## Spiritual Meaning of the Word "Head" - "rosh"

Gen 2:10 (KIV) "And a river went out of <u>Eden</u> to water the garden; and from thence it was parted, [separate oneself, disperse, scatter, sever self, divide] and became into four heads [ro'sh:H7218].

According to Holman's Biblical dictionary the word head means:

"Literally, the uppermost <u>part of the body</u> considered <u>to be the seat of life</u>, but not the intellect and figuratively for first, top, or chief. The Jewish notion was that the heart was the center or seat of the intellect."

1 Cor 11:3 (<sub>KJV</sub>) But I would have you know, that the head of every man is Christ; and the head of the woman is the man; and the head of Christ is God.

Rom 1:20 ( $_{KJV}$ ) For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

1Cor 10:11-12 (NKJV) Now <u>all these things</u> happened to them as **examples**, and they were written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the ages have come. [12] Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall.

1Cor 10:5-10 (NKJV) But with most of them God was not well pleased, for *their bodies* were scattered in the wilderness. <sup>[6]</sup> Now these things became our examples, to the intent that we should not lust after evil things as they also lusted. <sup>[7]</sup> And do not become idolaters as *were* some of them. As it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to play." <sup>[8]</sup> Nor let us commit sexual immorality, as some of them did, and in one day twenty-three thousand fell; <sup>[9]</sup> nor let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed by serpents; <sup>[10]</sup> nor complain, as some of them also complained, and were destroyed by the destroyer.

John 8:31 (NKJV) Then **Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him**, "If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed....<sup>[37]</sup> I know that you are Abraham's descendants, but you seek to kill Me, because My word has no place in you.

Isaiah 4:1 (NKJV) And in that day seven women shall take hold of one man, saying, "We will eat our own food and wear our own apparel; Only let us be called by your name, To take away our reproach."

John 8:28-29 (NKJV) Then Jesus said to them, "When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am *He*, and *that* I do nothing of Myself; but as My Father taught Me, I speak these things. [29] And He who sent Me is with Me. The Father has not left Me alone, for I always do those things that please Him."

1Cor 15:28 (NKJV) Now when <u>all things are made subject to Him</u>, then the Son Himself will also be subject to Him who put all things under Him, that God may be all in all.

Gen 2:21-23 (NKJV) And the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall on Adam, and he slept; and He took **one of his ribs**, and closed up the flesh in its place. <sup>[22]</sup> Then **the rib which the LORD God had taken from man He made into a woman**, and He brought her to the man. <sup>[23]</sup> And Adam said: "This *is* now bone of my bones And flesh of my flesh; She shall be called Woman, Because **she was taken out of Man**."

Mat 22:30 (NKJV) For in the resurrection they neither marry nor are given in marriage, but are like angels of God in heaven.

Gen 1:27 (NKJV) So God created man [Adam] in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Col 1:15-16 (NKJV) He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. [16] For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him.

Rom 8:29 (<sub>NKJV</sub>) For whom He foreknew, **He also predestined** *to be* **conformed to the image of His Son**, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren.

Gen 3:20 (KJV) And Adam called his wife's name Eve; because she was the mother of all living.

Gen 2:23 (NKJV) And Adam said: "This is now bone of my bones And flesh of my flesh; She shall be called Woman, Because she was taken out of Man."

1Cor 11:8-9 (NKJV) For **man is not from woman**, **but woman from man**. [9] Nor was man created for the woman, but woman for the man.

1Cor 11:11-12 (NKJV) Nevertheless, <u>neither is man independent of woman</u>, nor woman independent of man, <u>in the Lord</u>. [12] For as woman came from man, even so man also comes through woman; but all things are from God.

1Cor 15:22 (KJV) For as in Adam all [male and female] die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

Gal 3:28 ( $_{\rm NKJV}$ ) There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

John 8:42 (NKJV) Jesus said to them, "<u>If God were your Father</u>, you would love Me, for <u>I proceeded forth</u> and came from God; nor have I come of Myself, but He sent Me.

John 16:27-28 (NKJV) for the Father Himself loves you, because you have loved Me, and have believed that I came forth/out from God. [28] I came forth/out from the Father and have come into the world. Again, I leave the world and go to the Father."

