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# INTRODUCTION

It gives me the greatest pleasure to write some words of an introductory nature to the *Beginner's Grammar of the Greek New Testament* by my beloved colleague, Dr. W. H. Davis. The need of this book is urgent. Hardly a week goes by that I am not asked to recommend such a book to young ministers, to pastors, to laymen, to women, many of whom wish to learn how to read the Greek New Testament without the advantage of a teacher. There are a number of grammars that undertake to do this thing, but they all start in the wrong way, except Moulton's *Introduction*, which is not well suited to American schools.

It is a curious thing how traditionalism in linguistic teaching has held in slavery so many men who teach Greek today precisely as it was done a hundred years ago. The revolutionary progress made by Brugmann and Delbrück in comparative philology is left to one side for technical scholars. Professor Davis starts the student right. The standpoint of Thumb's revision of Brugmann's *Griechische Grammatik* is presented with clearness and precision. The student who starts with Davis's *Beginner's Grammar* can go right on to my *Short Grammar of the Greek New Testament* without a break or jolt. Then he will be ready for my *Grammar of the Greek New* 

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*Testament in the Light of Historical Research.* It is only a step further to the Brugmann-Thumb *Griechische Grammatik* and in the same direction. In my experience of thirty-five years as a teacher of the Greek New Testament I have always had numbers of men who floundered over the cases, the prepositions, the tenses, the voices, the modes, because they had learned thse basal things in the old unscientific way. It is like pulling eye-teeth for such a one to learn that the genitive is not the whence-case, but only the case of kind or genus, and that the ablative is the whence-case. If one gets it into his head that the root idea of tense is time, he may never get it out and he will therefore never understand the beauty of the Greek tense, the most wonderful development in the history of language. Professor Davis is absolutely at home in the new science of language and, I may add, is the most brilliant student of Greek that I have ever had. One should, if possible, take the college course in ancient Greek. He needs this background and this contact with the glorious period of the Greek language. But the New Testament is the chief glory of the Greek tongue, and one can begin it in the right way under Professor Davis's tutelage.

Professor Davis is a master of the papyri and so of the Koiné of the first century A.D. This fact is the second linguistic discovery that has revolutionized the study of the Greek New Testament. Comparative philology and

the papyri discoveries have put the old grammars out of date and all the new ones that ignore the tremendous progress thus made. It is now known that the Greek of the New Testament is not literary Attic nor is it a peculiar Hebrew jargon or sacred Greek dialect. At bottom it is simply straight Koiné of the first century A.D. like that found in the inscriptions of Asia Minor and in the papyri of Egypt. The papyri give us many thousands of examples of the language of the life of the first century A.D. in Egypt. There are business contracts, bills, deeds, marriage contracts, wills, decrees, love letters, business correspondence, anything and everything that made up the life of the people of the time. These relics preserve the language of people of all degrees of culture. The Koiné means the language common to people everywhere, not merely the language of the common people. It was the means of communication all over the Roman Empire. The most of the papyri examples give the vernacular form of the Koiné, but there are specimens of the literary Koiné also. The New Testament is mainly in the vernacular Koiné, but it is the vernacular of men of great ability and some of them have a decided literary flavor, as we see in the writings of Luke, the Epistles of Paul, the Epistle to the Hebrews.

Language changes with the years if it is alive. Changes occur in the meaning of words, and here the papyri give very great help in showing what the words of the New Testament meant in everyday life. Dr. Davis himself has found over two thousand words in the papyri not given in any of the

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Greek lexicons. But the forms of the Koiné show numerous changes from those in the Attic. Dr. Davis's *Grammar* gives the forms of the Koiné, not of the Attic Greek. Syntax shows some changes also, and these are given rightly.

There are Hebraisms and Aramaisms in the Greek New Testament, but the number is nothing like so great as was once thought to be the case. It is natural that Jews who spoke and wrote the Koiné should reveal here and there familiarity with Hebrew and Aramaic. Even Luke, probably a Greek, has the earmarks of Aramaic sources and of knowledge of the Septuagint. But, in the main, the New Testament is written in the current Koiné, as one would expect.

It should be added that Dr. Davis confines himself to a Beginner's Grammar. He does not try to teach the ancient Attic on the one hand nor to go over the ground of my *Short Grammar* on the other. He definitely undertakes to prepare students for the *Short Grammar*, and he does it with consummate skill. He supplies in masterly fashion the book that was needed. He will smooth the path for the beginner in the Greek New Testament. He will make it so easy that one will wonder why he was so long starting on the road that leads into the heart of the greatest of all books of earth, the Greek New Testament.

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# PREFACE TO THE FOURTH EDITION

The reception accorded the "Beginner's Grammar" has been more than satisfactory. A Spanish translation is now in preparation by Professor G. F. McKibben, Saltillo, Mexico.

To this edition I have been led by requests from many teachers to add Greek-English and English-Greek vocabularies. Also I have incorporated a short article on the formation of the perfect (and pluperfect) middle (passive) of mute stems.

I must record my thanks to Professor H. E. Dana, Fort Worth, Texas, Professor H. W. Provence, Greenville, S. C., Professor J. R. Mantey, Chicago, Ill., Professor G. F. Nicolassen, Oglethorpe University, Ga., Professor E. H. Merriman, Monteagle, Tenn., and Professor J. W. Patterson, Chicago, Ill., for correction of errors of many kinds and for valuable suggestions, many of which have been incorporated in the text.

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# PREFACE

Dr. A. T. Robertson wrote in the Preface to his *Short Grammar of the Greek New Testament:* "Three types of New Testament grammars are needed: a beginner's grammar for men who have had no Greek training, an advanced and complete grammar for scholars and more critical seminary work, an intermediate handy working grammar for men familiar with the elements of Greek both in school and in the pastorate." This book is designed to meet the need for the first type. It is intended for those who are beginning the study of the Greek New Testament or have an imperfect knowledge of the essentials of the Greek of the New Testament, and to serve as a preparation for *A Short Grammar of the Greek New Testament* (A. T. Robertson).

The book is a beginner's book. It is the result of class-room experience of many years. The need and preparation of a beginner's class in Greek has determined the method and order of presentation. The Greek of the New Testament is the Koiné of the first century A.D. It is presented as such in this book. The historical development of the Greek language has been kept in mind.

No forms or words are given which do not occur in the Greek New Testament. All illustrations and sentences for translation have been taken from the

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New Testament. These words which are of the most frequent occurrence are presented first.

In this book especial stress has been laid upon the meaning of the cases, the prepositions, and the tenses, wherein most beginner's books have been faulty.

The author wishes to record his great indebtedness to his teacher, Professor A. T. Robertson, D.D., LL.D., of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, for instruction and valuable assistance. Without his encouragement this work would not have been begun nor would it have been brought to completion. Whatever of worth this book may have, it owes much (if not all) to his rare scholarship and experience of many years as a teacher of the Greek New Testament. In fact his monumental work *A Grammar of the Greek New Testament in the Light of Historical Research* is the authority from which this book drew at all points. Of course he is not at all responsible for any faults or errors which this book may contain.

The names of many writers whose works were consulted, the author cannot here recount, except Brugmann-Thumb (*Griechische Grammatik*).

In conclusion the author wishes here to express his thanks to his colleage, Professor F. M. Powell, A.M., Th.D., for valuable criticisms of a great part of the book in manuscript, to his friend, Dr. A. R. Bond, for expert criticism and preparation of the Index, and to his father, Rev. Q. C. Davis, Albermarle, N.C., for his sympathy and guidance.

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## BEGINNER'S GRAMMAR OF THE GREEK NEW TESTAMENT

#### LESSON I

#### The Alphabet

1. The Greek alphabet had in the Koiné or Hellenistic period twenty-four letters.

Form of capital letters	Name	Form of small letters	Sounded as 1
A	alpha	α	a in father
B	beta	β	b in boy
Г	gamma	T	g in go
Δ	delta	8	d in day
E	epsilon		e (short) in met
Z	zeta	ζ	z in daze
н	eta	η	e in fête a in mate
. 0	theta	0	th in thin
I	iota		{i in police i in fit

<sup>1</sup> The sounds adopted as equivalent to the vowels in Greek are given for the sake of a consistent method of pronunciation. Already in the first century A.D. some of the vowels and diphthongs were sometimes pronounced alike, as in Modern Greek, and consequently were confused: thus  $e_i$ ,  $\eta$ ,  $\mu$ , v,  $v_i$ ,  $e_i$  (being pronounced alike) were sometimes written one for another; so with e and  $\alpha_i$ , and o and  $\omega_i$ . The confusion of vowels and diphthongs of  $\tilde{e}$  sound is called *itacism*.

There is clear evidence that in the first century A.D.,  $\beta$  had the twofold pronunciation of b and  $\nu$  (labiodental), as in Modern Greek, and  $\gamma$  had begun to have the value of  $\gamma$  (the j value of i before  $\varepsilon$  and i sounds).

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form of capital letters	Name	Form of small letters	Sounded as
K	kappa	x	k in keep
۸	lambda	λ	1 in led
M	mu	μ	m in man
N	nu		n in net
E	xi	Ę	x in lax
ō	omicron		o (short) in omit
п	pi	T	p in peg
P	rho	P	r in run
Σ	sigma		s in sit
Ĩ	tau		t in len
ŕ	upsilon	U	u in Fr. tu, Ger. Túr
ф	phi	ę	ph in graphic
x	chi	x	ch in Ger. ich,
			Scotch loch chasm
Ψ	psi	4	ps in tops
Q	omega	ω	ō(long) in note
	ALC: NO. TO A CONTRACTOR		2010 8 2 10 2

a. At the end of a word sigma is written s, elsewhere o; as in cerouoc.

At first learn the form of the small letters only. Write each letter many, many times, pronouncing its name each time, until the whole alphabet can from memory be uttered and written without hesitation.

2. Every Greek word has as many syllables as it has separate vowels or diphthongs.

Learn the sound of each letter.

the-lö

θε-λω,

Pronounce aloud the following words:

gra-phē You-on,

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BRE-IW, or-los, YUE, α-3ελ-905, ay-800-205,

ble-pö phi-los nux a-del-phos an-thro-pos σω-ζω, sö-zö kos-mos X00-405 e-chō ε-χω, psu-chē ψυ-χη, the-le-ma θε-λη-μα

## LESSON II

## Vowels, Diphthongs, Breathing

3. There are seven vowels: α, ε, η, ι, ο, υ, ω. η is the long form of  $\varepsilon$ , and  $\omega$  is the long form of  $\circ$ ; and o are always short, η and ω always long. This list, then, corresponds in a way to the English a, e, i, o, u. a, t, u are sometimes long and sometimes short; the long and short forms are not distinguished by separate characters.

4. A diphthong is two vowel sounds fused into one. The diphthongs are:

$\alpha = ai$ in <i>aisle</i>	ou=ou in group
au = au in Ger. haus = ou in house	eu=eu in feud
au = ou in house	and the second second second
et=ei in height	$\eta u = approximately the$
Survey of the barrent	same sound as ev.
n - oi in ail	ut = we

### $\alpha = oi in oil$

Also there are q, n, w; but the : (iota written underneath a vowel is called 'iota-subscript') does not affect the sound of the vowel.

5. Many Greek words begin with a sound equivalent to the English h. This sound is indicated by writing a sign (') called the rough breathing over a vowel or

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diphthong at the beginning of a word (over the second vowel of a diphthong). Thus  $b\delta o \varsigma = hodos$ ;  $s \delta \rho t \sigma x \omega = heurisko$ . If an initial vowel or diphthong is not pronounced with an h, the sign ('), called the smooth breathing, is written over it. Thus  $dx \circ \omega \omega =$  akouo;  $o \delta \rho \alpha x \circ \varsigma = ouranos$ . Initial  $\omega$  always has the rough breathing.

6. Write the following in English (Roman) letters in accordance with the equivalents given in I and 4.

βαλετε είς τα δεξια μερη του πλοιου το δικτυον και εύρησετε. τις άρα ούτος έστιν; ή ψυχη αύτου έφοβηθη. οἰ άνθρωποι έξηλθον έκ του οίκου.

Write the following words in Greek characters: kai palin ērxato didaskein para tēn thalassan. kai sunagetai pros auton ochlos pleistos, höste auton eis ploion embanta kathēsthai. periblepsamenos autous legei ide hē mētēr mou kai hoi adelphoi mou.

#### LESSON III

#### Accent

7. Most Greek words are written with accents. The accents are the acute ('), the grave ('), and the circumflex ('). Thus,  $\lambda \alpha \mu \beta d \nu \alpha \epsilon$  to  $\delta \alpha \bar{\nu} \lambda \alpha \nu$ ;  $d \kappa \alpha \delta \omega \tau \bar{\eta} \varsigma$  $\varphi \omega \nu \bar{\eta} \varsigma$ . On inspection it will be noticed that the accent stands over the vowel of the accented syllable, and in a diphthong over the second vowel.

8. To us in English accent means a stress of the voice. Also to the native Greeks of today it means simply stress of voice. Originally, however, accents indicated the tone or pitch of the voice in pronouncing syllables.

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In pronunciation we make no distinction between the accents.

9. The last syllable of a word is called the ultima; the next to the last, the penult; and the one before the penult, the antepenult.

10. Learn the following verbs:

άγω,	I lead, bring, go	θέλω,	I wish, will
άχούω,	I hear	λαμβάνω,	I take, receive
βλέπω,	I see, look at	λέγω,	I say
γινώσχω,	I know	πέμπω,	I send
γράφω,	I write	πιστεύω,	I believe
εύρίσχω,	I find	έχω,	I have, hold

Write and pronounce aloud each of these words (with the proper breathing and accent) fifteen to twenty times, associating with each word its meaning, as

- $d\gamma\omega$ , á-gō, *I lead*. Notice how the breathing and accent are written together when they occur on the same syllable.
- dzoύω, a-koú-ō, I hear. Observe that the accent is written over the second vowel of the diphthong ou. See  $7.^1$

11. Observe that: I. Every initial vowel or diphthong has a breathing. 2. The acute accent stands on the penult. The accent of verbs is generally thrown as far back as possible from the last syllable. This is known as *recessive* accent. Here the position of the accent is determined by the last syllable:

<sup>4</sup> Sections in the Lesson Part are referred to by the simple number (as 7). Sections in the Part dealing with Etymology are referred to by a section sign  $(\delta)$  before the number (as  $\delta$  6)

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(1) If the last syllable is long, the accent falls on the penult. (2) If the last syllable is short, the accent falls on the antepenult. (3) A syllable is long if it contains a long vowel or diphthong; otherwise it is short. 3. The ending  $-\omega$  in each of these words has the force of the personal pronoun *I* in English.

12. 1. In Greek the endings of verbs generally express the different persons, as *I*, thou (you), he, we, ye (you), they. What is the ending of each verb in 10? The endings of verbs denoting person are called *personal endings*; they are fragments of old pronouns and are inseparable from the verb. But in English the personal pronouns are separate from the verb and are generally written before it.

In the case of most verbs the original personal endings in the singular of the present indicative are no longer apparent in the forms of the  $-\omega$ verbs.

2. The verb affirms action (including "state"). A Greek verb has tense, mode, and voice. Tense expresses the state of the action of the verb; mode gives the manner of affirmation of the verb, how it is made; voice tells how the action of the verb is related to the subject. Verbs indicate affirmation by the personal endings.

The student should now begin to make a Greek-English and an English-Greek vocabulary arranged according to the alphabet. A good note book of

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#### LESSON IV

## 13. Present Indicative Active

I. λέγ-ω,	I am saying,	λέγ-ο-μεν,	we are saying,
- These	I say		say
2. λέγ-εις,	you are say-	λέγ-ε-τε,	ye are saying,
1000000000	ing, say		say
3. λέγ-ει,	he, she, or it	λέγ-ουσι,	they are say-
	is saying, says		ing, say
In	finitive, hey-erv, to	be saving.	to say

14. Only in the indicative mode in Greek do the tenses show time absolutely. The main idea of tense is the "kind of action." the state of action. Even in the indicative time is a secondary idea. Continued action, or a state of incompletion, is denoted by the present tense,—this kind of action is called *durative* or *linear*. The action of the verb is shown in progress, as going on. Observe that the indicative mode in Greek has practically the same declarative force as it has in English. In 13 the subject is represented as acting.

15. To conjugate a verb is to give all the variations in its terminations in the proper order. As given in 13.  $\lambda i \gamma \omega$  is said to be conjugated in the present indicative active and present infinitive active.

16. Observe in the conjugation of  $\lambda \epsilon_{\gamma} \omega$ : I. The stem  $\lambda \epsilon_{\gamma}$ - remains unchanged throughout. 2. A vowel follows this stem. 3. The vowel is  $\circ$  before endings that begin with  $\mu$  or  $\nu$ , and  $\epsilon$  before other letters. This vowel (sometimes designated  $\circ/\circ$ ) is called the *thematic* vowel. 4. The thematic vowel

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is followed by an ending (the personal ending, see 12) clearly seen in -µzy and -rz of the first and second persons plural.

Thus,  $\lambda \epsilon \gamma - \epsilon - \tau \epsilon$  is composed of the stem  $\lambda \epsilon \gamma -$ , the thematic vowel  $-\epsilon -$ , and the personal ending  $-\tau \epsilon$ . 17. The personal endings of the active voice, primary tenses,<sup>1</sup> in their primitive form were these:

Singular		Plur	al
Iµи, I		-1157,	we
2 s (for - oi), 1)	iou	-18,	ye
3 or (for - rt), h	e, she, it	-vot (for -	vti), they

The personal endings are remnants of personal pronouns.

18. The thematic vowel with the personal ending may be exhibited thus:

1. o-µ	o-trev
2. e-c (for e-o:)	8-78
3. e-ot (for ett)	0-101 (for 0-171)

a. The first person singular  $-\omega$  is probably the result of dropping the personal ending  $-\mu$  and the consequent lengthening of the thematic vowel  $\circ$  to  $\omega$ . b.  $-\varepsilon \sigma \tau$  and  $-\varepsilon \tau$  of the second and third persons singular result in  $-\varepsilon \tau$  and  $-\varepsilon \tau$  respectively. c. In  $-\circ v \sigma \tau$  of the third person plural v is expelled and  $\circ$  is lengthened to  $\circ \omega$  (such vowel change is called *compensatory* lengthening).

19. The resultant endings from combination of the thematic vowel and the personal ending are

<sup>1</sup> The primary tenses are the present, the future, and the perfect;

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I.	-ω,	Ι	-otran,	we
2.	-815,	thou	-678,	ye
3.	-ei,	he, she, it	-ουσι,	they

These forms must be mastered. Nothing short of absolute mastery of forms will answer the purpose.

20. The infinitive does not have personal endings. It is a verbal substantive in a fixed case form. -exp is the result of contraction of the thematic vowel eand the old locative ending -ey (-evi).

21. Exercises for pronunciation and translation.

I. Translate into English:

Ι. βλέπει, ακούομεν, γινώσκετε. 2. λαμβάνουσι, γράφεις,
 Έχει, πιστεύομεν. 3. πέμπειν, εὐρίσκει, ἄγετε, γινώσκουσι.
 4. θέλομεν βλέπειν, ἔχομεν, γινώσκετε. 5. ἄγουσι, λαμβάνει, ἔχουσι.

II. Translate into Greek:

22.

 We know, I see, he finds. 2. You send, they know, ye lead. 3. We wish to know, he hears.
 They write, he has, you believe.

### LESSON V

The Second Declension or Declension of o-Stems

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place
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friend

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The student should take up the words of the vocabulary, one at a time, writing and pronouncing (aloud) each word with its proper accent and breathing until it can be spoken or written without hesitation. Learn thoroughly the meaning of each word. Do not take up a new word until the preceding word has been thoroughly mastered.

23. Observe: 1. All the words in the vocabulary end in  $-\infty$ . 2. All these substantives belong to the  $\infty$ declension. 3. They all have an acute accent on the penult.

24. In Greek all nouns (substantive and adjectives) are declined in one of three declensions. Substantives of the second declension have stems in -o-. The *stem* of a word is that part of it which remains virtually unchanged in all its forms.

25. The declension of  $\lambda \delta \gamma \circ \varsigma$ , of the second declension, is:

#### STEM LOYO-

#### Plural Singular Lóyou, words Nom. horos, a word λόγων, of words Gen. λόγου, of a word λόγων, from words Abl. 26you, from a word Loc. λόγφ, in, or at, a word λόγοις, in or at words Ins. λόγφ, with or by a word λόγοις, with or by words Dat. λόγω, to or for a word λόγοις, to or for words Loyous, words royay, a word Acc. hoyor, O words Voc. 26yr, O word

a. In the dat. sing. the ending - $\psi$  is for - $\phi$  +  $\alpha$ In the loc sing. the http://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page28.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 11:42:18 a.m.]

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ending  $-\varphi$  is for  $-\varphi + i$  (loc. case-ending)  $= \varphi = \varphi = \varphi$ . In the ins. sing. the ending  $-\varphi$  is for  $-\varphi + \alpha$  (ins. caseending)  $= \omega$ . Because the forms of these cases were pronounced alike, they early came to be written alike. b. The genitive and ablative cases early came to have their forms alike. c. The loc., ins., and dat. plural have the ending of the instrumental case  $-\varphi = \varphi$ . So far as the form goes the vocative is strictly not a case. The endings of  $\lambda \delta \gamma \varphi =$ must be absolutely mastered.

26. I. Note that the accent on  $\lambda \delta \gamma \circ \varsigma$  remains on the same syllable throughout the declension. In the declension of a substantive the accent is kept, if possible, on the same syllable on which it rests in the nominative case.

2. The accent of the nominative case must be learned by observation of each word.

27. It is to be observed, from 25, that in Greek there are eight cases (appearing under five caseforms): Nominative, Genitive, Ablative, Locative, Instrumental, Dative, Accusative, and Vocative. The nominative is the case of the subject, corresponding roughly to the English nominative. The genitive is the specifying case, expressed in English by the possessive or the objective with of. The ablative is the whence case (origin or separation), expressed in English by off, out, from, away, etc. The locative is the in case, corresponding to the English in, on, among, at, by. The instrumental is the case of means or association, expressed in English by with, by, etc. The dative is the case of personal A.A. V....

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interest (denoting advantage or disadvantage), corresponding to the English to or for, or indirect object. The accusative is the case of extension (whether of thought or verbal action), corresponding roughly to the English direct object. The vocative is the case of address.

28. In Greek the case-endings of nouns express the relation of words to each other, and to other parts of the sentence. In English this relation is generally expressed by prepositions (such as of, for, at, on, in, by, etc.) and position of words.

#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. λίθφ, χόσμου, θρόνων. 2. λόγοι νόμου. 3. λέγει
 δχλφ. 4. λαμβάνομεν άρτον. 5. δχλος άχούει λόγον
 νόμου.

II. I. In a place, of a world. 2. For a friend, laws of thrones. 3. He takes a stone. 4. We have bread for a world. 5. Ye speak words to crowds.

#### LESSON VI

## Declension of o-Stems (Continued)

### 30.

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#### VOCABULARY

άγγελος,	angel, messenger
άνθρωπος,	man
άπόστολος,	apostle

διδάσχαλος, teacher Θάνατος, death χύριος, Lord

In  $\arg_{\gamma \in \lambda \circ \varsigma}$  the first  $\gamma$  is pronounced like ng.  $\gamma$  is always pronounced ng when it comes before x,  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma$ , or  $\xi$ . Some words of the vocabularies so far given occur 1000 times in the New Testament.

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**31.** Nouns of the o-declension whose nominatives end in  $-o_{\zeta}$  are generally masculine in gender (rarely feminine).

82. Declension of the masculine article  $\delta$  the, and  $\ddot{\alpha}\nu\theta\rho\omega\pi\sigma\varsigma$ :

#### STEM dydpwxo-

#### Singular

#### Plural

Nom.	8	άνθρωπος,	the man	lo	άνθρωποι,	the men
Gen.	TOU	άνθρώπου,	of the man	τών	άνθρώπων,	ofthemen
Abl.	<b>T</b> OŪ	άνθρώπου,	from the man		άνθρώπων,	
			in or al the man	TOIS	άνθρώποις,	in or at
Ins.	τφ	άνθρώπφ,	with or by the man	2007	άνθρώποις,	withorby
Dat.	τŵ	άνθρώπφ,	to or for the man	TOIS	άνθρώποις,	to or for
Acc.	tdy	άνθρωπον,	the man	TOUS	άνθρώπους,	the men
			0 man		άνθρωποι,	0 men

33. Observe: In the declension of  $\check{\alpha}\nu\theta\rho\omega\pi\sigma\varsigma$ : I. The acute accent stands on the antepenult in the nominative case, and the ending  $-\varsigma\varsigma$  is short. 2. When the ultima becomes long, as in the endings  $-\sigma\upsilon$ ,  $-\varphi$ ,  $-\omega\upsilon$ ,  $-\sigma\upsilon\varsigma$ ,  $-\sigma\upsilon\varsigma$  (3, 4, and II, (3)) the accent moves to the penult. Cf. 23, 2. 3. Final  $-\sigma\iota$ , although a diphthong, is considered short in determining the place of accent in the  $\circ$ - declension.

34. The acute accent may stand on the ultima, penult, or antepenult.

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I. The acute accent cannot stand on the antepenult when the ultima is long, but may stand on the penult.

2. The acute accent (') on a final syllable is changed to the grave (') when another word immediately follows without any intervening mark of punctuation.

35. Note: 1. The article in the nominative case has no accent,—it is to be pronounced with the following word.
2. The circumflex accent is written over the gen., abl., loc., inst., dat. cases of the article; and the syllable on which it stands is long.
3. The grave accent in the acc. case of the article.
4. The rough breathing over the nom. case of the article.

36. The definite article  $\delta$ , the, is an adjective, and, like all adjectives in Greek, it is declined and agrees in gender, number, and case with the word it modifies.

#### \* 37.

### EXERCISES

Ι. τῷ διδασκάλψ, ἀνθρώπων, τοῖς ἀποστόλοις.
 2. ἄγγελοι τοῦ κυρίου, τῷ θρόνψ τοῦ κόσμου. 3. δ φίλος
 γράφει. 4. ὁ κύριος λέγει. 5. ὁ διδάσκαλος γινώσκει τοὺς
 νόμους. 6. οἰ φίλοι πέμπουσι ἄρτον τοῖς ἀποστόλοις.

