

**N.B. - Pronunciation:** Ā ā = long 'a' like 'ah' but not quite 'ar' (spelling alternative 'aa') / ē = ai / é = ay / Ī ī = spelling alternative 'ee' / i = between small I and ee / Ū ū = spelling alternative 'oo'

e.g. Ānanda can be spelled as Aananda. N.B. Anand = Joyless. Ānanda (Ananda) = Joy, Bliss

Not all Sanskrit, or other languages, pronunciations are always defined here e.g. no difference is given between sh and zh. The Anusvara letter n is given as m and n, e.g. Samsara and Sansara. For correct pronunciation see Sanskrit dictionaries.

There is no 'f' sound in Sanskrit, and 'ph' is pronounced as 'p-h' as in 'uphill'

**Source abbreviations:** OD = Osho darshan diaries / OB = Osho discourse books / MW = Monier-Williams Sanskrit Dictionary / S = previous Osho Sannyas name lists / SD = other Sanskrit dictionaries / HD = Hindi dictionaries PD = Pali dictionaries

TS = Thousand Name of Shiva / TB = Thousand Names of Brahma / TV = Thousand Names of Vishnu / Onl = Online resources / 99N = 99 Names of Allah / Sp = Samudroprem's addition or confirmation

**Note 1:** "Add Veet or Mukta" = Recommendation to combine with 1st Name "Veet" to mean "Beyond" or "Transcendence of"; or add 1st Name "Mukta" to mean "Freedom from."

**Note 2:** Neutral names can end in an 'o', however in traditional Sanskrit the 'o' joins two words together as a compound name e.g. Sāmudroprem

**Note 3:** In Sanskrit most male names end with an 'a', however in Hindi the same name can be pronounced without the 'a' and end in the consonant. Thus for male names the final 'a' is optional.

**Note 4:** The difference of Sanskrit and Hindi: Sanskrit 'v' is often pronounced in Hindi as a 'w', e.g. Svabhava or Swabhav. Also sometimes a "V" is also pronounced as a 'B' e.g. Vanshi or Banshi.

**Note 5:** In Sanskrit most (but not all) female names with end with the long ā (aa). The long ī (ee) is also a common feminine ending.

Male Title	Script	Female Title	Script								
Swāmi	स्वामी	Mā	मा	Mother of oneself	Title	Sanskrit, Hindi	OD	MW, HD	****	also: Maa	
				Master of oneself	Title	Hindi	OD	MW	****	also: Swaami. <i>Sanskrit: Svaami</i>	
<b>Male name</b>	<b>Script</b>	<b>Female name</b>	<b>Script</b>	<b>Meaning</b>	<b>1st Name</b>	<b>Language</b>	<b>Source</b>	<b>Confirm</b>	<b>Pop.</b>	<b>Notes</b>	
Aikya	एक्य	Aikya	एक्य	Oneness and Harmony with the Universe	1st Name	Sanskrit	MW		*		
Ālok	Āloka	Āloka		Light	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	also: Aalok / Aaloka	
Aman	Amana	Amana	अमन	No-Mind	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	****		
Amar	Amara	Amara	अमर	Deathless, Eternal	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Amit	Amita	Amita	अमित	Infinity, Limitless, Unbounded	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Amrit	Amrita	Amrita	अमृत	Immortality, Nectar of Immortality	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	****		
Āmoda	आमोद	Āmoda	आमोद	Joy, gladdening	1st Name	Sanskrit	S	MW	*	also: Aamoda	
Ānand	आनन्द	Ānandā	आनन्दा	Bliss, joy	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		****	also: Aanand	
Ānanda	आनन्द	Ānandā	आनन्दा	Bliss, joy	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	also: Aananda / Aanandaa	
Antar	Antara	Antara	अन्तर	Inner	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***		
		Antarā	अन्तरा	Inner	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*	also: Antaraa	
Anurāg	Anurāg	Anurāg	अनुराग	Love	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		****	also: Anuraag	
		Anurāga	अनुराग	Love	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**	also: Anuraaga	
Anutosh	Anutosh	Anutosh		Contentment, 'with Satisfaction'	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Arpan	Arpana	Arpana	अर्पण	Surrender, Offering Oneself to the Divine	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Arūp	Arūpa	Arūpa	अरूप	Formless, Limitless, Infinite	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*	also: Aroop / Aroopa	
Atit	Atita	Atita	अतीत	Beyond; Transcending	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Ātmā	आत्मा	Ātmā	आत्मा	the Innermost Self, the Soul	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	also: Aatmaa	
Bhakta	भक्त	Bhakta	भक्त	Devotion	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Bhāva	भाव	Bhāva	भाव	Feelings, heart, love; State of being, existence; Intuition	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*	also: Bhaava	
Bodha	बोध	Bodha	बोध	Understanding, Blooming of a Flower, Blooming of Consciousness.	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Bodhi	बोध	Bodhi	बोध	Awareness; perfect wisdom, enlightened intelligence	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	****		
Buddha	बुद्ध	Buddha	बुद्ध	Awakened One, Enlightened One	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Chaitanya	चेतन्य	Chaitanya	चेतन्य	Consciousness	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Chandra	चन्द्र	Chandra	चन्द्र	Moon	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Chetan	Chetan	Chetan	चेतन	Consciousness	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		***		
		Chetanā	चेतना	Consciousness	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	also: Chetanaa	
Chit	चित्	Chit	चित्	Consciousness	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Christ	Christ	Christ	क्रिस्त	Christ Consciousness	1st Name	Christian	S		*		
		Dayā	दया	Compassion	1st Name	Sanskrit	MW		**	also: Dayaa	
Deva	देव	Deva	देव	Divine	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	****		
Devam	Devam	Devam	देवम	Divinely	1st Name	Sanskrit	S	Sp			
		Devī	देवी	Goddess	1st Name	Sanskrit	S	MW	*	also: Devee	
		Devika	देवीका	Divine as a goddess	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***		
Dharma	धर्म	Dharma	धर्म	Ultimate Law, Ultimate truth, Ultimate nature	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Dhyān	Dhyān	Dhyān	ध्यान	Meditation	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		****	also: Dhyaan	
		Dhyāna	ध्यान	Meditation	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	also: Dhyaana	
Divya	दिव्य	Divya	दिव्य	Divine; heavenly, celestial	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Divyam	दिव्य	Divyam	दिव्य	Divine; Heavenly, Celestial, Wonderful, Magical	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Ekataā	एकता	Ekataā	एकता	Harmony: unison of song, dance and music	1st Name	Sanskrit	S	MW	**	also: Ekataala	
Geet	गीत	Geetā	गीता	Song, sacred song	1st Name	Sanskrit	S	MW	**	also (f): Geeta	
Gīt	गीत	Gītā	गीता	Song, sacred song	1st Name	Sanskrit	MW		**	also: Geet / Geeta	
Govind	गोविन्द	Govinda	गोविन्द	God	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**		
Guru	गुरु	Guru	गुरु	Master, one who is heavy	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*		
Gyān	ज्ञान	Gyān	ज्ञान	Knowledge, Wisdom	1st Name	Hindi	S	SD	***	also: Gyaan	
		Gyāna	ज्ञान	Knowledge, Wisdom	1st Name	Hindi	S	SD	***	also: Gyaana	
Hari	हरि	Hari	हरि	God, the thief – the remover of sins, God of the wind	1st Name	Sanskrit, Hindi	OD	MW	*		

