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**Enlightened
Beings**

arahant

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paccekabuddha

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sammā sam-buddha

arahant

- Is *enlightened*, so their mind is free from *greed, hatred, & delusion*

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 - Won't be *reborn* again
 - A regular arahant becomes enlightened by *listening* to a Buddha teach

arahant

There can be **many** arahants
in the world at a time

paccekabuddha

Sometimes called
a **Private Buddha**
or
a **Silent Buddha**

paccekabuddha

- Same enlightenment
as an *arahant*

paccekabuddha

- Same enlightenment as an *arahant*
- Became enlightened *without a teacher*

paccekabuddha

- Same enlightenment as an *arahant*
- Became enlightened *without a teacher*
- Doesn't collect *followers* by teaching

paccekabuddha

There can be *many paccekabuddhas*
in the world at a time,
but *never* when the teachings
of a sammā sam-buddha
are still around.

sammā sam-buddha

Usually we just call them
a **Buddha**
or sometimes
a **Supreme Buddha**

sammā sam-buddha

- Same enlightenment
as an *arahant*

sammā sam-buddha

- Same enlightenment
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- Became enlightened
without a teacher

sammā sam-buddha

- Same enlightenment as an *arahant*
- Became enlightened *without a teacher*
- Teaches Dhamma to *others* who become enlightened also

sammā sam-buddha

There is only ever
one sammā sambuddha
in the world at a time.

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