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### Scripture References

2 Timothy 3:16

All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

Matthew 5

18 For verily I say unto you, Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled.

John 5

39 Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me.

Matthew 24

35 Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away.

Mark 13

31 Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away.

Luke 21

33 Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away.

Matthew 28:20

Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

1 Corinthians 14:37

If any man think himself to be a prophet, or spiritual, let him acknowledge that the things that I write unto you are the commandments of the Lord.

2 Peter 3

15 And account that the longsuffering of our Lord is salvation; even as our beloved brother Paul also according to the wisdom given unto him hath written unto you;

16 As also in all his epistles, speaking in them of these things; in which are some things hard to be understood, which they that are unlearned and unstable wrest, as they do also the other scriptures, unto their own destruction.

Luke 4

16 And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up: and, as his custom was, he went into the synagogue on

the sabbath day, and stood up for to read.

17 And there was delivered unto him the book of the prophet Esaias. And when he had opened the book, he found the place where it was written,

18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised,

19 To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

20 And he closed the book, and he gave it again to the minister, and sat down. And the eyes of all them that were in the synagogue were fastened on him.

21 And he began to say unto them, This day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears.

1 Peter 1:25

But the word of the Lord endureth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.

## Lesson 17: 500 Hebrews Words

## 500 Commonly-Used Basic Hebrew Words in the Old Testament

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## 500 Basic Hebrew Words

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(This list contains the 500 most frequent and most important words of the Old Testament / Hebrew Bible and is intended to help you keeping up your Hebrew. The transcription follows the rules of ZAW).

|           |                      |                                |
|-----------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| אָב       | 'āb                  | father                         |
| אָבֵד     | 'bd                  | Q. perish; Pi., Hi. ruin       |
| אָבָה     | 'bh                  | be willing                     |
| אָבֶן     | 'æbæn                | stone                          |
| אָדוֹן    | 'ādōn                | master, lord                   |
| אֲדֹנָי   | ' <sup>a</sup> dōnāy | lord                           |
| אָדָם     | 'ādām                | man, mankind, people           |
| אֲדָמָה   | ' <sup>a</sup> dāmā  | (arable) soil                  |
| אָהֵב     | 'hb                  | like, love                     |
| אֹהֶל     | 'ohæl                | tent                           |
| אוֹ       | 'ō                   | or                             |
| אוֹר      | 'ōr                  | shine, light up                |
| אֹרֶךְ    | 'ōr                  | light                          |
| אוֹת      | 'ōt                  | sign                           |
| אָז       | 'āz                  | then                           |
| אָזֶן     | 'ozæn                | ear                            |
| אָח       | 'āḥ                  | brother                        |
| אָחָד     | 'æḥād                | one                            |
| אָחוֹת    | 'aḥôt                | sister                         |
| אֲחֵר     | 'aḥēr                | another, different             |
| אֲחֵרִית  | 'aḥar                | later on, afterwards           |
| אַחֲרַי   | 'aḥ <sup>a</sup> rê  | after                          |
| אַחֲרַיִת | 'aḥ <sup>a</sup> rît | end, behind, issue, the future |
| אֹיֵב     | 'oyēb                | enemy                          |

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| אֵיל                  | 'ayil                            | ram                                   |
| אֵין/אֵינן            | 'ayin / 'ēn                      | is not, non existence, nothing        |
| אִישׁ                 | 'îs                              | man                                   |
| אֶךָ                  | 'ak                              | only                                  |
| אָכַל                 | 'kl                              | eat                                   |
| אֶל                   | 'æl                              | towards                               |
| אֵל                   | 'al                              | not                                   |
| אֵל                   | 'ēl                              | god                                   |
| אֵלֶּה                | 'ellæ                            | these                                 |
| אֱלֹהִים              | ' <sup>æ</sup> lō <sup>a</sup> h | god                                   |
| אֱלֹהִים              | ' <sup>æ</sup> lōhîm             | god, gods                             |
| אֶלֶף                 | 'ælæf                            | thousand                              |
| אִם                   | 'im                              | if                                    |
| אִם                   | 'ēm                              | mother                                |
| אָמָה                 | 'āmā                             | (maid), servant                       |
| אָמָה                 | 'ammā                            | forearm, cubit                        |
| אֱמוּנָה              | ' <sup>æ</sup> mûnā              | faithfulness, trustworthiness         |
| אָמַר                 | 'mr                              | say                                   |
| אֱמֶת                 | ' <sup>æ</sup> mæt               | faithfulness                          |
| אֲנִי                 | ' <sup>a</sup> nî                | I                                     |
| אֲנֹכִי               | 'anokî                           | I                                     |
| אָסַף                 | 'sf                              | gather (food), collect                |
| אֵף                   | 'af                              | also, even                            |
| אֵף                   | 'af                              | nose, anger                           |
| אַרְבַּע / אַרְבַּעַת | 'arba' / 'arbā'ā                 | four                                  |
| אַרְבַּעִים           | 'arbā'îm                         | forty                                 |
| אָרוֹן                | ' <sup>a</sup> rôn               | chest, ark of the covenant            |
| אֶרֶץ                 | 'æraʃ                            | ground, country, territory, the earth |
| אָרַר                 | 'rr                              | curse                                 |
| אֵשׁ                  | 'ēš                              | fire                                  |
| אִשָּׁה               | 'iššā                            | woman                                 |