II. I. With a stone, at the place, of the world.2. He sees the crowd. 3. The man wishes to find bread for the apostles. 4. We see the friends of the

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VOCABULARY

work

child

temple garment

little child

άδελφός	, brother	έργον,
θεός,	God	lepóv,
λαός,	people	ίμάτιον,
ούρανός	heaven	παιδίον,
ulóç,	son	τέχνον,

The diphthong in of with the rough breathing, as in olds, is pronounced like hwee.

39. Declension of oupavos.

STEM oupavo-	de la
Singular	Plural
Nom.ούρανός	ούρανοί
Gen. οὐρανοῦ	ούρανῶν
Abl. ούρανοῦ	ούρανῶν
Loc. οὐρανῷ	ούρανοξο
Ins. οὐρανῷ	ούρανοίς
Dat. odpavo	ούρανοξο
Αcc. ούρανόν	ούρανού
Voc. odpavé	ούρανοί

40. Note that: I. In every gen., abl., loc., ins., and dat. the acute (') is changed to the circumflex (').
2. In the diphthongs -oū and -oīç the circumflex is written over the second vowel. See 7.

41. A long ultima in the gen., abl., loc., ins., and dat. cases, if accented, receives the circumflex accent. 42. Learn the declension of the neuter substantive lergov with the neuter article  $\tau \delta$  the. Neuter substantives stantives of the  $\circ$ - declension have their nominatives Lord.

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STEM EPYO-Plural Singular τά έργα Nom. to Epyoy TOY EPYOY Gen. tou Epyou τών Έργων Abl. τοῦ ἔργου TOIS EPYOIS Loc. τῷ ἔργφ TOIC EPYOIC Ins. τώ ἔργψ TOIS EPYOIS Dat. τῷ ἔργψ τά έργα Acc. to Epyoy έργα Epyoy Voc.

43. It is to be observed in the declension of Epyov: 1. The nom., acc., and voc. cases in the singular have the same ending, -ov; and the same cases in the plural have the ending  $-\alpha$ . 2. The inflection of the other cases is the same as that of masculine substantives.

44. The neuter article, to the, differs in its inflection from the masculine article only in the nom. and acc. cases.

### EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. τφ υίφ του Θεού. 2. εδρίσχουσι τόν υίδν ένι τφ ίερφ. 3. δ διδάσχαλος θέλει λέγειν τοις τέχνοις. 4. δ θεός ούρανοῦ πέμπει τοὺς ἀγγέλους τοῖς ἀνθρώποις. 5. οἰ άδελφοί έχουσι άρτον καί<sup>2</sup> ίμάτια τοῖς παιδίοις.

II. I. For the brothers and of the brothers. 2. The friend finds the garments of the children. 3. We see the son in the temple. 4. The teacher wishes to speak to the little child.

1 iv, in, is used with the locative case.

\* xat, and, used more times than any other conjunction in the

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## LESSON VIII

## Declension of o-Stems (Concluded)

3.		VOCABUL	ARY	
	δούλος, ό, μισθός, ό <u>;</u>	servant pay, wages, reward	δώρον, τό, πλοΐον, τό,	gift boat
	οίχος, δ, οίνος, δ, όφθαλμός, δ,	house wine	ποτήριον, τό, πρόσωπον, τό, σάββατον, τό,	face
		from, off, u case in the N		

Notice that when the breathing and circumflex accent belong to the same vowel, the circumflex is written directly over the breathing, as in olxoc, etc. 47. The following are the declensions of douloc and SECON:

STEM	δουλο-	ST	EM	Swpo-
Singular	Plural	Singu	lar	Plural
Nom. δούλος	δούλοι	Nom. búg	vov	δώρα
Gen. δούλου	δούλων	Gen. δώ;	oou	δώρων
Abl. δούλου	δούλων	Abl. δώς	iou.	δώρων
Loc. 8002.0	δούλοις	Loc. 86	φ	δώροις
Ins. δούλφ	δούλοις	Ins. 8ώ	φ	δώροις
Dat. 806λφ	δούλοις	Dat. 8ώ	φ	δώροις
Αcc. δούλον	δούλους	Acc. bu	voq	δώρα
Voc. Boule	δούλοι	Voc. 80	Pox	būção

48. Observe that: I. The circumflex accent(") occurs on a long syllable only. 2. When the circumflex accent is written on the penult, the last syllable

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is short. 3. When the last syllable becomes long, the circumflex accent is changed to the acute. Cf. 26, 1.

49. The circumflex accent may stand on the ultima or the penult. It cannot stand on the antepenult. The circumflex accent cannot stand on the penult when the ultima is long. When the ultima is short and the penult is long, the penult takes the circumflex accent, if it is to be accented.

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#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. έν τοῖς ἔργοις τοῦ νόμου. 2. δ χύριος τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἔχει τὰ δῶρα τοῖς δούλοις. 3. ἀπὸ τοῦ νόμου xaì ἀπὸ τῶν ἀποστόλων. 4. τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς βλέπομεν τὸν οἶνον ἐν τῷ ποτηρίψ. 5. τὸ παιδίον, γινώσχει τὸν ἀδελφόν.

II. 1. In the world and in the temple. 2. From the temple and from heaven. 3. The apostles receive bread for the servants. 4. We know the law and believe. 5. The son wishes to speak to the children.

## LESSON IX

## Present Indicative Middle

51. The Greek verb has three voices: active, middle, and passive. The active and passive voices are used as in English; the active voice represents the subject as acting; the passive voice represents the subject as acted upon.

**52.** The middle voice represents the subject as http://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page36.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 11:44:09 a.m.]

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acting directly on himself (direct middle): λούω, I wash; λούομαι, I wash myself. 2. As acting for himself or for his own interest in some way: dγοράζω, I buy; dγοράζομαι, I buy for myself.

a. Precisely how the subject acts with reference to himself, the middle voice per se does not tell. This precise relation is determined by the meaning of the verb itself and the context. b. Often it is impossible to translate the shade of meaning given by the middle. Yet in some verbs there is a bold change in meaning.

53. The conjugation of the present indicative middle of  $\lambda \circ i \omega$ , I wash, is

	Sing	ular	Pl	lural
I.	λού-ο-μαι,	I wash myself	λου-ό-μεθα,	we wash our- selves
2.	λού-η,	you wash your- self	λού-ε-σθε,	ye wash your- selves
3.	λού-ε-ται,	he washes him- self	λού-ο-νται,	they wash themselves

Present infinitive middle 206-e-obas, to wash oneself.

Observe that the appended translation is the direct middle. If dropátoua: I buy for myself, etc., were given, the indirect middle would be seen.

54. The primary middle personal endings are:

Singular	Plural
Iµан, I	-μεθα, we
2 oai, thou (you)	-σθε, ye
3rai, he, she, it	-viai, they

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The thematic vowel (%) and personal endings:

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Observe in the conjugation of λούω that:

1. The second person sing.  $\lambda \circ \delta \eta$  is for  $\lambda \circ \delta \varepsilon \sigma \alpha a$ . - $\eta$  arose from the dropping of  $\sigma$  and the contraction of  $\varepsilon$  and  $\alpha t = \eta t = \eta$ . Rarely is  $\varepsilon t$  found instead of

2.  $\alpha$  in these personal endings is considered short, hence the accent on the antepenult. The same principle of accent is to be observed as in II and I3.

3. The thematic vowel  $(^{\circ}/_{\bullet})$  is found as in the active voice.

The present middle infinitive ending is -σθαι.
 The αι is considered short.

55.	V etc.	OCABULARY	
dyopáťw,	I buy I fasten to	άγοράζομαι, άπτομαι,	I buy for myself I fasten myself to, touch
λούω, νίπτω, παύω, φυλάσσω	I wash I wash I slop I guard, keej	λούομαι, γίπτομαι, παύομαι, φ φυλάσσομαι,	I wash myself I wash myself I stop myself, cease I guard myself, keep myself

This vocabulary is given as a simple illustration of the middle. Any verb may be used in the middle

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## PRESENT INDICATIVE PASSIVE

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 1. 1. άγοράζεται, φυλάσση, παύομαι. 2. νίπτομαι τὸ πρόσωπον. 3. φυλάσσεται ἀπὸ τοῦ κόσμου. 4. ὁ δοῦλος ἀγοράζεται τὸ πλοῖον. 5. ἀπτόμεθα καὶ λουόμεθα. 6. παύεσθε καὶ λέγουσι.

II. 1. He ceases, they wash themselves. 2. You buy bread for yourself. 3. The apostle washes his (the) face. 4. The child guards himself from the man.

## LESSON X

#### **Present Indicative Passive**

57.	VOCABULARY		
διδάσχω,	I throw I teach	πρίνω, στέλλω, σώζω,	a construction of the second
and the second se	I raise up I announce, procla prep., into, used prep., used with with the accusa	im with the ac the ablative	cusative only.

58. The passive voice is later than the active and middle and did not develop distinctive personal endings. The middle and passive are the same in form, except in the *future* and *aorist*. For the meaning of passive see 51.

59. The following is the present indicative passive of  $\lambda \omega I$  loose.

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Sin	gular		Plural		ŝ
	I am (being)	λυ-ό-μεθα,	we are loosed		
2. XO-B,	loosed you are (be-	λύ-ε-σθε,		(being)	
3. Xú-e-rai,	ing) loosed he is (being) loosed	λό-ο-νται	they are loosed	e (being)	
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Present passive infinitive 26-e-soan, to be loosed.

60. It is to be observed that the present passive voice uses the present middle endings. The present middle and passive voices have the same form.

61. Generally the context will make clear whether the middle or passive voice is meant.

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#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. βλέπονται, πέμπεται, άχούεις, άχούη. 2. σώζει, σωζόμεθα, χρίνομαι, άγεται. 3. διδάσχω, διδάσχονται, βάλλει, βάλλεται. 4. έγείρεσθε άπό των νεχρών.<sup>1</sup> 5. δ λόγος διδάσχεται έν τῷ ἰερῷ. 6. οἰ δοῦλοι στέλλονται εἰς τὸν οἰχον. 7. γράφεται έν τῷ νόμφ. 8. πιστεύουσι εἰς τὸν χύριον χαὶ σώζονται. 9. χρινόμεθα ὑπὸ τοῦ χυρίου.

II. 1. He sends and is sent. 2. He believes and is saved. 3. The word is proclaimed in the temple. 4. The son of man is judged. 5. The stone is thrown into the house. 6. The bread is taken from the apostle. 7. You are judged by the son of man.

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### LESSON XI

#### **Imperfect Indicative Active**

63.	Voca	BULARY
αίρω,	I take up, bear	μέλλω, I am about (or go-
βαπτίζω,	I baptize	ing) to do some-
έσθίω,	I eat	thing
zpáčw,	I cry out	μένω, I remain

64. The imperfect tense is made on the present stem. Thus pres.  $\lambda \epsilon \gamma - \omega$ ; imp.  $\xi - \lambda \epsilon \gamma - \omega \gamma$ .

65. The imperfect indicative represents an action as going on in past time (durative or linear action in past time),—this action may be simultaneous, prolonged, descriptive, repeated, customary, interrupted, attempted, or begun, according to the context and the meaning of the verb itself.

66: The personal endings of the secondary <sup>1</sup> active tenses are:

Sin	gular	Plural	
· I.	- <b>y</b>	-με	v
2.	-5	37-1000	
3.	none	-> 0	σαν.
67. The imp	perfect indicati	ive active o	f roów, I wash:
Sin	gular	P	lural
I. E-λου-ο-ν,	I was wash- ing	έ-λού-ο-μεν,	we were wash- ing
2. E-200-5-5,	you were washing	é-λού-ε-τε,	ye were wash- ing
3. 1-200-e,	he was wash- ing	ἕ-λου-ο-ν,	they were washing
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a. In the third pers. plu. the form è-lob-o-cav is sometimes found. b. In the plural forms like έλούαμεν, έλούατε, έλουαν sporadically appear.

68. Observe that: I. The thematic vowel is °/e as in the present indicative. 2. The third person sing. has no personal ending. 3. Before the stem louis a. This a is called the augment.

69. The augment is probably an old adverb for "then." The augment in the imperfect places linear action in past time. At times it is difficult to translate this Greek tense into English, because of the absence of a true imperfect in English.

70. The indicative of the secondary (or historical) tenses, besides having different personal endings, has also an augment. This augment is of two forms: I. If the stem begins with a consonant, the vowel a is commonly prefixed-called syllabic augment. 2. But if the stem begins with a vowel, that vowel is lengthened-called temporal augment. Thus:

- $\alpha$  becomes  $\eta$  ( $\alpha$  becomes  $\eta$ )
- ε becomes η (at becomes η) [except in 2 Ti. i:16,
- o becomes ω (αυ becomes ηυ) where it remains α]
- t becomes i
- u becomes u

a may become n, but remains a in New Testament. eu may become nu, but usually remains eu in New

Testament. or generally becomes  $\varphi$ , but sometimes remains or in New Testament.

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fixovov, I was hearing; eyelow, raise up; freepov, I was raising up; alow, take up; poov, I was taking up.

θέλω has y in the imperfect, ήθελον. Sometimes uthhe has y, thus Typehhov.

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#### EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. έμένετε, Εχραζε, Εβαλλες. 2. gopioxouer, έπίστευον, ήχουε. 3. έμενον έν τῷ οἶχφ. 4. τὸ τέχνον Εβαλλε λίθους. 5. δ χύριος έσωζε τους άνθρώπους. 6. of απόστολοι έχήρυσσον τον λόγον.

II. I. You were saying. 2. They were eating the bread. 3. The teacher was sending garments for the children. 4. He was taking up the child from the boat. 5. The men were leading the servants into the house.

## LESSON XII

#### Prepositions

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VOCABULARY

dx6, prep., from, off, away from, used with the ablative only.

elc, prep., into, used with the accusative only.

- ex (it), prep., out, out of, from within, used with the ablative only. 15 before words beginning with a vowel.
- iv, prep., in, used with the locative only. The resultant meaning of iv and the locative is sometimes instrumental.
- mapá, prep., beside, used with the locative, ablative, and accusative.

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E.g., äyw, leaa; yyov, 1 uu.

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σύν, prep., with, used with the instrumental only. άποστέλλω, send forth εlσάγω, bring in έχβάλλω, throw out, cast out παραλαμβάνω, take, receive συνάγω, gather together

Some prepositions do not have an accent. Words which do not have an accent are called proclitics and are to be pronounced with the following words.

73. Prepositions are adverbs specialized to define more clearly the meanings of cases, many of which come to be used in composition with verbs.

Prepositions were originally free adverbs. These adverbs were brought gradually into closer relation with nouns, and many of them into a closer connection with verbs.

74. Prepositions are used to bring out more clearly the idea of case. They help the cases; the case calls in the preposition to aid in expressing more sharply the meaning of the case. "It is the *case* which indicates the meaning of the preposition, and not the preposition which gives the meaning to the case." Then, strictly speaking, prepositions (in Greek) do not "govern" cases. Take  $\pi \alpha \rho \dot{\alpha}$ , meaning beside, for example: with locative,  $\pi \alpha \rho \dot{\alpha}$   $\delta \phi \delta \lambda \phi$ , by or at the side of the servant; with the ablative,  $\pi \alpha \rho \dot{\alpha}$   $\tau \phi \delta \phi \delta \lambda \omega$ , from the side of the servant; with the accusative,  $\pi \alpha \rho \dot{\alpha} \tau \delta \phi \delta \phi \lambda \phi$ , along side of the servant.

a. The cases used with prepositions are the abla-

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b. The dative is not used with any of the prepositions in the New Testament, except probably  $\epsilon_{\gamma\gamma}$ , (Acts ix:38).

75. In composition with verbs the preposition has commonly two uses.

The preposition is merely local: e.g., έx-βάλλω,
 I throw out, cast out; καταβαίνω, I am going down.

2. The preposition intensifies or completes the idea of the verb: e.g., iσθίω, I eat; χατεσθίω, I eat up (down). This is called the "perfective" force of the preposition.

a. Sometimes prepositions change the meaning of the verb and blend with it.

76. When a preposition ends in a vowel, as  $d\pi\delta$ ,  $\pi\alpha\rho\delta$ , the final vowel is dropped before a verb that begins with a vowel: e.g.,  $\pi\alpha\rho\delta\chi\omega$  is for  $\pi\alpha\rho\alpha + e\chi\omega$ , I provide, supply. When compound verbs receive the augment, the final vowel of the preposition is dropped: e.g.,  $\pi\alpha\rho\alpha\lambda\alpha\mu\beta\delta\nu\omega$ , I receive;  $\pi\alpha\rho\epsilon\lambda\delta\mu\beta\alpha\nu\sigma\nu$ , I was receiving;  $d\pi\sigma\sigma\tau\delta\lambda\lambda\omega$ , I send forth,  $d\pi\delta\sigma\tau\epsilon\lambda\lambda\sigma\nu$ , I was sending forth.

a. The prepositions περί and πρό do not drop their final vowel; e.g., προάγω, I go before; περιάγω, I go about.

#### 77.

#### EXERCISES

 I. οἰ ἀπόστολοι ἕμενον ἐν τῷ οἶχφ. 2. ὁ χύριος ἀπέστελλε τοὺς υἰοὺς εἰς τὸν χόσμον. 3. ὁ θεὸς ἐγείρει τοὺς νεκροὺς ἐκ θανάτου. 4. παρελαμβάνομεν τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ χυρίου. 5. ὁ ἄνθρωπος πέμπεται παρὰ τοῦ θεοῦ. 6. οἰ δοῦλοι ἕμενον σὺν τοῖς ἀνθρώποις. Page 44 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

tive, genitive, locative, instrumental, and accusation

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II. I. He was sending the child out of the boat.
2. The child was throwing stones into the house.
3. The servants were eating up the bread. 4. The Lord was sending forth the apostles. 5. The teacher is about to receive the bread from the child.

## LESSON XIII

The Imperfect Indicative Middle and Passive

VOCABULARY 78. dvaβλέπω, I look up, re- δοξάζω, I glorify reiow, I persuade cover sight pépu, I bear, carry I keep off, have dreyw, in full (of re- dvd, prep., on, upon, along; used with ceipts); Midd. accusative only I keep myself in New Testafrom, abstain. ment. άποθνήσχω, I die

79. The personal endings in the secondary <sup>1</sup> tenses of the indicative middle and passive are:

I follow after, pursue, persecute

Plural
-μεθα, we -σθε, ye (you) -ντο, lhey " apply to the indicative

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80. The conjugation of  $\lambda \omega$  in the imperfect indicative middle is:

Sin	ıgular		Plural
Ι. έλυόμην,	I was loosing (for) myself	έλυόμεθα,	we were loosing (for) ourselves
2. έλύου,	you were loos- ing (for) yourself	έλύεσθε,	ye were loosing (for) yourselves
3. ELÚETO,	he was loosing (for) himself	the second s	they were loos- ing (for) them- selves

a. In the second pers. sing., έλύου, -ου is for -εσο; intersonantic σ drops out and εο contract to ου.

81. Observe: 1. The thematic vowel  $^{\circ}/_{\epsilon}$ . 2. The augment. 3. The accent in first pers. sing.

82. As in the present tense, so also in the imperfect, the middle and passive voices are alike in form.

83. The conjugation of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  in the imperfect indicative passive is:

Sin	ıgular		Plure	al	
Ι. έλυόμην,	I was being loosed	έλυόμεθα,	we toos		being
2. έλίου,	you were be- ing loosed	έλύεσθε,	you loos	2643-047 PC-0	being
3. <i>έ</i> λύετο,		έλύοντο,	they loos		being
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tive active (67).

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85. The personal endings of the verb have to express

I. The person of the verb.

2. The number of the verb.

3. The voice of the verb.

In fact they express everything that has to do with the subject.

4. In the indicative they tell whether primary or secondary.

The personal endings of the verb must be mastered. The importance of the forms of the verb cannot be overstressed. If the verb-forms thus far given are thoroughly learned, the student has overcome the greater part of the difficulty in the regular verb.

86. δπό (prep.) is used with the ablative case to denote the agent, by, especially with the passive voice; e.g., έβαπτίζοντο δπό 'Ιωάνου, they were being baptized by John.

87.

## EXERCISES

I. Ι. ἐπαυόμην, ἐλούετο, φυλάσσεται. 2. οἰ ἀπόστολοι ἀπείχοντοι ἀπὸ τοῦ κόσμου. 3. ἐν τῷ οἶχψ ἐδοξάζετο ὁ κύριος. 4. τὸ τέχνον ἤγετο ὑπὸ τοῦ ἀνθρώπου. 5. ἐσώζου καὶ ἀνέβλεπες.

II. 1. The word was being preached by the apostles. 2. The children were washing themselves. 3. I was being judged by men. 4. The angel of the Lord was being heard. 5. The law was being taught in the temple. 6. The servants were looking up into the heavens.

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## LESSON XIV

## The First Declension or Declension of a- Stems

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88.	VOCA	BULARI	
γραφή,	beginning writing, scripture , commandment	άγάπη, διαθήκη,	love covenant, testa- ment
ζωή, φωνή, ψυχή,	life voice soul	διχαιοσύνη, εἰρήνη, χώμη,	righteousness " peace" village

89. All substantives of the first declension whose nominatives end in  $\alpha$  or  $\eta$  are feminine in gender.

90. The feminine article (1) and nominatives in -1 are declined as follows:

φωνή, voice

xúµŋ, village

STEM QUVZ-			STEM	χωμα-
4.3.1	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
Nom.	ήφωνή	αίφωναί	πώμη	χώμαι
Gen.	דאָק שְּשַאָק	τών φωνών	πώμης	χωμών
Abl.	דאָכ ששאאָכ	τών φωνών	χώμης	χωμών
Loc.	τή φωνή	ταίς φωναίς	χώμη	χώμαις
Ins.	τή φωνή	ταίς φωναίς	χώμη	xwittarc
Dat.	τή φωνή	ταίς φωναίς	róph	χώμαις
Acc.	την φωνήν	τάς φωνάς	κώμην	χώμας
Voc.	φωνή	φωναί	χώμη	χώμαι

91. Observe: I. The stem ends in  $\alpha$ , and is therefore called the  $\alpha$ -declension. 2. Iota-subscript is always written in the loc., ins., and dat. singular (see 25  $\alpha$ ).

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3. When the nominative sing. ends in  $-\eta$  the  $\eta$  is retained throughout the singular. 4. In the nominative plural  $-\alpha$  is considered short in determining place and kind of accent.

92. The ending  $-\alpha_1 \zeta$  in the loc., ins., and dat. plural is a new formation on the analogy of  $-\alpha_1 \zeta$  in  $\circ$ -stems. See 25 c.

93. Nouns that have an acute accent on the last syllable (ultima) are called *oxytones* (sharp tones); e.g.,  $\varphi\omega v \eta$ ,  $\zeta\omega \eta$ . Learn that all oxytones of the first and second declension have the circumflex accent over the ultima in all the genitives, ablatives, locatives, instrumentals, and datives, See 40.

94. The gen. and abl. plu. of substantives of the first or  $\alpha$ - declension always have the circumflex accent on the ultima, no matter where the accent is in the nominative singular, since  $-\omega_{\nu}$  is contracted from -two derived from  $-\omega_{\nu}$ . Thus  $x\omega_{\mu}\omega_{\nu}$ .

95. Compare the feminine article  $(\eta)$  with the endings of  $\eta \omega v \eta$ . Notice that, as in the case of the forms  $\delta$  and  $\delta$ ! of the masculine article, the forms  $\eta$  and  $\alpha$ ! do not have an accent. These forms of the article are called proclitic: they are to be pronounced as a part of the following word.

#### EXERCISES

96.

I. I. αἰ ψυχαὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων σώζονται. 2. ἐν ἀρχῆ ὁ λόγος ἡχούετο. 3. ἡ ἐντολὴ τῆς ζωῆς ἐλέγετο ὑπὸ τοῦ χυρίου. 4. αἰ γραφαὶ ἐδιδάσχοντο ἐν τῷ ἰερῷ. 5. ἐξεβάλλοντο ἐχ τῶν χωμῶν. 6. ἡ διαθήχη ἐγράφετο τοῖς ἀνθρώποις.

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II. I. From the beginning, in the village. 2. He is teaching the scriptures. 3. We have peace in the soul. 4. The sons were receiving the testament.
5. The apostles heard the commandment from the Lord. 6. The soul is being saved and finds peace and righteousness.

## LESSON XV

## First Declension (Continued)

VOCABULARY

άμαρτία, ή, sin
 βασιλεία, ή, kingdom
 σοφία, ή, wisdom
 έχαλησία, ή, assembly, (church)
 άλήθεια, ή, truth
 έξουσία, ή, authority, (power)
 άσθένεια, ή, weakness
 ήμέρα, ή, day
 μάχαιρα, ή, sword

98. I. As we have seen, a substantive in Greek has case, number, and gender.

2. There are three genders: masculine, feminine and neuter.

99. Nearly all substantives of the second declension with nominatives in -05 are masculine; <sup>1</sup> and all substantives of the second declension with nominatives in -07 are neuter.

100. All substantives of the first declension with nominatives in  $-\eta$  or  $-\alpha$  are feminine. Those with

<sup>1</sup> bobs, way, road, and Epylos, wilderness, desert, are feminine in gender.

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nominatives in  $-\eta\varsigma$  or  $-\alpha\varsigma$  are masculine. See Lesson XVI.

But the gender of substantives must often be learned by observation. Hereafter in this book the gender will be indicated in the vocabulary by the article placed after the substantive. (This method is used by most lexicons.) The masculine article,  $\delta$ , indicates masculine gender; the feminine article,  $\eta$ , feminine gender; the neuter article,  $\tau\delta$ , neuter gender.

101. Substantives of the first declension with nominatives in  $-\alpha$  (preceded by  $\epsilon$ ,  $\iota$ , or  $\rho$ ) are declined as follows:

xapola, heart		άλήθεια,	truth	
	STEM N	χρδια-	STEM d	ληθεια-
S	ingular	Plural	Singular	Plural
Nom.	xapõla	xapõlat	άλήθεια	άλήθειαι
Gen.	xapbias	χαρδιών	angelas	άληθειών
Abl.	xapdias	χαρδιών	din Helas	άληθειών
Loc.	xapdia	xapolars	άληθεία	d'An Oslars
Ins.	xapõla	xapblats	dingela	angelais
Dat.	ploque	xapolars	dindela	alguest and
Acc.	xapolar	xapdias	άλήθειαν	digelas
Voc.	xapdia	xapdian	άλήθεια	άλήθειαι

102. Observe: I. When  $\varepsilon$ , t, or  $\rho$  precedes  $-\alpha$  in the nominative singular, the  $\alpha$  is retained throughout the singular.<sup>1</sup> 2. The  $-\alpha$  after  $\varepsilon$ , t, or  $\rho$  may be long as in  $\alpha \alpha \beta \delta \alpha$  or short as in  $\alpha \lambda \eta \delta \epsilon \alpha \alpha$ . 3 When the  $-\alpha$  is short (in the first declension) in the nominative singular,

in the gen and abl sing, after e. t. or o.

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it is also short in the accusative singular. But in the accusative plural the  $-\alpha$  is long in the first declension. 4. In the gen., abl., loc., ins., and dat. singular of  $d\lambda\eta\delta\omega\alpha$  the accent is brought forward to the penult because the ultima is long. Cf. 33, 2, and 26, 1.

103.

I. Ι. ή βασιλεία τοῦ θεοῦ. 2. ή ἐχχλησία ἔχει ἐξουσίαν.
3. ή διχαιοσύνη καὶ ή ἀλήθεια ἐν τῷ χόσμῷ ἕμενον. 4. ὅ
διδάσκαλος ἔχει τὴν μάχαιραν τῆς ἀληθείας. 5. ἕβλεπον
τὴν ἡμέραν τοῦ χυρίου καὶ ἐδόξαζον τὸν θεόν.

EXERCISES

II. I. In the hearts of men. 2. Wisdom was being taught in the church. 3. It is being written in truth. 4. The sword of truth pursues sin. 5. The Lord has power to save men.

#### LESSON XVI

## First Declension (Continued)

104.	VOCABULARY		
γλώσσα, ή,	tongue, Lawre	Tepath, i,	head
δόξα, ή,	glory	oixia, ħ,	house
θάλασσα, ή,	sea	παραβολή, ή,	parable
μαθητής, δ,	disciple	συναγωγή, ή,	synagogue
προφήτης, δ,	prophet	χαρά, ή,	joy
έπαγγελία, ή,	promise	ώρα, ή,	hour

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105. Substantives of the first declension with nominatives in  $-\alpha$ , not after  $\epsilon$ ,  $\iota$ , or  $\rho$ , are declined as follows:

#### STEM YLWGOG-

	Singular	Plural
Nom.	γλώσσα	γλώσσαι
Gen.	γλώσσης	λγωααώλ
Abl.	γλώσσης	γλωσσών
Loc.	γλώσση	γλώσσαις
Ins.	γλώσση	γλώσσαις
Dat.	γλώσση	γλώσσαις
Acc.	γλώσσαν	γλώσσας
Voc.	γλώσσα	γλώσσαι

106. Observe: 1. When  $\epsilon$ ,  $\iota$ , or  $\rho$  does not precede  $\alpha$  of the nom. sing., the  $\alpha$  is changed to  $\eta$  in the gen., abl., loc., ins., and dat. sing. 2. When the  $\alpha$  is short in the nom. sing. it is also short in the acc. sing.

107. Contract substantives of the first declension as  $\gamma \bar{\eta}$ ,  $\dot{\eta}$ , earth, and  $\mu \nu \bar{\alpha}$ ,  $\dot{\eta}$ , mina (a weight and sum of money) are declined like  $\varphi \omega \nu \dot{\eta}$  and  $\varkappa \alpha \rho \delta | \alpha$  respectively, except that they have the circumflex accent on the ultima throughout.

108. Substantives of the first declension with nom. sing, in  $-\eta\varsigma$  or  $-\alpha\varsigma$  are masculine in gender. See 100.

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STEM TOP	φητα-
Singular	Plural
προφήτης	προφήται
προφήτου	προφητών
προφήτου	προφητών
	προφήταις
	προφήταις
	προφήταις
	προφήτας
προφήτα	προφήται
	Singular προφήτης προφήτου προφήτη προφήτη προφήτη προφήτη προφήτη

110. Observe: 1. The gen. and abl. sing. -ou is the same as in the o- declension. 2. The voc. sing. is - $\alpha$ . Masculine substantives of the first declension in - $\tau\eta\varsigma$  have - $\alpha$  in the vocative sing. 3. The plurals of all substantives of the  $\alpha$ - declension are alike.

111. The singular of veavlas, b, youth, is

Nom.	γεανίας,	Gen.	νεανίου,	Abl.	νεανίου,
Loc.	νεανία,	Ins.	νεανία,	Dat.	veavia,
Acc.	γεανίαν,	Voc.	veavia.		

#### 112.

#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. ἔχετε χαράν και εἰρήνην ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις. 2. οἰ μαθηταὶ ἕλεγον παραβολάς ἐν τῆ συναγωγῆ. 3. ἐν τῆ Υῆ καὶ ἐν τῆ θαλάσσῃ ἐδοξάζετο δ κύριος. 4. ἀπὸ τῆς ἀρχῆς ἡκούομεν τοὺς προφήτας. 5. λαμβάνετε τὰς ἐπαγγελίας ἀπὸ τοῦ κυρίου. 6. ἦγον τὸν νεανίαν ἐκ τῆς οἰκίας.

I. I. They were remaining in the house.
 Righteousness and love remain in the world.
 The hour of the Lord is announced.
 The prophets are teaching the disciples in parables.
 The promises were spoken from the beginning.

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#### LESSON XVII

# Adjectives of the First and Second Declension

113.	Ve	OCABULARY	
άγαθός, άγαπητός, Ισχατος, καχός,	good beloved last evil, bad		good, beautiful faithful first

114. Most adjectives of the vowel (first and second) declension have three endings,  $-\sigma_{\zeta}$  (masc.),  $-\eta$  or  $-\alpha$  (fem.),  $-\sigma_{V}$  (neut.). Adjectives are declined in gender, number and case.

115. The adjective dya86; is declined as follows:

## Singular

## Plural

Masc. Fem. Neut. Masc. Fem. Neut. Nom. άγαθός άγαθή άγαθόν άγαθοί άγαθαί άγαθά Gen. άγαθοῦ άγαθῆς άγαθοῦ άγαθῶν άγαθῶν άγαθῶν Abl. άγαθοῦ ἀγαθῆς ἀγαθοῦ ἀγαθῶν ἀγαθῶν ἀγαθῶν Loc. ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθῆ ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθοῖς ἀγαθοῖς ἀγαθοῖς Ins. ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθῆ ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθοῖς ἀγαθαῖς ἀγαθοῖς Dat. ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθῆ ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθοῖς ἀγαθαῖς ἀγαθοῖς Acc. ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθὴ ἀγαθῷ ἀγαθοῦς ἀγαθαῖς ἀγαθοῖς Voc. ἀγαθέ ἀγαθή ἀγαθόν ἀγαθοίς ἀγαθαί ἀγαθά

116. Observe: I. In form the masc. is declined exactly like a masculine substantive of the second declension (see  $oigav6\zeta$ , 39); the neuter like a neuter substantive of the second declension (see  $\sharp p\gamma ov$ , 42); and the feminine like a feminine substantive in  $-\eta$ 

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a. The accent of the feminine genitive and ablative plural does not follow the accent of the feminine substantive of the  $\alpha$ - declension (given in 94), but the regular accent of the masculine: thus the genitive and ablative plural feminine form of  $i\sigma\chi\alpha\tau\sigma\varsigma$ is  $i\sigma\chi\dot{\alpha}\tau\omega\gamma$ .

117. Adjectives agree with the substantives which they modify, in gender, number, and case; e.g.,  $\tau o \bar{v} \pi i \sigma \tau o \bar{v} \delta o \delta \lambda o u$ ;  $\tau \bar{\eta} \pi \rho \omega \tau \eta \eta \mu \epsilon \rho q$ ;  $\pi \alpha \lambda \bar{\eta} \delta \delta \bar{\varphi}$ . Cf. 36. 118. Adjectives are used to refer to substantives in two ways, either (1) as an attribute or (2) as a predicate.

I. In the phrase  $\delta \pi i \sigma \tau \delta \varsigma$ ,  $\delta \sigma \delta \delta \delta \varsigma$ , the faithful servant,  $\pi i \sigma \tau \delta \varsigma$ , faithful, is an attribute adjective; it qualifies the substantive,  $\delta \sigma \delta \delta \delta \varsigma$ , servant, to describe, without any assertion about it.

2. In the phrase δ δοῦλος πιστός, the servant (is) faithful, the predicate adjective πιστός, faithful, makes an assertion about the substantive δοῦλος, servant.

It is important to understand this distinction between the attribute and the predicate adjective in Greek. The distinction lies in just this, that the predicate presents an additional statement, while the attribute is an adherent description.

119. Examples of the positions of the adjective:

1. Attributive position of the adjective -

 $\delta^{\circ} \pi_{i\sigma\tau\delta\varsigma} \delta_{\sigma\bar{\sigma}\delta\varsigma} = the faithful servant.$ 

Note that the adjective comes immediately after the article. Page 56 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

(see qwm, 90).

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There is another order of the attributive position, δούλος δ πιστός. It is not frequent in the New Testament.

2. Predicate position of the adjective-

Note that the adjective does not come immediately after the article but either precedes the article or follows the substantive.

120. When the article is not present, the context must decide whether an adjective is attributive or predicate; e.g., the phrase  $\pi \iota \sigma \tau \delta \varsigma$   $\delta \sigma \tilde{\upsilon} \lambda \varsigma \varsigma$  (or  $\delta \sigma \tilde{\upsilon} \lambda \varsigma \varsigma$ ) may be either attributive, a faithful servant, or predicate, a servant (is) faithful.

121. In the New Testament όλος, whole, never has the attributive position.

#### 122.

#### EXERCISES

 Ι. ή πρώτη ώρα. 2. οἰ μαθηταὶ οἱ ἀγαπητοὶ ἐδίδασκον τὸν καλὸν λόγον. 3. τέκνον τὸ ἀγαπητὸν εὐρίσκει τὴν κακὴν δδόν. 4. ἐν ταῖς ἐσχάταις ἡμέραις προφῆται ἡκούοντο.
 5. ὁ ἀγαθὸς λόγος ἐκηρύσσετο ἐν ὅλφ τῷ κόσμφ.

II. I. The evil prophet was not ' proclaiming the good promises. 2. On the last day the disciple was speaking in the synagogue. 3. The whole house was receiving the word of God. 4. In the first hour of the day they were glorifying the Lord.

1 See 130.

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## LESSON XVIII

## Adjectives of the First and Second Declension (Continued)

123.

VOCABULARY

alώνιος, eternal δίχαιος, righteous έτερος, another Ιδιος, one's own μόνος, only, alone μιχρός, small, little πονηρός, evil

124. Learn the declension of Tôtos, one's own, and µtxp6s, small, in § B 13.

Observe: I. When  $\varepsilon$ ,  $\iota$ , or  $\rho$  precedes the final vowel of the stem, the feminine has  $-\alpha$  in the nominative sing.

2. In the nom. and gen. plur. fem. the accent follows the masc.

125. Some adjectives (especially compounds) have only two endings, the masc. and fem. having the same form: e.g., ädixoç, -ov, unjust, unrighteous.

126. Prepositional phrases or adverbs are often used like adjectives in the attributive position: e.g., of  $iv \tau \bar{\psi}$  of  $x\psi$   $dv\theta \mu\omega \pi \omega$ , the men in the house. The substantive may be absent: e.g.,  $\tau d$   $iv \tau \omega \bar{\zeta}$   $\omega \rho \alpha v \omega \bar{\zeta}$ , the things in the heavens.

127. The adjective in any gender without a substantive is often used as a practical substantive, usually with the article, but not always: e.g., of xalof, the good (men or people);  $\tau \delta d\gamma \alpha \theta \delta \nu$ , the good thing;  $\tau \eta \tau \rho (\tau \eta, on the third (day),$ —the feminines are usually examples of ellipsis of  $\eta \mu \delta \rho \alpha$ ,  $\delta \delta \delta \zeta$ , etc.

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128. As a complement, the infinitive (mostly in the active voice) is used with adjectives, substantives, and verbs that imply power or ability, fitness, capacity, etc. (and their opposites): e.g., δυνατός χωλύειν, able to hinder; έξουσία έχβάλλειν, power to cast oul; δύναμαι άχοδειν, I am able to hear.

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#### EXERCISES

I. I. οἰ καλοὶ μόνοι σώζονται. 2. οἱ ἐν τῷ οἶκῷ ἦσθιον τὸν ἄρτον. 3. ἐν τῇ πρώτῃ ἔκρινε τοὺς κακούς. 4. ὁ υἰὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἔχει ἐξουσίαν σώζειν. 5. οἰ δοῦλοι ἕλεγον κακά.

II. 1. On the first day he was preaching in the synagogue. 2. The first, last; the last, first. 3. The faithful are saved. 4. He has power to cast out the evil. 5. The men in the boat know the sea.

## LESSON XIX

Personal Pronouns and elui, I am

## 130.

## VOCABULARY

dad	, adversative conj., but	έγώ, Ι
Ydo,	co-ordinating conj., for	elul, I am
Yt.	enclitic postpositive particle	os, thou (you)
	giving special prominence to	
	a word, indeed, at least	
8é.	copulative and adversative (	milder than $d\lambda\lambda d$
	conj., in the next place, and	l; but, on the other
11	hand.	
	00	
	où oùx oùx	
	002	

# that stands in place of a substantive. The idea that

is set forth by a pronoun is the relation of a subject or object to the speaker. The reason for the use of the pronoun, then, is to avoid the repetition of the substantive.

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called postpositives. Yáp, Yé, and dé are postposi-

tives. b. où is written before consonants; oùx before

131. Generally speaking, the pronoun is a word

vowels; oby before the rough breathing.

a. Words that cannot come first in a sentence are

132. The declension of the first personal pronoun  $i\gamma\omega$ , I, is

Singular		Plural	
Nom. έγώ,	I	typeis, we	
Gen. έμοῦ, μου,	of me	huw, of us	
Abl. έμοῦ, μου	etc.	ήμων, etc.	
Loc. épol, por		ήμιν	
Ins. épol, por		ที่นเข	
Dat. épol, por		ήμεν	
Αcc. έμέ, με		ήμας	

133. The declension of the second personal pronoun, \*6, thou, is

		Singular		Pl	ural
	All and a second se	σύ,		òpeis,	ye (you)
	Gen.	σού, σου,	of thee	όμῶν,	of you
	Abl.	σοῦ, σου	etc.	δμών	etc.
	Loc.	σοί, σοι,		δμίν	
	Ins.	σοί, σοι		δμίν	
	Dat.	<b><i>vol</i></b> , <i>vol</i>		δμίν	
ł	Acc.	σέ, σε.	Addition Au	ύμᾶς	

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134. Observe: In the singular of the first and second personal pronouns there are, except in the nominative, two forms for each case, an accented form and an unaccented form (which in the first person is also shorter than the accented form). These forms are called enclitics (see 138).

135. I. Commonly the accented or emphatic forms are used when emphasis or contrast is desired. Yet it is not certain that all emphasis is absent when the unaccented or enclitic forms are used.

2. With prepositions the emphatic or eccented forms are used generally, except with πρός, which ordinarily has πρός με.

3. In general the personal pronouns were not used in the nominative case unless emphasis or contrast was desired: e.g., τον άγγελον Εβλεπον έγώ, . I was looking at the angel (It was I who was looking at the angel). This follows from the fact that the verb uses the personal pronouns as personal endings (as explained in 17), and no need was felt for the separate expression of the personal pronoun in the nominative.

136. The conjugation of the present indicative of elul, I am, is as follows:

Singular	Plural
1. elui, I am 2. el, thou art 2. fart he, she, or it is	éspév, we are ésté, ye (you) are eisi, they are
a. elul is for éo-u; el is	for ésse; else is for (s)even bably for és-vat. b. All

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the forms of the present indicative of elul, except el, are enclitic (see 138). c. It was noted in 18 that the primary act. end. -u was dropped, and the preceding o lengthened to w. Some verbs retain this -u and do not have the thematic %. The former make up what is called the  $\omega$ - conjugation, the latter the u- conjugation. To the latter belongs sui.

137. When the verb slut is used merely as a connective or copula, it has the predicate nominative: e.g., b uathring ionev avepwrog, the disciple is a man; see examples below under 138, 1-5. Note that the subject may be known from the predicate whenever the subject has the article and the predicate does not: e.g., dyány éorly & Beós, God is love. Here dyány is the predicate because it does not have the article, while Bebs does have the article.

138. Enclitics are words attaching themselves so closely to the preceding word as to be pronounced with it. Usually they have no accents of their own.

The word before an enclitic is treated as follows:

1. If the preceding word has an acute accent on the antepenult, it receives an additional accent (acute) on its ultima from any enclitic, whether of one syllable (monosyllabic) or of two syllables (dissyllabic):

my teacher δ διδάσχαλός μου, à didáoxalós éstiv dyabós, the teacher is good

2. If the preceding word has an acute accent on the penult, its accent is not affected in any way: Page 62 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

tor (A) ever, error

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then a monosyllabic enclitic loses its accent; but a dissyllabic enclitic retains its accent:

b horos you, my word; i xapdia sou, thy heart d horos estiv alwros, the word is eternal

3. If the preceding word naturally has an acute accent on the ultima, it keeps its own accent, and any enclitic loses its accent.

thy brother δ άδελφός σου, ol adelpol else morol, the brothers are faithful

4. If the preceding word has a circumflex accent on the penult, it receives an additional accent (acute) on its ultima from any enclitic:

my servant δ δούλός μου. & doullos fore dixacos, the servant is just

5. If the preceding word has a circumflex accent on the ultima, its accent is not affected in any way, and any enclitic loses its accent:

d ulds tou ddelqou pou, the son of my brother of douthor tou beau equer, we are the servants of God

139. Observe: I. A monosyllabic enclitic regularly loses its accent. 2. A dissyllabic enclitic retains its accent only under the condition named in 2 above.

140. An enclitic sometimes retains its accent:

1. When there is emphasis on the enclitic or when the enclitic begins a sentence.

2. fort is written fort at the beginning of a sentence, when it means exist or is possible, and when it immediately follows and' (and, el, zal, ut, ouz, ore, -- == (====) . W.C.

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141. A proclitic (see note to 72 and 95) or an enclitic followed by an enclitic receives an acute accent: e.g. δ γε δούλός μού έστι.

(But under 138-140 modern critics and editors differ.)

#### EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. ὑμεῖς έστε τὰ τέχνα τοῦ θεοῦ. 2. ἡμεῖς γὰρ γινώσχομεν τόν χύριον. 3. ή δε άλήθεια ούχ έστιν<sup>1</sup> έν tuiv. 4. trw eine h ddds xal h ddhoeia xal h Lwh. 5. τοῦτό² έστι τὸ ἔργον τοῦ θεοῦ. 6. άλλὰ οὐ λόγοις ὑμεῖς σώζεσθε.

II. 1. My house is in the village. 2. We are the servants of the Lord. 3. The way is bad, but you know me. 4. You are a prophet, for from you are sent forth words of wisdom. 5. We have bread for you (sing.). 6. You are my disciples.

## LESSON XX

## Third Personal Pronoun. Imperfect Ind. of elul

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VOCABULARY

alloc,-n,-o, other autos,-h,-b, self, very, same; 8205,-n,-ov, whole he, she, it

el, conj., if ori, conj., because, that oxoria, n. darkness

" Certain words, i.e. words ending in -or, the third personal sing. of past tenses (in -e), and int, may add v. This is called movable . Movable y in the older Greek was written when it would be followed by a word beginning with a vowel; but later it was written before consonants and vowels. \* rouro, this (neuter).

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144.	The dec	lension of a	within is as fo	llows:
			gular	
		Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
	Nom.	αύτός	aith	αύτό
	Gen.	αύτοῦ	αύτής	αύτοῦ
	Abl.	αύτοῦ	αύτης	αύτοῦ
	Loc.	αύτῷ	αύτή	αύτφ
	Ins.	αύτφ	αύτη	αύτφ
	Dat.	αύτώ	αὐτῆ	αύτφ
	Acc.	αὐτόν	αύτην	αύτό
		P	lural	
	Nom.	αύτοί	airai	aird
	Gen.	αύτών	αύτῶν	αύτών
	Abl.	αύτών	αύτών	αύτών
	Loc.	αύτοις	αύταίς	αύτοίς
	Ins.	αύτοις	αύταξ	αύτοίς
		αύτοις	αύταίς	αύτοις
	Dat. Acc.	αύτούς	αὐτάς	αύτά

Observe that airos is declined like dyatos (115) except that airos has no vocative and the neuter nom. and acc. sing. have no -v.

145. Meaning and uses of airos. It is properly a demonstrative.

1. As an intensive pronoun abros means self; himself, herself, itself, etc.; and is in the predicate position (119, 2):

airds d av $\theta p \omega \pi \alpha \varsigma$ d av $\theta p \omega \pi \alpha \varsigma$  airds = the man himself

2. As an identical pronoun air65 means same, and is in the attributive position (118, 1):

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When the article precedes adros, the meaning is always the same.

3. When used alone in the genitive, ablative, locative, instrumental, dative, and accusative cases (the "oblique" cases), this word is the simple personal pronoun of the third person:

I see him βλέπω αύτόν. reproper advode, we send them

έν τῷ οἴχψ αὐτοῦ, in his house (in the house of him) Raußaves toy aprov and autig, he takes the bread from her

(With adros in the nominative, sometimes it is not clear whether we have simply an emphatic "he," etc., or an intensive "self.")

146. I. The substantive to which a pronoun refers is called its antecedent:

γινώσχομεν τον διδάσχαλον και λέγομεν αυτώ, we know the teacher and speak to him. Thy diddaraloy is the antecedent of aut w

2. A pronoun agrees with its antecedent in gender and number. Cf. διδάσχαλον (masc. gender, sing. number) and air \$ (masc. gender, sing. number).

147. I. allos is declined (except the accent) like adros. Note -o in the nom. and acc. neuter singular. allos is used alone and with the article (but in New Testament never in the senses of "the rest of").

2. Shos always has the predicate position in the New Testament. Shog & xbours, the whole world.

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δ αύτος ανυρωπος, μια sume man

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148. The imperfect indicative of elul, I am, is

Singular Plural 1. (ήν) and ήμην, I was ήμεν and ήμεθα, we were 2. ής and ήσθα, thou wast ήτε, ye were 3. ήν, he was ήσαν, they were

a. The middle form  $\tilde{\eta}\mu\eta\nu$  has practically thrust out the active form  $\tilde{\eta}\nu$ . b.  $\tilde{\eta}\sigma\theta\alpha$  is an old perf. form, found twice in New Testament. c.  $\tilde{\eta}\mu\epsilon\theta\alpha$  is found nearly as often as  $\tilde{\eta}\mu\epsilon\nu$  in New Testament.

For the meaning of the imperfect indicative see 65.

## 149. Conditional Sentences.

There are four separate forms for Greek conditions. The first is:

The condition determined as fulfilled. Thus

Here any tense of the indicative is used, generally after  $\mathfrak{el}$ ,  $\mathfrak{if}$ ,<sup>1</sup> in the protasis (the if-clause). The apodosis (conclusion) generally has the indicative (any tense), but any mode may be used according to what is wanted, e.g.:

el σώζει τοὺς ἀνθρώπους, τὸν θεὸν δοξάζει, if he is saving men, he is glorifying God.

el Εσωζε τοὺς ἀνθρώπους, τὸν θεὸν ἐδόξαζε, if he was saving men, he was glorifying God.

"The indicative states the condition as a fact. It may or may not be true in fact. The condition has nothing to do with that, but only with the statement."

The negative of the protasis is generally od, not.2

Infrequently the, if, is used.

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## DEFECTIVE VERBS

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#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. βλέπετε αὐτόν. 2. αὐτοὶ ἡμεῖς οὐχ ἐχρινόμεθα, ἀλλὰ αὐτὸν ἐχρίνομεν. 3. ὁ αὐτὸς μαθητὴς ἐλάμβανε τὰ τέχνα καὶ ἐδίδασκεν αὐτά. 4. εἰ μένομεν ἐν αὐτῷ, ζωὴν αἰώνιον ἔχομεν. 5. καὶ λέγει ὁ Ἱησοῦς ¹ ὅτι οἱ δοῦλοι αὐτοῦ δοξάζουσι αὐτόν.

II 1. I glorify him. 2. Darkness is not in him. 3. He himself is the life. 4. On (iv) the same day he was teaching them. 5. If we receive him, he saves us. 6. We know the truth and proclaim it. 7. He has other servants in the world. 8. He was in the house. 9. They were faithful men.

## LESSON XXI

## Defective ("Deponent") Verbs

# The Demonstrative Pronouns obrog and exervog

101.	VOCA	BULARY	
άπέρχομαι,	I go away	έξέρχομαι,	I go out
droxplvouat,	I answer	έρχομαι,	I go, come
βούλομαι,	I wish	πορεύομαι,	I go, proceed
γίνομαι,	I become, be	προσέρχομαι	I go to, come to
διέρχομαι,	I go through	έχεϊνος,-η,-ο,	demons. pron., that (one)
δύναμαι,	I am able, can	ούτος, αύτη, τούτο,	demons. pron. this (one)
είσέρχομαι,	I enter		

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- did, prep. (orginally "interval between") with gen. through, by; with acc., because of, for the sake of, on account of.
- πρός, prep. (originally near, facing) with loc., near, by; with acc., towards, to; with abl. (once), "from the point of view of."

a. Note the many compound' verbs in the vocabulary, especially a preposition  $+ \xi_{PXO\mu\alpha t}$ . Many of these verbs occur hundreds of times in the New Testament. b.  $\delta \delta \nu \alpha \mu \alpha t$  does not have a thematic vowel;  $\alpha$  appears in all persons. In the second pers. sing. two forms are found:  $\delta \delta \nu \alpha \sigma \alpha t$  and  $\delta \delta \nu \eta$ . c.  $\gamma \delta \nu \alpha \alpha t$  as a copula (see 137).

