

Etymology Project

LAKYN WAGONER

DEFINITION OF CANDOR

Pronunciation: can-dor

/'kandər/ Function: noun

- I. **Candor**: The quality of being frank, open and honest in expression
- II. Freedom from bias
- III. Kindliness
- IV. Purity


Synonyms: Honesty, sincerity, openness

Antonyms: Falsehood, lying, deception

CANDOR

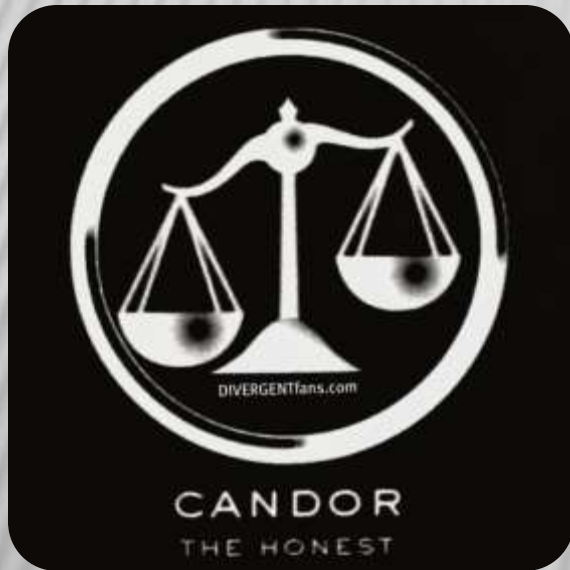
CANDOR

Honest and straightforward, a statement with candor is free from discrimination and dishonesty.



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ORIGIN OF CANDOR

- I. c. 1600, from Latin candor
- II. Originally “whiteness,” from candere “to shine, to be white”
- III. Borrowed earlier in English (c. 1500) with the Latin literal sense “extreme whiteness”

DEFINITION OF DAUNTLESS

Pronunciation: daunt-less [dawnt-lis, dahnt-]

Function: Adjective or noun

- I. Dauntless Adjective: not to be daunted or intimidated
- II. Noun: the principal of the U.S. Navy Fleet Bomber of World War II, successful as a dive bomber

Synonyms: Undaunted, daring, brave

Antonyms: Fearful, timid

DAUNTLESS



ORIGIN OF DAUNTLESS

- I. Adjective, 1590s, from daunt + -less.
- II. Noun, name of a dive bomb ship in World War II, full name Douglas DBS Dauntless, made in the middle 1930's
- III. This type of plane model was responsible for sinking thousands of Japanese ships

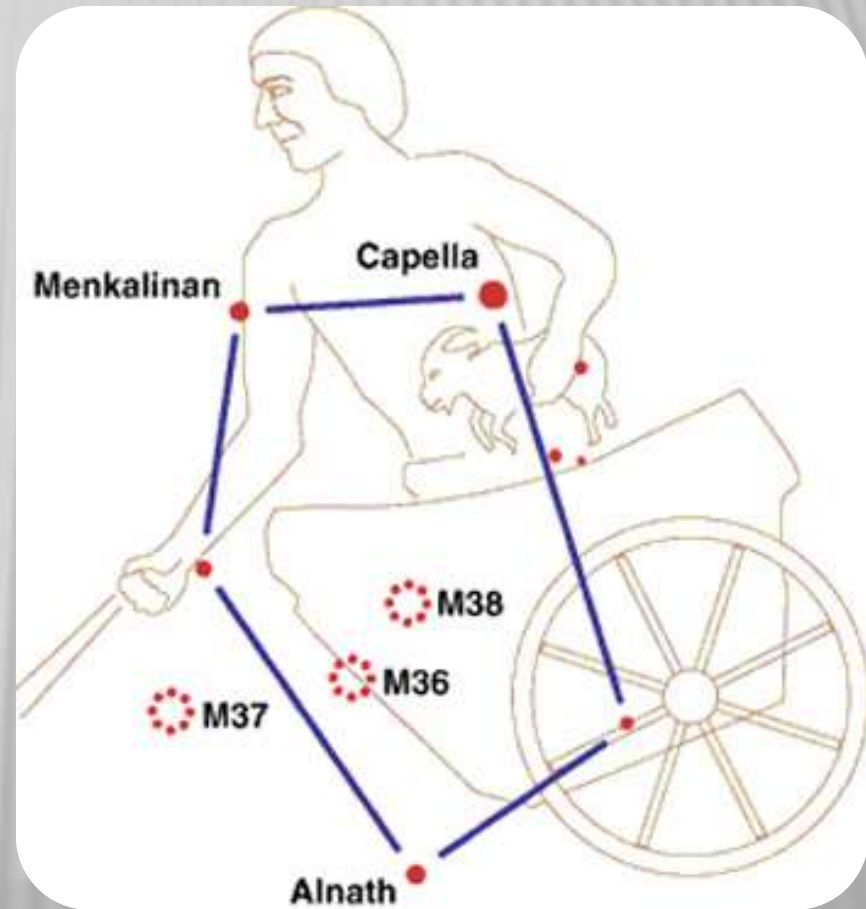
THE NAME WAGONER

Pronunciation: wag-on-er / 'wagənər/

Function: Noun

- I. Wagoner: One who drives a wagon
- II. Engineer
- III. Northern constellation Auriga
- IV. A Chariot

WAGONER



ORIGIN OF WAGONER

- I. Originally in Saxony, Germany
- I. Pronounced “Vogoner” in German
- II. Is derived from Middle high German
- III. Family name became a main contributor in the development of Saxony in ancient times
- IV. Has many different spellings, Waggoner and Wagner

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