

~BEN 2 (43)

[Son]

- The Hebrew prefix *ben*, often occurs in names such as **Benjamin**, meaning **Son of the Right Hand**, or **Ben-ammi**, meaning, **Son of My People**, that is, relatives. It is equivalent to *bar* in Aramaic names such as **Barnabas**, meaning, **Son of Comfort**.
- So Joseph, who was surnamed **Barnabas** by the apostles, which means, when translated, Son of Comfort, a Levite, a native of Cyprus. (**Acts of Apostles 4:36**)
- It is frequently used also to define relationships other than parental, such as race, **sons** of Hebrew *beneh'* Israel, **sons** of the Cushites.
- And the **sons** of Israel that were to be found proceeded to hold the Passover at that time and also the festival of the unfermented cakes for seven days. (**2 Chronicles 35:17**)
- Are you not like the **sons** of the Cushites to me, O **sons** of Israel? is the utterance of Yehowah. Did I not bring Israel itself up out of the land of Egypt, and the Philistines out of Crete, and Syria out of Kir? (**Amos 9:7**)
- Location, **sons of the jurisdictional district**.
- And these were the **sons of the jurisdictional district** that went up out of the captivity of the exiled people whom Nebuchadnezzar the king of Babylon had taken into exile at Babylon and who later returned to Jerusalem and Judah, each one to his own city. (**Ezra 2:1**)
- Or condition, **sons of youth, sons of unrighteousness**.
- Like arrows in the hand of a mighty man, so are the **sons of youth**. (**Psalms 127:4**)
- From the days of Gibeah you have sinned, O Israel. There they stood still. In Gibeah war against the **sons of unrighteousness** did not get to overtake them. (**Hosea 10:9**)