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| אֲשֶׁר          | 'ašær                   | relative clause                                  |
| אֶת             | 'et                     | together with, along with                        |
| אֶת             | 'et                     | accusative particle                              |
| אַתָּה          | 'attā                   | you (sg.)  |
| אַתֶּם          | 'attæm                  | you (pl.)  |
|                 |                         |  |
| בְּ             | b <sup>e</sup>          | in, at, because of, by way of                    |
| בְּגָד          | bægæd                   | garment, covering                                |
| לְבַד/בְּדָ     | bad/l <sup>e</sup> bad  | part/apart, alone, only                          |
| בְּהֵמָה        | b <sup>e</sup> hēmā     | cattle, animals                                  |
| בוא             | bô'                     | Q. enter, come to<br>Hi bring (conduct, lead) in |
| בּוֹר           | bôr                     | cistern, water pit                               |
| בחר             | bħr                     | choose, elect                                    |
| בטח             | bṭħ                     | be reliant, trust                                |
| בין             | byn                     | Q., Hi. to understand                            |
| בֵּין           | ben                     | between  |
| בַּיִת          | bayit                   | house  |
| בכה             | bkh                     | weep   |
| בְּכֹר          | b <sup>e</sup> kor      | first-born                                       |
| בְּלִי/בְּלֹתִי | b <sup>e</sup> lî/biltî | without  |
| בְּמָה          | bāmā                    | hill, high-place, place of<br>worship            |
| בֵּן            | ben                     | son  |
| בנה             | bnh                     | build  |
| בְּעַד          | ba'ad                   | for, for the benefit of                          |
| בְּקָר          | bāqār                   | cattle   |
| בֹּקֶר          | boqær                   | morning  |
| בקש             | bqš                     | seek   |
| ברא             | br'                     | create (god exclusively)                         |
| בְּרִית         | b <sup>e</sup> rît      | covenant, arrangement                            |
| ברך             | brk                     | Pi. bless  |



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| בְּרָכָה        | b <sup>e</sup> rākā | blessing                 |
| בָּשָׂר         | bāsār               | flesh                    |
| בַּת            | bat                 | daughter                 |
|                 |                     |                          |
| גָּאֵל          | g'l                 | redeem                   |
| גְּבוּהָ        | gbh                 | be high/tall, be exalted |
| גְּבוּל         | g <sup>e</sup> bûl  | boundary, territory      |
| גִּבּוֹר        | gibbôr              | hero, fighter            |
| גָּדוֹל         | gādôl               | great                    |
| גָּדַל          | gdl                 | be, become great/strong  |
| גּוֹי           | gôy                 | people, nation           |
| גַּיַּא/גַּיַּא | gaj'/gē             | valley                   |
| גַּם            | gam                 | also                     |
| גֵּר            | gēr                 | sojourner                |
| גָּרַשׁ         | grš                 | drive out                |
|                 |                     |                          |
| דָּבַק          | dbq                 | cling, cleave to         |
| דָּבַר          | dbr                 | speak                    |
| דָּבָר          | dābār               | word, matter, affair     |
| דְּבַשׁ         | d <sup>e</sup> baš  | honey                    |
| דּוֹר           | dôr                 | generation               |
| דָּם            | dām                 | blood                    |
| דַּרְעַךְ       | dæræk               | way, road                |
| דָּרַשׁ         | drš                 | seek, inquire of         |
|                 |                     |                          |
| הַ              | h-                  | the (definite article)   |
| הֲ              | h <sup>a</sup> -    | interrogative particle   |
| הוּא            | hû'                 | he                       |
| הִיא            | hî'                 | she                      |
| הִיא            | hyh                 | occur, happen            |
| הַיְכָל         | hêkāl               | palace, temple           |
| הֵלֵךְ          | hlk                 | go                       |