Harsha Jeevan	हर्ष	Harsha Jeevan Jeevana	हर्ष	Happiness, Joy Life	1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit	MW OD	* ****	
Jīvan		Jīvana	जीवन	Life	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD MW	**	
Kāma Krānti Krishna	काम क्रान्ति कृष्ण	Kāmā Krānti Krishnā Leelā	कामा क्रान्ति कृष्णा लीला	God / Goddess of Love, Desire, Sensual or erotic Love Revolution Dark, black, dark blue, Avatār of Vishnu Play, divine play Wisdom	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	MW OD MW MW OD MW	** ** ** * **	<i>also:</i> Jeevan <i>also:</i> Jeevana <i>also:</i> Kaama / Kaamaa <i>also:</i> Kraanti <i>also (f):</i> Krishnaa <i>also:</i> Leelaa <i>also (f):</i> Manceeshaa <i>also:</i> Maarga / Maargaa
Manceesh Mārga Mukta	माण मुक्त	Mārgā Mukta Mukti	मानोषा मुक्त मुक्ति	Way, Path, Road, Seeking, Search Freedom, ultimate freedom, freedom from the self, Liberated Liberation, becoming free, the ultimate freedom	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW S MW	*** ** *	
Nanda Nārāyan Nava Neerav	नन्द नारायण नव	Nandā Nava Neerav Neerava	नन्दा नव नोरव	happiness, delight God, "Son of the Primeval or Original man," New, Fresh, Young Silence, that sound is not a disturbance to it, Soundless Silence, that sound is not a disturbance to it, Soundless	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit, Hindi Sanskrit, Hindi Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	S MW, HD OD MW, HD MW OD MW OD MW	** * *** ** **	<i>also (f):</i> Nandaa <i>also:</i> Naaraayan
Nīrav		Nīrava	नीरव	Silence, that sound is not a disturbance to it, Soundless Silence, that sound is not a disturbance to it, Soundless	1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW	*** **	<i>also:</i> Neerav <i>also:</i> Neerava
Nirdosh Nīrmal Nitya Om	निर्दोष निर्मल नित्य आम्	Nīrdoshā Nīrmala Nitya Om	निर्दोष निर्मल नित्य आम्	Innocence, sinless, faultless, guiltless Pure, bright, clean, spotless, sinless, virtuous, innocent Eternal, continual the Sound of the Universe, the Sacred Symbol Aum; 'Yes, so be it'	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit, Hindi Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW, HD OD MW OD MW	** * * *	<i>Symbol:</i> ॐ
Pantha Param Paritosh Pir	पंथ परम्	Pantha Param Paritoshā	परम् परितीष	Path, religious way beyond, transcendental Contentment, complete satisfaction one who has Arrived, a Siddha	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD HD S MW S MW	* * *	
Prabhā Prabhu Prabodh Pradeep	प्रभा प्रभु	Prabhā Prabhu Prabodha Pradeepa	प्रभा प्रभु प्रबोध प्रदीप	Light, to Shine, begin to become Light, to Enlighten, Illuminate God, Godliness to become Conscious or Aware of Light, lamp, flame	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW OD MW OD MW	** ** ** *	<i>also:</i> Prabhaa
Pragyā Prajna Prakāsh Pramod	प्रज्ञा प्राज्ञ	Pragyā Prajnā Prakāsha Pramoda	प्रज्ञा प्राज्ञ प्रकाश प्रमोद	Wisdom Wise to make Light, bright, shining, visible Delight, Joy	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Hindi Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	S HD OB MW OD MW S MW	* ** ** *	<i>also:</i> Pragyaa <i>also (f):</i> Prajnaa <i>also:</i> Prakaasha
Prāna Prem	प्राण प्रम्	Prāna Prem Premā	प्राण प्रम् प्रेमा	Life, Energy, life energy, breath, vitality, power Love Love	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW OD MW	** **** **	<i>also:</i> Praana
Priya Punya Pūrna Rāj	प्रिय पुण्य पूर्ण राज	Priyā Punya Pūrna Rāj	प्रिया पुण्य पूर्ण राज	Worship beloved virtue, purity Complete, Whole, the Total, satisfied, fulfilled, perfect King	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW S MW OD MW OD MW	* * *** * *	<i>also:</i> Poojaa
Rama Sahaja Samarpan Sambodh	रम सहज	Ramā Sahaja Samarpana Sambodha	रमा सहज समर्पण सम्बोध	God / Goddess of Love Spontaneous; Natural, Naturally, Original Surrender, utter let-go Perfect Understanding	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit, Hindi Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	S MW OD MW OD MW S MW	* ** ** *	<i>also (f):</i> Ramaa <i>Osbo's interpretation:</i> 'Spontaneous'
Santosh Sarjan Sarva Sat	संतोष सर्व सत्	Santoshā Sarjana Sarva Sat	संतोष सर्जन सर्व सत्	Satisfaction, Contentment Creativity, Creation, the act of creating Entire, Whole, All, Total, Universe True, truth, Being, Existing	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	S MW OD MW S MW OD MW	** ** * *	
Satya Satyam	सत्य सत्यम्	Satya Satyam	सत्य सत्यम्	Truth, authenticity Truth, reality	1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW	** ***	
Shantam	शातम्	Shakti Shantam Shānti	शक्ति शातम् शाान्ति	Divine Power, Female personification of divine Energy Peace, silence, peacefully Peace	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	S MW OD Sp OD MW	* *** ***	<i>also:</i> Shaanti
Shiva Shivam Shraddha Shūnya Shūnyam	शिव श्रद्ध शून्य	Shivam Shraddha Shūnya Shūnyam	शिव श्रद्ध शून्य	God, Divine ultimate Good, virtue, godliness Trust Empty	1st Name 1st Name 1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit Sanskrit	OD MW OD MW OD MW OD MW	* * * *	<i>also:</i> Shoonya <i>also:</i> Shoonyam
Sundar		Sundar Sundara	सुन्दर	beautiful beautiful	1st Name 1st Name	Sanskrit, Hindi Sanskrit, Hindi	OD MW HD	* *	<i>Misspelled as:</i> Sunder
Svatantra	स्वतन्त्र	Svatantra	स्वतन्त्र	Independence, free will, freedom, uncontrolled (lit. self-weave)	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD MW	*	