152. Defective verbs. Some verbs were used in all the voices in all the tenses, as  $\lambda \delta \omega$ ; some verbs in some tenses were used only in one voice and in other tenses, in another voice, as  $\beta \alpha i \nu \omega$ , *I* go (future  $\beta \eta \sigma \sigma \mu \alpha i$ ); some verbs were used in one voice only, as  $\varkappa c i \mu \alpha i$ , *I* lie (am laid).

The term defective is applied to those verbs which are used either in the middle voice or in the passive voice and not in the active voice but seemingly have a simple active meaning; as alouavoua, I perceive, in middle voice; βούλομαι, I wish, in passive voice.

The verbs in the vocabulary (151) are defective verbs. But some of these verbs have active forms in some tenses, as  $\gamma i \nu o \mu \alpha i$ ; second perfect active  $\gamma i \gamma o \nu \alpha$ .

These verbs have been called "deponents" (middle or passive) because it was difficult to see the distinctive force of the voice. Yet it is not hard to

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recognize the personal interest of the subject in the verbs in the middle voice.

153. The declension of obrog is:

	S	ingular	
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	00000 -	αύτη -	τούτο
Gen.	τούτου	ταύτης	τούτου
Abl.	τούτου	ταύτης	τούτου
Loc.	τούτφ	ταύτη	τούτω
Ins.	τούτφ	ταύτη	τούτφ
Dat.	τούτφ	ταύτη	τούτφ
Acc.	τούτον	ταύτην	τοῦτο
3.1.1		Plural	
1.1.1	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	- 10700	αδται -	ταῦτα
Gen.	τούτων	τούτων	τούτων
Abl.	τούτων	τούτων	τούτων
Loc.	τούτοις	ταύταις	τούτοις
Ins.	τούτοις	ταύταις	τούτοις
Dat.	τούτοις	ταύταις	τούτοις
Acc.	τούτους	ταύτας	ταῦτα

154. Observe: 1. The rough breathing occurs in the nom. masc. and fem., sing. and plural, but all other forms begin with  $\tau$ . 2. The diphthong of the penult, ou or au, varies as the vowel of the ultima,  $o(\omega)$  or  $\alpha(\eta)$ . 3. The accent remains on the penult.

155. The declension of έχεῖνος is like that of αὐτός (except the accent). Note in the neuter sing. nom. and acc. έχεῖνο. Page 70 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

· See 73-70.

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156. obtos and exervos are demonstrative pronouns. In contrast, obtos refers, as a rule, to what is near or last mentioned, and exervos to what is remote, or absent.

157. Use of ούτος and ἐχείνος. I. When they are used with a substantive, they commonly have the predicate position: e.g., δ λόγος ούτος or ούτος δ λόγος, this word; ἐχείνη ἡ ἡμέρα or ἡ ἡμέρα ἐχείνη, that day.

2. When the article does not occur with the substantive, the substantive is in the predicate: e.g., τρίτην ταύτην ἡμέραν, this a third day (not this third day).

3. They are often used alone, without substantives: e.g., obroc, this one (man or person); exeivn, that woman; touto, this thing; tauta, these things; etc.

## EXERCISES

 I. έχεινος δὲ ὁ δοῦλος ἀπέρχεται. 2. τοῦτο τὸ τέχνον εἰσήρχετο εἰς τὸν οἶχον ἐχεινον. 3. ἐχεινος δίχαιός ἐστιν.
 4. αῦτη ἐστιν ἡ πρώτη ἐντολή. 5. ἐν ἐχείναις ταῖς ἡμέραις χαχοὶ προφῆται διήρχοντο τὰς χώμας. 6. ὁ χύριος ἕλεγεν τούτψ τοὺς λόγους ζωῆς αἰωνίου.

II. I. This world; that gift. 2. This disciple knows the law and the prophets. 3. This is the work of God. 4. Those children were going to him.
5. This commandment I write to the brethren.
6. On that day he was preaching in the temple.

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## LESSON XXII

## **Present Subjunctive Active**

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άμαρτάνω, I sin

dvaßaivw, I go up, come up, ascend

dvd, prep. (original meaning on, upon, along) usually with the accusative in the distributive sense:

## dvà búo, two by two

## avà exator, by hundreds

Iva, conj. generally with subjunctive, in order that, that

- xata, prep. (original meaning down) with gen., down (upon), against; with abl., down (from); with acc., down (along), through, according to.
- μετά, prep. (original meaning "midst") with the gen., with; with the acc., after; μετά ταῦτα, after these things, after this.

μή,	not	zaipw, rejoice
עטע,	adv., now	πως, adv., how

160. From the previous lessons it has been learned that the Greek verb has *tense*, *voice*, and *mode*, like verbs in other languages.

161. It has been seen (14) that tense has to do with the action of the verb as regards the state of action. Voice (51 and 52) has to do with the action of the verb as regards the subject of the action. Mode has to do with the manner of affirmation, how it is made, and not with action as do voice and tense.

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162. It has been observed that the indicative is the mode of definite assertion. It is used to affirm positively, definitely, absolutely, undoubtingly. The mode has nothing to do with the actual facts (whether true or untrue), but only with the statement of them. The indicative *states* a thing as true.

163. The subjunctive mode is a mode of doubtful statement, of hesitating affirmation, of contingency. a. The subjunctive is usually found in two tenses,

a. The subjunctive is usually round in the perfect subjunctive is very rare.

164. The present subjunctive active of X6w is:

Singular	Plural
Ι. λόω	λόωμεν
2. 20ns	λύητε
3. 2.60	λύωσι(ν')

165. Observe that: I. The subjunctive has the primary active personal endings (see 17-19). 2. The long thematic vowel  $\omega/\eta$  is the subjunctive mode sign. 3. In the second and third persons sing.  $\eta$  has iota-subscript ( $\eta$ )

166. The present subj. of shall is:

Singular	Plural
1. 4	ώμεν
2. 15	ήτε
3. 1	ώσι(ν1)

Note the circumflex accent.

167. The subjunctive is used in clauses of purpose after Yvz.

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Examine closely the following sentences: ἕρχεται ἕνα βλέπη αὐτόν, he comes that he may see him. ταῦτα λέγομεν ἕνα μὴ ἀμαρτάνωσι, we say this in order that they may not sin.

168. Note that the negative with the subjunctive is un.

169. There is no time (absolute) element in the subjunctive mode in any tense. The present subjunctive expresses *linear* or *durative* action without reference to time. See 14.

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### EXERCISES

I. έγώ δὲ ἕρχομαι ἕνα τὸν κόσμον σώζω. 2.
 κηρύσσομεν ἕνα οἱ ἄνθρωποι ἔχωσι ζωήν αἰώνιον. 3. πῶς γε
 δύναται σώζειν;<sup>1</sup>
 μετὰ ταῦτα ἀπέρχεται εἰς τὴν
 ἔρημον. 5. ὁ θεὸς λέγει ἡμῖν ἕνα μὴ μένωμεν ἐν τῆ ἀμαρτία.
 6. ὁ Ἱησοῦς αὐτὸς οὐχ ἐβἀπτιζεν, ἀλλ' οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ.

II. I. Now we become the children of God.
2. They baptize in order that they may glorify God.
3. You are not able to hear my word.
4. After these things he goes away in order that they may not see him.
5. How can (is able) he take away our sins?

## LESSON XXIII

## Present Subjunctive Middle and Passive

171.	VOCABULARY		
dσπάζομαι, εύαγγέλιον, τό,	I salute gospel	χαινός,-ή,-όν, μαρτυρία, ή,	A CONTRACTOR OF
δέχομαι,	I receive	and the second se	witness,
xabús, adv.,	just as, even a	15	testimony
1 The question	mark (;) is the sa	me in form as our	semicolon.

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oov, postpositive adv., therefore, then, now. ootwc, adv. thus, in this manner, so

172. The present middle and passive subjunctive of  $\lambda \omega \omega$  is:

Singular	Plural
Ι. λύωμαι	λυώμεθα
2. λún	λόησθε
2 λύηται	λύωνται

173. Observe: I. The middle and passive forms are alike (this was seen in the indicative also, 60).

2. The mode sign  $\omega/\eta$  is the same as in the active (see 165, 2).

3. The personal endings are the primary middle (and passive) endings (see 54 and 60).

a. In the second pers. sing.  $-\eta$  is for  $-\eta\sigma\alpha$ ;  $\sigma$ dropped out, then  $\eta$  and  $\alpha$  contracted to  $\eta$ . Note iota-subscript under  $\eta$ 

174. The subjunctive (first person plural) is used in exhortations: as

χαίρωμεν έν τη άληθεία, let us rejoice in the truth. μη λέγωμεν χαχά, let us not speak evil things.

175. Many verbs in Greek are followed by the genitive case, and many by the dative case, where the corresponding verbs in English would be followed by the objective case. In each instance the idea of the case is accented.

axouse the puris, he hears the voice.

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may be used after dxoiw; then the meaning of the sound is comprehended.

πιστεύομεν αὐτφ, we believe him. ἀποχρίνεται τφ τέχνφ, he answers the child. δουλεύω αὐτφ, I serve him.

Note that the dative accents the personal interest.

## Exercises

176.

I. Ι. πιστεύωμεν τῷ χυρίφ. 2. ἀγώμεθα ἀπὸ τῶν ἀποστόλων. 3. καθώς ἐκείνος δίκαιός ἐστιν, ὡμεν δίκαιοι ἡμεῖς. 4. ἐν ἀρχῆ ὁ λόγος ἡκούετο. 5. δεχώμεθα τὴν μαρτυρίαν αὐτοῦ. 6. ἦκουον τῶν φωνῶν τῶν δούλων.

II. 1. Let us not answer him. 2. Let us salute the apostles. 3. Let us receive the truth in order that we may know it. 4. He was preaching the gospel of the new covenant. 5. He is able to take away our sins. 6. Let us be led by the Lord into truth.

#### LESSON XXIV

## Second Aorist Indicative Active and Middle

177.	VOCABULARY
άπέθανον,	I died; second aor. of drobyforw.
έβαλον,	I threw, cast; second aor. of βάλλω.
άγενόμην, είδον,	I became; second aor. of ylvoua. I saw; second aor.—no present stem in use,
(elπov),	but δράω is used in present tense. I said; second aor.—no present stem in

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use, but  $\lambda \delta \gamma \omega$  is used in the present tense. I took; second aor. of  $\lambda \alpha \mu \beta \delta \gamma \omega$ .

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- Elizov. I left; second aor. of heizo.
- ebpoy, I found; second aor. of ebploxes.
- Egyov, I got; second aor. of Exu.
- έφαγον, I ate; second aor.—no present stem in use, but έσθίω is used in the present tense.
- ήλθον, I went, came; second aor.—no present stem in use, but ξρχομα is used in the present tense.

παρέλαβον, I received; second aor. of παραλαμβάνω.

178. The second aorist is so called in distinction from the *first aorist*, which is to be studied in Lesson XXXVI. They are not two different tenses, but second aorist and first aorist are two forms of the same tense.

179. As has already been learned (14), the fundamental idea in tense is the "kind of action." The present tense (and imperfect, 65, 69) expresses durative or linear action. The aorist tense expresses action in its simplest form—undefined; it does not distinguish between complete or incomplete action. The aorist tense treats the action as a point;—this kind of action is called *punctiliar*:  $\xi_{X}\omega$ , I have, am holding;  $\xi_{X}\alpha$ , I got, obtained.

180. This kind of action (punctiliar) is timeless. But time is expressed in the indicative mode by the augment,—punctiliar action in past time, generally.

In narrative the difference between the aorist indicative and the imperfect indicative is just this: the aorist indicative expresses punctiliar action in past time, while the imperfect indicative expresses

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181. The second against 1 indicative active and middle of  $\lambda \sin \omega$  is:

ACTIVE	
Singular	Plural
Ι. έλιπον	έλίπομεν
2. EAtneg	έλίπετε
3. Eline	έλιπον
cond-acrist active infinitive	Jerein

Second aorist active infinitive, Arteiv.

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	Ι. έλιπόμην	έλιπόμεθα
	2. έλίπου	έλίπεσθε
1	3. έλίπετο	έλίποντο

Second aorist middle infinitive, linéobai.

182. Observe: I. The difference in form between the second aorist indicative and the imperfect indicative of the same verb is a difference in stem: aorist stem  $\lambda_{1\pi}$ ; imperfect (having the present stem)  $\lambda_{21\pi}$ . 2. The secondary personal endings (66, 79) are used. 3. The augment in the aorist follows the same principles as it did in the imperfect, (70). 4. The accent of the second aorist infinitive is not recessive (11), but in the active is placed on the ultima, and in the midde on the penult.

The endings,  $-\alpha$ ,  $-\alpha \zeta$ ,  $-\varepsilon$ ,  $-\alpha \mu \varepsilon \nu$ ,  $-\alpha \tau \varepsilon$ ,  $-\alpha \nu$ , are found frequently with second aorist stems and almost exclusively with  $\epsilon I \pi \sigma \nu$ .

183. Note that the infinitive has no augment. The aorist act. inf. λιπεῖν means simply *lo leave*, the action

<sup>1</sup> The second aorist of the thematic vowel <sup>0</sup>/<sub>e</sub> type is introduced here on account of its simplicity and its similarity in inflection to the imperfect, as well as on account of its frequent use. Page 78 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

durative action in past time.

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is punctiliar and timeless; while the present act. infinitive  $\lambda \epsilon l \pi \epsilon v$  means to be leaving (or to keep leaving), the action is durative and timeless. So also in the middle.

184. The second aorist usually exhibits the simple stem of the verb. The second aorist given here is the thematic type, i.e., uses the thematic vowel  $\circ/_{e}$ .

	Present	Present	Aorist	Aorist
	stem	theme	stem	theme
βάλλω	βαλλ-	βαλλ0/e	βαλ-	βαλ0/e
YEVOLAR	717-	Y110/e	yev-	YEV0/e
λείπω	λειπ-	λειπ <sup>0</sup> /e	λιπ-	λιπ <sup>0</sup> /e

Note that the second aorist is known by its stem.

185. From the forms of the present, imperfect, perfect, etc., it cannot be determined beforehand whether a verb has a first aorist or a second aorist, nor, if it has a second aorist, what the form of the second aorist is. To determine this, the verb must be examined in a lexicon.

186. The second aorist act. and middle are formed on the second aorist stem. The aorist passive of all verbs is different from the aorist middle. Review the meaning of the middle (52).

έλιπόμην is second aorist indicative middle, I left for myself, etc.

187. The Greek aorist indicative is not the exact equivalent of any tense in English or in any other language. The Greek aorist and the English preterit do not exactly correspond. The translation given

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ciated with the verb form. To translate the Greek aorist ind., sometimes the English preterit is used, sometimes the perfect, sometimes the past. The Greek aorist ind. refers the action to the past without any exact specification as to antecedence of action or as to present results of action.

# 188. EXERCISES

I. Ι. ήλθε εἰς τὸν οἶχον. 2. ἐφάγομεν τὸν ἄρτον. 3. ἐν τῷ κόσμῷ ἡν χαὶ ὁ κόσμος δι' αμποῦ ἐγένετο. 4. εἰς τὰ ἴδια ήλθεν χαὶ οἱ ἴδιοι αὐτὸν οὐ παρέλαβον. 5. ταῦτα εἰπον ὑμῖν ἐν τῷ ἰερῷ. 6. μετὰ ταῦτα ἀπέθανεν τὸ τέχνον.

II. 1. He died on the third day. 2. He took the bread and ate (it). 3. The disciples obtained good promises. 4. They came and saw where  $(\pi \circ \tilde{\upsilon})$  he was abiding. 5. The servant cast a stone into the boat.

# LESSON XXV

Second Aorist Subjunctive Active and Middle

# VOCABULARY

άληθινός, -ή, -όν, true βίος, δ, life διάβολος, δ, devil έχει, adv., there

Learn the capital letters in I of Lesson I.

190. The second aorist subjunctive active and middle of  $\lambda \epsilon i \pi \omega$  is:

ACTIV	ACTIVE	
Singular	Plural	
Ι. λίπω	λίπωμεν	
2. XITTS	λίπητε	
3. <i>λίπ</i> η	λίπωσι	

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<ol> <li>λίπωμαι</li> </ol>	λιπώμεθα
2. λίπη	λίπησθε
3. λίπηται	λίπωνται

191. Observe: I. There is no augment in the aorist subjunctive. 2. The personal endings are the primary active and middle. 3. The subjunctive mode sign is the long thematic vowel  $\omega/\eta$ . 4. The only difference in form between the second aorist subj. (act. and middle) and the present subj. (act. and middle) is in the stem,—present stem  $\lambda et \pi$ -; aorist stem  $\lambda t \pi$ -.

192. Let it be remembered that the *aorist subjunctive does not denote past time*. But the real time of the subj. is future in relation to the speaker or writer; and this time element is not due to the tense at all.

193. The distinction in meaning between the present subjunctive and the aorist subjunctive is only in the kind of action. The present subj. expresses durative action. The aorist subj. expresses punctiliar action.

Example: un drobvhoxwuev ev th duaptia, let us not be dying in sin, let us not continue to die (or keep on dying) in sin. un drobdvwuev ev th duaptia, let us not die in sin.

In the first example the present (subjunctive) represents the action in progress. In the second example the aorist (subjunctive) just treats the notion as a single whole without any reference to

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progress or completion. It is generally difficult to bring out the difference in an English translation.

194. The subjunctive is used in questions of doubt, where the speaker asks what he is to do or say:

πῶς εῦρωμεν αὐτόν; How are we to find him? τι εἶπω; What am I to say? What shall I say? ἐπιμένωμεν τῷ ἀμαρτία; Shall we remain in sin?

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#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. έγώ ούχ ήλθον βαλεϊν εἰρήνην ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν. 2. ἄγωμεν καὶ ἡμεῖς ἶνα ἀποθάνωμεν μετ' αὐτοῦ. 3. οὐτος ἡλθεν εἰς μαρτυρίαν ἶνα ἡμεῖς παραλάβωμεν αὐτόν. 4. ἡρον οὖν λίθους ἕνα βάλωσιν ἐπ' αὐτόν. 5. ταῦτα εἶπεν Ἱησοῦς αὐτοῖς ἐν τῷ ἰερῷ.

II. 1. How shall we receive them? 2. Let us not become evil prophets. 3. What shall we eat?4. The servants came in order that they might find the children. 5. He died that men might have life.

# LESSON XXVI

Third D	eclension: Neute	r Substantiv	es in -part-
196.	VOCABU	LARY Y	a Kar
αίμα, τό,	blood	ρήμα, τό,	word
γράμμα, τό,	letter (of alpha- bet), writing	σπέρμα, τό, στόμα, τό,	
θέλημα, τό,		στομα, το, σώμα, τό,	
δνομα, τό, πνεύμα, τό,		χάρισμα, τό, ἅγιος,-α,-ον,	gift, free gift holv

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197. The third declension is commonly called the *consonant* declension because most of the nouns have stems ending in a consonant. A few nouns, included in this declension, ended in the vowels  $\epsilon$  and v, which were sometimes semivowels.

198. The case endings of the consonant declension are:

	Singular		Plural	
Masc.	and Fem.	Neut.	Masc. and Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	-s or none	None	-85	-α
Gen.	-05	-05	-wy	-607
Abl.	-06	-05	-ων	-00.2
Loc.	-	-	-01	-01
Ins.	-1	-1	-σι	-01
Dat.	-1	-	-ot	-51
Acc.	-v or -a	none	(-νς), -ας	-a
	none or like	none	-65	-α
	nom. or ste			

In the case endings final a is short.

These forms must be thoroughly mastered.

Note that the loc., ins., and dat. sing. use the locative ending -1; and in the plural these cases use the locative ending -31 (see p. 65 n.).

The gen. and abl. plural ending -ω» is the same for all the declensions.

The neuter plural nom., acc., and voc. are always alike.

The vocative plural is always the same as the

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199. The declension of Evopa, 1 name, is:

STEM OVOLAT-

	Singular	Plural
Nom.	δνομα	όνόματα
Gen.	δνόματος	όνομάτων
Abl.	όνόματος	όνομάτων
Loc.	δνόματε	όνόμασι
ins.	όνόματι	όνόμασε
Dat.	όνόματε	όνόμασι
Acc.	δνομα	όνόματα

200. Observe: 1. As in the neuters of the second declension, the nom. acc. and voc. sing. are alike, and the same cases in the plural are alike. 2. The nom. sing. is the mere stem, final  $\tau$  being dropped.

Note: The consonants that can stand at the close of a word in Greek are  $\nu$ ,  $\rho$ , and  $\varsigma$  (including  $\xi$  and  $\psi$ ). All other consonants which would occur there are dropped. 3. In the loc., ins., dat., plural,  $\delta\nu\delta\mu\alpha\sigma\tau$ , the  $\tau$  of the stem drops out before  $\sigma$ .

**201.** In declining a substantive of the consonant declension it is necessary to know the *stem*. The *stem* is usually found by dropping the genitive sing. ending  $-o\varsigma$ . Thus: Nom.  $\sigma\tau\delta\mu\alpha$ ; gen.  $\sigma\tau\delta\mu\alpha\tau\circ\varsigma$ ; stem  $\sigma\tau\circ\mu\alpha\tau$ . The genitive singular, then, must be known before nouns of the consonant declension can be declined.

202. The gender of the third declension substantives, except in the case of special classes like the sub-

<sup>1</sup> Neuter substantives with nom. in -µa (stem -µar-) are introduced first on account of their simplicity and importance.

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stantives in -µar-, must be learned with each word separately.

203. A neuter plural subject often has its verb in the singular:

των δώδεκα άποστόλων τὰ όνόματά έστιν ταύτα, the names of the twelve apostles are these.

#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. τοῦτό ἐστι τὸ σῶμά μου. 2. τὰ ῥήματα ζωῆς αἰωνίου ἔχεις. 3. γινώσχομεν τὸ θέλημα τοῦ θεοῦ. 4. δνομα ἡν αὐτῷ 'Ιωάννης. 5. σπέρμα 'Αβραάμ ἐσμεν. 6. θέλετε ἅγειν ἐφ' (against) ἡμᾶς τὸ αἶμα τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τούτου;

II. 1. This is the will of God. 2. These are the good seed. 3. The words of the prophet are written in the scriptures. 4. Let us believe on  $(\epsilon i \varsigma)$  the name of the Lord. 5. That one was baptizing them in the holy spirit. 6. The will of God came through the mouths of the prophets.

# LESSON XXVII

# Future Indicative Active and Middle

#### 205.

#### VOCABULARY

Baubriov, to, demon

xal, besides the usual connective use, and, is used in the sense of also, and even.

περ!, prep. (original meaning around (on all sides))
with gen., about, concerning; with abl., from around; with acc., round about, about, concerning.
ὑπέρ, prep. (original meaning over, upper) with abl., in behalf of, in interest of; instead of; in place of:

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for the sake of; about, concerning; with acc., over, above, beyond.

ώς, relative, comparative, and temporal adv., as, when.

206. The future tense is made on a oristic (punctiliar) roots in some verbs and on durative roots in other verbs. The kind of action of the future may be either punctiliar or durative. But in use the future is generally punctiliar.

207. The future indicative, as in English, generally denotes what is going to take place. It is just the present vividly projected into the future. In English it is done by "shall" in the first person and by "will" in the second and third persons. Yet the future ind. has modal aspects which will be presented later.

208. The future indicative active and middle of Xów is:

Section 200	ACTIVE		1.1.2.2
Sing	gular	Ph	ural
Ι. λόσω,	I shall loose	λύσορ	LEY
2. λόσεις	etc.	λύσετ	
3. λύσει		λύσου	Int
Future	active infinitive.	λύσειν	B
	MIDDLE		
Singular	1	Plut	al
Ι. λύσομαι,	I shall loose mys	self	λυσόμεθα
2. λύση	or for myself, et	c.	λύσεσθε
3. λύσεται	A CONTRACTOR OF CONTRACT		λόσονται
Future	middle infinitive,	λύσεσθα	tt.
The future infinition	ve is found only six ti our of the six times	imes in th	ne New Testa

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a. The future passive is quite different from the future middle. b. Except in the future and aorist, the middle and passive are alike in form.

209. Observe: 1. The primary active and middle personal endings are used. 2. The tense-suffix is  $\sigma$ , added to the root  $\lambda u$ -. 3. The future stem is  $\lambda u \sigma$ -. 4. The thematic vowel is  $\circ/\epsilon$ . Note that, while the present theme is  $\lambda u^{\circ}/\epsilon$ , the future theme is  $\lambda u \sigma^{\circ}/\epsilon$ .

210. Most verbs whose verb stem ends in a single vowel (except the vowels  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , and  $\circ$ ) or a diphthong are conjugated in the future like  $\lambda \delta \sigma \omega$ ,  $\lambda \delta \sigma \delta \mu \alpha$ .

EXAMPLES: πιστεύω; fut. πιστεύσω. ἀχούω; fut. ἀχούσομαι. χωλύω; fut. χωλύσω.

211. Future indicative of shal is:

Singular		Plural
1. Eropar, I shall be,	έσόμεθα	
	Easabs	
2. Eon 3. Eona		Ecover

Future infinitive, Escobat

212. Conditional sentences (see 149). The third class conditional sentence is the condition undetermined, but with prospect of determination. Here the subjunctive after tdv (if) is used in the condition (if) clause. The conclusion naturally has the future indicative, but may have any tense of the indicative, subjunctive, or imperative.

# EXAMPLES:

tay παραλάβητε έμέ, ύμεις Ececole of μαθηταί μου, if you

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έἀν εἶπωμεν ὅτι ἀμαρτίαν οὐχ Εχομεν, ἡ ἀλήθεια οὐχ Εστιν ἐν ἡμῖν, if we say that we have not sin, the truth is not in us.

# 213. EXERCISES

214.

I. Ι. Χριστός ὑπέρ ἡμῶν ἀπέθανεν. 2. ἐἀν πιστεύωμεν τῷ ὀνόματι ᾿Ιησοῦ Χριστοῦ, πιστοί ἐσμεν. 3. ἐἀν παραλάβωσι τὰ ῥήματα αὐτοῦ, πιστεύσουσιν αὐτῷ. 4. οὕτως ἔσται καὶ ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις τοῦ υἰοῦ τοῦ ἀνθρώπου. 5. περί τούτων μὴ εἴπωμεν. 6. οῦτως δὲ ἔσονται οἰ πρῶτοι ἔσχατοι.

