Bible Name: Adonijah   **Language: Hebrew**   **Pronunciation: ad-o-nee-yaw'**

Meaning: The name 'Adonijah' means 'My Lord is Jehovah.' It is derived from two Hebrew root words. The first is 'Adown' meaning 'to rule.' This word is generally used to denote a sovereign ruler, governor, prince, husband, owner, master or lord. The second root word is 'Jah', short for 'Jehovah', the name used to denote the 'Covenant God of Israel.'

Alternative meanings include: 'My Master is Jehovah', 'Lord of Jehovah' or 'Prince of Jehovah.'