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Bible Name Dictionary

Bible Name: **Abram**

Language: **Hebrew**

Pronunciation: **ab-rawm'**

Meaning: The name 'Abram' means 'Exalted Father.' It is derived from two Hebrew root words. The first is 'Ab' meaning 'father'; this basic Hebrew meaning can extend outside the contemporary application of a traditional 'father' to include a 'counsellor', 'judge', 'leader' or 'source.' The second root word is 'Ruwm' meaning 'high', 'lofty', 'exalted' or 'lifted up.' It can also denote 'arrogance' and 'pride' in certain circumstances. This would generally apply to non-righteous individuals.

Alternative meanings include: 'My Father is the Exalted One', 'My Father is Exalted', 'High Father', 'Father of Pride', 'Source of Pride' or 'My Father is the Exalted Leader.'

Please note: 'Abram' is synonymous with the name 'Abiram.'