II. I. The sons of men shall believe on  $(\epsilon i \varsigma)$  the word of God. 2. There shall be joy in heaven because  $(\delta \tau i)$  he is saved. 3. Ye shall be with  $(\mu \epsilon \tau d)$  me this day. 4. If he believe me, I shall hear him. 5. Let us go to him.

# LESSON XXVIII

# Future Indicative Active and Middle (Continued)

	VOCABULARY I lovela friendly feeling on york willer)
άγαπάω,	I lovela minty feeling
αίτέω,	I ask for (something)
dxoλouθέ	The second se
γεννάω,	I beget
έρωτάω,	I ask (question) ( \$ pray, beg )
ζάω,	I live
ζητέω,	I seek
λαλέω,	I speak
μαρτυρέω	, I bear witness, testify
παρακαλί	
ποιέω,	I do, make

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will receive me, you shall be my and

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πληρόω, I fill, make full τηρέω, I keep φανερόω, make manifest

Notice that the present stem of these verbs ends in one of three vowels,  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , or  $\circ$ . These are called contract verbs because in the conjugation of the present system these vowels contract with the thematic vowel (and personal ending). These verbs in  $-d\omega$ ,  $-d\omega$ , and  $-d\omega$  are contracted only in the present and imperfect, and will be studied in Lessons XLIX, etc. In all other systems these verbs, if regular, are conjugated like the corresponding tenses of  $\lambda \omega$ .

# 215. The future of

άγαπάω	is	άγαπήσω;
λαλέω		λαλήσω;
	is	φανερώσω.

From these forms it is evident that verbs whose stems end in a short vowel  $(\alpha, \varepsilon, \circ)$  generally lengthen that vowel before  $-\sigma^{\circ}/\epsilon^{1}$  of the future, and then are conjugated like  $\lambda \delta \sigma \omega$  (see 208).

a is lengthened to  $\eta$  (but a after  $\varepsilon$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , or  $\rho$  is length-

 $\varepsilon$  is lengthened to  $\eta$  ened to  $\alpha$  not  $\eta$ )

o is lengthened to  $\omega$ 

Thus:

$$-\alpha + \sigma'/\epsilon = -\eta\sigma'/\epsilon$$
$$-\epsilon + \sigma''/\epsilon = -\eta\sigma'/\epsilon$$
$$-\sigma + \sigma''/\epsilon = -\omega\sigma''/\epsilon$$

216. I. The future of

βλέπω (stem βλεπ-) is βλέψω; νίπτω (stem νιβ-) is νίψω; γράφω (stem γραφ-) is γράψω.

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From this it is seen that stems in  $\pi$ ,  $\beta$ , or  $\varphi$  unite with  $\sigma$ , forming  $\psi$ ; that is  $\pi + \sigma = \psi$ ;  $\beta + \sigma = \psi$ ;  $\varphi + \sigma = \psi$ .

2. The future of

διώχω (stem διωχ-) is διώξω; άγω (stem άγ-) is άξω; ἕχω (stem σεχ-) is ἕξω.

Thus it is seen that stems in x,  $\gamma$ , or  $\chi$  unite with  $\sigma$  forming  $\xi$ ; that is,  $x + \sigma = \xi$ ;  $\gamma + \sigma = \xi$ ;  $\chi + \sigma = \xi$ . 3. The future of

> σώζω (stem σωδ-) is σώσω; πείθω (stem πειθ-) is πείσω.

From this it is seen that stems in  $\tau$ ,  $\delta$ , or  $\theta$  drop  $\tau$ ,  $\delta$ , or  $\theta$  before  $\sigma$ , leaving simple  $\sigma$ ; that is,  $\tau\sigma = \sigma$ ;  $\delta\sigma = \sigma$ ;  $\theta\sigma = \sigma$ .

217. Certain consonants are called mutes or stops because in forming them the passage of the breath is for a moment closed.

1. The consonants  $\pi$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\varphi$  are called labial mutes or stops, because they are made with the lips.

2. x,  $\gamma$ ,  $\chi$  are called palatal mutes or stops, because they are made with the soft palate.

3.  $\tau$ ,  $\delta$ ,  $\theta$  are called lingual (or dental), because they are made with the tongue (or teeth).

218. As an aid to memory the changes in mutestems in forming the future may be exhibited thus:

> Labials,  $\pi$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\varphi + \sigma = \psi$ . Palatals, x,  $\gamma$ ,  $\chi + \sigma = \xi$ . Linguals,  $\tau$ ,  $\delta$ ,  $\theta + \sigma = \sigma$ .

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This is also true of other to

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Keep in memory this order of the mutes. They occasion many important changes in formation of words.

219. The verb-stem in many verbs is not the same as the present stem: in the case of virto it was observed that the verb-stem is  $\nu\beta$ -; the present stem MAT-; and the verb-stem of out is out." The verb-stem of pulárow is pulax-; the future is puláto. The future of βαπτίζω (βαπτιδ-) is βαπτίσω.

220. The future of any word cannot be certainly determined beforehand. A verb may make its future on a durative root, a punctiliar (aoristic) root, or on a different verb-root. Exw has two futures, Etw 2 (durative) and oxnow (punctiliar). The future of Epyopan is electopan. The future of some verbs occurs only in the middle voice: e.g., γινώσχω, future yvácouze. In general a lexicon must be consulted for each verb.

The future of verbs with liquid stems  $(\lambda, \mu, \nu, \rho)$ will be given in Lesson XLVI.

# EXERCISES

221. I. I. τηρήσομεν τὰς έντολὰς αὐτοῦ. 2. ἀχολουθήσω σοι,\* Κύριε. 3. γνωσόμεθα αὐτόν, ὅτι όψόμεθα\* αὐτόν χαθώς έστιν. 4. έν έχείνη τη ήμέρα αίτήσεοθε έν τφ δνόματί μου και έρωτήσω αύτον περί ύμων. 5. άγαπήσεις χύριον τον θεόν σου έν όλη τη χαρδία σου χαί έν όλη τη ψυχή σου και έν δλη τη διανοία (mind) σου. αυτη έστιν ή πρώτη έντολή. 6. τὸ πνεῦμα άξει ήμας εἰς την ἀλήθειαν.

 $\zeta$  is treated as a combination of  $\delta + z$  (or  $z\delta$ ).

\* Note the rough breathing on EE. I dealaged is followed by the associative-instrumental case.

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II. I. We shall know the truth and do it. 2. We shall glorify God. 3. They will bear witness concerning him. 4. We shall persuade our hearts. 5. He will baptize you. 6. The faithful will proclaim the word of God. 7. I shall do the will of God.

# LESSON XXIX

#### Third Declension: Lingual Mute Stems

VOCABULARY

222.

apywy, -overs, b, ruler, prince ilatic, -idos, n. hope vót, voxtóc, n. night πούς, ποδός, δ, foot Que, Quetos, to, light zápis, -1705, h. grace éprasia, n. work, business 1, slave, 223. Note that the stem of

έλπίς is έλπιδ-: ydpic is yapir-; 304 is yuxt-.

Observe that the stem in all these substantives end in a lingual mute, and that the nominative is formed by adding s to the stem. Thus,

έλπιδς	becomes	έλπίς;
χαριτς	becomes	χάρις;
VUXTS	becomes	νυχς = νόξ.

For the changes that occur when a mute and c come together see 216 and 218.

# · From Extopan, I see.

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224. The declension of  $i\lambda \pi i\varsigma$ , hope;  $\chi d \rho i\varsigma$ , grace; and  $v \delta \xi$ , night:

STEM	έλπιδ-	STEM Xapit- Singular	STEM YURT-
Nom. Gen. Abl. Loc. Ins. Dat. Acc.	ελπίς ελπίδος ελπίδος ελπίδι ελπίδι ελπίδι ελπίδι ελπίδα	χάρις χάριτος χάριτος χάριτι χάριτι χάριτι χάριτι	νύξ νυχτός νυχτός νυχτί νυχτί νυχτί νύχτα
		Plural	121
Nom. Gen. Abl. Loc. Ins. Dat. Acc.	έλπίδες έλπίδων έλπίδων έλπίσι έλπίσι έλπίσι έλπίσι έλπίσι	χάριτες χαρίτων χαρίτων χάρισι χάρισι χάρισι χάρισι	νύχτες νυχτών νυχτών νυξί νυξί νυξί νύχτας

a. In the accusative singular forms like  $i\lambda \pi i \delta \alpha v$ , vóxtav, are found. b. In the acc. singular, the form  $\chi \alpha \rho \tau \alpha$  often occurs. c. Vocatives in this declension are rare and will be specially mentioned whenever separate forms occur.

225. Observe that: 1. In the loc. ins. and dat. plu. a lingual mute drops out before -51 (see 216, 3, 218).

2. In the case of yut, xo changes to & after of dropped out.

226. Monosyllables of the third declension gener-

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loc., ins., and dat. of both numbers. In the gen. plu.  $\omega v$  has the circumflex. But  $\varphi \omega \varsigma$  and  $\pi \alpha i \varsigma$  are accented in gen. plu. thus,  $\varphi \omega \tau \omega v$ ,  $\pi \alpha i \delta \omega v$ .

227. When substantives with stems in  $-i\tau$ ,  $-i\delta$ , or  $-i\theta$  are not accented on the ultima, the acc. sing. generally has  $\nu$  in place of the mute  $(\tau, \delta, \theta)$ , e.g.,  $\chi \dot{\alpha} \rho i \varsigma$  ( $\chi \alpha \rho i \tau$ -), acc.  $\chi \dot{\alpha} \rho i \nu$  (but see 224 b); but when the accent is on the ultima, the acc. is generally formed like the acc. of  $\dot{\epsilon} \lambda \pi i \varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\epsilon} \lambda \pi i \delta \alpha$ .

228. Declension of apy, wy, ruler, is:

# STEM dogove-

	Singular	Plural
Nom.	άρχων	άρχοντες
Gen.	άρχοντος	άρχόντων
Abl.	άρχοντος	άρχόντων
Loc.	άρχοντε	άρχουσε
Ins.	äpzove	άρχουσε
Dat.	άρχοντε	άρχουσε
Acc.	άρχοντα	άρχοντας

229. Observe that: I. The nom. sing. of  $\tilde{a}_{PZ}\omega\nu$  is formed from the mere stem without adding anything; final  $\tau$  of the stem is dropped, for a Greek word cannot end in  $\tau$  (see 200, 2 note); then  $\circ$  of the stem is lengthened (formative lengthening) to  $\omega$ . 2. When  $-\nu\tau$ - of the stem comes before  $-\sigma\tau$  of the loc., ins., and dat. plur., both  $\nu$  and  $\tau$  are dropped and the  $\circ$  of the stem is lengthened to  $\circ\upsilon$  (compensatory lengthening). (- $\nu\tau$ - always drops out before - $\pi$  and the preceding vowel lengthened.) Page 94 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis ally nave the account

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230. In expressions of time the locative donates a point in which; the accusative duration of, and the genitive time within which (kind of time): e.g., vuxti (or iv vuxti), in the night, vbxta, during the night; vuxtos, at night (not day).

# EXERCISES

I. Ι. δ 'Ιησοῦς ήλθεν εἰς τὴν οἰχίαν τοῦ ἄρχοντος. 2. τὸ φῶς ἐν τῆ σχοτία φαίνει.<sup>1</sup> 3. ἐξήλθεν ἡ ἐλπὶς τῆς ἐργασίας αὐτῶν. 4. χαὶ νὺξ οὐχ ἔσται ἔτι.<sup>2</sup> 5. ἐν ἐχείνῃ τῆ νυχτὶ ἕλαβον αὐτόν. 6. ὑμεῖς ἐστε τὸ φῶς τοῦ χόσμου. 7. τῆ χάριτι δὲ θεοῦ σωζόμεθα ἡμεῖς. 8. ἕνιπτε τοὺς πόδας τῶν μαθητῶν. 9. οὐ γάρ ἐστε ὑπὸ νόμον ἀλλ' ὑπὸ χάριν.

II. 1. They shall bear witness concerning him that (ort) he is the light. 2. We are saved by grace. 3. We are not under law but under grace. 4. We have hope in God. 5. The ruler came to him at night.

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Participles: The	Present, Active, Middle, and Passive
232.	VOCABULARY
άλλότριος,-α,-ον,	strange
άρτι, adv., δουλεύω,	now, just now, this moment I am a servant, I serve
ή, conj., χαρπός, δ,	or fruit blind manifest

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# PRESENT PARTICIPLE

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233. The present active participle of 16ω:

STEM LUOVT-, loosing Singular

	-		
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	λύων	λύουσα	λύον
Gen.	λύοντος	λυούσης	λύοντος
Abl.	λύοντος	λυούσης	λύοντος
Loc.	λύοντε	λυούση	λύοντε
Ins.	λύοντε	λυούση	λύοντε
Dat.	λύοντι	λυούση	λύοντι
Ácc.	λύοντα	λύουσαν	λῦον
		Plural	
Nom.	λύοντες	λύουσαι	λύοντα
Gen.	λυόντων	λυουσών	λυόντων
Abl.	λυόντων	λυουσών	λυόντων
Loc.	λύουσε	λυούσαις	λύουσε
Ins.	λύουσε	λυούσαις	λύουσε
Dat.	λύουσε	λυούσαις	λύουσε
Acc.	λύοντας	λυούσας	λύοντα

234. Observe: 1. The participle is declined in three genders.

 The stem λυοντ- becomes λύων in the nom. masc. sing., like ἄρχων, and is declined like ἄρχων.

3. The fem. nom. sing.  $\lambda \dot{0} 0 0 \sigma \alpha$  is for  $\lambda 0 0 0 \sigma \sigma \alpha$  for  $\lambda 0 0 0 \sigma \sigma \alpha$  (105) of the first declension.

4. The neuter nom. and acc. sing. λύον is the simple stem, final τ being dropped. (229, 200, 2.)

<sup>1</sup> iz is the feminine suffix added to the stem. Apparently  $\pi$  (i is a semivowel) became  $\sigma$ , then  $\nu$  was dropped before  $\sigma$  and  $\bullet$  lengthened (compensatory) to  $\bullet\nu$ . Page 96 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis



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The neuter nom. and acc. plur. ends in -a. Otherwise the neuter forms are like the masculine.

5. The masculine and neut. are declined in the third declension; the fem. in the first.

6. Note that participles are accented like adjectives; but the gen. and abl. fem. plural have the circumflex accent over the ultima like substantives of the first declension The accent is not recessive. The accent of the present active participle of dxobw is drobwy, drobousa, droboy. Observe the position of the accent in the neuter-not recessive.

235. Learn the pres. participle of elul (§ 16).

236. The future active participle of λύω, viz., λύσων, λύσουσα, λύσον, going to loose, is declined like the present participle of lów. It is rare in the New Testament.

237. The present middle and passive participle of 200 is:

#### MIDDLE

Neuler Fem. Masc. Luópevov, loosing (for) oneself. λυομένη LUGAEVOS

# PASSIVE

Luópevov, being loosed

JUGLEVOS Observe that the present middle and passive participles are alike in form.

λυόμενος is declined like αγαθός, λυομένη like αγαθή, and Luóusvov like dyatov, except in accent. Thus it is seen that the present, middle, and passive participles are declined like adjectives of the first and

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λυομένη

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238. The future middle participle of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  is  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \delta \mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$ , -n, -ov, going to loose (for) oneself; and is declined like Rubusyoc, -n, -oy. This is also rare in the New Testament.

239. It is to be observed that the present participles are made on the present stem, and the future act. and middle participles are made on the future stem.

In a mechanical way, the present active, middle, and passive participles of any regular verb may be formed by adding -wy, -oura, -oy and -uevos, -uévy, -uevoy to the present stem of the verb. Also the future act. and middle participles may be made by adding the same endings to the future stem of a verb. (See 209, 215, 216, 218.)

240. The participle is a verbal adjective. It is both verb and adjective at the same time.

I. Being an adjective, the participle is declined in gender, number, and case; it agrees in gender, number and case with the substantive that it modifies: like other adjectives it is either attributive or predicate; and with the article it is used as a substantive.

2. Being a verb also, the participle has voice and tense; governs the cases that the verb takes; and like other verbs it has adverbial modifiers (adjuncts).

241. The participle has not time in itself. Time with the participle is purely relative; it gets its time from the verb with which it is used.

242. Tense in the participle expresses "kind of action": the present part., durative action; the aorist participle, punctiliar action.

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second declensions.

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243. The participle has no personal endings and is therefore not limited by a subject. The participle has no subject. It makes no affirmation and is not a mode.

244. Note the simple attributive use of the participle with a substantive:

- 1. i utvouca thats, the abiding hope
- 2. & avepownos & herwy raura, the man saying these things, (the man who says these things).

245. Examine carefully the following:

the one believing, he who believes Ι. δ πιστεύων,

2. 6 γινώσχων,

the one knowing, he who knows

- 4. 6 xptvópevos,
- 3. & axousperos, the one being heard, he who is heard the one being judged, he who is judged
- 5. δ δεχόμενος,
- the one receiving, he who receives

6. to exercise out, the thing coming out, that which comes out

(Mid.), the one loosing (for) himself 7. δ λυόμενος. 8. rd un Blezópeva péver, the things not seen abide

The article and participle in this use are practically equivalent to a relative clause, though not actually equivalent. The article and participle may be in any case: e.g.,

- 9. δ χύριος σώζει τον πιστεύοντα έν αύτφ, the Lord saves the one believing (him who believes) on Him.
- 10. πιστεύομεν έν τφ πέμποντι αύτόν, we believe in the one sending (him who sends) him.

These examples practically cover the attributive use of the participle.

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246. The negative used with the participle is generally un, not.

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Ι. Ι. δ μένων έν αύτῷ έχει έλπίδα. 2. ούτός έστιν δ βαπτίζων έν πνεύματι άγίφ. 3. δ γινώσχων τον θεόν άχούει ήμῶν. 4. δ θεὸς ἀγάπη ἐστίν, xal δ μένων ἐν τῃ ἀγάπῃ ἐν τῷ θεῷ μένει και ὁ θεὸς ἐν αὐτῷ μένει. 5. οι ἀχούοντες έπίστευον έν τῷ έγείροντι τοὺς νεχρούς.

II. I. He who receives us receives Him. 2. Let us believe on him who raises the dead. 3. This is he who takes away the sins of the world. 4. He who has grace remains in hope. 5. That day we shall see him who comes in the name of the Lord.

# LESSON XXXI

248.	VOCABULARY
βαλών,	second aorist active participle of dποθνήσχω. second aorist active participle of βάλλω. , second aorist middle participle of γίνομαι.
εἰπών,	second aorist active participle; no present stem; λέγω used in present.
<i>έ</i> λθών,	second aorist active participle; no present stem; ἔρχομαι used in present.
ίδών,	second aorist active participle; no present stem; δράω used in present.
λαβών,	second aorist active participle of laugdre.

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thematic vowel type have the same endings as the present active and middle participles,  $-\omega v$  and  $-\mu e vo \varsigma$ . 250. The declension of  $\lambda \alpha \beta \omega v$ ,  $-o \bar{\upsilon} \sigma \alpha$ ,  $-\delta v$ , the second aorist active participle of  $\lambda \alpha \mu \beta \alpha v \omega$ , is:

	STEM	t λαβοντ-	
	Si	ngular	
Ma	sc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	λαβών	λαβούσα	λαβόν
Gen.	λαβόντος	λαβούσης	λαβόντος
Abl.	λαβόντος	λαβούσης	λαβόντος
Loc.	λαβόντε	λαβούση	λαβόντε
Ins.	λαβόντε	λαβούση	λαβόντι
Dat.	λαβόντε	λαβούση	λαβόντε
Acc.	λαβόντα	λαβούσαν	λαβόν
		Plural	
M	asc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom	Jachverec	λαβούσαι	λαβόντα

Nom.	λαβόντες	λαβούσαι	λαβόντα	
Gen.	λαβόντων	λαβουσών	λαβόντων	
Abl.	λαβόντων	λαβουσών	λαβόντων	
Loc.	λαβούσι	λαβούσαις	λαβούσε	
Ins.	λαβούσε	λαβούσαις	λαβούσε	
Dat.	λαβούσε	λαβούσαις	λαβοῦσε	1
Acc.	λαβόντας	λαβούσας	λαβόντα	

**251.** Observe: 1. The second aorist active participle of the thematic vowel type is declined like the present active participle in  $-\omega v$  ( $-0v\tau$ ), except for the accent. 2. It is formed on the second aorist stem, and has no augment.

**252.** The second aorist middle participle (λαβόμενος, http://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page102.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 12:01:55 p.m.]

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middle participle. The difference in form lies in the stem:  $\lambda \alpha \beta \delta \mu \varepsilon v \circ \varsigma$  (stem  $\lambda \alpha \beta$ -), aorist middle participle;  $\lambda \alpha \mu \beta \alpha v \delta \mu \varepsilon v \circ \varsigma$  (stem  $\lambda \alpha \mu \beta \alpha v$ -), present middle participle.

253. The aorist participle is used attributively with the article, as is the present participle (244, 245). The difference in meaning is that the present expresses *durative* action and the aorist, *punctiliar* action.

δ λαμβάνων, the one receiving, he who receives
δ λαβών, the one having received, he who received
δ γινόμενος, the one becoming, he who becomes
δ γενόμενος, the one having become, he who became

254. All participles may be used in the predicate. Study these examples carefully:

είπών ταῦτα ἀπηλθεν,

a. Having said b. When he sau c. After he sai d. He said this	d this he went away	
2. ίδών ταῦτα ἐδόξαζε τὸν	8=64,	(Line)a
c. Because he saw t 3. elaw taŭta daépzeta		God
4. παρέλαβον αύτον είπόντα		
	when he said this,	a. b. c.

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5. τυφλός ων άρτι βλέπω,

a. Being blind b. Whereas I was blind } now I see

6. ἕρχομαι ζητών χαρτόν,

I come { seeking fruit, a. to seek fruit, b.

7. πορευόμενοι έχήρυσσον,

a. Advancing

- they were announcing b. As they were advancing
- c. While they were advancing
- 8. ήλθον ζητών χαρτόν,

I came { seeking fruit, a. to seek fruit, b.

9. Drolaßer elzer, answering (catching up in speech) he said.

255. From the examples given above it is to be observed that:

1. The action of the present participle may precede (antecedent, Ex. 5), coincide with (simultaneous, Ex. 7), or follow (subsequent, Ex. 8 and 6) the action of the principal verb.

2. The action of the aorist participle may be antecedent to (Ex. 1, 2b, c, 3 and 4), or simultaneous with (Ex. 2 a, 9), that of the principal verb.

The aorist participle does not express subsequent action, although it may be used proleptically.

Whether the action expressed by a participle is antecedent, simultaneous, or subsequent to that of the principal verb must be determined from the context.

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256. The participles in the examples under 254 are varieties of what is called the circumstantial participle. The circumstantial participle is practically an additional statement added more or less loosely to the verbal notion of the principal verb. It may agree with the subject or object of the principal verb, or with any other substantive or pronoun in the sentence (see 254, 4). The participle in itself does not express time, manner, cause, purpose, etc., as suggested in the translation of the examples in 254. These ideas are not in the participle, but are suggested by the context.

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# EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. βλέπει τον χύριον έρχόμενον πρός αύτον και λέγει αύτῷ Ούτός έστιν ὁ αίρων τὰς ἀμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου. 2. οὐ τό είσερχόμενον είς τὸ στόμα χοινοί (defiles) ανθρωπον άλλά τὸ έξερχόμενον έχ τοῦ στόματος τοῦτο χοινοί άνθρωπον. 3. πορευόμενοι δέ χηρύσσετε λέγοντες ότι ο χύριος σώζει τούς πιστεύρντας έν αύτω. 4. ταύτα γράφω ύμιν περί των μή δεχομένων έμέ. 5. έλθών ούν δ 'Ιησούς εύρεν αύτόν.

II. I. He rejoices, saying that he saw the spirit coming upon  $(i\pi i)^1$  him. 2. We saw him while he was teaching in the temple. 3. The Lord said to those who were coming to him that God hears those believing on Him. 4. When he saw the child he went away. 5. Not having received the promises they died.

1 int (is' before rough breathing), prep. (orig. meaning upon) with gen., upon, at, by; with loc., upon, on, over; with acc., upon, over.

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#### 258.

259.

VOCABULARY

		( time) moveld
	αίών, -ώνος, δ	age (space of time), world
	άμπελών, -ώνος, δ,	vineyard
	ήγεμών, -όνος, δ,	leader, governor
	μάστιξ, -ιγος, ή,	whip, scourge, plague
	ποιμήν, -ένος, δ,	shepherd
	odpξ, oapx6ς, ή,	flesh
	odiary 5, -19705, 1	, trumpet
	σωτήρ, -ήρος, δ,	saviour
	χείρ, χειρός, ή,	hand
l		of odof and udorif:
9		STEM MOTTY-
	Comment and the	STEM MOOTLY-

STEM	σαρχ-	A TRACE ADVICES	france!
	Sing	ular	0.1000
Nom.	odoĘ	Nom.	μάστιξ
Gen.	σαρχός	Gen.	μάστιγος
Abl.	σαρχός	Abl.	hqueridoe
Loc.	Jxqxo	Loc.	μάστιγι
Ins.	capul	Ins.	μάστιγε
Dat.	σαρχί	Dat.	μάστιγι
Acc.	σάρχα	Acc.	μάστιγα
	Pl	ural	a body te
Nom.	σάρχες	Nom.	μάστιγες
Gen.	σαρχών	Gen.	μαστίγων
Abl.	σαρχών	Abl.	μαστίγων
Loc.	σαρξί	Loc.	μάστιξι
and the first states of the		Ins.	μάστιξι
200		Dat.	μάστιξι
Dat.	owpy.	Acc.	udotivas
Ins. Dat.	σαρξί σαρξί	Dat.	μάστιξι

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in palatal mu formed by a that occur wi accent of size	ites (217, adding s ith s and a 5 is accor	e stems of σάρξ a 2). 2. The nom to the stem. Fo a palatal mute, see ding to the rule s	inative sing, is or the changes 218. 3. The tated in 226.
(π or β) occ	ur in the	ves with stems in New Testamen to the stem and	t. (The nom.
EXAMPLES:		ς, δ, the S. W. -οπος, δ, a stake, a	
262. The d		of αίών, ήγεμών,	
STEM	αίων-	STEM hyenov- Singular	STEM поциен-
Nom	αίών	ήγεμών	ποιμήν
Gen.	αίώνος	ήγεμόνος	ποιμένος
Abl.	αίώνος	ήγεμόνος	ποιμένος
Loc.	αίῶνι	ήγεμόνε	ποιμένι
Ins.	αίωνι	ήγεμόνι	ποιμένι
Dat.	αίῶνι	ήγεμόνι	ποιμένι
Acc.	αίῶνα	ήγεμόνα	ποιμένα
		Plural	
Nom.	αίῶνες	ήγεμόνες	ποιμένες
Gen.	αίώνων	ήγεμόνων	ποιμένων
Abl.	αίώνων	ήγεμόνων	ποιμένων
Loc.	αίώσι	ήγεμόσι	ποιμέσι
Ins.	αίωσι	ήγεμόσι	ποιμέσι
Dat.	αίῶσι	ήγεμόσι	ποιμέσι
Acc.	αίώνας	ήγεμόνας	ποιμένας

a. Stems in -v are sometimes called nasal stems.