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| הלל        | hll            | Pi. praise                                      |
| הֵמָּה/הֵם | hem(mā)        | they  |
| הֵן/הִנֵּה | hen/hinne      | behold!   |
| הַר        | har            | mountain(s)                                     |
| הרג        | hrg            | kill  |
| הרה        | hrh            | be, become pregnant                             |
|            |                |   |
| וְ         | w <sup>e</sup> | and   |
|            |                |   |
| זֹאת       | zōt            | this (sg. f.)                                   |
| זבח        | zbḥ            | to sacrifice, slaughter                         |
| זִבְחָהּ   | zəbaḥ          | (communion) sacrifice                           |
| זֶה        | zæ             | this (sg. m.)                                   |
| זָהָב      | zāhāb          | gold  |
| זכר        | zkr            | remember, call to mind                          |
| זנה        | znh            | be unfaithful, commit<br>fornication            |
| זעק/צעק    | zʿq/sʿq        | cry out, call for help                          |
| זָקֵן      | zqn/zāqēn      | be old, grow old                                |
| זֶרַע      | zæraʿ          | seed, descendant(s)                             |
|            |                |   |
| חָג/חַג    | ḥāg/ḥag        | feast   |
| חָדָשׁ     | ḥādāš          | new   |
| חֹדֶשׁ     | ḥodæš          | (new) moon, month                               |
| חוה        | ḥwh (cf. ḥyh)  | Hišt. honor, adore                              |
| חוֹמָה     | ḥômā           | wall  |
| חוץ        | ḥûṣ            | outside, street                                 |
| חזה        | ḥzh            | see, behold                                     |
| חזק        | ḥzq            | Q. grow strong, firm<br>Hi. seize, take hold of |
| חֲזָק      | ḥāzāq          | firm, strong                                    |
| חטא        | ḥtʿ            | miss, offend, commit a sin                      |

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| חַטָּאת/חַטָּאת   | ḥeṭ/ḥaṭṭāt                  | offence, sin                   |
| חַי               | ḥay                         | alive, living                  |
| חַיה              | ḥyh                         | be alive                       |
| חַיִּים           | ḥayyim                      | life                           |
| חַיִל             | ḥayil                       | faculty, power                 |
| חָכַם             | ḥkm                         | be wise                        |
| חָכָם             | ḥākām                       | wise                           |
| חֹכְמָה           | ḥōkmā                       | wisdom                         |
| חֲלוֹם            | ḥ <sup>a</sup> lôm          | dream                          |
| חָלַם             | ḥlm                         | to dream                       |
| חֲמָה             | ḥēmā                        | rage, wrath                    |
| חַמֵּשׁ/חַמֵּשָׁה | ḥāmēš/ ḥ <sup>a</sup> mišša | five                           |
| חַמִּשִּׁים       | ḥ <sup>a</sup> miššim       | fifty                          |
| חֵן               | ḥēn                         | favour, grace                  |
| חָנָה             | ḥnh                         | encamp                         |
| חָנַן             | ḥnn                         | to favour                      |
| חֶסֶד             | ḥæsæd                       | kindness, solidarity           |
| חָפֵץ             | ḥfṣ/ḥāfēṣ                   | take pleasure in, take care of |
| חֲצִי             | ḥ <sup>a</sup> šî           | half                           |
| חֲצֵר             | ḥāšēr                       | court                          |
| חֻק/חֻקָּה        | ḥoq/ḥuqqā                   | regulation, prescription       |
| חֶרֶב             | ḥæræb                       | (short) sword                  |
| חָרַשׁ            | ḥrš                         | to plough                      |
| חָרַשׁ            | ḥrš                         | Q. be deaf<br>Hi. be silent    |
|                   |                             |                                |
| טוֹב/יָטִב        | ṭôb/yṭb                     | be good, be pleasant           |
| טוֹב              | ṭôb                         | good                           |
|                   |                             |                                |
| יָאֵר             | y <sup>e</sup> ,or          | river (mostly: Nile)           |
| יָבֵשׁ            | ybš                         | dry up, wither                 |
| יָד               | yād                         | hand, power                    |

