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Top 10 Tiefling Names





Tiefling names split between two traditions: inherited human names and chosen 'virtue names,' abstract concepts that define who they want to be. Many tieflings abandon birth names for words like Spite, Carrion, or Hope.

1. **Mollymauk** — *Critical Role*
   Mollymauk Tealeaf — a flamboyant tiefling blood hunter. 'Long may he reign' became a fandom motto.
2. **Jester** — *Critical Role*
   Jester Lavorre — a chaotic tiefling cleric of the Traveler. Laura Bailey's defining role.
3. **Farideh** — *Forgotten Realms Novels*
   Erin M. Evans's warlock protagonist — the most developed tiefling in D&D fiction.
4. **Karlach** — *Baldur's Gate 3*
   A barbarian tiefling with an infernal engine for a heart. Larian's breakout companion character.
5. **Zariel** — *D&D Descent into Avernus*
   An angel who fell to become Archduke of Avernus. Not born a tiefling, but their origin.
6. **Baalzebul** — *D&D Nine Hells*
   An archdevil whose name roots many tiefling bloodlines. The infernal heritage made manifest.
7. **Damakos** — *D&D Player's Handbook*
   A sample tiefling name from the PHB — sharp, Latinate, and slightly menacing.
8. **Nemeia** — *D&D Player's Handbook*
   A feminine tiefling name suggesting both beauty and the Greek root for 'retribution.'
9. **Desire** — *The Sandman (Neil Gaiman)*
   An Endless who embodies the virtue-name tradition. Desire is what you make of it.
10. **Spite** — *D&D Virtue Name Tradition*
    A classic tiefling virtue name — reclaiming a negative word as personal power.