## ~TIMNA 3 (52) (Tim'na)

- The first name found in the list of 11 sheiks of Esau, or Edom.
- So these are the names of the sheiks of Esau according to their families, according to their places, by their names: Sheik Timna, Sheik Alvah, Sheik Jetheth. (Genesis 36:40)
- Sheik Oholibamah, Sheik Elah, Sheik Pinon, Sheik Kenaz, Sheik Teman, sheik Mibzar. (Genesis 36:41)
- Sheik Kenaz, Sheik Teman, Sheik Mibzar. (Genesis 36:42)
- Sheik Magdiel, Sheik Iram. These are the sheiks of Edom according to their dwellings in the land of their possession. This is Esau the father of Edom. (Genesis 36:43)
- Eventually Hadad died. And the sheiks of Edom came to be Sheik Timna, Sheik Alvah, Sheik Jetheth. (1 Chronicles 1:51)
- Sheik Oholibamah, Sheik Elah, Sheik Pinon. (1 Chronicles 1:52)
- Sheik Kenaz, Sheik Teman, Sheik Mibzar. (1 Chronicles 1:53)
- Sheik Magdiel, Sheik Iram. These were the sheiks of Edom. (1 Chronicles 1:54)
- In the view of many translators, Timna and the other names listed are personal names. AS, KJ, JB, NW, RS
- However, it is generally acknowledged that the expression according to their families, according to their places, by their names indicates that a tribe or an area is meant.
- Some versions therefore prefer expressions such as the chief of Timna. JP, AT In fact, at,
- Sheik Oholibamah, Sheik Elah, Sheik Pinon, Sheik Kenaz, Sheik Teman, Sheik Mibzar. (Genesis 36:41)

- In the same list, a woman's name, Oholibamah, appears, allowing for the name Timna to be that of a woman. Eusebius and Jerome identified Timna with an Edomite site called, Thamna, which stood in their day. [Onomasticon, 96,24-27]
- However, the location of any such region named for Timna is currently unknown.