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Bible Name Dictionary

Bible Name: Ahab Language: Hebrew Pronunciation: akh-awb'

Meaning: The name 'Ahab' means 'My Father's Brother.' It is derived from two Hebrew root words. The first is 'Ach' meaning 'brother', a word that can also have reference to a friend. The second root word 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.'

Alternative meanings include: 'Father's Brother' or 'Uncle.'