

Word of the Day -Palimpest

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- **Noun: Palimpest**

1. writing material (such as a parchment or tablet) used one or more times after earlier writing has been erased
2. something having usually diverse layers or aspects apparent beneath the surface

- **Synonyms:**

1. article
2. document
3. text
4. diploma
5. papyrus
6. scroll

- **Usage:**

1. “In some cases, the long history of expulsions echoes down the years in the changing names of a particular place; a living **palimpest** in which one period of history is erased and replaced by another. “

- **Encountered:**

1. While reading [*Can We Talk About Israel? A Guide for the Curious, Confused, and Conflicted*](#) by [Daniel Sokatch](#)

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