

~LEB-KAMAI (26)

(Leb-ka'mai) [Heart of Those Rising Up Against Me]

- This appears to be a cryptographic name for Chaldea, or *Kas-dim'*. It occurs only at;
- This is what Yehowah has said; Here I am rousing up against Babylon and against the inhabitants of **Leb-kamai** a ruinous wind. (**Jeremiah 51:1**)
- In a statement regarding what Yehowah would do to Babylon and the inhabitants of Chaldea. The term is employed there in keeping with a system called athbash, in which the last letter of the Hebrew alphabet *taw* represents the first letter thereof, *'a'leph*, the second-last letter *shin* represents the second *behth*, and so forth. Hence, at;
- This is what Yehowah has said; Here I am rousing up against Babylon and against the inhabitants of **Leb-kamai** a ruinous wind. (**Jeremiah 51:1**)
- The real name *Kas-dim'* is disguised by forming the Hebrew word *Lev qa-mai'*, **Leb-kamai**. For *Leb-kamai* the Greek Septuagint has **the Chaldeans** and the Targums read, **the land of the Chaldeans**.