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Bible Name Dictionary

Bible Name: Baal-Shalisha

Language: Hebrew

Pronunciation: bah'-al shaw-lee-shaw'

Meaning: The name 'Baal-Shalisha' means 'The Lord of Shalisha.' It is derived from two Hebrew root words. The first is 'Baal' meaning 'to marry', 'to possess', 'to own', 'to rule over' or 'to have dominion.' The second root word is 'Shalash' meaning 'three', 'threefold', 'triplicate' or a 'third.'

Alternative meanings include: 'Possessor of Shalisha' or 'Baal of Shalisha.'

Please note: The word 'Baal' generally has reference to the following descriptive meanings: 'husband', 'lord', 'master' or 'owner.' It was also used by the Canaanites as a substitute title for their god, Hadad.

*** Please see 'Baal' for additional information ***

On another note... the word 'Shalash' always depicts the number 'three' (including all possible intensifiers relating to the number 'three' such as: 'thirty', 'three-hundred' or simply a 'third' part).

*** The word 'Shalash' can also have reference to a 'Trinity.' ***

In ancient times... the number 'three' was used more as an adjective than a literal number. It came to illustrate (or symbolize) a complete cycle of time. Numbers back then were far less literal than today.

*** The number 'three' often symbolizes 'perfection', 'completeness' and 'fulfillment' in the Bible. ***