

Valley of Hinnom

(Valley of Hinnom)
Gehenna (12 Usages)

Yehoshua speaking to the people, spoke of the Valley of Hinnom (not a place called Hell), it being used as a figure, representing Yahweh's coming judgment by fire such as was done with Sodom & Gomorrah. These people knew where the Valley of Hinnom (south west Jerusalem) was and that it was used for the city dump. This valley was defiled by blood and dead bodies; a valley that had a history of child sacrifice; a valley that had been defiled by King Josiah.¹

Below, I have translated the Greek word, Ge-henna, to the English word, 'Valley of Hinnom,' which is its actual meaning! It appears, no Bible translator has done this, they using the Greek word 'Gehenna' or the English word, 'Hell.'

Mt 5:22 But, I, say unto you, that, every one who is angry with his brother, shall be, liable, to judgment,—and, whosoever shall say to his brother, Worthless one!, shall be, liable, to the high council; and, whosoever shall say, Rebel!, shall be, liable, unto the fiery **Valley of Hinnom**.

Mt 5:29 And, if, thy right eye, is causing thee to stumble, pluck it out, and cast it from thee,—for it profiteth thee, that, one of thy members, should perish, and not, thy whole body, be cast into **Valley of Hinnom**.

Mt 5:30 And, if, thy right hand, is causing thee to stumble, cut it off, and cast it from thee,—for it profiteth thee, that, one of thy members, should perish, and not, thy whole body, into **Valley of Hinnom**, depart.

Mt 10:28 And be not in fear, by reason of them that are killing the body,—and, the soul, are not able to kill. But fear, rather, him who is able, both soul and body, to destroy in **Valley of Hinnom**!

Mt 18:9 And, if, thine eye, causeth thee to stumble, pluck it out, and cast it from thee: It is, seemly, for thee, one-eyed, into life, to enter, rather than, having two eyes, to be cast into the fiery **Valley of Hinnom**.

Mt 23:15 Alas for you, Scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites: because ye compass sea and dry land, to make one convert—and, when it is done, ye make him a son of **Valley of Hinnom**, twofold more than ye.

Mt 23:33 Serpents! broods of vipers! how should ye flee from the judgment of **Valley of Hinnom**?

Mr 9:43 And, if thy hand shall cause thee to stumble, cut it off,—it is, seemly, for thee, maimed, to enter into life, rather than having, the two hands, to depart into the **Valley of Hinnom**, into the fire that is not quenched;

Mr 9:45 And, if thy foot be causing thee to stumble, cut it off,—it is, seemly, for thee, to enter into life, lame, rather than having, the two feet, to be cast into the **Valley of Hinnom**;

Mr 9:47 And, if thine eye be causing thee to stumble, thrust it out,—it is, seemly, for thee, one-eye, to enter into the kingdom of God, rather than having, two eyes, to be cast into **Valley of Hinnom**,

Lu 12:5 But I will suggest to you, whom ye should fear—Fear him who, after killing, hath authority to cast into **Valley of Hinnom**,—Yea, I say unto you—Him, fear ye.

Jas 3:6 And, the tongue, is a fire,—as, the world of unrighteousness, the tongue, becometh fixed among our members, that which defileth the whole body and setteth on fire the wheel of our natural life, and is set on fire, by **Valley of Hinnom**!

¹ and he defiled Topheth, which was in the valley of the son of Hinnom,—so that no man might cause his son or his daughter to pass through the fire unto Molech; (2 Kings 23:10)

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2Ki 23:10 and he defiled Topheth, which was in the valley of the son of Hinnom,—so that no man might cause his son or his daughter to pass through the fire unto Molech;

2Ch 28:3 and, he, burned incense, in the valley of the son of Hinnom,—and burnt his sons, in the fire, according to the abominable ways of the nations, whom Yahweh dispossessed from before the sons of Israel.

2Ch 33:6 And, he, caused his sons to pass through the fire, in the valley of the son of Hinnom, and practised hidden arts and used divination, and practised sorcery, and appointed a necromancer, and a wizard,—he exceeded in doing the thing that was wicked in the eyes of Yahweh, to provoke him to anger;

Jer 7:31 And they have built the high places of Topheth, which is in the valley of the son of Hinnom, To burn up their sons and their daughters, in the fire,—Which I commanded not, Neither came it up on my heart.

Jer 7:32 Therefore, lo! days are coming, Declareth Yahweh, When it shall not be called any more—The Topheth, nor, The valley of Ben-hinnom, but, The valley of Slaughter,—And they shall bury in Topheth, for want of place;

Jer 19:6 Therefore, lo! days coming, Declareth Yahweh, When this place shall be called no longer, The Topheth, or, The Valley of Ben-hinnom,—but—The Valley of Slaughter;

Jer 32:35 And have built the high places of Baal, which are in the valley of Ben-hinnom, To cause their sons and their daughters to pass through unto Molech, Which I commanded them not, Neither came it up on my heart, That they should do this horrible thing,—Causing, Judah, to sin!

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