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| יָדָה     | ydh                 | Hi. praise  |
| יָדַע     | ydʿ                 | (get to) know   |
| יּוֹם     | yôm                 | day   |
| יַיִן     | yayin               | wine  |
| יָכַל     | ykl                 | be able, have it in one's power                             |
| יָלַד     | yld                 | Q. bear, Hi. procreate                                      |
| יָלֵד     | yælæd               | child   |
| יָם       | yām                 | sea   |
| יָמִין    | yāmîn               | right hand, the right side                                  |
| יָסַף     | ysf                 | Q., Hi. add, continue                                       |
| יַעַץ     | yʿš                 | advise, counsel   |
| יָצָא     | yšʾ                 | Q. go out, come forth<br>Hi. cause to go forth, bring forth |
| יָצַק     | yšq                 | pour out  |
| יָצַר     | yšr                 | form, shape   |
| יָרָא     | yrʾ                 | to fear   |
| יִרְאַה   | yirʾā               | fear, reverence   |
| יָרַד     | yrd                 | descend, go down  |
| יָרַשׁ    | yrš                 | Q. take possession of, inherit<br>Hi. drive away            |
| יָשׁ      | yēš                 | existence, there is, it exists                              |
| יָשַׁב    | yšb                 | sit, dwell  |
| יָשׁוּעָה | y <sup>e</sup> sûʿā | (acts of) help  |
| יָשַׁע    | yšʿ                 | help, save  |
| יָשָׁר    | yāšār               | straight, right, upright                                    |
| יָתַר     | ytr                 | Ni. remain, Hi. leave over                                  |
|           |                     |   |
| כָּ       | k <sup>e</sup>      | as  |
| כָּבֵד    | kbd                 | Q. be heavy, weighty<br>Pi. honour                          |
| כְּבוֹד   | kābôd               | splendour   |
| כֶּבֶשׂ   | kæbæś               | lamb, young ram   |

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| כֹּה        | ko                   | thus   |
| כֹּהֵן      | kohēn                | priest   |
| כּוּן       | kûn                  | Ni. be firm, be established<br>Hi. make ready, prepare |
| כֹּחַ       | ko <sup>ah</sup>     | strength, power  |
| כִּי        | kî                   | therefore, because                                     |
| כֹּל/כֻּל-  | kol/kōl              | the whole, all   |
| כִּלָּה     | klh                  | Q. be completed, cease<br>Pi. bring to an end, finish  |
| כֵּלִי      | k <sup>e</sup> lî    | vessel   |
| כֵּן        | ken                  | thus   |
| כַּנָּף     | kānāf                | wing   |
| כִּסֵּא     | kissē'               | throne   |
| כִּסָּה     | ksh                  | Pi. cover  |
| כֶּסֶף      | kæsəf                | silver (the metal)                                     |
| כַּף        | kaf                  | palm, flat of the hand                                 |
| כִּפַּר     | kpr                  | Pi. make expiation                                     |
| כָּרַת      | krt                  | Q. cut off, make a covenant<br>Hi. cut off, destroy    |
| כָּתַב      | ktb                  | write  |
|             |                      |  |
| ל           | l <sup>e</sup>       | for, concerning  |
| לֹא         | lō'                  | not  |
| לֵב/לִּבָּב | lēb/lēbāb            | heart  |
| לָחַם       | lḥm                  | Ni. fight  |
| לֶחֶם       | læḥəmə               | bread  |
| לַיְלָה     | laylā                | night  |
| לָכַד       | lkd                  | catch, seize   |
| לָמַד       | lmd                  | learn  |
| לְמַעַן     | l <sup>e</sup> ma'an | with regard to, for the sake of                        |
| לָקַח       | lqḥ                  | take   |
| לְשׁוֹן     | lāšôn                | tongue, language                                       |
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| מֵעַן       | ma'an               | for the sake of, in order that                       |
| מַעֲשֵׂה    | ma'asæ              | deed   |
| מִצָּא      | mš'                 | find   |
| מַצָּה      | maṣṣā               | unleavened bread                                     |
| מִצְוָה     | miṣwā               | commandment(s)                                       |
| מְקוֹם      | māqôm               | place  |
| מַרְאֵה     | mar'æ               | appearance   |
| מַשָּׂא     | maśśā'              | burden, utterance                                    |
| מִשַּׁח     | mšḥ                 | anoint   |
| מְשִׁיחַ    | māšî <sup>a</sup> ḥ | anointed   |
| מִשְׁכָּן   | miškān              | dwelling-place                                       |
| מִשַּׁל     | mšl                 | rule   |
| מִשָּׁל     | māšāl               | proverbial saying                                    |
| מִשְׁפָּחָה | mišpāḥā             | (larger) family, clan                                |
| מִשְׁפָּט   | mišpaṭ              | (legal) decision, justice                            |
|             |                     |  |
| נָא         | na'                 | now! come!   |
| נְאֻם       | n <sup>e</sup> 'um  | utterance (of god)                                   |
| נִאֵף       | n'f                 | commit adultery                                      |
| נְבִיא      | nābî'               | prophet  |
| נֶגֶב       | nægəb               | south, the south-country                             |
| נִגַּד      | ngd                 | Hi. make known, report, tell                         |
| נֶגַד       | nægəd               | in front of  |
| נָגַע       | ng'                 | touch, hurt a person                                 |
| נִגַּשׁ     | ngš                 | Q., Ni. draw near, approach<br>Hi. bring, bring near |
| נִדַּר      | ndr                 | vow  |
| נְהָר       | nāhār               | river  |
| נוּחַ       | nû <sup>a</sup> ḥ   | rest   |
| נוּס        | nûs                 | flee   |
| נַחַל       | naḥal               | wadi, torrent  |
| נַחֲלָה     | naḥ <sup>a</sup> lā | hereditary property                                  |

