

Isaiah's Legacy Pronunciations

A (command to dog, p. 203)	AY (long a sound, like at the end of "play")
Ab	AHB
abba	AH buh
Abijah	uh BEE juh
Adaiah	uh DAY uh
Adar	AY dar
Adnah	AD nuh
Adrammelek	uh DRAM uh lek
Ahaz	AY haz
ahu	AH hoo
Akhet	AHK ket
Akkadian	uh KAY dee un
Alorus	uh LOHR us
Ammon	AM mun
Amon	AY mahn
Amoz	AY mahz
Anatho	uh NAH thoh
Anubis	uh NOO biss
Asherah	AH shuh ruh
Ashkelon	ASH kuh lahn
Ashur	ASH ur
Ashurbanipal	ah shur BAH nih pahl
asiputu	uh SIP uh tuh
Assoros	uh SOHR ohs
Assyria	uh SEER ee uh
Aviv	uh VEEV
Aya	EYE uh
Azariah	az uh RYE uh
Baal	BAIL
Baal-Melqart	BAIL mel KART
Baka	BAH kah
Bekira/Beki	buh KEER uh/buh KEE
Bel	bell
Belit	beh LEET
Ben Hinnom	ben HIN num
Beulah	BYOO luh
brazier	BRAY zhur
Canaan	KAY nun

Chaldeans	kal DEE unz
Chemosh	KAY mahsh
Chislev	KIS lev
chuppah	(k)HOO puh
Cushite	KUSH ite
Dagon	DAY gahn
Damask	DAM usk
dohd/doda	DOHD/DOH duh
El Shaddai	el shuh DYE
Elam/Elamites	EE lum/EE lum ites
Eliakim ben Hilkiyah	ee LYE uh keem ben hill KYE uh
Enki	EHN kee
Enuma Elis	ay NOO muh ELL liss
Erra	AIR ruh
Esarhaddon/Esar	eh sahr HAD dun/EH sahr
etemmu	eh TEM moo
Euphrates	yoo FRAIT eez
extispicy	EKS tih puh see
flacon	FLAK un
Gemeti	guh MEH tee
Gibeon	GIB ee un
Gihon	GEE hahn
Gomorra	guh MOHR ruh
Gula	goo LAH
Habakkuk	huh BAK kuhk
haruspex	HAIR us pecks
Haruz	HAH rooz
Hephzibah/Zibah	HEP zih bah/ZEE bah
Heshvan	HESH vahn
Hezekiah/Hezi	hez uh KYE uh/HEZ ee
hoopoe	HOO poo
Hoshea	hoh SHAY uh
Huma	HOO muh
ima	EE muh
Isaiah	eye ZAY uh
Ishma	ISH muh
Ishtar	ISH tar
Iyar (p. 108)	EYE yahr
Iyyar	EYE yahr

Jedidah	jeh DYED uh
Jericho	JAIR ih koh
Joseph	JOH seff
Jotbah	JAHT buh
Jotham	JAH thum
Judah/Judean	JOO duh/joo DAY un
Kadmiel	KAD mee ul
Kammusu	kah MAH soo
Kangal	KAHN gahl
Kenaz	KEE naz
ketubah	kuh TOO buh
Khuber	KOO bur
Kidron	KID rahn
Lachish	luh KEESH
Levite	LEE vite
Maher	MAH hur
Manasseh/Nasseh	muh NASS suh/NASS suh
Manno	MAH noh
Marduk-Baladan	MAR duck buh LAH dun
Mattaniah/Matti	mat uh NYE uh/MAT tee
Melchizedek	mel KIZ uh deck
Memphis	MEM fiss
Merodach-Baladan	MAIR oh dack buh LAH dun
Meshullemeth/Shulle	muh SHOO luh meth/SHOOL
Micah	MYE kuh
mina	MYE nuh
Moab	MOH ab
Molek	MOH lehk
Mount Hermon	HUR mun
murex	MYUR reks
Nabu	NAY boo
Nahum	NAY hum
Napata	nuh PAH tuh
Naqia	nah KEE uh
Nergal	NUR gahl
Nesishutefnut	neh see shoo TEFF nut
Nineveh	NIN uh vuh
Ninsianna	NIN see AH nuh
Nisan	NEE sun

Nisrok	NEEZ rock
Nusku	NOOS koo
Onan	OH nun
Ophel	oh FELL
Panya	PAHN yuh
PapaPat	pah puh PAT
Pelusium	peh LOO see um
Penina	peh NEEN nuh
Perez	PAIR ehz
Philistia	fill ISS tee uh
Phoenicia	fuh NEE shuh
Pleiades	PLEE uh deez
pschent	p'SKENT
quffa	KUF fuh
Ra'ah	RAH uh
saba	SAH bah
Salem	SAY lum
Samaria	suh MAIR ee uh
Sanh. (abbreviation on p. 386)	Sanhedrin? san HEE drun
Sargonid	sahr GAH nid
savta	SAHV tuh
Sennacherib/Senn	seh NACK uh rib/SEN
Seth	seth
Shalom	shuh LOHM
Shamash-Shumukin	SHAH mash shoo MOO kin
Sharezer	shar EE zur
Shear-Jashub	shay AHR JASH ub
Shebat	SHAY baht
Shebna	SHEB nuh
Shemut	SHEM uht
shofar	shoh FAHR
Shunem	SHUN um
Sidon	SYE dun
Sin	SHIN
Sippar	SIP pahr
Sivan	SIH vahn
Sodom	SOD dum
Tadmor	TAD mohr
Taka	TAH kuh

Tammuz	TAH muhz
Tebet	TEB et
Tiglath-Pileser	TIG lath pye LEE zur
Tirhakah	teer HAH kah
Tishri	TISH ree
Topheth	TOH feth
Tyre/Tyrian	TIRE/TEER ee un
Ur	URR
Uruk	URR uhk
Utu	OO too
Uzza	OO zuh
Uzziah	oo ZYE uh
We-ilu	way EE loo
Yahweh/Yahwists	YAH way/YAH wists
Yaira	YIGH ruh (first syllable rhymes with "pie")
Zakutu	zah KOO too
Zerah	ZAIR ruh