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Acc. dapxas

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263. Observe: I. The nominative is formed from the mere stem. In the case of alw the stem vowel is unchanged; in the case of hyenwy and rounty the short stem vowel is lengthened (formative lengthening), o to w, and e to y. 2. In the loc., ins., and dat. plural the -v- of the stem drops out, without any change in the stem vowel.

264. The declension of swrip:

# STEM GUTTO-

Singular		Plural
Nom.	σωτήρ	σωτήρες
Gen.	σωτήρος	σωτήρων
Abl.	σωτήρος	, σωτήρων
Loc.	σωτήρι	σωτήρσι
Ins.	σωτήρι	σωτήρσι
Dat.	σωτήρι	σωτήρσι
Acc.	σωτήρα	σωτήρας

Observe: I. The nominative is made from the stem without any change. 2. In the loc., ins., and dat. plural the ending -m is added to the stem without any change of the stem vowel or consonant.

a. xeip, gen. xeip6ç, is declined regularly except in the loc. inst., and dat. plur., which have yepd.

The real stem of xelp is xepo-.

265. A circumstantial participle (generally present or aorist) may be used in the genitive' case to agree with a substantive or pronoun in a construction grammatically independent of the rest of the sen-

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# THE GENITIVE ABSOLUTE

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This construction is called the genitive tence. absolute. Thus:

ταύτα είπόντων των μαθητών ol δούλοι ήλθον ele τον olxov, the disciples having said this ) the servants went after (or when) the disciples said this [ into the house

γενομένης ήμέρας οι ποιμένες απήλθον.

day having come } the shepherds went away when day came

αύτοῦ λέγοντος ταῦτα οἱ δοῦλοι ἀπηλθον, while he was saying this the servants departed

a. The genitive absolute is found also when the participle could have agreed with some substantive or pronoun in the sentence. b. Sometimes the genitive absolute is used without a substantive or pronounthe participle alone.

# 266.

EXERCISES

I. I. δ λόγος σάρξ έγένετο. 2. ίδετε (behold) τάς χειράς μου και πόδας μου ότι έγώ είμι αύτός. 3. δ έσθίων έκ τούτου τοῦ ἄρτου ζήσει εἰς τὸν αίωνα.1 4. τοῦ ὅχλου απελθόντος δ δούλος έρχεται είς τον οίχον του ποιμένος. 5. οί ποιμένες είδον τούς άποστόλους κηρύσσοντας τον σωτήρα.

II. I. Truth abides forever. 2. Behold his hands and feet. 3. I write these (things) with my hand. 4. The Saviour having departed, the crowd said this. 5. While he was going away he saw an angel.

1 sig the alara, (into the age), forever.

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# LESSON XXXIII

Third Declension (Continued): Liquid Stems in -co (Syncopated). The Relative Pronoun

# 267.

# VOCABULARY

utinp, -1965, t, mother dvnp, dv3p65, b, man Buratyp, -tpbs, &, daughter rathp, -tpbs, &, father 85, 7, 8, relative pronoun, who, which, that, what

268. The declension of zarno and dvho:

STEM	xarep-	STEM	( dvep-
	Singu	lar	
Nom.	πατήρ	Ncm.	antip
Gen.	πατρός	Gen.	avõpós
Abl.	πατρός	Abl.	dvãpós
Loc.	πατρί	Loc.	dvðpl
Ins.	πατρί	Ins.	dvöpl
Dat.	πατρί	Dat.	dyöpl
Acc.	πατέρα	Acc.	άνδρα
Voc.	πάτερ	Voc.	άνερ
	Plu	ral	
N. V.	πατέρες	N. V	άνδρες
Gen.	πατέρων	Gen.	άνδρῶν
Abl.	πατέρων	Abl.	άνδρών
Loc.	πατράσι	Loc.	άνδράσε
Ins.	πατράσι	Ins.	άνδράσι
Dat.	πατράσι	Dat.	άνδράσε
Acc.	πατέρας	Acc.	άνδρας
269. Observe simple stem;			med from the e is lengthened

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# RELATIVE PRONOUN

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2. Owing to the effect of the accent in the loc., ins., and dat. sing. of marthe the vowel & of the stem is suppressed; and at the same time in the loc., ins., and dat. plural  $\alpha$  is developed after  $\rho$  to facilitate pronunciation (also in avopást).

3. In dryp, when a is suppressed, there is inserted sympathetically the consonant & for the sake of euphony.

4. The voc. sing. is the simple stem, and has recessive accent.

270. untryp, mother, and Buyárno, daughter, are declined like marthe. The vocative of Buydrup is Buyarep. No voc. of whithe occurs in the New Testament.

271. The declension of the relative pronoun 85, 5, 5 is:

Singular			Plural]			
-	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	ŏç	ň	8	Yo	αĩ	ä
Gen.	οõ	ήs	00	ល័ម	చ్చ	ผ้ง
Abl.	05	ħs	oð	άv	చ్	ฉัง
Loc.	φ	ň	<b>ě</b>	ols	als	olç
Ins.	φ	ň	φ	ols	als	olç
Dat.	ø	ħ	4	olç	als	ols
Acc.	δv	ที่ห	8	005	äç	ä

It will be noticed that this pronoun is declined in the first and second declensions. Observe that every form has the rough breathing (') and an accent.

272. The relative pronoun generally agrees with its antecedent in gender and number; but it may have

1-co- actually represent the vocalic sound of a

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its own case in its clause, or it may be attracted to the case of its antecedent.

EXAMPLES: έπίστευεν δ ἄνθρωπος τῷ λόγ φ δν είπεν αὐτῷ δ Ίησοῦς, the man was believing the word that Jesus spoke to him.

- τά φήματα & έγω είπον ύμιν πνεύμά έστιν και ζωή έστιν, the words which I spoke to you are spirit and are life.
- μένετε έν αύτῷ ὅς έστιν ὁ σωτήρ τοῦ κόσμου, you are abiding in him who is the Saviour of the world.

273. Usually the attraction of the relative to the case of the antecedent is from the accusative (in which it naturally would be in its own clause) to some other oblique case:

μνημονεύετει τοῦ λόγου οδ έγὼ είπον ὑμῖν, remember the word that I said to you.

Here  $\delta$  has been attracted to the case of  $\lambda \delta \gamma \delta v$ . In its own clause it naturally would be in the accusative.

274. Often the relative has no antecedent expressed:

- μή γινώσχοντες δ λέγει ἀπέρχονται, not knowing what (that which) he says they go away.
- δς δέχεται με δέχεται ύμᾶς, he who receives me receives you.

### 275.

#### EXERCISES

 I. ή έντολή έστιν ὁ λόγος ὄν ἀχούετε. 2. ἀνδρα οὐ γινώσχω. 3. Ελεγον οὖν αὐτῷ Ποῦ ἐστιν ὁ πατήρ cou; 4. ἐν

# THIRD DECLENSION-CONTINUED 113

έχείνη τη ήμέρα έν τῷ όνόματί μου αἰτήσεσθε, χαὶ οὐ λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι έγῶ ἐρωτήσω τὸν πατέρα περὶ ὑμῶν. 5. ὅ ἀχούετε ἀπ' ἀρχῆς γινώσχετε. 6. χάριτι δὲ τοῦ θεοῦ είμι ὅ είμι. 7. οὐτός ἐστιν ὑπὲρ οῦ εἰπον.

II. I. The hope which we have is eternal. 2. This is my father and my mother. 3. We believe in him who died for us. 4. He shall ask the father concerning us. 5. This is the daughter concerning whom I spoke.

# LESSON XXXIV

# Third Declension (Continued): Stems in a The Interrogative and Indefinite Pronouns

276.

VOCABULARY

άνάστασις, -εως, ή,	resurrection
άφεσις, -εως, ή,	remission, forgiveness
γνώσις, -εως, ή,	knowledge
δύναμις, -εως, ή,	power
θλίψις, -εως, ή,	tribulation, distress
xplotς, -εως, ή,	judgment
xτίσις, -εως, ή,	creation
παράκλησις, -εως, τ	t, exportation also in appeal on endor
πίστις, -εως, ή,	faith
πόλις, -εως, ή,	city
τίς, τί, interroga	tive pronoun, who, which, what?
TIC, TI, indefinite	pronoun, one, a certain one. a certain
thing; some on	ie, something.
and the second	e adverb, where?

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277. The declension of mohic is:

STEM TOLE (TOLEL-)

Singular		Plural
Nom.	πόλις	πόλεις
Gen.	πόλεως	πόλεων
Abl.	πόλεως	πόλεων
Loc.	πόλει	πόλεσι
Ins.	πόλει	πόλεσε
Dat.	πόλει	πόλεσι
Acc.	πόλιν	πόλεις

The voc. sing.  $\pi \delta \lambda_i$  does not occur in the New Testament.

278. Observe: I. In the nom. and acc. sing. the stem is  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon$ . 2. In the other cases the stem is  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon$  (t is here a semi-vowel). 3.  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon \omega \varsigma$  and  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon \omega v$  of the gen. and abl. are for  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon (\iota) \omega \varsigma$  and  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon (\iota) \omega v$ .  $\varepsilon$  here preserves the semivowel sound of  $\iota$  which is dropped. Note the apparent exception to rule of accent, that the accent cannot stand on antepenult when the ultima is long.  $-\omega \varsigma$  is lengthened from  $-\circ \varsigma$ . 4. In the loc., ins., and dat. sing.  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon (\iota) \varepsilon ;$   $\iota$  of the case ending and  $\varepsilon$  contract,  $\varepsilon + \iota = \varepsilon t$  (diphthong). 5. In acc. sing.  $-\nu$  is the case ending, not  $-\alpha$ . 6. The nom. plural  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon (\iota) \varepsilon \varsigma ; \varepsilon + \varepsilon \circ \tau$ . 7. The acc. plural (old form  $\pi \circ \lambda \varepsilon (\alpha \varsigma)$ ) is assimilated to the nominative.

279. Like  $\pi \delta \lambda \iota \varsigma$  are declined all substantives (not having accent on ultima) in  $-\sigma \iota \varsigma$ ,  $-\xi \iota \varsigma$ ,  $-\psi \iota \varsigma$ . They are mainly abstract substantives of the feminine

### dat. sing. toket is for worke(),

Nom.	tiç	71	TEVES	τινά
Gen.	τινός	τινός	τινών	τινών
Abl.	τινός	τινός	τινών	τινών
Loc.	TIVE	TIVE	τισί	τισί
Ins.	τινί	TCVE	τισί	τισί
Dat.	τινί	τινί	τισί	Ttal
Acc.	τινά	τl	τινάς	τινά

Masc. and Fem. Neul. Masc. and Fem.

Note that the indefinite pronoun is declined like the interrogative, except that the accent is placed on

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280. The declension of the interrogative pronoun  $\tau i\varsigma$ ,  $\tau i$  is:

Singular			Plural	
Masc.and Fem.		Neut.	Masc. and Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	τiς	τi	τίνες	τίνα
Gen.	τίνος	Tivos	τίνων	τίνων
Abl.	TIVOS	τίνος	τίνων	τίνων
Loc.	τίνι	τίνε	τίσι	τίσι
Ins.	τίνε	τίνι	τίσι	τίσι
Dat.	τίνι	τίνι	τίσι	τίσι
Acc.	τίνα	τí	τίνας	Tiva-

a. Note that this pronoun is declined in the third declension; the masculine and feminine genders are alike; the neuter differs from the masculine and feminine only in the nom. and acc. b. The interrogative pronoun has the acute accent on the first syllable; it is never changed to the grave.

281. The declension of the indefinite pronoun  $\tau l_{\zeta}$ ,  $\tau l$  is:

Plural

Neut.

Singular

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the ultima because it is an enclitic and loses or retains its accent according to the principles given in 138.

282. Examine carefully the following examples of the use of the interrogative pronoun:

I. od tis el; who art thou?

2. Tiva probly Exerc; what pay (reward) have you?

3. The Estiv & Evopunos obtos; who is this man?

4. tiva Inteite; whom are you seeking?

5. TI Rothow; what shall I do?

6. YIVWORETE TIS ESTIV & dupp, you know who the man is.

Note: 1. The interrogative  $\pi i \zeta$  is used as a substantive (1, 3 and 4) or as an adjective (2). 2. It is used in both direct (1-5) and indirect (6) questions. 283. The neuter accusative  $\pi i$  is frequently used adverbially in the sense of "why."

ti ue hireis dradov; why do you call me good?

284. In indirect questions the same mode and tense is generally found as in the direct; and the same interrogative words:

elde που μένετε, he saw where you are staying. έγίνωσχε τι έστιν έν άνθρώπφ, he knew what is in man.

285. Study carefully the following examples of the use of the indefinite pronoun:

Ι. εξπέν τις αὐτῷ,	one (a certain man) said to him.
2 τινές δέ έξ αύτῶν είπον,	some (certain ones) of them said.
3. είσηλθεν είς χώμην τινά,	he went into a certain village.

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4. άνθρωπός τις είχεν δύο υίούς, a certain man had two sons.

Note that the indefinite  $\pi l_{\zeta}$  is used as a substantive (I and 2), or as an adjective (3 and 4).

### 286.

### EXERCISES

I. Ι. τί θέλετε ποιήσω ὑμῖν; 2. ἡ πίστις σου σώζει σε. 3. ἀλλὰ εἰσὶν ἐξ ὑμῶν τινὲς οἶ οὐ πιστεύουσιν. 4. ἐν τῆ δυνάμει τοῦ πνεύματος εἰς Γαλιλαίαν εἰσέρχεται. 5. εἴδομέν τινα ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου ἐκβάλλοντα δαιμόνια. 6. γράψω ἐπ' αὐτὸν τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ θεοῦ μου καὶ τὸ ὄνομα τῆς πόλεως τοῦ θεοῦ μου.

II. I. What shall we say? 2. Ye have power to become the children of God. 3. In a certain city he was preaching the word. 4. A certain man said, "Lord, I will follow thee." 5. Why are you going away? 6. The faith which we have saves men.

# LESSON XXXV

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287.	VOCAE	BULARY
άρχιερεύς, -έως, δ,	chief priest	Ελεος, -ους, τό, pity, mercy Στος, -ους, τό, year
βασιλεύς, -έως, δ,	king	μέλος, -ους, τό, member
γραμματεύς, -έως, δ,	scribe	μέρος, -ους, τό, part
Ιερεύς, -έως, δ,	priest	πληθος, -ους, τό, crowd,
γένος, -ους, τό,	race	multitude
Εθνος, -ους, τό,	nation	σχότος, -ους, τό, darkness
Εθος, -ους, τό,	custom	τέλος, -ους, τό, end

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288. The declension of Basileús is:

STEM Basileu(F)-1

Sin	gular		Plural
Nom.	βασιλεύς	N. V.	βασιλείς
Gen.	βασιλέως		βασιλέων
Abl.	βασιλέως		βασιλέων
Loc.	βασιλεί		βασιλεύσι
Ins.	βασιλεί		βασιλεύσι
Dat.	βασιλεί		βασιλεύσι
Acc.	βασιλέα		βασιλείς
Voc.	βασιλεύ	1.8 11.1	
	Contraction of the second		

Observe: 1. The final u(F) of the stem is dropped when it would come between two vowels; it is retained when final (vocative) or followed by a consonant (nom. sing.; loc., ins., and dat. plur.). 2. In the loc., ins., and dat. sing., and in the nom. and acc. plural contraction takes place. 3. In the acc. sing. -a is the case ending and not -y. The acc. plural has been assimilated to the nominative. Compare Basileús with mólis.

289. All substantives with nom. sing. in -eo; are masculine, and are declined like Basileúc.

290. The declension of yévos is:

Singular

### STEM YEVEG-

### Plural

ũσι

ūσt

	An	and the second sec
Nom.	YEVOG	γένη
Gen.	γένους	γενών (γενέων)
Abl.	γένους	γενών (γενέων)

1 F, van, called also digamma, an old letter standing in the alphabet after  $\epsilon$ , and pronounced like w. Its presence as a semi-vowel is often shown by u.

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Loc.	γένει	γένεσε
Ins.	γένει	γένεσι
Dat.	γένει	γένεσι
Acc.	YÉVOS	γένη

Observe: I. The nom. (and acc.) is the stem with vowel & strengthened to o. 2. In all other cases the o of the stem is dropped, and contraction of the concurrent vowels takes place.

a. In the gen. and abl. sing. Yévouç came from Yéveros; o dropped out, e + o contracted to ou. b. In the loc., ins., and dat. sing. Yever came from Yever; o dropped out, s + i contracted to -si. c. The nom. and acc. plural yévy came from yévesa; a dropped out,  $s + \alpha$  contracted to  $\eta$ . d. In the gen. and abl. plural yever (yevery) came from yeverwy; o dropped out,  $\varepsilon + \omega$  contracted to  $\omega$ , or remained uncontracted as yevewy. 3. The accent of the contracted gen. and abl. plural is a circumflex over the ultima.

291. Like yevos are declined all neuters with nom. sing. in -oc (stem -eo).

#### 292. EXERCISES

I. I. σό εί ο βασιλεύς των Ιουδαίων. 2. οί βασιλείς των έθνων χυριεύουσιν 1 αύτων. 3. άλλ' ούπω το τέλος έστίν. 4. έμελλεν Ίησοῦς ἀποθνήσχειν ὑπέρ τοῦ ἔθνους, καί ούχ ύπέρ του έθνους μόνον. 5. ούκ έχεις μέρος μετ' 4μού. 6. ol doziepeis elnov Oux Exouev Basiléa.

II. I. The multitude will follow him. 2. That one is not king of this world. 3. This is the gospel

1 Ruperius, to be lord of, or to rule (over), with the genitive. 2 ouron, not yet.

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" novov, adv., only.

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which I proclaim among (iv) the nations. You have a part in the kingdom of heaven. The 5. scribes and priests have not mercy.

# LESSON XXXVI

# First Aorist Indicative Active and Middle

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### VOCABULARY

xataplico, I purify ayiáku, I sanctify Basileów, Ireign, I am king xaralów, I destroy Osáopat, I behold

τυφλόω, I make blind, blind

294. The second aorist tense (178) is older than the first aorist. As tense the first aorist is not a different tense from the second aorist. The second and first aorists are just two different forms of the same tense.

295. The first aorist indicative active of Xów is:

### STEM LUG(a)-

Singular		Plural		Plural	
Ι.	Ελυσα,	I loosed,	$C_{i} \in \mathcal{O}_{i}$	ı.	έλόσαμεν
	έλυσας	1100100 C		2.	έλύσατε
3.	έλυσε			3.	έλυσαν

First aorist active infinitive, Lucat

For translation of the aorist, see 187.

296. On the formation of the first aorist it is to be observed:

1. The first aorist stem is formed by adding -oa to the verb stem.

2 The secondary active personal endings (see 66) http://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page120.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 12:05:27 p.m.]

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are used. But -v is not used in the first singular; and -e of the third sing. seemingly takes the place of a.

3. In the indicative there is an augment as in the second aorist (182. 3, and 70).

4. The infinitive ending is -at; the accent is on the penult.

297. The first agrist indicative middle of  $\lambda \omega$  is:

	Singular		Plural
I.	έλυσάμην	I loosed	Ι. έλυσάμεθα
2.	έλύσω	(for) myself,	2. έλύσασθε
3.	έλύσατο	etc.	3. έλύσαντο

First aorist middle infinitive, λύσασθαι

a. The second pers. sing. έλύσω came from έλύσασο; σ dropped out, and the concurrent vowels α and o contracted to w.

298. Observe: I. That the secondary middle endings (see 80) are added directly to the theme Luga-. 2. The middle infinitive ending -ofat is added to the theme luga-.

299. The same principles of augment are found in the first aorist indicative as in the second aorist (182. 3) and imperfect (70).

300. The form illoars may be analyzed thus: i-loσα-το; é is the augment; λυ- is the verb-stem, σα is the tense suffix;  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma(\alpha)$  is the tense stem,  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \alpha$  is the tense theme, and to is the secondary middle personal ending of the third person. Analyze the active έλύσατε.

For the meaning of the aorist middle see Lesson XXIV, and 52.

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**301.** Verbs with stems ending in a vowel (except  $\alpha, \varepsilon, \circ$ ) regularly form the first aorist (if they have a first aorist) like  $\lambda \delta \omega$ .

Thus: χωλύω, I hinder-first aorist έχώλυσα. πιστεύω, I believe-first aorist έπίστευσα.

**302.** Generally, verbs that have a first aorist do not have a second aorist; and verbs that have a second aorist do not have a first aorist.

a. A few verbs have both aorists. When they occur, the first aorist is usually transitive and the second aorist intransitive.

In the New Testament it is common for a second aorist stem to have a of the first aorist: thus elda, eldaç, eldaµev, etc.; elza, etc.

303. 1. Verbs with stems ending in a short vowel  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , or  $\circ$ , form the first aorist by lengthening the vowel before the tense suffix  $\sigma\alpha$  (as in the future before  $\sigma \circ / \varepsilon$ , 215):

 $\alpha$  is lengthened to  $\eta$  (except after  $\epsilon$ ,  $\iota$ , or  $\rho$ , when  $\epsilon$  is lengthened to  $\eta$  it is lengthened to  $\alpha$ .) • is lengthened to  $\omega$ .

### Thus:

άγαπάω, I love, first aorist ἡγάπησα. ποιέω, I do, make, first aorist ἐποίησα. πληρόω, I fill, first aorist ἐπλήρωσα.

Active infinitives, άγαπήσαι, ποιήσαι, πληρώσαι.

2. But a few verbs like  $x\alpha\lambda\omega\omega$ , *I call*, and  $\tau\varepsilon\lambda\omega\omega$ , *I end*, *I complete*, do not lengthen  $\varepsilon$  before the aorist tense suffix. Thus:

καλέω, I call, first aorist ἐκάλεσα τελέω. I finish, first aorist ἐτέλεσα

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3. Verb stems with endings in mutes make the same changes with  $\sigma$  of  $-\sigma\alpha$  to form the aorist, as was made with  $\sigma$  of the future, 215-16-17.

Thus: Labial	(πβφ):	πέμπω,	aorist ἕπεμψα	
Palatal	(xyx):		aorist ἔγραψα aorist έδίωξα	
Lingual		διαλέγω, σώζω (σωδ-), πείθω,	aorist διέλεξα aorist ἕσωσα aorist ἕπεισα	4

**304.** There is no difference in meaning between a first aorist and a second aorist. Both express *punc-tiliar* action—point action. See 178–179.

**305.** There were originally two verb-types, the one denoting durative or linear action, the other momentary, or punctiliar action. Thus in  $i\sigma\thetai\omega$  the verb-stem is durative or linear, and in  $i\sigma\sigma\gamma\sigma$  the verb-stem is punctiliar. So in English "blink the eye" is a different kind of action from "live a life." In Greek this matter of the "kind of action" in the verb-stem (or root), called *Aktionsart*, applies to all verbs. This "kind of action" of the verb-stem itself was before there was any idea of the later tense development.

The aorist tense at first was used with verb-stems of punctiliar sense. The verb-stem itself may accent the beginning of the action, the end of the action, or the action as a whole. The aorist tense itself always means point-action (punctiliar action). But the individual verb-stem meaning may deflect the punctiliar action to the beginning or to the end. Consequently, in the aorist the tense idea is to be Page 122 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

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combined with the verb-stem meaning. Thus in punctiliar action three distinctions arise: (1) the unmodified point-action, called constative; (2) the point action with the stress on the beginning of the action, called ingressive; (3) the point-action with the stress on the conclusion or end of the action, called effective. Thus:

έχ τοῦ πληρώματος αὐτοῦ ἡμεῖς ἐλάβομεν, of his fulness we received. (Effective.)

δ λόγος σὰρξ ἐγένετο, the word became flesh. (Ingressive.) eoxfiveous ev their, he dwelt among us. (Constative.)

Sometimes the same word can be used for each of these ideas; as Baleiv may mean "throw" (constative), or "let fly" (ingressive), or "hit" (effective).

306. The aorist tense, although at first it was confined to verbs of punctiliar action, came gradually to be made on verbs of durative action. (So also verbs of durative action came to have the tenses of punctiliar action.) Thus the tenses came to be used for the expression of the idea that once belonged only to the verb-stem (or root). That is, the aorist tense imposed a punctiliar idea on a durative verbstem. (So also the present tense imposed a durative idea on a punctiliar verb-stem.) Thus the aorist just treats as punctiliar an act which is not in itself point-action. This is the advance that the tense makes on the verb-stem (or root). So all aorists are punctiliar, in fact or statement.

307. Of course the "kind of action" of the tense (nunctiliar) and the "kind of action" of the verb-

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stem (Aktionsart) run through the whole tense (modes, infinitive, and participle).

308. What was said in Lessons XXIV and XXV about the meaning of the second aorist applies also to the first aorist; and what is said in this lesson applies to the second aorist. Review the meaning of the modes.

309. EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. είς τοῦτο γὰρ Χριστός ἀπέθανεν καὶ ἕζησεν. 2. ούκ ήλθον καταλύσαι τὸν νόμον ἀλλὰ πληρῶσαι. 3. ἕγραψα ύμίν, παιδία, ότι γινώσκετε τον πατέρα. 4. καί έξησαν και έβασίλευσαν μετά του χριστού χίλια (thousand) Ετη. 5. αύτος ήγάπησεν ήμας. 6. έθεάσαντο & έποίησεν xal έπίστευσαν είς αύτόν.

II. 1. Darkness blinded his eyes. 2. We did not receive the gospel because we did not hear the word. 3. They made him king. 4. He came to destroy the works of the devil. 5. He sanctified them in truth.

### LESSON XXXVII

# First Aorist Subjunctive Active and Middle

310. VOCABULARY avenos, b, wind Bauuazw, I wonder, marvel loxupós, -á, -óv, strong xplua, to, judgment μισέω, I hate vixáw, I conquer

voulow, I think, suppose πρεσβύτερος, δ. elder oxavoalitw, I cause to stumble, offend góbos, b, fear xpeia, n, need

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311. The first aorist subjunctive active and middle of  $\lambda \omega$ :

ACTIV	7E
Singular	Plural
<b>Ι.</b> λόσω	Ι. λύσωμεν
2. λύσης	2. λύσητε
3. λύση	3. λύσωσι
MIDD	LE
Ι. λύσωμαι	Ι. λυσώμεθα
2. λύση	2. λύσησθε
3. λύσηται	3. λύσωνται

a.  $\lambda \delta \sigma \eta$ , the second pers. sing. middle, came from  $\lambda u \sigma \eta \sigma \alpha \tau$ ;  $\sigma$  dropped out, and  $\eta$  and  $\alpha \tau$  contracted to  $\eta$ .

**312.** Observe: 1. There is no augment. Augment belongs to the secondary tenses of the indicative only. 2. The stem  $\lambda u\sigma(\alpha)$  ( $\sigma(\alpha)$  is the tense suffix) is the same stem as in the aorist indicative. 3. The long thematic vowel  $\omega/\eta$  is added to the stem. Compare the present subjunctive 165 and 172. 4. The personal endings are the primary active and middle endings, the same as in the present subjunctive (165 and 172).

**313.** In the formation of the first aorist subjunctive of verbs with stems ending in a short vowel or a mute, the same changes are made at the end of the stem as in the first aorist indicative (see 303. I, 3). Thus the first aorist subjunctive of

άγαπάω	is άγαπήσω, άγαπήσης, etc.
ποιέω	is ποιήσω, ποιήσης, etc.
πληρόω	is πληρώσω, πληρώσης, etc.

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πέμπω	is πέμψω, πέμψης,	etc.
άρχομαι	is ἄρξωμαι, ἄρξη,	etc.
πείθω	is πείσω, πείσης,	etc.
σώζω (σωδ-)	is σώσω, σώσης,	etc.

314. Write the first aorist subjunctive of

αίτέω, I ask; έρωτάω, I ask (question); φανερόω, I make manifest; δέχομαι, I receive; γράφω, I write; βλέπω, I see; σώζω, I save.

**315.** Of course the "kind of action" of the aorist subjunctive is punctiliar; and <u>Aktionsart</u> is present as in the indicative. What was said in 304-306 about punctiliar action and Aktionsart applies to the aorist subjunctive.

**316.** It needs to be repeated that the difference in the meaning between the present subjunctive and the aorist subjunctive is in the "kind of action" expressed by the two tenses: durative action in the present, and punctiliar action in the aorist.

317. The aorist subjunctive (in the second and third persons) with  $\mu\eta$  is used to express a prohibition.

I. Generally in the second person:

un apenove rever, do not begin to say.

2. Less often in the third person:

uh tiç buãç alavhon, let no one cause you to err.

318. Exercises

I. τινές δὲ έξ αὐτῶν ἀπῆλθον πρός τοὺς Φαρισαίους
 καὶ εἶπαν αὐτοῖς ἅ ἐποίησεν Ἱησοῦς. 2. ἐτύρλωσεν αὐτῶν

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τούς όφθαλμούς Ϊνα μη Ϊδωσι τοῖς όφθαλμοῖς. 3. μη νομίσητε δτι ήλθον καταλῦσαι τὸν νόμον ή τοὺς προφήτας. 4. οὖτος ήλθε εἰς μαρτυρίαν Ϊνα μαρτυρήση περὶ τοῦ φωτὸς ἶνα πάντες (all) πιστεύσωσιν δι' αὐτοῦ. 5. ζητήσωμεν αὐτόν. 6. μη περὶ τούτων γράψης.

II. I. What shall we do? 2. Let us receive the Gospel. 3. Do not love the world. 4. They asked him concerning the parable. 5. If we do his will, he will love us.

# LESSON XXXVIII

First Aorist Active and Middle Participle. Adjectives of the Third Declension. Declension of πάς

### 319.

### VOCABULARY

άδιχος, -η, -ον, unrighteous
άδύνατος, -ον, unable, impossible
άχάθαρτος, -ον, unclean
άμήν, adv., truly, verily
ἅπας, ἅπασα, ἅπαν, all, altogether
ἀπολύω, I release
βιβλίον, τό, book, a written document
θεραπεύω, I heal
ὅτε, relative temporal adv. with the indicative, when
ὅταν, relative temporal adv. with the subj. and indicative, when
τές, πάσα, πάν, all, every
320. The first aorist active participle of λόω is λόσας

(macc) ) ) (magger (fem.), λύσαν (neut.). http://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page128.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 12:06:56 p.m.]

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	STEM	λυσαντ-	an transferration
	Sin	ngular	i togolie
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	λύσας	λύσασα	λύσαν
Gen.	λύσαντος	λυσάσης	λύσαντος
Abl.	λύσαντος	λυσάσης	λύσαντος
Loc.	λύσαντι	λυσάση	λύσαντι
Ins.	λύσαντι	λυσάση	λύσαντι
Dat.	λύσαντι	λυσάση	λύσαντε
Acc.	λύσαντα	λύσασαν	λῦσαν
	Р	lural	

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Nom.	λύσαντες	λύσασαι	λύσαντα
Gen.	λυσάντων	λυσασών	λυσάντων
Abl.	λυσάντων	λυσασών	λυσάντων
Loc.	λύσασι	λυσάσαις	λύσασι
Ins.	λύσασι	λυσάσαις	λύσασι
Dat.	λύσασι	λυσάσαις	λύσασι
Acc.	λύσαντας	λυσάσας	λύσαντα

 a. All participles with masc. nom. in -aç are declined like λύσας, λύσασα, λῦσαν.

321. Observe: 1. The aorist tense suffix  $\sigma \alpha$  appears throughout. 2. To the aorist theme is added the participial ending  $-\gamma \tau$ . 3. The stem is  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \alpha \tau \tau$ ; and (1) to this is added  $\varsigma$  to form the nominative masc. sing.;  $\gamma \tau$  cannot stand before  $\varsigma$  and drops out, and  $\alpha$  is lengthened; (2) the neuter nom. sing. is the mere stem,  $\tau$  being dropped (234, 4); (3) the fem. nom. sing.  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \sigma \sigma \alpha$  is from  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \alpha \tau \sigma \alpha$  from  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \alpha \tau \tau \alpha$  (see 234, 3 footnote). 4. The masc. and neuter are declined according to the third declension, and the fem. is declined according to the first declension.

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**322.** The first aorist middle participle of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  is  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \dot{\alpha} \mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$ ,  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \sigma \mu \dot{\varepsilon} \nu \eta$ ,  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \dot{\alpha} \mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \nu$ . Note the middle participle ending - $\mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \varsigma$ ,  $-\mu \varepsilon \nu \eta$ ,  $-\mu \varepsilon \nu \sigma \nu$  is added to the aorist theme  $\lambda \upsilon \sigma \sigma$ . The first aorist middle participle, like the present and second aorist middle participles, is declined like an adjective of the first and second declensions.

323. Of course the kind of action (punctiliar) and the Aktionsart of the verb-stem apply to the participle.

324. The declension of xāç, xāsa, xāv is:

# STEM TANT-

### Singular

		in Sterrer	
Ma	isc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	πάς	πάσα	πάν
Gen.	παντός	πάσης	παντός
Abl.	παντός	πάσης	παντός
Loc.	παντί	πάση	παντί
Ins.	παντί	πάση	παντί
Dat.	παντί	πάση	παντί
Acc.	πάντα	πάσαν	πάν
	Min Alberta	Plural	
Nom.	πάντες	πάσαι	πάντα
Gen.	πάντων	πασών	πάντων
Abl.	πάντων	πασών	πάντων
Loc.	πάσι	πάσαις	πάσι
Ins.	πάσι	πάσαις	πάσι
Dat.	πάσι -	πάσαις	πάσι
Acc.	πάντας	Tácac	πάντα

# 325. I. Note that except for the accent $\pi \tilde{\alpha}_{\varsigma}$ is

for the accent is declined like xãç.

declined like the first aorist participle  $\lambda \delta \sigma \alpha \varsigma$ ; and the formation of genders and cases is like  $\lambda \delta \sigma \alpha \varsigma$ .

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a. ămaç is a strengthened form of maç and except

2. Observe that the accent in the masculine and neuter singular is that of monosyllables of the third declension (226), while in the plural the accent is on the penult.

326. Examine carefully the following examples of the use of  $\pi \tilde{\alpha}_{\varsigma}$ :

1. In the predicate position:

a. πάσα ή πόλις, all the city

b. năsai al nóheiç, all cities

2. In the attributive position:

a. ή πάσα πόλις, the city as a whole

b. & nas vous, the entire law, the whole law

c. of marres ardpes, the total number of the men

With a singular substantive, without the article;
 πάσα πόλις or πόλις πάσα, every city

4.  $\pi \hat{\alpha}_{\varsigma} \delta$  and the participle is a common construction in the New Testament.

πάς δ άχούων,	every one hearing, every one who hears
πάντες οἱ ἀχούοντες, παντὶ τῷ ἀχούοντι,	all those hearing, all those who hear to every one hearing, to every one who hears
πάντες οἱ ἀχούσαντες,	all those having heard, all those who heard

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327. worre, so that (to be distinguished from worre used as an inferential conjunction, and so, therefore) is used with the infinitive (twice with the indicative) to express result:

# xal έθεράπευσεν αύτον ώστε τον τυφλόν βλέπειν, and he healed him so that the blind man was seeing.

a. The accusative toy tupley is not the subject of the infinitive Blézerv. The infinitive does not have a subject; it has no personal endings, and is not a finite verb. The acc. limits an idea in content, scope, and direction. The action in Blénew is limited by the acc. to Tdy Tuploy. This use of the acc. is generally called the acc. of general reference.

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### EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. δ πέμψας με δίχαιός έστιν. 2. ταύτα πάντα έλάλησεν δ 'Ιησούς έν παραβολαίς τοις δχλοις. 3. πάς δ έν αύτφ μένων ούχ άμαρτάνει. 4. άχούσας ταύτα είπεν αύτῷ Τί τοῦτο ἀχούω περί σοῦ; 5. ήλθον ποιήσαι τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πέμψαντός με. 6. δταν αχούσωσιν τον λόγον, μετά χαράς λαμβάνουσιν αύτόν. 7. άμην άμην λέγω ύμιν δτι ξρχεται ώρα χαί νῦν έστιν ὅτε οἱ νεχροὶ ἀχούσουσιν τῆς φωνῆς τοῦ υἰοῦ τοῦ θεοῦ xal οἱ ἀχούσαντες ζήσουσιν.

II. 1. Having heard this he went away. 2. He healed all the blind so that they marvelled. 3. Every one believing on him comes not into judgment. 4. When you hear his voice, you will believe. 5. Let us hear him who sent him.

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### LESSON XXXIX

Adjectives of the Third Declension: Stems in -ec. Irregular Adjectives, πολύς and μέγας

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#### VOCABULARY

alnong, -éc, true doveris, -is, weak, sick Yápos, b, marriage μέγας, μεγάλη, μέγα, great μονογενής, -ές, only begotten bying, -ές, whole, healthy

πολύς, πολλή, πολύ, much. many προσευχή, ή, prayer οπάγω, I go away, depart

330. The declension of almong is:

### STEM dinder-

	Singular	
M	asc. and Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	Nom. αληθής	
Gen.	άληθοῦς	άληθοῦς
Abl.	άληθοῦς	dληθοῦς
Loc.	άληθεϊ	dingei
Ins.	άληθεί	άληθεϊ
Dat.	άληθεϊ	άληθεϊ
Acc.	άληθη	άληθές
	Plural	
M	asc. and Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	άληθείς	danth
Gen.	άληθών	άληθών
Abl.	άληθών	άληθών
Loc.	άληθέσι	άληθέσε
Ins.	άληθέσι	άληθέσι
Dat.	άληθέσι	άληθέσι
Acc.	dληθείς	άληθη

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There are about sixty adjectives in the New Testament declined like αληθής.

Compare the declension of alythy, with yeros (290).

331. In the declension of alnoh; observe: 1. The neuter nom. and acc. sing. is the mere stem. 2. The masc. nom. sing. is the stem with the stem vowel lengthened. 3. In the other cases  $\sigma$  of the stem drops out and the concurrent vowels contract. The gen. and abl. sing.  $d\lambda\eta\theta_0\bar{\upsilon}\varsigma$  is from  $d\lambda\eta\theta\dot{\epsilon}\sigma_0\varsigma$  ( $\varepsilon + \circ = \circ\upsilon$ ); the loc., ins., and dat. sing. dayder is from dayder  $(\varepsilon + \iota = \varepsilon \iota)$ ; the masc. acc. sing.  $d\lambda \eta \theta \tilde{\eta}$  is from  $d\lambda \eta \theta \delta \sigma \alpha$  $(\varepsilon + \alpha = \eta)$ ; the masc. nom. plur.  $d\lambda \eta \theta \varepsilon i \varsigma$  is from  $d\lambda\eta\theta\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\epsilon\varsigma$  ( $\epsilon + \epsilon = \epsilon t$ ); the neut. nom. and acc. plur.  $d\lambda\eta\theta\eta$  is from  $d\lambda\eta\theta$ έσα (ε + α = η); the gen. plural  $d\lambda\eta\theta$ ών is from  $d\lambda\eta\theta\dot{\epsilon}\sigma\omega\nu$  ( $\epsilon + \omega = \omega$ ); the masc. and fem. acc. plur. alr, beig is like the nom. (probably borrowed from the nom.). 4. The masc. and fem. forms are alike. (This is the first adjective given thus far, the feminine of which is declined in the third declension.) 5. The gen., abl., loc., ins. and dat. in all three genders are alike.

332. The declension of πολύς is:

STEMS TOLU- and Tollo-, - -

	Si	ingular	
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	πολύς	πολλή	πολό
Gen.	πολλού	πολλής	πολλού
Abl.	πολλού	πολλής	πολλού
Loc.	πολλώ	πολλή	πολλφ

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	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Ins.	πολλφ	πολλή	πολλώ
Dat.	πολλώ	πολλή	πολλφ
Acc.	πολύν	πολλήν	πολό

# Plural

Nom.	πολλοί	πολλαί	πολλά
Gen.	πολλών	πολλών	πολλών
Abl.	πολλών	πολλών	πολλών
Loc.	πολλοίς	πολλαίς	πολλοίς
Ins.	πολλοίς	πολλαϊς	πολλοϊς
Dat.	πολλοίς	πολλαίς	πολλοῖς
Acc.	πολλούς	πολλάς	πολλά

Observe: 1. The masc. and neut. nom. and acc. sing. are made on the stem  $\pi \circ \lambda v$ -. 2. All the other cases (masc. fem. and neut.) are made on the stem  $\pi \circ \lambda \lambda \circ$ - (fem. end. - $\eta$ ) and declined according to the first and second declensions.

333. The declension of µéyaç is:

STEMS µeya- and µeyalo-, -a-.

# Singular

	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	μέγας	μεγάλη	μέγα
Gen.	μεγάλου	μεγάλης	μεγάλου
Abl.	μεγάλου	μεγάλης	μεγάλου
Loc.	μεγάλφ	μεγάλη	μεγάλφ
Ins.	μεγάλφ	μεγάλη	μεγάλφ
Dat.	μεγάλφ	μεγάλη	μεγάλφ
Acc.	μέγαν	μεγάλην	μέγα

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Plural			
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	μεγάλοι	μεγάλαι	μεγάλα
Gen.	μεγάλων	μεγάλων	μεγάλων
Abl.	μεγάλων	μεγάλων	μεγάλων
Loc.	μεγάλοις	μεγάλαις	μεγάλοις
Ins.	μεγάλοις	μεγάλαις	μεγάλοις
Dat.	μεγάλοις	μεγάλαις	herayous
Acc.	μεγάλους	μεγάλας	μεγάλα

Observe: 1. The masc. and neut. nom. and acc. sing. are made on the short stem µeya-.

2. All the other cases (masc., fem., and neut.) are made on the long stem  $\mu \epsilon \gamma \alpha \lambda \epsilon$ - (fem. end. - $\eta$ ) and are declined like adjectives of the first and second declensions.

334. Study carefully the following examples of indirect discourse:

I. Indirect assertions. I. After bri (that):

od hereig or basiheld eine, thou sayest that I am a King. eldor or esoler, they saw that he was eating.

2. With the infinitive:

Régouser autor pérer, they say that he remains.

3. With the participle:

είδαμέν τινα έκβάλλοντα δαιμόνια, we saw one casting out demons.

II. Indirect questions:

adtos γàp έγινωσχεν τί ήν έν τῷ ἀνθρώπφ, for he himself knew what was in man.

eldar nou uéves, they saw where he was abiding. howingar i qaywos, they asked what they were to eat.

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III. Indirect commands.

τῷ Παύλφ ἕλεγον διὰ τοῦ πνεύματος μή ἐπιβαίνειν εἰς 'Ιεροσόλυμα, they said to Paul through the spirit that he should not go up to Jerusalem (literally, not to go up to Jerusalem).

335. Observe:

I. Indirect assertions are expressed (I) by  $\delta \pi$ and the indicative; (2) by the infinitive; (3) by the participle.

2. The same introductory words are generally used in indirect questions as those which are found in direct questions.

3. The infinitive is frequently used in indirect commands.

a. Sometimes Iva and a finite mode is used.1

4. The tense generally remains unchanged in the Greek indirect discourse.

a. Sometimes there is a change, as in the first example under II; the imperfect hy seems to represent a present in the direct.

'5. The mode generally remains unchanged in the Greek indirect discourse. The subjunctive mode  $(\varphi d\gamma \omega \sigma t)$  in the third example under II was in the direct.

6. The person of the verb is or is not changed according to the circumstances.

In the third example under II the third person was first or second in the direct.

<sup>1</sup> Also used as object-clause after verbs of striving, beseeching, etc.

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I. I. καὶ ἐγένετο φόβος μέγας ἐπὶ πάντας. 2. τίς γάρ ἐστιν ἀνθρώπων ὅς οὐ γινώσκει τὴν Ἐφεσίων ¹ πόλιν νεωκόρον ² οὖσαν τῆς μεγάλης ᾿Αρτέμιδος; 3. λέγουσιν ἀνάστασιν μὴ είναι. 4. καὶ πολὸ πλῆθος ἀπὸ τῆς Γαλιλαίας ἡχολούθησεν αὐτῷ. 5. εἶπεν ὅτι μεγάλη ἐστὶν ἡ πίστις αὐτοῦ. 6. ἔτι πολλὰ ἔχω ὑμῖν λέγειν. 7. μετὰ ταῦτα ἡχουσα ὡς φωνὴν μεγάλην ὅχλου πολλοῦ. 8. γινώσχομεν ὅτι ἀληθὴς εἰ.

II. 1. They did not know what they would see.2. They know that there shall be great tribulation.3. Many saw the Lord coming and said that he was the Saviour of the world. 4. This one is the only begotten son.

### LESSON XL

# First Aorist Passive Indicative and Subjunctive. Future Passive Indicative

### 337.

### VOCABULARY

αναγινώσχω, I read μιτα λυπέω, I grieve
 ανωθεν, adv., from above, ὅπου, rel. adv., where
 again πόθεν, interrogative adv.,
 αὕριον, adv., tomorrow whence
 ἐγγύς, adv., near σαλεύω, I shake
 ἐπαύριον, adv., on the morrow σταυρόω, I crucify

338. The stem of first aorist passive is formed by adding  $\theta_{\epsilon}$  directly to the verb-stem. Thus  $\lambda u \theta_{\epsilon}$  is the first aorist stem of  $\lambda \omega$ .

<sup>1</sup> 'Equator, -n, -ov, Ephesian. <sup>2</sup> vewshoos, b or h, temple-keeper

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# FIRST AORIST PASSIVE

Singular

# 339. The first agrist passive indicative of $\lambda \omega$ is:

# Plural

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ελύθην, I was loosed
 ελύθης, you were loosed
 ελύθης, you were loosed
 ελύθης, he was loosed
 ελύθησαν, they were loosed

First aorist passive infinitive-Lubyvar, to be loosed

Observe: 1. The vowel  $\varepsilon$  of the aorist passive tense suffix  $\theta \varepsilon$  is lengthened to  $\eta$  ( $\theta \eta$ ) throughout the indicative, and in the infinitive. 2. The personal endings of the aorist passive indicative are the secondary active personal endings (66). 3. The endings are added directly to the aorist passive stem. 4. In the indicative there is an augment as in the aorist active ind. (182, 3 and 296, 3), and is formed on the same principles as in the imperfect (70). 5. The aorist passive infinitive ending is -vat; the accent of the aorist passive infinitive is always on the penult.

340. The aorist passive subjunctive of  $\lambda \omega$  is:

Singular	Plural	
<ol> <li>λυθώ</li> </ol>	Ι. λυθώμεν	
2. λυθής	2. λυθήτε	
3. Luby	3. λυθώσε	

Observe: 1. The subjunctive has the primary personal endings. 2. The subjunctive mode sign  $\omega/\eta$ contracts with  $\varepsilon$  of the passive suffix. 3. The circumflex accent is written over the contracted syllable. 4. The subjunctive does not have an augment.

341. Review the "kind of action" (punctiliar) of the aorist tense and Aktionsart of the verb-stem,

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178-180, 305-307. These of course apply to the aorist passive as well as to active and middle.

342. For the meaning of the passive voice see 51. Some defective (152) verbs have no aorist middle, but passive form; but not the passive meaning: the meaning is either middle or active (or intransitive):

# πορεύομαι, I go; ἐπορεύθην, I went.

Some verbs have both aorist middle and passive forms, as drexpivduny, drexpi0ny.

**343.** Verbs with stems ending in a short vowel  $(\alpha, \varepsilon, o)$  generally lengthen  $(\check{\alpha} \text{ to } \bar{\alpha} \text{ before } \varepsilon, t, \text{ or } \rho)$  the vowel of the stem before the tense suffix  $\theta \varepsilon$  in formation of the aorist passive. Thus:

ποιέω; aorist passive, έποιήθην. γεννάω; aorist passive, έγεννήθην. φανερόω; aorist passive, έφανερώθην.

 a. A few verbs like τελέω do not lengthen ε; but have σ before θε, as έτελέσθην.

344. The future passive is made upon the aorist passive stem. Thus  $\lambda \upsilon \vartheta \vartheta \sigma \sigma \mu \alpha \alpha$ , *I shall be loosed*, is the aorist passive stem  $\lambda \upsilon \vartheta \vartheta + \sigma \sigma$  (the future tense suffix and thematic vowel)  $+ \mu \alpha \alpha$  (the primary middle ending). The future passive of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  is:

# Singular Plural 1. λυθήσομαι, I shall be loosed 1. λυθησόμεθα, we shall be 2. λυθήση, you shall be 2. λυθήσεσθε loosed, etc. loosed 3. λυθήσεται 3. λυθήσεται he, she or it shall be loosed

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# SECOND AORIST PASSIVE

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Observe that the future passive is conjugated like the future middle except that the stem of the passive is  $\lambda u \theta \eta \sigma$ , whereas the stem of the middle is  $\lambda u \sigma$ .

345. In some verbs (having no first aorist passive) there is found a second aorist passive with suffix  $-\epsilon$  (- $\eta$ ) added directly to the verb-stem. The conjugation is like that of the first aorist passive, except there is no  $\theta$ .

Thus: the second aorist passive of γράφω is έγράφην,' έγράφης, etc.: στρέφω, έστράφην, etc. Second aorist passive infinitive γραφήναι.

The second future passive is built on the second aorist stem. The second future passive of  $\varphi \alpha i \nu \omega$ (second aor. pass.,  $\dot{\epsilon} \varphi \dot{\alpha} \nu \eta \nu$ ) is  $\varphi \alpha \nu \dot{\eta} \sigma \omega \mu \alpha \iota$ .

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### EXERCISES

I. Ι. και έξελθών έπορεύθη είς ἕτερον τόπον. 2. άμην άμην λέγω σοι, έαν μή τις γεννηθη ἄνωθεν, ού δύναται ίδειν την βασιλείαν τοῦ θεοῦ. 3. εἰς τοῦτο ἐφανερώθη ὁ υἰὸς τοῦ θεοῦ ἴνα λύση τὰ ἕργα διαβόλου. 4. λέγει αὐτῷ Σίμων Πέτρος, Κύριε, ποῦ ὑπάγεις; ἀπεκρίθη Ίησοῦς Όπου ὑπάγω οὐ δύνασαί μοι νῦν ἀκολουθησαι. 5. ἐγγὸς ἡν ὁ τόπος τῆς πόλεως ὅπου ἐσταυρώθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς.

II. I. If he be made manifest, we shall be like  $(\delta\mu\sigma\sigma\sigma)$  him (associative-instrumental case). 2. Those who believed were begotten of  $(\epsilon x)$  God. 3. It was written in order that the Scripture might be fulfilled. 4. The powers of the heavens shall be shaken.

<sup>1</sup> The second aorist passive is really an active form that came to have a passive meaning.

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### LESSON XLI

### Aorist Passive (Continued)

### 347.

### VOCABULARY

avolyw, I open standing ezioupla, n. desire

άληθώς, adv., truly, surely xaλώς. adv., finely, well πειράζω, I test, tempt διάνοια, ή, mind, under- πρό, prep. with abl., before reletów, I end, complete, fulfill -

348. The formation of the first aorist and future passive given in Lesson XL is typical of all verbs with stems ending in a vowel.

