

Episode 75-Prescribed Truth Podcast

Notes:

Foundational scripture Genesis 25:25

- According to scripture, Esau had reddish hair when he was born. The technical term for this is [lanugo](#).

- Esau was named Edom because of the red stew that he sold his Birthright for... not his skin color.
reference verse is Genesis 25:30.

Therefore edomites are so named by the selling of the birthright instead of having reddish skin complexions.

1st Samuel 16:12 says David was Ruddy.

It was the same exact Hebrew word used in Genesis 25:25 describing Esau's hair color.

- The root word for both is “adam”, pronounced aw-dawm, which would be more closely related to the flush look that is common with those of lighter complexions.

Now, to be fair, David was most likely called ruddy because he had just come from outside working.

Root:
'âdam
aw-dam'

To show blood (in the face), that is, flush or turn rosy: - be (dyed, made) red (ruddy).

Word used for Esau and David:

אֲדָמוֹנִי אֲדָמוֹנִי
'admônîy 'admônîy
ad-mo-nee', ad-mo-nee'

From H119; reddish (of the hair or the complexion): - red, ruddy.

Word used for mankind:

אָדָם
'âdâm

aw-dawm'

From H119; ruddy, that is, a human being (an individual or the species, mankind, etc.): - X another, + hypocrite, + common sort, X low, man (mean, of low degree), person