

~AIN (24)

(A'in) [Fountain, Spring]

- The word literally means eye, but by analogy is used to mean a natural spring or fountain as distinguished from a man-made well or tank, which latter water source is expressed by the Hebrew terms *be'er* and *bohr*.
- Offshoot of a fruit bearing tree, Joseph is the offshoot of a fruit bearing tree by the **fountain**, that propels its branches up over a wall. (**Genesis 49:22**)
- For Yehowah your God is bringing you into a good land, a land of torrent valleys of water, **springs and watery deeps** issuing forth in the valley plain and in the mountainous region. (**Deuteronomy 8:7**)
- It is often written En- when used in compounds, as En-rimmon, En-gedi, En-gannim.

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