

**\*kwenō** Runic:  Pronunciation: /'kʷe.nõ:/

noun · feminine · ōn-stem

## Meanings

woman

## Etymology

From Proto-Indo-European *\*ǵʰēn* (‘woman’).

## Declension

| Case  | Singular | Plural    |
|-------|----------|-----------|
| Nom.  | kwenō    | kwenōniz  |
| Acc.  | kwenōnų  | kwenōnunz |
| Gen.  | kwenōniz | kwenōnô   |
| Dat.  | kwenōni  | kwenōmaz  |
| Inst. | kwenōnē  | kwenōmiz  |
| Voc.  | kwenō    | kwenōniz  |

## Descendants

\*kwenā (Proto-West Germanic)

quena (Old Dutch)

quene, kone (Middle Dutch)

kween (Dutch)

**kween** (Afrikaans)

**\*kwenā** (Proto-West Germanic)

**cwene** (Old English)

**quene** (Middle English)

**quean** (English)

**quean, quein, quine, quin** (Scots)

**\*kwenā** (Proto-West Germanic)

**chwena, kwena, quena** (Old High German)

**kone, kan, kun, quēne** (Middle High German)

**Kone** (German)

**\*kwenā** (Proto-West Germanic)

**quena** (Old Saxon)

**quēne, quēne, kôn** (Middle Low German)

**Quene** (Low German)

**Queene** (German)

**kona** (Old Norse)

**kona, kvinna** (Faroese)

**guenipe** (French)

**kona, kvenna, kvinna** (Icelandic)

**guênipe, guénipe** (Norman)

**kone, kvinne** (Norwegian Bokmål)

**kone, kvinne** (Norwegian Nynorsk)

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**kone, kvinde** (Danish)

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**𐌿𐌺𐌹𐌺𐌰 (qinō)** (Gothic)

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