

Lector's Pronunciation Guide

Abana	AHB-ah-nah	Cilicia	sih-LISH-ih-ah
Abba	AHB-ah	Claudius	KLAW-dee-us
Abednego	ah-BED-nee-go	Cleopas	KLEE-oh-pas
Abel-meholah	AY-bel-mi-HO-lah	Colossae	koh-LAH-sih
Abiathar	uh-BY-uh-thar	Crescens	KRES-enz
Abihu	uh-BY-hew	Cretans	KREE-tuns
Abilene	ab-ih-LEE-nee	Cyrene	sigh-REE-nee
Achaia	ah-KAY-yah	Dalmatia	dal-MAY-shih-ah
Agabus	AG-ah-bus	Decapolis	deh-KAPP-uh-lis
Ahaz	AY-haz	Demas	DEE-mas
Akeldama	uh-KEL-deh-muh	Denarii	deh-NAIR-ee-ee
Alphaeus	al-FEE-us	Dura	DYOO-rah
Amalek	AM-ah-lek	Edom	EE-dum
Amalekites	ah-MAL-eh-kites	Elam	EE-lam
Amaziah	am-uh-ZY-uh	Elamites	EE-lam-ights
Ammonites	AM-mo-nites	Eldad	ELL-dad
Amorites	AM-oh-rites	Eli	EE-lie
Amos	AY-mus	Eliezer	ell-ih-EE-zer
Amoz	AY-muz	Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachthani	AY-loy, AY-loy, LAH-mah sah-bahk-THAH-nee
Amphipolis	am-FIPP-oh-lis	El Shaddai	ell SHAD-eye
Ananias	an-ah-NYE-us	Emmaus	eh-MAY-us
Annas	AN-us	Epaphras	EH-pah-fras
Antioch	AN-tee-ock	Ephah	EE-fah
Apollonia	ap-puh-LOW-nee-ah	Ephesus	EF-eh-sus
Apphia	AF-ih-ah	Epphatha	EFF-ah-thah
Apollo	ah-PAWL-lus	Ephraim	EE-fray-um
Archippus	ar-KIPP-us	Ephrathah	EF-rah-thah
Arimathea	air-ih-mah-THEE-uh	Etham	EE-tham
Assyria	ah-SEER-ee-ah	Euphrates	you-FRAY-teez
Azariah	az-ah-RYE-ah	Gabbatha	GAHB-ah-thah
Baal	BAY-uhl	Galatia	gah-LAY-shah
Baal-zephon	BAY-uhl-ZEE-fon	Genneseret	geh-NESS-eh-ret
Babylonia	bab-ih-LOW-nee-ah	Gihon	GY-hon
Balaam	BAY-lam	Gilead	GILL-ee-add
Balak	BAY-lak	Gilgal	GILL-gal
Barabbas	bar-RAHB-as	Golgotha	GAUL-goh-thah
Barnabas	BAR-nah-bus	Gemorrhah	goh-MOR-ah
Barsabbas	bar-SAH-bus	Habakkuk	hah-BAK-uk
Bartimaeus	bar-tih-MEE-us	Hades	HAY-deez
Bashan	BAY-shan	Hagar	HAY-gar
Bdellium	BELL-ih-um	Haniah	han-ah-NYE-ah
Beelzebub	bee-ELL-ze-bub	Haran	HAIR-un
Beersheba	beer-SHEE-bah	Hazael	HAHZ-ah-ell
Beor	BEE-or	Hermes	HER-meez
Berea	beh-REE-ah	Horeb	HOR-eb
Bethel	BETH-el	Hyssop	HIH-sup
Bethphage	BETH-fah-jee	Iconium	eye-KOH-nee-um
Bethsaida	beth-SAY-ih-dah	Iscaiot	iss-KAR-ee-ott
Bithynia	bih-THIN-ee-ah	Iturea	it-yur-EE-ah
Caesarea	sess-ah-REE-ah	Jabbok	JAB-ok
Caiaphas	KAY-ah-fas	Jairus	JAI-rus
Canaan	KAY-nan	Japheth	JAY-feth
Capernaum	kuh-PER-nee-um	Jearim	JEE-eh-rim
Cappadocia	kap-puh-DOH-shee-uh	Jehoiada	Jeh-HOY-ah-dah
Cephas	SEE-fas	Jehu	JEE-hyoo
Chaldeans	kal-DEE-anz	Jeroboam	jair-uh-BOH-am
Chloe	KLOH-ee		

