbar 16:1
Chadad	Sharp	6th son of Yishmael, grandson of Avraham	Bereishit 25:15
Chagai	Festive	Son of Gad, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:16
Cham	Warm; dark	Noach's second son	Bereishit 5:32
Chamul	Spared; saved	Son of Peretz, grandson of Yehudah	Bereishit 46:12
Chanoch	Dedicated	Son of Kayin; also	Bereishit 4:17

		father of Metuselach	
Charan	Mountain air	Brother of Avraham	Bereishit 11:26
Chavilah	Soft, damp sand; mud	Grandson of Noach	Bereishit 10:7
Chazo	Breast of animal	Son of Nachor, the nephew of Avraham	Bereishit 22:22
Chefer	To dig	Father of Tzelofchad	Bamidbar 26:33
Chelon	Fortress	Member of the Tribe of Zevulun	Bamidbar 1:9
Chemdan	Precious; desirable	Descendant of Seir the Chori	Bereishit 36:26
Chori	To dig; make a hole	Father of a leader of the Tribe of Shimon	Bamidbar 13:5
Chuppim	Enclosure	Son of Binyamin, grandson of	Shemot 46:21

Yaakov			
Lael	Belonging to God	A Levi, father of a leader of the Gershon family	Bamidbar 3:24
Lavan	White	Father of Leah & Rachel, brother of Rivkah	Bereishit 24:29
Lemech	Meaning uncertain	Descendant of Kayin	Bereishit 4:18
Levi	One who accompanies; attends	Son of Yaakov & Leah	Bereishit 29:34
Livni	White	A Levi, son of Gershom	Shemot 6:17
Lot	Myrrh; a precious resin	Nephew of Avraham	Bereishit 11:27
Lotan	To envelop	Son of Seir the Chori	Bereishit 36:20
Lud	Meaning uncertain	Grandson of Noach	Bereishit 10:22

Maachah	To press	Nephew of Avraham, son of Nachor	Bereishit 22:24
Machi	To diminish	Member of the Tribe of Gad, father of one of the 12 spies	Bamidbar 13:15
Machir	Merchandise	Son of Menashshe, grandson of Yosef	Bereishit 50:23
Machili	My affliction	Grandson of Levi, the eldest son of Merari	Shemot 6:19
Madai	Strife; war	Grandson of Noach, son of Yefet	Bereishit 10:2
Magdiel	Goodness; excellence of Hashem	Descendant of Esav	Bereishit 36:43
Mahalalel	Praise to God	Son of Kenan, grandson of	Bereishit 5:12

		Enosh	
Malkiel	God is my king	Grandson of Asher	Bereishit 14:18
Malki-tzedek	My king is righteousness	King of Salem	Bereishit 14:18
Medad	Friend	A leader and prophet in the time of Moshe	Bamidbar 11:26
Medan	Strife;contention;war	Son of Avraham & Keturah	Bereishit 25:2
Mehuyael	Man who asks	Descendant of Kayin	Bereishit 4:18
Mei Zahav	Golden water	An Edomi	Bereishit 36:39
Menashshe	Causing to forget	Eldest son of Yosef, brother of Efrayim	Bereishit 41:51
Merari	Bitter	Son of Levi, grandson of Yaakov	Shemot 6:19

Metuselach	Messenger	The longest living man (969 years)	Bereishit 5:12
Metushael	Man who was asked	descendant of Kayin	Bereishit 4:18
Michael	Who is like God?	Member of the Tribe of Asher	Bamidbar 13:13
Midyan	Strife; war; contention	Son of Avraham & Keturah	Bereishit 25:2
Mishael	Borrowed	A cousin of Moshe & Aharon	Shemot 6:22
Mishma	Hear; news	Son of Yishmael, grandson of Avraham	Bereishit 25:14
Mitzvar	Secure place	Descendant of Esav	Bereishit 36:42
Mizza	To empty	Grandson of Esav	Bereishit 36:17
Moshe	Drawn out (of the water)	Leader of the	Shemot 2:10

Yisraelim			
Mushi	Touch; remove	Grandson of Levi, the younger son of Merari	Shemot 6:19
Nachbi	To hide; to withdraw	One of the 12 spies	Bamidbar 13:14
Nachor	Nostril	Brother of Avraham, son of Terach	Bereishit 11:26
Nachshon	Diviner	Brother-in-law of Aharon, became prince of Yehudah	Shemot 6:23
Nadav	Generous; noble	Eldest son of Aharon	Shemot 6:23
Nafish	To refresh oneself	Son of Yishmael, grandson of Avraham	Bereishit 25:15
Naftali	To wrestle; to compare	Second son of Yaakov &	Bereishit 30:8

