

**~GINATH (16)**  
**(Gi'nath)**

- **Father of Tibni the unsuccessful rival of Omri for the kingship over the ten-tribe kingdom of Israel.**
- **It was then that the people of Israel began to divide themselves into two parts. There was one part of the people that became followers of Tibni the son of **Ginath**, to make him king, and the other part followers of Omri. (1 Kings 16:21)**
- **Finally the people that were following Omri overcame the people that were following Tibni the son of **Ginath**, so that Tibni met death, and Omri began to reign. (1 Kings 16:22)**