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| מְאֹד        | m <sup>e</sup> ’od   | very                                 |
| מֵאָה        | me’ā                 | hundred                              |
| מָאָס        | m’s                  | reject, despise                      |
| מִגֵּן       | māgēn                | shield                               |
| מִגְרָשׁ     | migrāš               | pasture-ground                       |
| מִדְבָּר     | midbār               | wilderness                           |
| מָה          | mā                   | what?                                |
| מוֹעֵד       | mo‘ēd                | appointed time                       |
| מוֹת         | mût                  | Q. die, Hi. kill                     |
| מָוֶת        | mawæt                | death                                |
| מִזְבֵּחַ    | mizbe <sup>a</sup> ḥ | altar                                |
| מִזְמוֹר     | mizmôr               | song, psalm                          |
| מַחֲנֶה      | maḥ <sup>a</sup> næ  | encampment                           |
| מַטֵּה       | maṭṭæ                | staff, rod, tribe                    |
| מִי          | mî                   | who?                                 |
| מַיִם        | mayim                | water, waters                        |
| מָכַר        | mkr                  | sell                                 |
| מָלֵא        | ml’                  | be full, be accomplished             |
| מַלְאָךְ     | mal’āk               | messenger, angel                     |
| מִלְאָכָה    | m <sup>e</sup> lā’kā | sending, labour, work                |
| מִלְחָמָה    | milḥāmā              | fight, battle                        |
| מָלַט/פָּלַט | mlt/plṭ              | Ni. save oneself, escape<br>Pi. save |
| מָלַךְ       | mlk                  | be king, to reign                    |
| מֶלֶךְ       | mælæk                | king                                 |
| מַלְכוּת     | malkût               | royal power, reign                   |
| מַמְלָכָה    | mamlākā              | kingdom, dominion                    |
| מִן          | min                  | from, off                            |
| מִנְחָה      | minḥā                | gift, present                        |
| מִסְפָּר     | mispār               | number                               |
| מְעַט        | m <sup>e</sup> ’at   | few, a little                        |
| מֵעַל        | ma’al                | on the top of, above                 |

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| נַחְנוּ  | nahṇû   | we                                      |
| נְחֹשֶׁת | neḥošæt | copper, bronze                          |
| נָתַה    | nṭh     | Q. extend, incline<br>Hi. recline, bend |
| נָכַה    | nkh     | strike, smite                           |
| נָסַה    | nsh     | Pi. test, try                           |
| נָסַע    | nsʿ     | set out, journey                        |
| נָעָר    | naʿar   | lad, young boy, servant                 |
| נְעָרָה  | naʿarā  | young girl, maid                        |
| נָפַל    | nfl     | fall                                    |
| נַפֶּשׁ  | næfæš   | soul, living being, person              |
| נָצַל    | nšl     | Hi. tear away, deliver                  |
| נָשָׂא   | nśʾ     | bear, carry                             |
| נָשִׂיא  | nāśîʾ   | deputy, chief                           |
| נָשַׁק   | nšq     | kiss                                    |
| נָתַן    | ntn     | give                                    |
| נָתַץ    | ntṣ     | tear down, destroy                      |
|          |         |   |
| סָבַב    | sbb     | turn, be round about, march<br>around   |
| סָבִיב   | sābîb   | all around                              |
| סוּס     | sûs     | horse                                   |
| סוּר     | sûr     | Q. turn side, Hi. remove                |
| סָפַר    | sfr     | Q. count, Ni. be counted<br>Pi. tell    |
| סֵפֶר    | sefær   | book                                    |
|          |         |   |
| עָבַד    | ʿbd     | serve, work                             |
| עֶבֶד    | ʿæbæd   | servant, slave                          |
| עֲבֹדָה  | ʿabōdā  | work, labour, service                   |
| עָבַר    | ʿbr     | pass by, go over                        |
| עֵבֶר    | ʿebær   | the region beyond/opposite              |
| עִבְרִי  | ʿibrî   | Hebrew                                  |



