## **Definition:**

Hebrew & Greek Translation An abyss as a surging mass of water; the main sea or the subterranean water supply; to subside; to make overflow; to abate; drown; quench; sink; stupefy with sleep or death; cast into a dead sleep; a settling place; bottom; a lethargy or trance; profundity; extent; mystery

Webster's Dictionary

Extending far down from the top or surface; extending far in or back from the front or from an edge, surface, opening considered as the front; extending far in width; broad; ranging far from the earth and sun; situated far down, in, or back; immersed or submerged in or heavily covered with

# Supporting Biblical Scriptures:

### Genesis 1:2

And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

## **Genesis 7:11**

In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month, the same day were all the fountains of the great deep broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened.

#### Genesis 8:2

The fountains also of the deep and the windows of heaven were stopped, and the rain from heaven was restrained;

## **Genesis 49:25**

Even by the God of thy father, who shall help thee; and by the Almighty, who shall bless thee with blessings of heaven above, blessings of the deep that lieth under, blessings of the breasts, and of the womb:

#### **Deuteronomy 33:13**

And of Joseph he said, Blessed of the LORD be his land, for the precious things of heaven, for the dew, and for the deep that coucheth beneath,

#### Nehemiah 9:11

And thou didst divide the sea before them, so that they went through the midst of the sea on the dry land; and their persecutors thou threwest into the deeps, as a stone into the mighty waters.

### Job 38:30

The waters are hid as with a stone, and the face of the deep is frozen.

## Job 41:31

He maketh the deep to boil like a pot: he maketh the sea like a pot of ointment.

#### Job 41:32

He maketh a path to shine after him; one would think the deep to be hoary.

#### **Psalm 36:6**

Thy righteousness is like the great mountains; thy judgments are a great deep: O LORD, thou preservest man and beast.

#### **Psalm 42:7**

Deep calleth unto deep at the noise of thy waterspouts: all thy waves and thy billows are gone over me.

#### Psalm 69:14

Deliver me out of the mire, and let me not sink: let me be delivered from them that hate me, and out of the deep waters.

### Psalm 69:15

Let not the waterflood overflow me, neither let the deep swallow me up, and let not the pit shut her mouth upon me.

### **Psalm 88:6**

Thou hast laid me in the lowest pit, in darkness, in the deeps.

#### Psalm 104:6

Thou coveredst it with the deep as with a garment: the waters stood above the mountains.

#### Psalm 107:24

These see the works of the LORD, and his wonders in the deep.

#### **Psalm 148:7**

Praise the LORD from the earth, ye dragons, and all deeps:

#### **Proverbs 8:28**

When he established the clouds above: when he strengthened the fountains of the deep:

#### Proverbs 18:4

The words of a man's mouth are as deep waters, and the wellspring of wisdom as a flowing brook.

### Proverbs 20:5

Counsel in the heart of man is like deep water; but a man of understanding will draw it out.

#### **Isaiah 44:27**

That saith to the deep, Be dry, and I will dry up thy rivers:

#### **Isaiah 51:10**

Art thou not it which hath dried the sea, the waters of the great deep; that hath made the depths of the sea a way for the ransomed to pass over?

#### **Isaiah 63:13**

That led them through the deep, as an horse in the wilderness, that they should not stumble?

#### Ezekiel 26:19

For thus saith the Lord GOD; When I shall make thee a desolate city, like the cities that are not inhabited; when I shall bring up the deep upon thee, and great waters shall cover thee;

#### Ezekiel 31:4

The waters made him great, the deep set him up on high with her rivers running round about his plants, and sent her little rivers unto all the trees of the field.

#### **Ezekiel 31:15**

Thus saith the Lord GOD; In the day when he went down to the grave I caused a mourning: I covered the deep for him, and I restrained the floods thereof, and the great waters were stayed: and I caused Lebanon to mourn for him, and all the trees of the field fainted for him.

### **Ezekiel 32:14**

Then will I make their waters deep, and cause their rivers to run like oil, saith the Lord GOD.

#### **Ezekiel 34:18**

Seemeth it a small thing unto you to have eaten up the good pasture, but ye must tread down with your feet the residue of your pastures? and to have drunk of the deep waters, but ye must foul the residue with your feet?

#### Daniel 2:22

He revealeth the deep and secret things: he knoweth what is in the darkness, and the light dwelleth with him.

#### **Amos 7:4**

Thus hath the Lord GOD shewed unto me: and, behold, the Lord GOD called to contend by fire, and it devoured the great deep, and did eat up a part.

#### Jonah 2:3

For thou hadst cast me into the deep, in the midst of the seas; and the floods compassed me about: all thy billows and thy waves passed over me.

#### Habakkuk 3:10

The mountains saw thee, and they trembled: the overflowing of the water passed by: the deep uttered his voice, and lifted up his hands on high.

### Zechariah 10:11

And he shall pass through the sea with affliction, and shall smite the waves in the sea, and all the deeps of the river shall dry up: and the pride of Assyria shall be brought down, and the sceptre of Egypt shall depart away.

### **Luke 5:4**

Now when he had left speaking, he said unto Simon, Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught.

#### **Luke 8:31**

And they be sought him that he would not command them to go out into the deep.

#### **Romans 10:7**

Or, Who shall descend into the deep? (that is, to bring up Christ again from the dead.)

## 2 Corinthians 11:25

Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep;