

~AVITH (22)
(A'vith)

- The royal city or home of Hadad, the fourth king of the Edomites, who defeated the Midianites in battle.
- When Husham died, Hadad son of Bedad, who defeated the Midianites in the field of Moab, began to reign instead of him, and the name of his city was **Avith**. (**Genesis 36:35**)
- Eventually Husham died, and Hadad the son of Bedad, who defeated Midian in the field of Moab, began to reign in place of him. And the name of his city was **Avith**. (**1 Chronicles 1:46**)
- A suggested site is **Khirbet el-Jiththeh**, located in the ancient Edomite territory between Ma`an and **Khirbet el-Bastah**, about 100 kilometers (62 miles) South-Southeast of the Dead Sea. The mountain of the same name **Jebel el-Jiththeh** rises there to an elevation of 1,332 meters (4,370 feet)