

Word Study H5221 *nakah* smite

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Introduction

Interesting sounding word *nakah*. PUN → Can we say that a biblical smoting is a *nakah* upside the head?

On a more serious note, consider these verses

Gen 4:15 Cain given a mark (*ot*) by YHVH

¹⁵ And YHVH said unto him, Therefore whosoever slayeth הַרַג ^{ho-Reg H2026 A} Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold שִׁבְעָתַיִם ^{shiv-'a-Ta-yim}. And YHVH set a mark אֹת ^{ot} upon Cain, lest any finding him should kill הַכּוֹת ^{hak-kot H5221} him.

Exo 9:25 | Plagues of Hail ^{#7}

²⁵ And the hail smote וַיִּזַּח ^{vai-Yach B} throughout all the land of Egypt אֶת ^{et} all that was in the field בַּשָּׂדֶה ^{bas sa-Deh}, both man מְאָדָּם ^{me-'a-Dam} and beast בְּהֵמָה ^{be-he-Mah}; and the hail הַבָּרָד וְאֶת־הַ ^{hab ba-Rad} smote הַקָּה ^{hik-Kah} every herb of the field, and brake every tree of the field.

Deu 21:1-6 – *chalah* used 4 times ^{The Atonement for an Unsolved Murder Deu 21:1-9 C}

¹ If *one* be found **slain** הָקַל ^{chalal H2491} *chalah* in the land which YHVH thy God giveth thee to possess it, lying in the field, *and* it be not known who hath **slain** הִקְהוּ ^{hik-Ka-hu} (*nakah* ^{H5221}) ^D him: ² Then thy elders

^A First occurrence of this word.

^B See Word-Study-H5221-nakah-smite, article #[1469](#).

^C Pulled from Word-Study-H2491-chalal-slain-H6202-iaraph-neck-H6203-oreph-neck-stiffnecked, article#[443](#).

^D The word slain in translated 5 times in these verses, 4 from H2491 and once from H5221, see Word-Study-H5221-nakah-smite, article #[1469](#).

זְקֵנָיִךְ ^{ze-ke-Nei-cha} and thy judges וְשֹׁפְטֵיֶיךָ ^{ve-sho-fe-Tei-cha} shall come forth, and they shall measure unto the cities which *are* round about him that is **slain**: חָלָל ^{H2491} *chalal* ³ And it shall be, *that* the city *which is* next unto the slain man חָלָל ^{H2491} *chalal*, even the elders of that city shall take an heifer עֵגְלַת ^{'eg-Lat} בְּקָר ^{ba-Kar}, which hath not been wrought עֲבָד ^{'ub-Bad} with, *and* which hath not drawn מְשֻׁכָּה ^{ma-she-Chah} ^E in the yoke בְּעֵל ^{be-'Ol}; ⁴ And the elders of that city shall bring down וְהוֹרְדוּ ^{ve-ho-Ri-du} אֶת־ the heifer הָעֵגְלָה ^{ha-'eg-Lah} unto a rough אֵיתָן ^{'ei-Tan} valley, which is neither eared יַעֲבֹד ^{ye-'a-Ved} nor sown יִזְרַע ^{yiz-za-Re-a'}, and shall strike off the heifer's הָעֵגְלָה ^{ha-'eg-Lah} אֶת־ neck וְעָרְפוּ there in the valley: ⁵ And the priests הַכֹּהֲנִים the sons of Levi shall come near; for them YHVH thy God hath chosen בָּחַר ^{ba-Char} to minister לְשָׂרְתּוֹ ^{le-Sha-re-To} unto him, and to bless in the name of YHVH; and by their word shall every controversy רִיב ^{riv} and every stroke נָגַע ^{Na-ga'} be *tried*: ⁶ And all the elders of that city, *that are* next unto the **slain man**, חָלָל ^{H2491} *chalal* shall wash their hands over the heifer that is beheaded in the valley:

Micah 5:1 [4:14]...smite upon the cheek Aleph Tav ^{S.A.T.} the judge of Israel. ^F

²⁵ Now gather thyself in troops, O daughter of troops: he hath laid siege against us: they shall smite יָכוּ ^{yak-Ku} ^{H5221} אֶת־ the judge of Israel with a rod *shebet* ^G upon the cheek. ^H

ToDo:

- Add commentary connecting the SAT with this word for smite
- comment on that (at least for the verses that I have referenced) the root letters *noon*, *chaf* and *hey*, aren't always present

^E H4900 מִשְׁחָה. This is a stretch, but one Strong's number less than H4900 is H4899 *Mashiach* מְשִׁיחַ, see Word-Study-G500-antichristos-antichrist-**H4899-mashiyach**-anointed-messiah, article #[585](#).

^F See Mic-05-they-shall-smite-the-Aleph-Tav-Judge-of-Israel-with-a-rod, article #[1351](#).

^G See "Word-Study-**H7626**-shebet-Gen 49-10-The-scepter-shall-not-depart-from-Judah-until-Shiloh-come", article #[647](#) and "Word-Study-H4294-matteh-rod-branch-tribe-and-H7626-shevet-staff-sceptre-tribe", article #[665](#), Word-Study-H8199-shaphat-Judge-and-H4941-mishpat-judgment, article #[397](#).

^H This may have no relevance whatsoever, but this is what I thought of **Mat 5:39 KJV But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also.**

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נָכַח

Strong's: A primitive root; to *strike* (lightly or severely, literally or figuratively): - beat, cast forth, clap, give [wounds], X go forward, X indeed, kill, make [slaughter], murderer, punish, slaughter, slay (-er, -ing), smite (-r, -ing), strike, be stricken, (give) stripes, X surely, wound.

WordStudy®: A verb meaning to beat, to strike, to wound. There are many instances of striking physically ([Exo 21:15](#), [Exo 21:19](#); [Job 16:10](#); [Psa 3:7](#) [8]; [Son 5:7](#)). This word is also used in a different sense, as when the men of Sodom and Gomorrah were stricken blind by the two angels ([Gen 19:11](#)); when a priest stuck a fork into the kettle ([1Sa 2:14](#)); when people clapped their hands ([2Ki 11:12](#)); or when people verbally abused Jeremiah ([Jer 18:18](#)). God struck the Egyptians with plagues ([Exo 3:20](#)); and struck people down in judgment ([Isa 5:25](#)).

Total KJV Occurrences: 497

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LXX related word(s)

G3146 mastigoo	G4141 plesso	G3146 mastizo	G1842 ex olethreuo	G91 adikeo
G337 an aireo	G615 apo kteino	G622 ap ollumi	G906 ballo	G1289 dia speiro
G1572 ek kaio	G1581 ek kopto	G1863 ep ago	G2289 thanatoo	G2608 kat agnumi
G2609 kat ago	G2629 kata kopto	G2871 kope	G2875 kopto	G2983 lambano
G3164 machomai	G3817 paio	G3860 para didomi	G3960 patasso	G4937 sun tribo
G5180 tupto	G5407 phoneuo	G4098 pipto		

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 - G5180 tupto LXX: H2505 chalaq hi., H5062 nagaph, H5221 nakhah hi.

Deu 21:4 in Hebrew word order

ToDo: don't know if I need this or not

H#	Translation <i>Transliteration</i>	Hebrew	#
H3381	shall bring down <i>ve-ho-Ri-du</i>	וְהוֹרִדוּ	1
H2205	And the elders <i>zik-Nei</i>	זִקְנֵי	2
H5892	of that city <i>ha-'lr</i>	הָעִיר	3
H1931	he <i>ha-Hiv</i>	הֵהוּא	4
H853	'et-	אֶת־	5
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