

# The Messenger



“... How beautiful are the feet of those who bring glad tidings of good things!” Romans 10:15

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## Bible Vocabulary

*by Dempsey Collins*

*Conclusion*

23. **Humble** – To bring low. Always used in a good sense in the New Testament (James 4:6)
24. **Sabbath** – To desist, cease, rest (Col. 2:16)
25. **Mediator** – One who goes between two parties (I Tim. 2:5)
26. **Parable** – To lay along side of; to compare (Matt. 13:24-30, 36-43)
27. **Patriarch** – Family head; the father of a family, tribe or race (Acts 2:29; 7:8,9; Heb. 7:4)
28. **Elohim** – Plural for God (Gen. 1:1)
29. **Israel** – To strive with God (Gen. 32:28)
30. **Death** – Separation (James 2:26 of spirit from the body; Gen. 2:17 man from God)
31. **Sin** – To miss the mark (Rom. 3:9; 5:12)
32. **Pattern** – An impression, the mark of a blow (John 20:25; Rom. 6:17; Phil. 3:17)  
Pattern is from *tapos*  
*Hupotuposis* is a kindred word that means “Sketch outline, a pattern (See II Tim. 1:13)
33. **Abram** – Exalted father
34. **Abraham** – Father of a multitude (Gen. 17:5)
35. **Perfect** – “Having reached its end, finished, complete” (Matt. 5:48; James 1:4; I Cor. 13:10)
36. **Scripture** – Greek – *Graphe*. The writings from God. In the Bible, the word is always used of inspired writings, hence should be capitalized. (II Tim. 3:16)



## Bible Names by Dempsey Collins

**Adam** - "red earth" (of the ground) (Gen. 5:2)

**Eve** - "live"

**Woman** - she man (man from Heb. Ish, Woman from Ishah)

**Abram** - "father", **Abraham** - "father of many"

**Jacob** - supplanter Israel "to strive with God"

**Moses** - "drawn out"

**Solomon** - "peaceable"

**Samuel** - "God hears"

**John** - "Jehovah is gracious"

**Simeon** (Heb.), **Simon** (Greek) - "to hear"

**Cephas** (Ara.), **Peter** (Greek) Petros - "stone"

Petros is a stone, "a detached stone or boulder; a stone that might be thrown or easily moved. Petra is a mass of rock" (Vine p. 302).

Matt. 16:18 - *Thou art Peter (petros) and upon this rock (petra) I will build my church."*

## God's Revealing Names by Dempsey Collins

Gen. 1:1 - God

Hebrew - Elohim (plural)

Hebrew singular - El

Greek - Theos

### Defined

Deity; exalted one

Most commonly used design.

Gen. 4:3 - Lord, (Jehovah)

Heb. Yahweh - He who is; self-existent

Yahweh is the second most commonly used designation for God.

The Jews misapply Lev. 24:16 and will not say this name. As a result, some translations instead of translating Yahweh into Jehovah as should be the case, translate Yahweh as Lord.

Gen. 2:4 - Lord God, Yahweh Elohim - self-existent, exalted one

Gen. 14:18 - God Most High, El El Yon

Gen. 15:2 - Lord, Lord, Adhonai, Yahweh - Master who is Adhonai means master hence should be translated Lord. Since Yahweh and Adhonai are often both translated Lord, the way one is distinguished from the other is by the use of all capitals when the word is Yahweh.

Gen. 17:1 - God Almighty, El Shaddai

Gen. 21:3 - God Everlasting, El Olam

Ex. 3:14 - I AM - Hayah - To be. Related to Yahweh.

I Sam. 1:3, 11; 4:4; 15:2; 17:45 - Lord of Hosts, Yahweh Sebhaoth

Def. - self-existent one of all armies, ranks and powers. Sebhaoth - hosts, armies - signifies power, might.

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## News and Notes:

Remember to check the prayer list for those with ongoing spiritual weaknesses and physical illnesses.

*"...Pray for one another...The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much."* James 5:16

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