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í	like 'ee' in tree	Nabíl, Bahá'í, Bábí, 'Alí, Ras <u>ht</u> í
u (and aw)	like 'oh' in mow	Sulṭán, Bahá'u'lláh, Muḥammad
ú	like 'oo' in shoe	Rúhí, Naw-Rúz, Mulúk
ih, iy, ay	like 'ay' in say	Ḥusayn, <u>Shaykh</u> , Ṭáhirih, Siyyid
<u>th</u>	as 's'	Ḥadí <u>th</u> , 'U <u>th</u> mán, Kaw <u>th</u> ar
ḍ	as 'z'	Riḍá, Riḍván, Faḍl, Ḥaḍrat
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