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| עַד       | ʿad    | until   |
| עֵד       | ʿēd    | witness   |
| עֲדָה     | ʿēdā   | gathering, congregation                                 |
| עוֹד      | ʿôd    | still, once more, again                                 |
| עוֹלָם    | ʿôlām  | eternity  |
| עוֹן      | ʿāwôn  | sin, guilt  |
| עוֹף      | ʿof    | fly   |
| עוֹף      | ʿof    | flying creatures, bird                                  |
| עֹז       | ʿoz    | power, strength   |
| עָזַב     | ʿzb    | leave, abandon  |
| עַיִן     | ʿayin  | eye, spring   |
| עִיר      | ʿîr    | town, city  |
| עַל-      | ʿal    | upon, above, against                                    |
| עָלָה     | ʿlh    | Q. go up, ascend, Hi. bring, lead up, offer sacrifices  |
| עֹלָה     | ʿôlā   | (whole burnt-) offering                                 |
| עֲלִיּוֹן | ʿælyôn | the upper, the highest                                  |
| עַם       | ʿam    | people  |
| עִם       | ʿim    | (together) with   |
| עָמַד     | ʿmd    | stand   |
| עַמּוּד   | ʿammûd | pillar, column  |
| I עָנָה   | ʿnh    | answer, hear, grant                                     |
| II עָנָה  | ʿnh    | Q. be downcast, afflicted<br>Pi. humiliate, do violence |
| עָנִי     | ʿāni   | poor, humble  |
| עֲנִי     | ʿōnî   | poverty, affliction                                     |
| עָנָן     | ʿānān  | cloud   |
| עָפָר     | ʿāfār  | dust  |
| עֵץ       | ʿēs    | tree(s)   |
| עֲצָם     | ʿæṣām  | bone, being   |
| עָרַב     | ʿæræb  | evening   |
| עָשָׂה    | ʿśh    | make, manufacture                                       |

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| עֶשְׂרִים / עֶשְׂרֵה | ʿæsær/ʿ <sup>a</sup> sārā | ten                       |
| עֶשְׂרִים            | ʿæsřîm                    | twenty                    |
| עַתָּה               | ʿēt                       | time                      |
| עַתָּה               | ʿattā                     | now                       |
|                      |                           |                           |
| פָּדָה               | pdh                       | buy (off), ransom, redeem |
| פֶּה                 | pæ                        | mouth                     |
| פָּלַט / מָלַט       | plt/mlt                   | Q. escape, Pi. save       |
| פָּלַל               | pll                       | Hitp. pray                |
| פָּן                 | pæn                       | lest                      |
| פָּנָה               | Pnh                       | turn toward a direction   |
| פָּנִים              | pānîm                     | face, surface             |
| פָּעַל               | pʿl                       | make, do                  |
| פַּעַם               | paʿam                     | step, occurrence, time    |
| פָּקַד               | pqd                       | go to see, take care of   |
| פָּר                 | par                       | young bull                |
| פְּרִי               | p <sup>e</sup> rî         | fruit                     |
| פָּשַׁע              | pš <sup>e</sup>           | rebel, revolt against     |
| פְּשָׁע              | pæša <sup>e</sup>         | rebellion, revolt,        |
| פָּתַח               | pth                       | open                      |
| פְּתִיחַ             | pætaḥ                     | opening, entrance         |
|                      |                           |                           |
| שָׂן                 | šôn                       | small cattle              |
| שָׂבָא               | šābā                      | host                      |
| שָׂדִיק              | šaddîq                    | righteous                 |
| שָׂדָק               | šdq                       | be in the right, be just  |
| שָׂדָקָה / שָׂדָק    | šædæq/šedāqā              | righteousness             |
| שָׂוָה               | šwh                       | Pi. to command            |
| שָׂוֶה               | šûr                       | rock                      |
| שָׂעַק               | š <sup>e</sup> q          | cry, call (to aid)        |
| שָׂפוֹן              | šāfôn                     | north                     |
| שָׂפָן               | šfn                       | hide                      |

