

# Pronunciation Guide for the Names of God

Elohim (ěl ō **hēm**)

Jehovah, Yahweh (jě **hō** vŭ; **yā** wā)

Elohim Kedoshim (ěl ō **hēm** kě dō shēm) Ke-doe-SHEEM (with the first e being short)

El Shaddai (ě l shă **dī**)

Adonai (ă dō **nī**)

Jehovah-Jireh (jě **hō** vŭ jī **rŭ**)

El Roi (ěl rō **ē**)

Jehovah-Rophe (jě **hō** vŭ rō **fē**)

Jehovah Sabaoth (jě **hō** vŭ să bā **ōt**)

Jehovah-Nissi (jě **hō** vŭ nē **sē**)

Jehovah-Shalom (jě **hō** vŭ shă **lōm**)

Jehovah Rohi (**jě hō vŭ rō hē**)

Jehovah-Shammah (**jě hō vŭ shă mā**)

Jehovah-El Emeth (**jě hō vŭ ěl ě mēt**)

Jehovah-Maginnenu (jě **hō** vŭ mă gĩ ně **new**)

El Emunah (ěl ě mŭ **nă**) El E-mu-NAH (with the two “e”s being short)

Jehovah-Or (jě **hō** vŭ **ōr**)

El Elyon (ěl ěl **yōn**)

El Gibbor (ěl gē **bōr**)

El Olam (ěl ō **lām**)

Abba (**ă bā**)

Alpha (**ăl fŭ**)

Omega (ō **mā** gŭ)

El Kana (el kă **nă**)

**ā** = long “a,” as in “apron”

**ă** = short “a,” as in “apple”

**ä** = as in “father”

ē = long “e,” as in “see”

ĕ = short “e,” as in “egg”

ī = long “i,” as in “ice”

ō = long “o,” as in “open”

ŏ = short “o,” as in “oxen”

ŭ = short “u,” as in “umbrella”

g = hard “g”

Stressed syllables are in **bold** type.

Note: Many Hebrew words put the stress on the last syllable (e.g., not El **KA** na, but El ka **NA**). Two exceptions in this list include *Jehovah*, which has the stress on the second syllable, and *Rohi*, which has the stress on the first syllable.