

TRUST

Hebrew “Betach”

Trust is written 134 times in scripture

There is one word for Trust in the English
language. Webster Dictionary def.

One in which confidence is placed.

Out of the 134 times the word **TRUST** is used in scripture there are 4 different meanings in the Hebrew language

1. Ps. 18:2 The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer, my God, my strength, in whom I will trust.

Hebrew (chasah) def. “to lean on someone or something”

2. Ps. 56:4 In God I will praise his word, in God I have put my trust, I will not fear what flesh can do unto me

Hebrew (betach) def. “to cling”

3. Is. 51:5 My righteousness is near, my salvation is gone forth, and mine arms shall judge the people, the isles shall wait upon me, and on mine arm shall they trust.

Hebrew (yachal) def. “to hope, but it does not mean to wonder if something will happen & hope it does but, to “know” that something will happen in the future.

4. Ps. 78:22 Because they believed not in God, and trusted not in his salvation.

Hebrew (aman) def. “to be firm” like a firm foundation.

Trust “Betach”

Made up of three Hebrew letters

1. Bet

2. Tet

3. Chet

The first letter of the word TRUST **BETACH “Bet”**

The letter **Bet** means, a House, a Home, a Family, a Tent.

It speaks of being **on the inside.**

When the word **trust** is used in scripture the word **“in”** frequently follows.

Proverbs 3:5 Trust **“in”** the Lord with all your heart.

Ps. 33:21 - We have **trusted “in”** His holy name.

Interestingly the first word in the Bible begins with “Bet” indicating that everything begins with God’s desire to create a home & family.

Bereshit - “In The Beginning”

Sin separated us from God's original plan and left us orphans outside the household of God. Jesus came for this very reason to restore that relationship that was lost.

Ephesians 2:12

That at that time ye were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope, and without God in the world:

Ephesians 2:13

But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ.

Ephesians 2:19

*Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints, and of **the household of God***

Ephesians 1:4-13

Rebirth

John 3:5

Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

John 3:16

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

1 John 4:15

Whosoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwelleth in him, and he in God.

*Hebrew “Betach” **TRUST** “BET”*

Second letter of the word Trust “Betach” is Tet

“Tet” means “**Wrapped**”

When a baby is born, it is **wrapped** in a nice warm blanket.

Luke 2:7 And she brought forth her firstborn son, and **wrapped** him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger

To be unsaddled Biblically was like being
abandoned.

“Tet”

Ezekiel 16:4

*And as for thy nativity, in the day thou wast born thy navel
was not cut, neither wast thou washed in water to supple
thee; thou wast not salted at all, nor swaddled at all.*

“**Tet**” is the first letter in the Hebrew word for
GOOD

Psalms 34:8

*O taste and see that the Lord is **good**: blessed is the
man that **trusteth** in him.*

*So **TRUST** has to do with distinguishing that He is
good and to be **wrapped** & **swaddled** in the
goodness of His everlasting arms.*

The Third letter of the
word

TRUST “Betach” is
“Chet”

*“Chet” means Fence or Wall. To be surrounded with protection.
Just as “Bet” means House or Home with Boundaries so does
“Chet” speak of Boundaries.*

“Staying in the Boundaries of God’s Word”

God is not obligated to protect us when we step outside of those fences He has built for our protection.

Speaking of those that keep God's Word

Isaiah 56:5

*Even unto them will I give **in** mine **house** and **within my walls** a place and a name better than of sons and of daughters: I will give them an everlasting name, that shall not be cut off.*

Psalms 32:10

*Many sorrows shall be to the wicked: but he that **trusteth in** the Lord, **mercy** shall **compass (surround)** him about.*

TRUST “Betach” has to do with
knowing & believing that we are
surrounded & protected in God’s
MERCY!

Combining all 3 Concepts in the word TRUST “BETACH”

All Three Hebrew Letters come with the idea of being on the inside, being surrounded, and protected!

TRUSTING God is abiding & resting in Him, being protected and surrounded in His Love.

Psalms 5:12

For thou, Lord, wilt bless the righteous; with favor wilt thou compass him as with a shield.