John 17:8 (NKJV) For <u>I have given to them the words</u> [rhema] which You have given Me; and they have received *them*, and have known surely that <u>I came forth/out from You</u>; and they have believed that You sent Me.

Mat 19:4-6 (NKJV) And He answered and said to them, "Have you not read that He who made *them* at the beginning 'made them male and female,' [5] and said, 'For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh'? [6] So then, they are no longer two but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let not man separate."

John 10:30 (NKJV) I and My Father are one."

John 17:22 (NKJV) And the glory which You gave Me I have given them, that they may be one just as We are one:

Eph 4:4-6 (NKJV) *There is* one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

1Cor 11:3 (<sub>KJV</sub>) But I would have you know, that **the head** of every man [**married or single**] **is Christ**; and the head of the woman [**married or single**] is the man [**Messiah**]; and **the head of Christ** is **God**.

Eph 5:21-23,30-32 (NKJV) <u>submitting to one another in the fear of God</u>. [22] Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. [23] For the husband is head of the wife, as also <u>Christ is head of the church</u>; and <u>He is the Savior of the body</u>... [30] For we are members of his body, of his flesh, and of his bones. [31] For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be <u>one flesh</u>. [32] This is a great mystery, but I speak concerning Christ and the church.

Mat 20:28 (NKJV) just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Eph 4:15-16 (NKJV) but, speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head--Christ-- [16] from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love.

Eph 1:22-23 (NKJV) And He put all *things* under His feet, and gave Him to be head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.

Col 2:9-10 (NKJV) For in Him dwells all the fullness of the Godhead bodily; [10] and you are complete in Him, who is the head of all principality and power.

John 1:4 (NKJV) In Him was life, and the life was the light of men. [the Torah is light]

Psa 118:22 (KIV) The stone which the builders refused is become the head [ro'sh:H7218] stone of the corner.

Mat 21:42 (<sub>KJV</sub>) Jesus saith unto them, Did ye never read in the scriptures, The stone which the builders rejected, the same is become **the head of the corner**: this is the Lord's doing, and it is marvellous in our eyes?

Acts 4:11 (KIV) This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become **the head** [kephale] of the corner. [see also Isa 28:16,]

1 Peter 2:7 (NKJV) Therefore, to you who believe, *He is* precious; but to those who are disobedient, "The stone which the builders rejected Has become the chief cornerstone,"

Isa 53:6 (<sub>KJV</sub>) All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the LORD hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Gen 3:15 (NKJV) And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; **He shall bruise your head**, And you shall bruise His heel."

Psa 68:21 (NKJV) But **God will wound the head of His enemies**, The hairy scalp of the one who still goes on in His trespasses.

Mat 27:30 (NKJV) Then they spat on Him, and took the reed and **struck Him on the head**.

Mat 27:37 (NKJV) And they put **up over His head the accusation written against Him**: THIS IS JESUS THE KING OF THE JEWS.

1 Sam 17:51 ( $_{NKJV}$ ) Therefore David ran and stood over the Philistine, took his sword and drew it out of its sheath and killed him, and <u>cut off his head</u> with it. And when the Philistines saw that their champion was dead, <u>they fled</u>.

1 Sam 31:9 (NKJV) And they **cut off his head** and stripped off his armor, and sent *word* throughout the land of the Philistines, to proclaim *it in* the temple of their idols and among the people.

Revelation 20:4 (NKJV) And I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was committed to them. Then *I saw* the souls of those who <u>had been beheaded</u> for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received *his* mark on their foreheads or on their hands. And they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

Mark 8:35 (NKJV) For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake and the gospel's will save it.

Deuteronomy 28:13 (NKJV) And the LORD will make you the head and not the tail; you shall be above only, and not be beneath, if you heed the commandments of the LORD your God, which I command you today, and are careful to observe them.

Isa 9:14-16 (NKJV) Therefore the LORD will cut off head and tail from Israel, Palm branch and bulrush in one day. [15] The elder and honorable, he is the head; [ro'sh:H7218] The prophet who teaches lies, he is the tail. [16] For the leaders of this people cause them to err, And those who are led by them are destroyed.

