

page 35 The Talmudic sages already rightly noted in this regard that 'in connection with none of the sacrifices mentioned in the Torah is 'Elohīm or 'Elohekā [<sup>theological name</sup> 'your God' [ or Sadday ['Almighty'] or Sebhā'ōth [<sup>hosts</sup> 'Hosts'] found, only the Specific Name יְהוָה YHWH is used' (Sifre Num. § 143, and parallel passages)

The exception to this usage in Exodus xviii 12