

**~ATER 2 (17)**

**(A'ter) [Closed, Impeded]**

- **A family head whose offspring were among the Levitical sons of the gatekeepers of the temple who returned from Babylon to Jerusalem with Zerubbabel.**
- **The sons of the gatekeepers, the sons of Shallum, the sons of **Ater**, the sons of Talmon, the sons of Akkub, the sons of Hatita, the sons of Shobai, all together, a hundred and thirty-nine. (**Ezra 2:42**)**
- **The gatekeepers, the sons of Shallum, the sons of **Ater**, the sons of Talmon, the sons of Akkub, the sons of Hatita, the sons of Shobai, a hundred and thirty-eight. (**Nehemiah 7:45**)**