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| קבץ      | qbṣ       | Q., Pi. collect, assemble                           |
| קבר      | qbr       | bury  |
| קדוש     | qādōš     | holy  |
| קדם      | qædæm     | in front, bygone days, east                         |
| קדש      | qdš       | Q. be holy, Pi., Hi. consecrate                     |
| קדש      | qodæš     | holiness, holy place                                |
| קהל      | qhl       | Ni. assemble, Hi. call together                     |
| קהל      | qāhāl     | assembly, convocation of the people                 |
| קוה      | qwh       | Pi. hope, wait for                                  |
| קול      | qôl       | sound, voice  |
| קים      | qûm       | arise, last   |
| קטן/קטון | qtn/qaton | be insignificant, small                             |
| קטר      | qtr       | Pi. send sacrifices up in smoke                     |
| קלל      | qll       | Q. be slight, Pi. curse                             |
| קנה      | qnh       | acquire, buy, create                                |
| קציר     | qāšîr     | harvest of grains                                   |
| קרא      | qr'       | call  |
| קרב      | qrb       | Q. approach, Hi. offer                              |
| קרב      | qæræb     | the inward part (of body), in the midst             |
| קרבן     | qōrbān    | offering, gift                                      |
| קרה      | qrh       | meet, occur   |
| קרוב     | qārôb     | near  |
| קשת      | qæšæt     | bow   |
|          |           |   |
| ראה      | r'h       | Q. see, Ni. be seen, show oneself, appear, Hi. show |
| ראש      | rōš       | head, summit, upper end                             |
| ראשון    | rī'šōn    | the first (position)                                |
| ראשית    | rē'šît    | beginning, the first, choicest                      |
| רב       | rab       | much, many  |

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| שָׁפָה            | śāfā                 | lip, shore, bank                            |
| שָׂר              | śar                  | official, chief, leader                     |
| שָׂרַף            | śrf                  | burn  |
|                   |                      |   |
| שֵׁ               | šæ                   | relative particle                           |
| שָׂאֵל            | š'1                  | ask, inquire                                |
| שָׂאוֹל           | š <sup>e</sup> ʾol   | underworld, realm of dead                   |
| שֶׁבַע/שֶׁבַעָה   | šæba' /šib'ā         | seven                                       |
| שִׁבְעִים         | šib'îm               | seventy                                     |
| שֶׁבֶט            | šebæt                | rod, staff                                  |
| שָׁבַע            | šb <sup>e</sup>      | Ni. swear                                   |
| שָׁבַר            | šbr                  | break (in pieces)                           |
| שַׁבָּת           | šabbāt               | Sabbath                                     |
| שׁוּב             | šûb                  | Q. turn back, turn around<br>Hi. bring back |
| שׁוֹר             | šôr                  | bull, ox, steer                             |
| שַׁחַט            | šḥṭ                  | slaughter                                   |
| שַׁחַת            | šḥt                  | Hi. spoil, ruin                             |
| שָׁיר             | šîr                  | sing  |
| שִׁיר             | šîr                  | song  |
| שָׁכַב            | škb                  | lie down                                    |
| שָׁכַח            | škh                  | forget                                      |
| שָׁכַן            | škn                  | settle down to abide, live in               |
| שָׁלוֹם           | šālôm                | peace                                       |
| שָׁלַח            | šlh                  | send  |
| שֻׁלְחָן          | šulḥān               | table                                       |
| שָׁלַךְ           | šlk                  | Hi. throw                                   |
| שָׁלַם            | šlm                  | intact, complete                            |
| שָׁלֹשׁ/שְׁלֹשָׁה | šālōš/š'lošā         | three                                       |
| שְׁלִישִׁי        | š <sup>e</sup> lišî  | the third                                   |
| שְׁלֹשִׁים        | š <sup>e</sup> lošîm | thirty                                      |
| שֵׁם              | šēm                  | name  |

