

***lība** Runic: ᚦ | ᚠ | ᚦ Pronunciation: /'liː.βǣ/

noun · neuter · a-stem

Meanings

- body
- life

Etymology

Likely derived from *lībaŋa ('to remain').

Declension

Case	Singular	Plural
Nom.	lība	lībō
Acc.	lība	lībō
Gen.	lības, lībīs	lībō
Dat.	lībai	lībamaz
Inst.	lībō	lībamiz
Voc.	lība	lībō

Descendants

*līb (Proto-West Germanic)

līf (Old Dutch)

lijf (Middle Dutch)

lief (Limburgish)

lief (Zealandic)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lif (Old Dutch)

lijf (Middle Dutch)

lijf (Dutch)

lyf (Afrikaans)

lifu (Berbice Creole Dutch)

lief, lif, lijf (Negerhollands)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lif, liif, lȳf (Old English)

lyf, leyf, lif, life, lijf, live (Middle English)

life (English)

life, leif (Scots)

lief, life (Yola)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lif (Old Frisian)

liff (North Frisian)

Lieuw (Saterland Frisian)

liif (West Frisian)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lib (Old High German)

lip, liph, lif, lib (Middle High German)

Liib (Alemannic German)

Liev, Leiv (Central Franconian)

laip (Cimbrian)

Leib (German)

łaowa (Vilamovian)

לייב (layb) (Yiddish)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lif (Old Saxon)

lif (Middle Low German)

Läwen (Plautdietsch)

***lib** (Proto-West Germanic)

lif (Old Saxon)

lif (Middle Low German)

Lief (Low German)

Lif, Lief (German Low German)

líf (Old Norse)

liv, laiv (Elfdalian)

líf (Faroese)

liev (Gutnish)

líf (Icelandic)

liv (Norn)

liv (Norwegian Bokmål)

liv (Norwegian Nynorsk)

líf (Old Norse)

lif (Old Danish)

liv (Danish)

líf (Old Norse)

lif (Old Swedish)

liv (Swedish)

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