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The Third Word

what does “take” mean? “carry” “raise” “to use”

what is “the Lord’s name”? Exodus 3:13-15

before the burning bush: descriptive names

-Elohim “God” (Gen1:1)

-El Elyon “Most High God” (Gen14:18)

-Adonai “Lord” (Gen15:2)

-El Roi “God Who Sees” (Gen16:13)

-El Shaddai “God Almighty” (Gen17:1)

-El Olam “God Everlasting” (Gen21:33)

after the burning bush: a personal name

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ANE names

Jehovah?

“I Am” John 8:58!

what does “vain” mean? “nothing” “empty” Ps127:1



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How do we take the Lord's Name in vain?

1. when we throw it around carelessly

in anger, frustration, surprise, lust
for our own agendas

2. when we claim it in word, but deny it by deed

Ghandi *"I like your Christ; it is you Christians who give me trouble"*
Alexander story: *"Change your ways, or change your name."*

3. when we use it "magically", not faithfully

Acts 8:18-24 vs. Acts 3:1-9; Acts 16:16-18

4. when we don't use it

Philippians 2:5-11; Romans 10:13; Matthew 28:19; John 16:23-26

Pray like a Christian - don't ever just say "Amen"!

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Liturgy

Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.