Bilhah			
Nefeg	Casualty; wounded	A Levi, the son of Yitzhar	Shemot 6:21
Nemuel	Ant, therefore, industrious	Member of the Tribe of Reuven	Bamidbar 26:9
Nevayot	Behold; see	Elder son of Yishmael	Bereishit 25:13
Nimrod	Rebel	Son of Kush, grandson of Cham	Bereishit 10:8
Noach	Rest	Main character in the story of the flood	Bereishit 5:29
Nun	Offspring; to grow	Father of Yehoshua (successor to Moshe)	Shemot 33:11
Ofir	Gold	Son of Yoktan	Bereishit 10:29
Ohad	Beloved	The 3rd son of Shimon,	Bereishit

		grandson of Yaakov	46:10
Oholiav	Father (God) is my tent	Assistant of Betzalel	Shemot 31:6
Omar	To praise; to revere	Descendant of Esav	Bereishit 36:11
On	Strength; wealth	Leader of the rebellious Korach group	Bamidbar 16:1
Onam	Strength; wealth	Descendant of Esav	Bereishit 36:23
Ozni	My ear; my hearing	Son of Gad, grandson of Yaakov	Bamidbar 26:16
Pagiel	To pray; to entreat God	A leader of the Tribe of Asher	Bamidbar 1:13
Palu	Miracle	Reuven's second son, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:9
Pedael	God has	A leader of the Tribe of	BAmidbar

	redeemed	Naftali	34:28
Pelet	Escape; deliverance	Son of Reuven, grandson of Yaakov	Bamidbar 16:1
Peretz	Burst forth	Son of Yehudah & Tamar	Bereishit 38:29
Pinchas	Mouth of a snake	Grandson of Aharon, later a Kohen Gadol	Shemot 6:25
Potifar	Servant of the (sun) god	Perfect in Pharaoh's court	Bereishit 39:1
Potifera	Servant of the (sun) god	Yosef's father-in- law, Priest of on	Bereishit 46:20
Putiel	Servant of God	Father-in- law of Eleazar	Shemot 6:25
Raamah	Man (of an animal); crest	Great- grandson fo	Bereishit 10:7

		Noach, son of Kush	
Rafu	To heal	Member of the Tribe of Binyamin	Bamidbar 13:9
Reu	Friend; companion	Son of Peleg	Bereishit 11:18
Reuel	Friend of God	Another name for Yitro, father-in-law of Moshe	Shemot 2:18
Rifat	Meaning uncertain (maybe grain; fruit)	Grandson of Yefet	Bereishit 10:3
Rosh	Chief; bitter	Son of Binyamin, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:21
Salu	Basket	The father of Zimri, a leader of the Tribe of Shimon	Bamidbar 25:14

Samlah	Garment; left-handed	King of Edom	Bereishit 36:36
Savtah	Old; grandfather	Son of Kush	Bereishit 10:7
Sered	Frightened; fearful	Son of Zevulun, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:14
Serug	Twig; intertwine	Descendant of Shem	Bereishit 11:20
Seva	Imbibers of wine	The eldest son of Kush	Bereishit 10:7
Shechem	Shoulder	Son of Chamor, who kidnapped Dinah, the daughter of Yaakov	Bereishit 34:2
Shedeur	Flame	Member of the Tribe of Reuven	Bamidbar 1:5
Shelah	Peaceful	Youngest son of Yehudah	Bereishit 38:5

Shelach	Missile; weapon; sprout	Father of Ever	Bereishit 10:24
Shelef	To draw (a sword); to plunder	Son of Yoktan	Bereishit 10:26
Shelumiel	God is my reward	Leader of the Tribe of Shimon	Bamidbar 1:6
Shem	Name; connoting reputation	Eldest of Noach's three sons	Bereishit 5:32
Sheshai	Ivory	Descendant of Anak, the giant	Bamidbar 13:22
Shet	Appointed	Son of Adam born after the death of Hevel	Bereishit 5:3
Shifan	Judge	Leader of the Tribe of Efrayim	Bamidbar 34:24
Shilem	Peace; reward	Son of Naftali, grandson of	Bereishit 46:24

		Yaakov	
Shimon	To hear	Second son of Yaakov & Leah	Bereishit 29:33
Shimron	Guard	Son of Yissachar	Bereishit 46:14
Shlomi	My peace	Father of the Bamidbar leader of the Tribe of Asher	34:27
Shoval	Barren	Descendant of Seir the Chori	Bereishit 36:2
Shua	Salvation; victory	Father-in-law of Yehudah	Bereishit 38:2
Shuach	To walk	Son of Avraham & Keturah	Bereishit 25:2
Shuni	Harbor; seashore	Son of Gad, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:16
Sitri	My secret; my hidden place	A Levi of the Kehat family	Bereishit 6:22

