

~ANAB (24)
(A'nab) [Grape]

- **A town in the South part of the hill country of Judah from which the giant Anakim were expelled by Joshua.**
- **Furthermore, at that particular time Joshua went and cut off the Anakim from the mountainous region, from Hebron, from Debir, from **Anab** and from all the mountainous region of Judah and from all the mountainous region of Israel. Along with their cities Joshua devoted them to destruction. (**Joshua 11:21**)**
- **And in the mountainous region Shamir and Jattir and Socoh. (**Joshua 15:48**)**
- **And **Anab** and Eshtemoh and Anim. (**Joshua 15:50**)**
- **The site is identified with **Khirbet `Anab es-Saghireh**, 1.5 kilometers (1 miles) West of Edh Dhahiriya, about halfway between Hebron and Beer-sheba. The original name of the city may have been Kiriath-anab, since Egyptian texts apparently mention it as *Qrt `nb*.**