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"Of the Elves"

Eldar - "People of the Stars;" elves of the Great Journey from Cuivienen

Nandor - "Those who turn back;" Elves who left the march of the Teleri east of the Misty Mountains of whom some afterwards entered Ossiriand

Galadhrim - "Tree People;" Elves of the concealed Elven kingdoms within the forest of Lothlorien

Quendi - "Those that speak with voices;" original Elvish name for Elves of every kind

Umanyar - "Those not of Aman;" Elves who went on the westward journey from Cuivienen but did not reach Aman

Teleri - "The Lastcomers, the Hindmost;" Sea-Elves; the third and greatest of the three hosts of the Eldar on the westward journey from Cuivienen, led by Elwe (Thingol) and Olwe

Eglath - "The Forsaken People;" name given to themselves by the Telerin Elves who remained in Beleriand seeking for Elwe (Thingol) when the main host of the Teleri departed to Aman

Silvan - Elves who never passed west of the Misty Mountains, but remained in the Vale of Anduin and in Green wood the Great; (a.k.a. Woodland Elves)

Gwaith-I-Mirdain - "People of the Jewel-smiths;" name of the fellowship of craftsmen in Eregion

Calaquendi - "Elves of the Light;" Elves who lived or had lived in Aman (High Elves)

Moriquendi - "Elves of the Darkness;" those that never saw the light of the trees

Sindar - Grey-elves; applied to all the Elves of Telerin origin whom the returning Noldor found in Beleriand, save for the Green-elves of Ossiriand

Falathrim - The Telerin Elves of the Falas, whose lord was Cirdan

Avari - "The Unwilling, the Refusers;" Elves who refused to join the westward march from Cuivienen

Noldor - Deep-elves; the second host of the Eldar on the westward journey from Cuivienen, led by Finwe

Laiquendi - Green-elves of Ossiriand

Vanyar - Fair-elves; the first host of the Eldar on the westward journey from Cuivienen, led by Ingwe