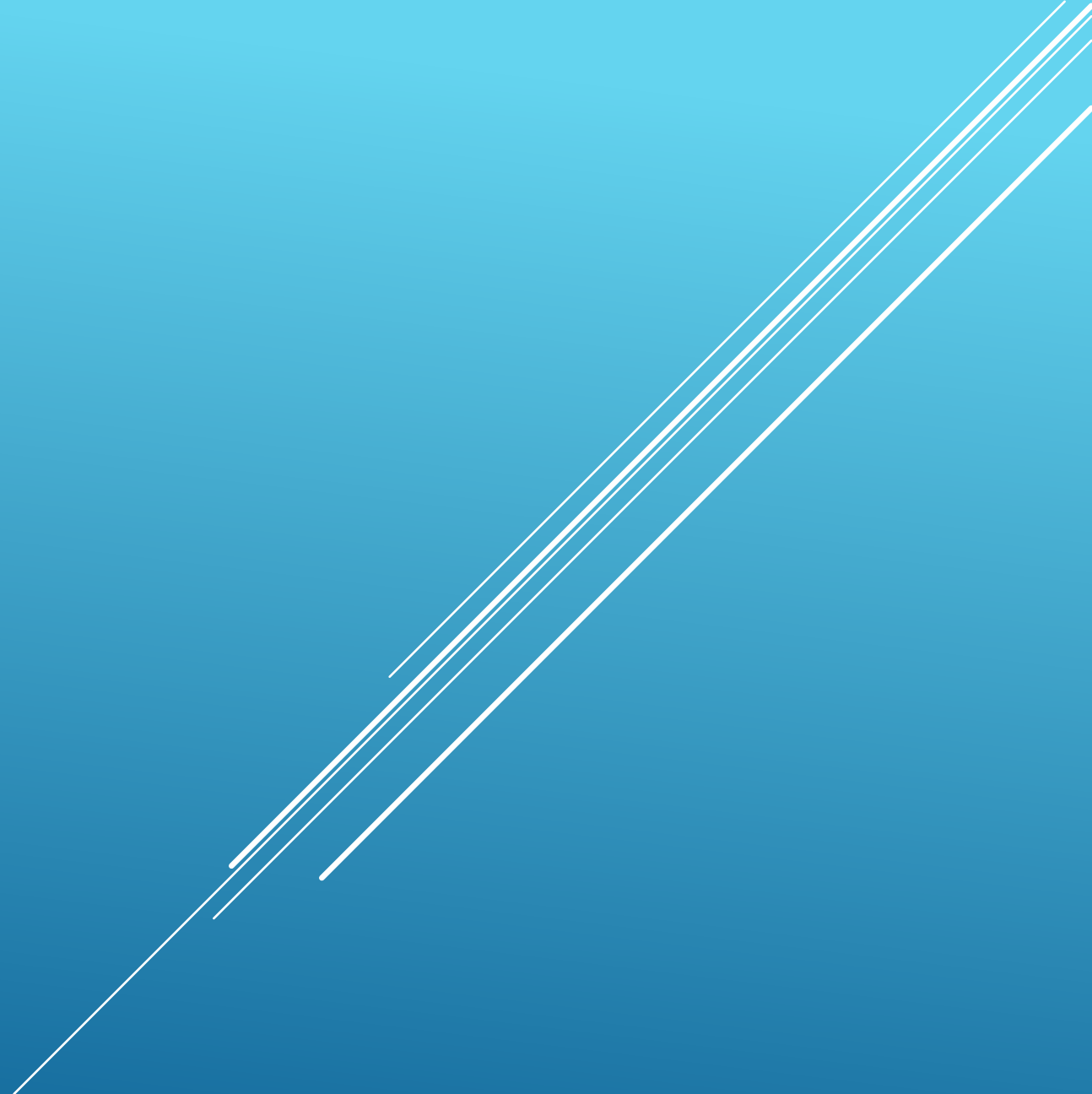


BIBLE STUDY

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NAMES OF GOD



THE IMPORTANCE OF NAMES

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OUTLINE:

- ▶ Names of God in the Hebrew Bible
 - ▶ Names for Jesus in the New Testament
 - ▶ Using the Names of God in Prayer
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OTHER NAMES FOR GOD

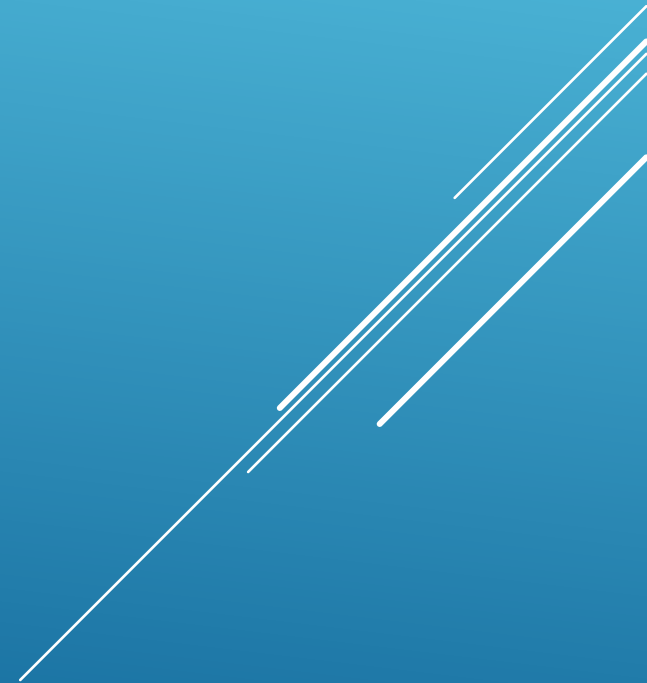
Elohim – Genesis 1:1 – God

Adonai – Genesis 15:2 – Lord


El Elyon – Genesis 14:19 – God Most High

El Shaddai – Genesis 17:1 – God Almighty


GENESIS




ELOHIM

- ▶ 1st Appears in Genesis 1:1
 - ▶ “God alone is eternal”
 - ▶ Elohim is plural form of ‘El’
 - ▶ Understanding God’s role in creation
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ADONAI

- ▶ 1st Appears in Genesis 15:2
 - ▶ Translated as Lord (lower case)
 - ▶ Used to refer to men and God
 - ▶ Lord is synonymous with master
 - ▶ A new understanding of submission
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EL ELYON

- ▶ 1st Appears in Genesis 14:19
 - ▶ Name given to God, monarchs, angels
 - ▶ Often expresses notions of majesty and power
 - ▶ Speaks to God's ownership
 - ▶ Used often in Psalms
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EL SHADDAI

- ▶ 1st Appears in Genesis 17:1
 - ▶ God's self-asserted name
 - ▶ Meaning is disputed
 - ▶ Theophany
 - ▶ Appears most often in Job
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EMBRACING THE FULLNESS OF GOD

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