

**\*winistrāz** Runic: ᚹᚲᚲᚲᚱᚲᚲᚹ Pronunciation: /'wi.nis.traz/

adjective · a-stem

## Meanings

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left (opposite of right)

## Etymology

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As with many words for 'left', this word was probably a tabooistic formation from \*winiz ('friend'), ultimately from Proto-Indo-European *\*wenh<sub>1</sub>-* ('to strive for, wish for, desire, love').

## Declension

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### Strong declension

| Case         | Sg. Masc.      | Sg. Fem.     | Sg. Neut.      | Pl. Masc.    | Pl. Fem.     | Pl. Neut.    |
|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Nom.</b>  | winistrāz      | winistrō     | winistrā, -atō | winistrai    | winistrōz    | winistrō     |
| <b>Acc.</b>  | winistranō     | winistrō     | winistrā, -atō | winistranz   | winistrōz    | winistrō     |
| <b>Gen.</b>  | winistras, -is | winistraizōz | winistras, -is | winistraizō  | winistraizō  | winistraizō  |
| <b>Dat.</b>  | winistrammai   | winistraizōi | winistrammai   | winistrammaz | winistrammaz | winistrammaz |
| <b>Inst.</b> | winistranō     | winistraizō  | winistranō     | winistrammaz | winistrammaz | winistrammaz |

## Weak declension

| Case         | Sg. Masc.   | Sg. Fem.    | Sg. Neut.   | Pl. Masc.    | Pl. Fem.     | Pl. Neut.    |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Nom.</b>  | winistrô    | winistrō    | winistrô    | winistraniz  | winistrōniz  | winistrōnō   |
| <b>Acc.</b>  | winistranų  | winistrōnų  | winistrô    | winistranunz | winistrōnunz | winistrōnō   |
| <b>Gen.</b>  | winistriniz | winistrōniz | winistriniz | winistranô   | winistrōnô   | winistranô   |
| <b>Dat.</b>  | winistrini  | winistrōni  | winistrini  | winistrammaz | winistrōmaz  | winistrammaz |
| <b>Inst.</b> | winistrinē  | winistrōnē  | winistrinē  | winistrammiz | winistrōmiz  | winistrammiz |

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