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ob, a ghost

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Strong's Concordance

ob: a bottle (made from animal skin), a necromancer

Original Word: אוב

Part of Speech: Noun Masculine

Transliteration: ob

Phonetic Spelling: (obe)

Short Definition: mediums

NASB [New American Standard Bible] Translation

medium (2), medium* (3), mediums (9), spirit (1), wineskins (1).

<http://biblehub.com/hebrew/178.htm>

The word Ob is generally understood as conveying the idea of a bottle, or of a cavity in general; and the usual interpretation of it in this place is, that the persons thus denominated were so called in consequence of their speaking from their bellies, or using *ventriloquism*. That

Better information as to the true meaning of the word probably cannot be obtained than in the following extract from Mr. Bryant's *Analysis of Ancient Mythology*:—"Oph signifies a serpent, and was pronounced at times, and expressed Ope, Oupis, Opis, Ops, and by Cicero Upis. It was an emblem of the sun, and

also of time and eternity. It was worshipped as a deity, and esteemed the same as Osiris, by others the same as Vulcan. A serpent was also in the Egyptian language styled Ob, or Aub, though it may only be a variation of the term above. We are told by Orus Apollo, that the basilisk or royal serpent was named Oubaios. The deity so denominated was esteemed prophetic, and his temples applied to as oracular. This idolatry is alluded to by Moses (Lev. xx. 27; Deut. xviii. 11.) who in the name of God forbids the Israelites ever to inquire of those demons Ob and Ideone, which shows that it was of great antiquity. The symbolical worship of the serpent was introduced into all the mysteries, wherever celebrated. The Greeks called Apollo himself Python, (a Hebrew name for a serpent), which is the same as Opis, Oupis, and Oub. The

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Aub An angel of the third pentacle of the Moon. When invoked verse 13 from Psalm 40 should be recited: "*Be pleased, O Lord, to deliver me.*"

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