Tantra	तन्त्र	Tantra	तन्त्र	way of union with Supreme Spirit through meditation	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*	
Tao	道	Tao	道	the way, Dao	1st Name	Chinese	OD	Onl	*	
Ūrja	ऊर्जा	Ūrjā	ऊर्जा	energy, power, strength	1st Name	Sanskrit, Hindi	OD	MW	**	<i>also: Oorja / Oorjaa</i>
Utsav		Utsava	उत्सव	celebration	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	
Veet		Veet		beyond, transcendence	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		****	
		Veeta	वीत	beyond, transcendence	1st Name	Sanskrit	MW			
Vimal		Vimal		purity, pure	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD		***	
		Vimala	विमल	purity, pure	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	**	
Vishva	विश्व	Vishva	विश्व	whole, entire, universal	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	*	
Vivek		Viveka	विवेक	from discrimination to awareness, distinguishing truth from untruth	2nd Name	Hindi & Sanskrit	OD		***	<i>Hinduism: Discrimination; Jaina: Awareness</i>
Yoga	योग	Yoga	योग	union	1st Name	Sanskrit	OD	MW	***	
Zen	禪	Zen	禪	meditation	1st Name	Japanese	Sp			

Male name	Script	Female name	Script	Meaning	1st Name	Language	Source	Confirm	Pop.	Notes
-----------	--------	-------------	--------	---------	----------	----------	--------	---------	------	-------

#### REFERENCES

**Osho Books online** [www.oshosearch.net](http://www.oshosearch.net); [www.oshoworld.com](http://www.oshoworld.com); [www.oshocom.com](http://www.oshocom.com)

**Sanskrit Dictionary online:** [www.spokensanskrit.de](http://www.spokensanskrit.de)

**Sanskrit-English Monier-Williams Dictionary (1899):** [www.krishna.com](http://www.krishna.com)

**Hindi Dictionaries online:** [www.http://shabd-kosh.raftaar.in](http://www.http://shabd-kosh.raftaar.in), [www.http://hindi-english.org](http://www.http://hindi-english.org)

**Arabic & Urdu dictionary online:** <http://islam.onepakistan.com.pk>

**Thousand Names of Vishnu:** [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vishnu\\_sahasranama](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vishnu_sahasranama)

**Thousand Names of Shiva:** [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shiva\\_sahasranama](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shiva_sahasranama)

**99 Names of Allah:** [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Names\\_of\\_God\\_in\\_Islam](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Names_of_God_in_Islam)