Sodi	My secret	Father of Gadiel, spy from the tribe of Zevulun	Bamidbar 13:10
Susi	My horse	Father of the spy from the Tribe of Menashshe	Bamidbar 13:11
Tachash	Wild one-horned beast	Son of Nachor, nephew of Avraham	Bereishit 22:24
Terach	Wild goat	Father of Avraham, a descendent of Shem	Bereishit 11:24
Tevach	Slaughter	Son of Nachor	Bereishit 22:24
Tola	Worm; scarlet material	Son of Yissachar, one of Yisrael's judges	Bereishit 46:13
Tzelofchad	Protection from	Member of the Tribe of	Bamidbar

	fear	Menashshe	26:33
Tzifion	Watchtower	Son of Gad, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:16
Tzipor	Bird	Father of Balak	Bamidbar 22:2
Tzochar	Tan; reddish- grey	Son of Shimon, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:10
Tzuar	Small	Leader of the Tribe of Yissachar	Bamidbar 1:8
Tzuriel	God is my rock	Father of a leader of the Merari family	Bamidbar 3:35
Tzuri- shaddai	God is my rock	Father of a leader of the Tribe of Shimon	Bamidbar 1:6
Uri	My flame	Member of the Tribe of Yehudah	Shemot 31:2

Uz	Advice; wisdom; to make haste	Grandson of Shem	Bereishit 10:23
Uzal	To leave; to be exhausted	Descendant of Shem	Bereishit 10:27
Uziel	God is my strength	son of Kehat, grandson of Levi	Shemot 6:18
Vofsi	Meaning uncertain	Member of the Tribe of Naftali	Bamidbar 13:14
Yaakov	Held by the heel	The third Patriarch	Bereishit 25:26
Yachin	(God) will establish	Son of Shimon, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:10
Yachleel	Waiting for God; faith in God	Member of the Tribe of Zevulun	Bereishit 46:14
Yair	To light up; enlighten	Son of Menashshe, grandson of Yosef	Devarim 3:14

Yamin	Right hand	Son of Shimon, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:10
Yaval	Stream	Son of Lemech and his wife Adah	Bereishit 4:20
Yefet	Beautiful	Youngest of Noach's three sons	Bereishit 5:32
Yefuneh	(God) will face	Father of Kalev	Bamidbar 13:6
Yehoshua	God is salvation	Moshe's disciple and the leader after Moshe's death	Shemot 16:9
Yehudah	God will be praised	Son of Yaakov & Leah, one of the Tribes	Bereishit 29:35
Yemuel	Day of Hashem	Son of Shimon, grandson of	Bereishit 46:10

Yaakov			
Yerach	Moon; month	Son of Yoktan, descendant of Shem	Bereishit 10:26
Yered	Descend	Father of Chanoch	Bereishit 5:15
Yetur	Row	Son of Yishmael	Bereishit 25:15
Yetzer	Desire; inclination	Son of Naftali, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:24
Yigal	He will redeem	One of the 12 spies	Bamidbar 13:7
Yimnah	Good fortune; right side	Son of Asher, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:17
Yishbak	To let go	Son of Avraham & Keturah	Bereishit 25:2
Yishmael	God will hear	Son of Avraham and the	Bereishit 16:11

		brother of Yitzchak	
Yishvah	Smooth; agreeable	Son of Asher, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:17
Yisrael	Wrestled with God	The name given to Yaakov	Bereishit 32:28
Yissachar	There is a reward	Son of Yaakov and Leah, one of the Tribes	Bereishit 30:18
Yitro	Abundance; riches; excellence	Moshe's father-in-law	Shemot 3:1
Yitzchak	He will laugh	Second of the three Patriarchs	Bereishit 17:19
Yitzhar	Fresh oil; he will shine	Son of Korach, grandson of Levi	Shemot 6:21
Yoktan	Small	Descendant of Shem	Bereishit 10:25

Yosef	God will add; increase	One of Yaakov's 12 sons	Bereishit 30:24
Yov	He will return	Son of Yissachar, grandson of Yaakov	Bereishit 46:13
Yovav	To lament; to cry	Son of Yoktan	Bereishit 10:29
Yuval	Stream	Son of Lemech	Bereishit 4:21
Zakkur	Remembrance	Father of one of the spies	Bamidbar 13:4
Zerach	Light; shine	Son of Yehudah & Tamar	Bereishit 38:30
Zevulun	To honor; lofty house	6th son of Yaakov & Leah	Bereishit 30:20
Zichri	My memory; my remembrance	Grandson of Levi	Shemot 6:21
Zimran	Mountain-sheep; goat	Son of Avaraham &	Bereishit 25:2

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