

~HERES 1 (27)
(He'res) [Sun]

- A mountain from the **Hebrew** *har*, where Amorites kept dwelling despite Israel's conquest of Canaan. It is associated with the territory of the tribe of Dan.
- And the Amorites kept pressing the sons of Dan into the mountainous region, for they did not allow them to come down into the low plain. (**Judges 1:34**)
- So the Amorites persisted in dwelling in Mount **Heres** and in Aijalon and Shaalbim. But the hand of the house of Joseph got to be so heavy that they were forced into task work. (**Judges 1:35**)
- Most scholars consider it the equivalent of Ir-shemesh, which is evidently the same as Beth-shemesh on the boundary of Judah and Dan, mentioned at;
- And the border of their inheritance came to be Zorah and Eshtaol and Ir-shemesh. (**Joshua 19:41**)

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