

וְיָקוֹמוּ רָאשֵׁי הָאֲבוֹת לַיהוּדָה וּבְנֵימֹן וְהַכֹּהֲנִים וְהַלְוִיִּם לְכָל הָעִיר הָאֵלֶּהֶם
אלהים

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Meanings:

* God * god * goddess * divine ones * angels

Noun, masculine אֱלֹהִים plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big

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The Hebrew אֱלֹהִים word does not have a corresponding word in English. In Hebrew, it is a marker of the accusative, i.e. the word following it is the object of the sentence. It only ever occurs in conjunction with nouns associated with the definite article הַ. Genesis 1:1 רִחוּ plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big

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Meaning:

* Wind * Breath * Spirit

Noun. Occurs about 380 times in the Old Testament.

Though usually feminine, רוּחַ sometimes takes masculine verbs and adjectives, especially when referring to the Spirit of God (רוּחַ יְהוָה). Exodus 10:13 Genesis 6:17 Genesis 41:8 Proverbs

16:32 Ecclesiastes 12:7 Genesis 1:2 Judges 3:10 Ezekiel 36:27 Genesis 2:7 John 3:8 Genesis 1:2 Genesis 8:1 אֵת לְבָנוֹת plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big

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Meaning

* Yahweh - God's personal name

It is not a generic term for “god”, but rather the word יְהוָה (YHWH) is the name by which God uniquely identifies himself in the Old Testament.

First appearing in Genesis 2:4, it occurs over 6,000 times in the Old Testament. Exodus 3:14 Deuteronomy 6:4 Psalm 23:1 Romans 10:13 Joel 2:32 Exodus 20:7 Psalm 18:1 Exodus 15:3 Psalm

8:1Genesis 2:41 Samuel 1:3Judges 6:24Genesis 22:14Jeremiah 23:6 [אֶזְרָא בִּירוּשָׁלַם](#)

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