Joash	JOH-ash	Pishon	PIE-shon
Joses	JOH-seez	Pontus	PON-tus
Judea	joo-DEE-ah	Praetorium	pray-TOHR-ee-um
Justus	JUS-tus	Prochorus	PRAHK-oh-rus
Kadesh	KAY-desh	Quirinius	kwih-RIN-ee-us
Kidron	KID-run	Rabboni	rah-BOH-ny
Laodicea	lay-oh-dih-SEE-ah	Rahab	RAY-hab
Lucius	LOO-shus	Ramah	RAY-mah
Lycaonian	lyk-ah-OH-nee-an	Rephidim	REF-ih-dim
Lysanias	ly-SAY-nih-as	Saba	SAY-ba
Lystra	LISS-trah	Sadducees	SAD-yoo-seez
Macedonia	mass-eh-DOH-nee-ah	Salome	sah-LOH-mee
Magdala	MAG-dah-lah	Sahnedrin	san-HEE-drin
Malchus	MAL-kus	Sardis	SAR-dis
Mamre	MAHM-ree	Sepulchre	SEH-pull-ker
Manaen	MAN-ah-en	Shadrach	SHAD-rak
Manasseh	mah-NASS-eh	Shaphat	SHAY-fat
Massah	MASS-ah	Shechem	SHEK-um
Matthias	mah-THIGH-us	Sheol	SHEE-ohl
Medad	MEE-dad	Shiloh	SHY-loh
Medes	MEEDS	Shinar	SHY-nar
Media	MEE-dee-ah	Shittim	SHITT-im
Melchizedek	mel-KIZZ-eh-dek	Sidon	SIGH-duhn
Meribah	MAIR-ih-bah	Silvanus	sill-VAY-nus
Merran	MAIR-un	Simeon	SIM-ee-un
Meshach	MEE-shak	Sinews	SIH-nyooz
Mesopotamia	mess-oh-poe-TAY-mee-ah	Smyrna	SMUR-nah
Midian	MIH-dee-an	Sodom	SOD-em
Mizar	MY-zar	Sosthenes	SAHS-theh-neeZ
Moab	MOH-ab	Stephanas	STEFF-ah-nas
Moriah	moh-RYE-ah	Succoth	SUKK-oth
Mysia	MISH-ee-ah	Syrophoenician	sigh-row-feh-NISH-an
Naaman	NAY-ah-man	Tabor	TAY-bor
Madab	NAY-dab	Talitha cumi	TAL-ih-thah KOO-mee
Naphtali	NAFF-tah-lee	Tarshish	TAR-shish
Nebuchadnezzar	neb-yoo-kud-NEZ-er	Temar	TEE-man
Negev	NEG-ev	Tetrarch	TEH-trark
Nicanor	nye-KAY-nor	Theophilus	thee-AH-fih-lus
Nicodemus	nik-oh-DEE-muss	Thessalonica	thess-ah-loh-NYE-kah
Nimshi	NIM-shy	Thyatira	THY-ah-TIE-rah
Ninevah	NIHN-eh-vah	Tiberias	ty-BIHR-ee-us
Onesimus	oh-NESS-ih-mus	Tigris	TIE-griss
Ophir	OH-fur	Timaeus	tih-MEE-us
Pamphylia	pam-FILL-ee-ah	Timon	TIE-mon
Papryus	pah-PY-rus	Titus	TIE-tus
Parmenas	PHAR-mee-nas	Trachonitis	trak-oh-NYE-tis
Parthia	PAHR-thee-ah	Trigon	TRY-gon
Parthians	PAHR-thee-ans	Troas	TROH-ahs
Patmos	PATT-mos	Tubal	TYOO-bal
Peniel	PEN-ih-el	Tyre	TIRE
Pergamum	PURR-gah-mum	Uriah	yoo-RYE-ah
Pharaoh	FAIR-oh	Uzziah	uh-ZYE-ah
Pharpar	FAR-per	Yahweh	YAH-way
Philemon	fie-LEE-mon	Zalmon	ZAL-mon
Philippi	FILL-ih-pie	Zarephath	ZAIR-eh-fath
Philistia	fih-LISS-tee-ah	Zebedee	ZEB-eh-dee
Philistines	fih-LISS-tins	Zebulun	ZEB-you-lun
Phoenicia	feh-NISH-ee-ah	Zechariah	zek-ah-RYE-ah
Phrygia	FRIJ-ee-ah	Zerubbabel	seh-RUB-ah-bel
Pi-hahiroth	pie-ha-HY-roth	Zoan	ZOH-an