

## Names of God part 29

Name: Amnos or Arnion (am-nos' / ar-nee'-on)

Passage: John 1:29-36

This should be a very special name of God to all those who are believer. It is the name that means lamb. It is through this name that God reveals His great sacrificial love for mankind. It was this lamb who was butchered to pay for our sins! This should cause nothing but gratitude and praise to swell within us for the Lamb!

There are two different forms of the name mentioned in the Bible. Amnos refers to the sacrificial lamb who was slain for our sins. Arnion refers to the risen glorified lamb who has conquered death, hell, and the grave. Now, let's take some time to look into each of the form of this name of God.

As Amnos, Jesus fulfilled all of the Old Testament prophecies concerning the lamb that was to be slain for our sins. (Exodus 12:1-7, 12-13; John 1:29-36) Jesus was also the final sacrificial lamb that we need to be offered for our sins. (II Chronicles 7:1-13; I Perer 1:19) Through this sacrifice, Christ gave His perfect blood to pay the penalty of our sins! (I John 1:7) The sacrificial Lamb made salvation available to all who would turn to God as their only way to heaven and accept His free gift of salvation!

As Arnion, Jesus is the risen, glorified Lamb! (Note: this name is only found in Revelation.) Christ is the sacrificial Lamb who has earned the right to be magnified and adored, for the Lamb has been given power and authority. (Revelation 5:1-14) He is the Lamb that is to be worshipped. (Revelation 7:9-12) Through Arnion, Christians are given the power to overcome the Devil. (Revelation 12:10-11; 14:1-5) Lastly, Arnion is the Lamb of glory for all eternity. (Revelation 19:9; 21:22-23; 22:1, 3)

Arnion, we are forever in you debt for sacrificing Yourself in our stead! We can never repay You for all that You did for us on the cross and are still doing for us everyday. Now, we praise you as the Risen Lamb of Glory as we will for all of eternity! You alone are worthy of our praise and adoration both now and forever! Amen!