Gen 49:26 (NKJV) The blessings of your father Have excelled the blessings of my ancestors, Up to the utmost bound of the everlasting hills. They shall be on the head of Joseph, And on the crown of the head of him who was separate from his brothers.

Gen 48:17 (NKJV) Now when Joseph saw that his father laid his right hand on **the head of Ephraim**, it displeased him; so he took hold of his father's hand to remove it from Ephraim's head to Manasseh's head.

Psa 23:5 (<sub>KJV</sub>) Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: **thou anointest my head with oil;** my cup runneth over.

Heb 1:9 ( $_{
m NKJV}$ ) You have loved righteousness and hated lawlessness; Therefore God, Your God, has anointed You With the oil of gladness more than Your companions."

Exo 29:7 (KJV) Then shalt thou take the anointing oil, and **pour** it **upon** his head, and anoint him.

Lev 16:32 (NKJV) And the priest, who is anointed and consecrated to minister as priest in his father's place, shall make atonement, and put on the linen clothes, the holy garments;

Lev 1:4 (<sub>KJV</sub>) And he shall **<u>put his hand upon the head</u>** of the burnt offering; and it shall be accepted for him **<u>to make atonement for him.</u>** 

Lev 4:33-35  $(_{NKJV})^{[33]}$  Then he shall lay his **hand on the head** of the sin offering, and kill it as a sin offering at the place where they kill the burnt offering. [34] ... [35] ... So the priest shall make atonement for his sin that he has committed, and it shall be forgiven him.

Gen 2:10 ( $_{KJV}$ ) And a river went out of Eden to water the garden; and from thence **it was parted**, and **became into four heads**.

Eze 16:25-26, 28-29 (<sub>KJV</sub>) Thou hast built **thy high place at every head** [**ro'sh:H7218**] **of the way**, and hast made thy beauty to be abhorred, and hast opened thy feet to every one that passed by, and multiplied thy whoredoms. <sup>[26]</sup> Thou hast also **committed fornication with the Egyptians** thy neighbours, great of flesh; and hast increased thy whoredoms, to provoke me to anger... <sup>[28]</sup> Thou hast played the whore also **with the Assyrians**, because thou wast unsatiable; yea, thou hast played the harlot with them, and yet couldest not be satisfied. <sup>[29]</sup> Thou hast moreover multiplied thy fornication in the land of Canaan unto **Chaldea**; and yet thou wast not satisfied herewith.

Rev 11:8 ( $_{NKJV}$ ) And their dead bodies *will lie* in the street of the great city which **spiritually is called** Sodom and **Egypt**, where also our Lord was crucified.

Rev 9:14 (NKJV) saying to the sixth angel who had the trumpet, "Release the four angels who are bound at the great river **Euphrates**."

Rev  $16:12 \, (_{NKJV})$  Then the sixth angel poured out his bowl on the great river **Euphrates**, and its water was dried up, so that the way of the kings from the east might be prepared.

Rev 17:5 ( $_{NKJV}$ ) And on her forehead a name *was* written: mystery, **babylon** the great, the mother of harlots and of the abominations of the earth.

Jer 2:17-21 (NKJV) Have you not brought this on yourself, In that you have forsaken the LORD your God When He led you in the way? [18] And now why take the road to Egypt, To drink the waters of Sihor? Or why take the road to Assyria, To drink the waters of the River? [19] Your own wickedness will correct you, And your backslidings will rebuke you. Know therefore and see that it is an evil and bitter thing That you have forsaken the LORD your God, [river of Eden] And the fear of Me is not in you," Says the Lord GOD of hosts. [20] "For of old I have broken your yoke and burst your bonds; And you said, I will not transgress,' When on every high hill and under every green tree You lay down, playing the harlot. [21] Yet I had planted you a noble vine, a seed of highest quality. How then have you turned before Me Into the degenerate plant of an alien vine?

Rev 22:1 (KJV) And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

Isa 48:18 (NKJV) "Oh, that you had **heeded My commandments!** Then <u>your peace</u> would have been like a river, [the pure and crystal river of Eden] And your righteousness like the waves of the sea."

Shabbat Shalom!