

**\*fehana** Runic: 𐌸𐌹𐌺𐌹𐌸𐌹𐌺𐌹 Pronunciation: /'ʰe.xɑ.nǎ/

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## Meanings

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to rejoice, be glad

## Etymology

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From Proto-Indo-European \*pék-e/o- from root \*pek- ('joyful, pretty'). Cognate with Lithuanian *puošti* ('to decorate'). Related to \*fagjana ('to cause to rejoice; to please'), \*fēgōna ('to polish; to clean; to sweep'), and fēhiz ('satisfactory').

## Conjugation

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### Present active

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive | Imperative |
|--------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1st singular | fehō       | fehaų       | —          |
| 2nd singular | fihizi     | fehaiz      | feh        |
| 3rd singular | fihidi     | fehai       | fehadau    |
| 1st dual     | fehōz      | fehaiw      | —          |
| 2nd dual     | fehadiz    | fehaidiz    | fehadiz    |
| 1st plural   | fehamaz    | fehaim      | —          |
| 2nd plural   | fihid      | fehaid      | fihid      |
| 3rd plural   | fehandi    | fehain      | fehandau   |

## Present passive

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1st singular | fehai      | —           |
| 2nd singular | fehazai    | fehaizau    |
| 3rd singular | fehadaï    | fehaidau    |
| 1st dual     | —          | —           |
| 2nd dual     | —          | —           |
| 1st plural   | fehandai   | fehaindau   |
| 2nd plural   | fehandai   | fehaindau   |
| 3rd plural   | fehandai   | fehaindau   |

## Past

| Person       | Indicative | Subjunctive |
|--------------|------------|-------------|
| 1st singular | fah        | fēgī        |
| 2nd singular | faht       | fēgīz       |
| 3rd singular | fah        | fēgī        |
| 1st dual     | fēgū       | fēgīw       |
| 2nd dual     | fēgudiz    | fēgīdiz     |
| 1st plural   | fēgum      | fēgīm       |
| 2nd plural   | fēgud      | fēgīd       |
| 3rd plural   | fēgun      | fēgīn       |

## Non-finite Forms

| Infinitive | Present Participle | Past Participle |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| fehanaḡ    | fehandz            | feganaz         |

# Descendants

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- \***gafehan** (Proto-West Germanic)
  - ġefēon, ġefeohan** (Old English)
  - gifehan** (Old High German)

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