

~ELISHAMA 3 (34)

(E-lish'a-ma) [My God Has Heard or Listened]

- A son born to David in Jerusalem. This **Elishama** is listed as **Elishua** in;
- And Ibhar and **Elishua** and Nepheg and Japhia. (**2 Samuel 5:15**)
- And Ibhar and **Elishua** and Elpelet. (**1 Chronicles 14:5**)
- And in two Hebrew manuscripts at;
- And Ibhar and **Elishama** and Eliphelet. (**1 Chronicles 3:6**)
- **Elishua** is generally considered to be the correct name, as the name **Elishama** appears again in;
- And **Elishama** and Eliada and Eliphelet, nine. (**1 Chronicles 3:8**)
- And therefore could easily have crept into verse 6 through a scribal error. However, since the Hebrew **Masoretic text**, the **Greek Septuagint**, the **Syriac Peshitta**, and the **Latin Vulgate** read **Elishama** at;
- And Ibhar and **Elishama** and Eliphelet. (**1 Chronicles 3:6**)
- This form of the name has been retained in the **New World Translation** as well as other translations.