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| רֹב      | rob                                | multitude                             |
| רַבִּב   | rbb                                | be, become many, much                 |
| רַבָּה   | rbh                                | Q. become many<br>Hi. make many       |
| רֶגֶל    | rægæl                              | foot                                  |
| רָדַף    | rdf                                | pursue, persecute                     |
| רוּחַ    | rû <sup>ah</sup>                   | wind, breath, spirit                  |
| רוּם     | rûm                                | be high above, be exalted             |
| רוֹחַב   | roḥab                              | breadth                               |
| רַחַם    | rḥm                                | Pi. have compassion                   |
| רַחֵק    | rḥq                                | be far, become far                    |
| רִיב     | rîb                                | dispute, conduct a (legal) case       |
| רִיב     | rib                                | dispute, case of law, lawsuit         |
| רֶכֶב    | rækæb                              | vehicle, chariot                      |
| רָע      | ra <sup>c</sup>                    | bad, evil                             |
| רֵעַ     | re <sup>ac</sup>                   | fellow, companion, friend             |
| רָעֵב    | rā <sup>c</sup> āb                 | hunger, famine                        |
| רָעָה    | r <sup>c</sup> h                   | pasture, tend                         |
| רָעָה    | rā <sup>c</sup> ā                  | evil, misery, trouble                 |
| רָעַע    | r <sup>cc</sup>                    | be bad, do evil                       |
| רַק      | raq                                | only                                  |
| רָשַׁע   | rš <sup>c</sup>                    | be, become guilty, act wickedly       |
| רָשָׁע   | rāšā <sup>c</sup>                  | being wrong, guilty, impious          |
|          |                                    |                                       |
| שָׂדֵה   | śādæ                               | open field                            |
| שָׂם     | śîm                                | set, put, put down                    |
| שָׂכַל   | śkl                                | Hi. understand, have success, prosper |
| שְׂמֹאל  | ś <sup>e</sup> mō <sup>l</sup>     | the left side, left                   |
| שָׂמַח   | śmḥ                                | rejoice                               |
| שִׂמְחָה | śimḥā                              | joy, gladness                         |
| שָׂנֵא   | śn <sup>l</sup> /śānē <sup>l</sup> | hate                                  |

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| שָׁם                | šām                                       | there   |
| שָׂמַד              | šmd                                       | Hi. exterminate, Ni. be destroyed, exterminated |
| שָׁמָּה             | šammā                                     | thither, (as far as) there                      |
| שָׁמַיִם            | šāmayim                                   | heaven  |
| שֶׁמֶן              | šæmæn                                     | oil (of olives)                                 |
| שְׁמוֹנֶה/שְׁמוֹנָה | š <sup>e</sup> monæ/š <sup>e</sup> monā   | eight   |
| שָׁמַע              | šm <sup>ʿ</sup>                           | hear  |
| שָׁמַר              | šmr                                       | keep, watch over, retain                        |
| שֶׁמֶשׁ             | šæmæš                                     | sun   |
| שֵׁן                | šen                                       | tooth   |
| שָׁנָה              | šānā                                      | year  |
| שֵׁנִי              | šēnî                                      | the second                                      |
| שְׁתַּיִם/שְׁנַיִם  | š <sup>e</sup> tayim/š <sup>e</sup> nayim | two   |
| שַׁעַר              | ša <sup>ʿ</sup> ar                        | gate  |
| שִׁפְחָה            | šifhā                                     | maid-servant                                    |
| שֹׁפֵט              | šft                                       | judge   |
| שָׁפַךְ             | šfk                                       | pour out  |
| שֶׁקֶל              | šæqæl                                     | shekel  |
| שֶׁקֶר              | šæqær                                     | lie, deception                                  |
| שֵׁשׁ/שֵׁשׁ         | šeš/šišša                                 | six   |
| שָׁתָה              | šth                                       | Q. drink, Hi. to water                          |
|                     |   |   |
| תְּהוֹם             | t <sup>h</sup> ôm                         | the primaeval ocean                             |
| תְּהִלָּה           | t <sup>h</sup> illā                       | glory, praise                                   |
| תְּוֹךְ             | tawæk                                     | the midst                                       |
| תּוֹעֵבָה           | tô <sup>ʿ</sup> ebā                       | abomination                                     |
| תּוֹרָה             | tôrā                                      | instruction                                     |
| תַּחַת              | taḥat                                     | under, instead of                               |
| תָּמִיד             | tamîd                                     | continually, regular                            |
| תָּמִים             | tamîm                                     | complete, blameless                             |
| תָּמַם              | tmm                                       | be complete                                     |

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| תעב                 | t'b                 | Pi. be abhorred       |
| תְּפִלָּה           | tefillā             | prayer                |
| תפש                 | tfś                 | capture               |
| תְּרוּמָה           | t <sup>e</sup> rûmā | tribute, contribution |
| תֵּשַׁע / תְּשַׁעָה | těsa'/tiš'a         | nine                  |