349. Verbs with stems ending in a mute (217-218) suffer euphonic changes in the mute before the passive suffix de.

I. A labial mute,  $\pi\beta\varphi$ , before  $\theta$  (of the suffix) becomes φ. πέμπω, stem πεμπ-, aorist passive έπέμφθην.

2. A palatal mute, xyx, before 0, becomes x. äyω, stem ay-, aorist passive -ήχθην.

3. A lingual mute, τδθ, before θ becomes σ. πείθω, stem πeiθ-, aorist passive έπείσθην.

These changes may be represented to the eye in tabular form, thus:

 $\pi$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\varphi$  before  $\theta = \varphi \theta$ . x,  $\gamma$ ,  $\chi$  before  $\theta = \chi \theta$ .  $\tau$ ,  $\delta$ ,  $\theta$ , before  $\theta = \sigma \theta$ .

After these changes are made the conjugation follows the form of έλύθην. Thus λείπω: Aorist passive indicative έλείφθην, etc. Aorist passive subjunctive λειφθώ, etc. Aorist passive infinitive λειφθήναι Future passive indicative leponoual, etc.

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350. The stem of the aorist passive participle is made on the aorist passive stem with the participial ending -vt. The stem of the aorist passive participle of Lów is Lóbert -.

The declension of the aorist passive participle of λύω is:

	2	Singular	
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	λυθείς	λυθεϊσα	λυθέν
Gen.	λυθέντος	λυθείσης	λυθέντος
Abl.	λυθέντος	λυθείσης	λυθέντος
Loc.	λυθέντε	λυθείση	λυθέντι
Ins.	λυθέντι	λυθείση	λυθέντε
Dat.	λυθέντι	λυθείση	λυθέντε
Acc.	λυθέντα	λυθεϊσαν	λυθέν
	1	Plural	
Nom.	λυθέντες	λυθείσαι	λυθέντα
Gen.	λυθέντων	λυθεισών	λυθέντων
Abl.	λυθέντων	λυθεισών	λυθέντων
Loc.	λυθείσι	λυθείσαις	λυθείσι
Ins.	λυθείσι	λυθείσαις	λυθείσι
Dat.	λυθείσι	λυθείσαις	λυθείσι
Acc.	λυθέντας	λυθείσας	λυθέντα

Observe: 1. The masc. nom. sing. is formed by adding -s to the stem  $\lambda u \theta e v \tau = \lambda u \theta e v \tau s; v \tau cannot$ stand before  $\varsigma$  and drops out; the  $\varepsilon$  is lengthened (compensatory) to et. 2. The fem. nom. sing. is formed from  $\lambda u \theta e v \tau i \alpha = \lambda u \theta e v \sigma \alpha = \lambda u \theta e i \sigma \alpha$ ; e is lengthened (compensatory) to at; see 321, 3 (3); 234, 3 footnote. 3. The neut. nom. (and acc.) sing. is the

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mere stem, without  $\tau$  (see 234, 3). 4. For the forms of the masc. and neut. loc., ins., and dat. plural see 229, 2, and lengthening of  $\varepsilon$  to  $\varepsilon$  see above. 5. Note the position of the accent on the aorist passive participle in comparison with the other participles.

351. The aorist passive participle of

πέμπω is πειφθείς, -θεΐσα, -θέν. ἄγω is άχθείς, -θεΐσα, -θέν. πείθω is πεισθείς, -θεΐσα, -θέν. γεννάω is γεννηθείς, -θεΐσα, -θέν. φανερώω is φανερωθείς, -θεΐσα, -θέν.

The second aorist passive participle of

γράφω is γραφείς, -εῖσα, -έν. φαίνω is φανείς, -εῖσα, -έν. στρέφω is στραφείς, -εῖσα, -έν.

352. The aorist passive participle is used in all the participial constructions that have been studied.

353. It cannot certainly be told beforehand what form of the aorist passive a verb will have. The aorist passive stem must be known.

I. Some of the second aorist passives found in the New Testament (besides those already given) are:

-exónny (fut. pass. xonhoouar),	pres. xóntw, I beat, strike
έκρύβην,	pres. xpontw, I hide
έσπάρην,	pres. onelow, I sow
(ἀπ)ἐστάλην,	pres. (ano) or thhw, I send
ήνοίγην (fut. pass. ανοιχθήσομαι	, ἀνοιγήσομαι), pres. ἀνοίγω,
I open	

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2. Some verbs have apparently irregular forms in the first aorist and future passive:

Present	First aorist passive	Future passive
άχούω	ήχούσθην	άχουσθήσομαι
βάλλω	έβλήθην	βληθήσομαι
γινώσχω	έγνώσθην	γνωσθήσομαι
έγείρω	ήγέρθην	έγερθήσομαι
παλέω	έχλήθην	<b>χληθήσομα</b> ι
λαμβάνω	έλήμφθην	-λημφθήσομαι
Stem 67-	- ῶφθην	όφθήσομαι.

(Presents used, βλέπω, δράω, and δπτάνομαι).

### 354.

### EXERCISES

I. I. έκλήθη δὸ ở Ἰησοῦς εἰς τὸν γάμον. 2. καὶ τῆ τρίτῃ ἡμέρα ἐγερθήσεται. 3. ὁ δὲ διεκώλυεν¹ αὐτὸν λέγων Ἐγώ χρείαν ἔχω ὑπὸ σοῦ βαπτισθῆναι. 4. οὐτος μέγας κληθήσεται ἐν τῆ βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν. 5. ὑμεῖς δὲ τίνα με λέγετε είναι; ἀποκριθεἰς ὁ Πέτρος λέγει αὐτῷ Σὸ εἰ ὁ Χριστός. 6. πίστει Μωυσῆς γεννηθεἰς ἐκρύβη τρίμηνον (three months) ὑπὸ τῶν πατέρων αὐτοῦ. 7. ἦχθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὑπὸ τοῦ πνεύματος εἰς τὴν ἕρημον πειρασθῆναι ὑπὸ τοῦ διαβόλου. 8. μετὰ ταῦτα ὥφθη πῶσι τοῖς ἀποστόλοις.

II. I. The prince of this world will be cast out. 2. Let us be led by the spirit. 3. If I touch him, I shall be saved. 4. He who was begotten of God will keep you. 5. If we be raised from the dead, they shall be raised.

<sup>1</sup> διακωλόω, I hinder.

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### LESSON XLII

# Some Irregular Substantives of the Third Declension. Some Uses of the Infinitive

### VOCABULARY

dvrt, prep. (original meaning "at ends" [face to face]) with the gen., opposite, against; instead of, in place of, for äξιος, -α, -ον, fitting, worthy έπιθυμέω, I desire νεφέλη, ή, cloud

πάσχα, τό (indeclinable), the Passover πάσχω, I suffer; second aorist ἕπαθον σιγάω, I am silent, keep silent συνεσθίω, I eat with (someone), φοβέομαι, I am afraid, I fear φωνέω, I call, speak aloud χρονίζω, I spend time, tarry

**356.** Learn the forms of the following irregular substantives of the third declension given in § 12: γόνυ, τό, knee; γυνή, ή, woman; θρίξ, ή, hair; χύων, δ, dog; οδς, τό, ear; ὕδωρ, τό, water.

Note especially the forms not in parentheses the forms in parentheses do not occur in the New Testament.

357. The infinitive, as we have learned, has tense and voice; but it has no manner of affirmation and is not a mode.

There are a great many uses of the infinitive. Note carefully some of the uses of the infinitive in the following:

I. As an indeclinable verbal substantive (of

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neuter gender) the infinitive may be used in any case (not vocative) with or without the article. With the article it is indeclinable; but the neuter article with the infinitive is declined and shows the case of the infinitive.

 (I) χαλόν σοι έστιν εισελθεῖν εἰς ζωήν, it is good for thee to enter into life. εισελθεῖν is in the nominative case.

(2) ήλθομεν προσχυνήσαι, we came to worship. προσχυνήσαι is in the dative case. In this construction the infinitive is common for the expression of purpose.

(3) έξήτησαν τοῦ χαταλῦσαι τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ, they sought to destroy his work. τοῦ χαταλῦσαι is in the genitive case. τοῦ and the infinitive is common in the New Testament to express purpose.

2. The infinitive with the article is used in most of the constructions in which any other substantive is used.

 (I) The infinitive is used with such verbs as: δύναμαι, θέλω, ζητέω, ἄρχομαι, etc. In fact, the infinitive can be used with almost any verb that can be used with a substantive.

θέλει απούειν τὸ εὐαγγέλιον, he wishes to hear the gospel. οὐ δύναται αὐτῷ δουλεύειν, he is not able to serve him.

(2) The infinitive is used with substantives, most frequently with those expressing time, fitness, ability, need, etc.

ξχομεν έξουσίαν γενέσθαι τὰ τέχνα τοῦ θεοῦ, we have power to become the children of God.

Exer miorry rou owohyan, he has faith to be healed (saved).

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(3) The infinitive is used with adjectives, commonly with

άξιος, δυνατός, ίχανός.

ούχέτι είμι άξιος χληθήναι υίός σου, I am no longer worthy to be called a son of thine.

Suvarbs estiv auto pulázai, he is able to guard (keep) it.

(4) The infinitive with the article is used with many prepositions.

- πρό τοῦ σε Φίλιππον φωνήσαι είδόν σε, before Philip called thee, I saw thee.
- είπεν παραβολήν διὰ τὸ έγγὺς είναι 'Ιερουσαλήμ αὐτόν, he spoke a parable because he was near Jerusalem.
- μετά τὸ ἀποθανείν αὐτὸν ἀπῆλθον, after he died, they went away.
- ταῦτα εἰπον ὑμῖν εἰς τὸ μὴ μένειν ὑμᾶς ἐν τῆ ἀμαρτία, I said this to you in order that you might not remain in sin.

Note: els rò and an infinitive is a common construction to express purpose.

xal elacuator er to porter er to rao actor, and they marvelled while he was tarrying in the temple.

a. Observe that the case of the infinitive has its proper meaning. The prepositions, as with cases of other substantives, help out the meaning of the cases. What the resultant meaning is depends on the meaning of the word, the case with the preposition, and the context. In the first example the resultant meaning of  $\pi\rho\delta$  to  $\bar{\nu}$   $\rho\omega\nu\bar{\eta}\sigma\alpha$  (abl. case) is temporal; of the second example,  $\delta\iota\delta$  t $\delta$  elva, causal; of the third,  $\mu\epsilon\tau\delta$  t $\delta$   $d\pi\delta\theta\alpha\nu\epsilon\bar{\nu}$ , temporal; of the fourth, elg t $\delta$   $\mu\eta$   $\mu\epsilon\nu\epsilon\nu$ , purpose; of the fifth,

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is  $\tau \tilde{\varphi} \chi \rho \sigma v \zeta_{etv}$  (loc. case), temporal. b. The voices of the infinitive have the usual significance. c. The tenses have their force in the infinitive, as in the modes and participle. Tense in the infinitive has no time except in indirect discourse. d. It is not necessary for the article to come next to the infinitive. Several words may intervene (see first example under (4)) and the clause may be one of considerable extent. e. The infinitive is not a mode and is not limited by personal endings; and, therefore, does not have a subject. See 327, a.

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### EXERCISES

I. Ι. πρό γάρ τοῦ έλθειν τινάς ἀπό Ίαχώβου μετὰ τῶν έθνῶν συνήσθιεν ὁ Πέτρος. 2. οὐχ ἔστιν χαλόν λαβειν τὸν ἄρτον τῶν τέχνων χαὶ βαλειν τοῖς χυσίν. 3. μετὰ δὲ τὸ σιγήσαι αὐτοὺς ἀπεχρίθη Ἱάχωβος. 4. ἐπεθύμησα τοῦτο τὸ πάσχα φαγείν μεθ' ὑμῶν πρὸ τοῦ με παθείν. 5. ἐφοβήθησαν δὲ ἐν τῷ εἰσελθείν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὴν νεφέλην.

II. 1. After he entered the house, the crowd went away. 2. While the woman was going away, he spoke to his disciples. 3. The son of man has power to save men. 4. He was worthy to receive the glory. 5. Before he saw you I called you.

### LESSON XLIII

### The Perfect and Pluperfect Indicative Active

359.		Vocabulary		
άπαγγέλλω, clare	I	announce,	de-	σύρω, I drag, draw ψεύστης, -ου, δ, liar

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 εξω, adv., without; used also φεύγω, I flee, take flight; with abl. second aorist, μακάριος, -α,- ον, blessed, happy ἕφυγον.
 δράω, I see; fut. ὄψομαι; second aor. είδον.

360. The perfect indicative active of λόω is:

Singular			Plural	
I. λέλυχα, I have loosed,		I have loosed,	Ι. λελύχαμεν	
2.	λέλυχας	etc.	2. λελόχατε	
3.	λέλυχε		3. λελύχασι ΟΓ λέλυχα	
Ŧ1	P	erfect active inf	initive, leluxévat	

a. In the second pers. sing. a form like  $\lambda \ell \lambda \nu \kappa \epsilon_{\gamma}$  occurs a few times. b. In the third pers. plur. a form like  $\lambda \ell \lambda \nu \kappa \alpha \nu$  occurs ten times in the New Testament.

361. Observe: I. To the verb-stem  $(\lambda v-)$  is prefixed its initial consonant  $(\lambda)$  with  $\varepsilon$ . This is called *reduplication*. 2. The suffix  $-x\alpha$  is added to the reduplicated verb-stem: thus is formed, in the indicative, the first (or x) perfect stem (active). 3. The personal endings seem to be the secondary personal endings, except  $-\alpha \sigma v$  in the third plur.

**362.** The first (or x) perfect (active) is generally formed from verb-stems ending in a vowel, a liquid  $(\lambda, \rho)$ , or a lingual (dental) mute  $(\tau, \delta, \theta)$ .

1. Vowel stems. If the final vowel of the stem is long (or a diphthong) -xα is added to the reduplicated verb-stem without change, as πεπίστευxα.

If the final vowel of the stem is short, it is lengthened before -xa as νιχάω, I conquer, νενίχηχα; ποιέω, I do, πεποίηχα; πληρόω, πεπλήρωχα.

Here a, e, and o follow the same principle of lengthhttp://www.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page150.html (1 of 2) [30/07/2003 12:11:01 p.m.]

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ening as in the future and first acrist active and passive.

2. Liquid stems. -κα is added to the reduplicated verb-stem, as στέλλω (σταλ-), ἔσταλκα (for reduplication see below).

Lingual mute stems. τ, δ, or θ is dropped before
 -xa, as σώζω (σωδ), σέσωχα.

**363.** Verbs beginning with a vowel, two consonants (except a mute and liquid), a double consonant  $(\zeta, \xi, \psi)$ , or  $\flat$ , form the reduplication like the augment.  $\rho$  is generally doubled. Thus:  $d\gamma \alpha \pi d\omega$ ,  $\eta\gamma d\pi\eta \pi\alpha$ ;  $\sigma\tau \ell\lambda \lambda\omega$ ,  $\xi\sigma\tau \alpha\lambda \pi\alpha$ .

**364.** Verbs beginning with a rough mute  $(\varphi, \chi, \theta)$  have the corresponding smooth mute  $(\pi, \chi, \tau)$ , in reduplication. Thus:  $\varphi \iota \lambda \delta \omega$ ,  $\pi \epsilon \varphi \ell \lambda \eta \chi \alpha$ ;  $-\theta \nu \eta \sigma \chi \omega$ ,  $\tau \delta \theta \nu \eta \chi \alpha$ . **365.** A few verbs have a seemingly irregular perfect, as

> γινώσχω, perf. act. ἔγνωχα. δράω, perf. act. ἐώραχα.

**366.** In formation of the perfect active a few verbs add  $-\alpha$  and not  $-x\alpha$  to the reduplicated verb-stem. These are called *second* or *strong* perfects, and are older than the x- perfects. Conj. like x- perf.

Present	Second perfect	
άχούω	dxhxoa	
γίνομαι	γέγονα	
γράφω	γέγραφα	
έρχομαι	έλήλυθα	
πάσχω	πέπονθα	
πείθω	πέποιθα	
φεύγω	πέφευγα.	

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**367.** The tense in Greek called perfect is really a present perfect. The perfect presents the action of the verb in a completed state or condition. When the action was completed the perfect tense does not tell. It is still complete at the time of the use of the tense by the speaker or writer. The perfect expresses the continuance of completed action. It is then a combination of punctiliar action and durative action. This kind of action expressed by the perfect tense is sometimes called *perfective* action.

**368.** The perfect tense as tense is timeless. But in the indicative the time element is present. The perfect indicative generally expresses the present result of a past action. It then has to do with the past and the present. The English perfect is not an equivalent to the Greek perfect. The translations given in the paradigms are not at all to be taken as equivalent to the Greek perfect, but as a means of associating the verb meaning with the verb. Aktionsart of the verb applies to the perfect. E.g.,

γέγραφα, I wrote and the statement is still on record. έλήλυθα, I came (punctiliar) and am still here (durative).

369. The pluperfect (past perfect) indicative active of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  is

Singular		Plural
<ol> <li>[(έ)λελύχειν],</li> <li>[(έ)λελύχεις]</li> <li>(έ)λελύχει,</li> </ol>	I had loosed, etc.	<ol> <li>[(έ)λελύχειμεν]</li> <li>(έ)λελύχειτε</li> <li>(έ)λελύχειταν</li> </ol>
	in brackets do	not occur in the

# fect stem. 2. The thematic vowel is et. 3. The personal endings are the secondary personal end-

ings. 4. There is an augment before the reduplication. The augment is usually dropped in the pluperf. in the New Testament.

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Observe: I. The pluperf. is made upon the per-

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**370.** If a second perfect has a pluperfect, the pluperf. is made on the second perfect stem and is called the second pluperfect. Thus:

Present	Second perf.	Second pluperf. (third pers. sing.)	
γίνομαι	γέγονα	(é) y = y 6 v = t	
έρχομαι	έλήλυθα	έληλύθει	

The pluperfect expresses continuance of the completed state in past time up to a prescribed limit in the past.

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### EXERCISES

I. δ έωράχαμεν και άχηχόαμεν άπαγγέλλομεν και ύμιν.
2. ἐν τούτφ ἐστιν ἡ ἀγάπη, οὐχ ὅτι ἡμεῖς ἡγαπήχαμεν τὸν θεόν, ἀλλ' ὅτι αὐτὸς ἡγάπησεν ἡμᾶς. 3. λέγει αὐτῷ Ἱησοῦς "Οτι ἐώραχάς με πεπίστευχας, μαχάριοι οἱ μὴ ἰδόντες και πιστεύσαντες. 4. ψεύστην πεποίηχε αὐτὸν ὅτι οὐ πεπίστευχεν εἰς τὴν μαρτυρίαν ῆν μεμαρτύρηχεν ὁ θεὸς περί τοῦ υἰοῦ αὐτοῦ.
5. αὕτῆ δέ ἐστιν ἡ χρίσις ὅτι τὸ φῶς ἐλήλυθεν εἰς τὸν χόσμον.
6. τὸν Παῦλον ἔσυρον ἕξω τῆς πόλεως, νομίζοντες αὐτὸν τεθνηχέναι.

II. I. We have made him King. 2. He said "What I have written, I have written." 3. We have kept the faith. 4. I have come to do the will of him who sent me.

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### LESSON XLIV

### The Perfect Tense (Continued)

372. VC	CABULARY		
έορτή, ή, feast ήλιος, δ, sun	σός,- ή,- όν, poss. pron. of the second pers., thy, thine		
θεραπεύω, I heal	ήμέτερος, -α, -ον, poss. pron. of		
έμός, -ή, -όν, poss. pron.	the first pers., our		
of first pers. my,	ύμέτερος, -α, -ον, poss. pron. of		
mine	the second pers., your		

373. The declension of the perfect active participle of  $\lambda \delta \omega$  is

		Singular	
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	λελυχώς	λελυχυΐα	λελυχός
Gen. Abl.	λελυχότος	λελυχυίας	λελυχότος
Loc. Ins. Dat.	λελυχότι	λελυχυία	λελυχότι
Acc.	λελυχότα	λελυχυΐαν	λελυχός
		Plural	
Nom.	λελυχότες	λελυχυΐαι	λελυχότα
Gen. Abl.	λελυχότων	λελυχυτών	λελυχότων
Loc. Ins. Dat.	λελυχόσι	λελυχυίαις	λελυχόσι
Acc.	λελυχότας	λελυχυίας	λελυχότα

### PERFECT MIDDLE

Observe: I. The perfect act. part. is made on the perfect act. stem. 2. In the masc. and neut. it is declined according to the third declension, and in the fem. according to the first declension. 3. The accent seemingly is irregular.

**374.** The second perfect act. part. is made on the second perfect act. stem, and is commonly declined like λελυχώς, -χυία, -χός. Thus,

Present	Second perf.	Second perf. part.	
λαμβάνω	είληφα	είληφώς, -φυῖα,-φός	

375. The perfect indicative middle and passive of  $\lambda \omega$  is:

Singular	Plural	
Ι. λέλυμαι	Ι. λελύμεθα	
2. λέλυσαι	2. λέλυσθε	
3. <i><i><i><i>i</i></i>thurae</i></i>	3. λέλυνται	
and the second second second	all the second second second	

Perf. midd. and pass. infinitive, heliofat

Observe: 1. The stem of the perf. middle and pass. is the reduplicated verb-stem. 2. The primary middle personal endings are attached directly to the reduplicated verb-stem. 3. There is no thematic vowel.

a. The translations I have loosed (for) myself (midd.) and I have been loosed (pass.) do not give accurately the meaning of the perfect tense in Greek.

**376.** Verbs with stems in a short vowel  $(\alpha, \varepsilon, \circ)$  lengthen the vowel (as in the fut., aor., etc.) before the personal endings, as,

πληρόω, πεπλήρωμαι; Θεάομαι, τεθέαμαι.

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377. Of verbs with stems in a labial mute  $(\pi, \beta, \varphi)$ , a palatal mute  $(x, \gamma, \chi)$ , a liquid  $(\lambda, \varphi)$ , or a nasal  $(\mu, \nu)$ , the third pers. sing. only of the perf. middle and passive occurs in the New Testament. Of verbs with stems in a lingual mute  $(\tau, \delta, \theta)$  the first and third pers. sing. and the first pers. plur. occur in the New Testament. See p. 240, § 31.

378. The pluperfect indicative middle (and passive) is formed by adding the secondary middle endings to the perfect middle stem. Sometimes there is also an augment. The pluperf. indic. middle third pers. plur. of  $\lambda \omega$  is  $(\epsilon) \lambda \epsilon \lambda \omega \tau \sigma$ . The pluperfect indic. middle (and passive) of verbs with stems in a consonant is so rare that the forms are not given here.

**379.** The perfect middle (and passive) participle is formed by adding the middle participle endings,  $-\mu \pm \nu \sigma \varsigma$ ,  $-\mu \pm \nu \eta$ ,  $-\mu \pm \nu \sigma \nu$ , to the perfect middle stem. Thus the perfect middle (and passive) participle of  $\lambda \omega$  is:

Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
λελυμένος	λελυμένη	λελυμένον

With the exception of the accent, it is declined like other participles in  $\mu evos$ ,  $-\eta$ , -ov.

**380.** It needs to be remembered that *perfective* action runs through the whole perfect tense, and that *Aktionsart* of the verb-stem modifies the tense action.

The perf. participle, then, may represent a state or a completed action. The time of the perf. part. is relative to the time of the principal verb. The

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# CONDITIONAL SENTENCES

 Coincident with that of the principal verb; e.g., είδον ήδη αύτὸν τεθνηχότα, they saw that he was already dead.

 Antecedent to that of the principal verb; e.g., πολλοί τῶν πεπιστευχότων ἥρχοντο, many of those having believed were coming.

The perf. part. may be used in any of the constructions in which other participles are used.

**381.** The second class conditional sentence. It is the condition determined as unfulfilled. The condition is assumed to be contrary to fact. The thing in itself may be true, but it is treated as untrue. The condition has only to do with the statement, not with the actual fact. The condition has el + a past tense of the indicative; the conclusion has a past tense of the indicative usually with av.

av cannot be really translated into English. It seems to have a definite sense, *in that case*, and an indefinite sense. It is a particle used to give more color to the mode with which it occurs.

1. The imperf. ind. is used in unfulfilled conditions about present time; e.g.,

el ήν δ προφήτης, έγίνωσχεν αν, if he were the prophet, he would know.

2. The aorist ind. or pluperf. ind. is used in unfulfilled conditions about past time; e.g.,

εl γάρ ἕγνωσαν, ούκ ἂν τὸν κύριον τῆς δόξης ἐσταύρωσαν, for if they had known, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory.

a. Sometimes one tense occurs in one clause,

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another tense in the other clause. b. Each tense has its proper kind of action. c. The negative with the protasis (if-clause) is  $\mu\eta$ , with the apodosis od.

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### EXERCISES

I. Ι. ἀπεκρίθη δ 'Ιησοῦς 'Αμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω σοι, ἐἀν μή τις γεννηθή ἐξ ὕδατος καὶ πνεύματος, οὐ δύναται εἰσελθεῖν εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ θεοῦ. τὸ γεγεννημένον ἐκ τῆς σαρκὸς σάρξ ἐστιν, καὶ τὸ γεγεννημένον ἐκ τοῦ πνεύματος πνεῦμά ἐστιν. 2. ἐν τούτῷ ἡ ἀγάπη τοῦ θεοῦ τετελείωται. 3. ἐξ ἡμῶν ἐξῆλθαν, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἡσαν ἐξ ἡμῶν. εἰ γὰρ ἐξ ἡμῶν ἦσαν, μεμενήκεισαν ἂν μεθ' ἡμῶν. 4. γέγραπται ἐν τῷ νόμῷ καὶ τοῖς προφήταις. 5. ἡμεῖς δὲ κηρύσσομεν Χριστὸν ἐσταυρωμένον.

II. I. If we had seen him, we would have loved him. 2. The days have been fulfilled. 3. We receive those who have believed on the Lord.

### LESSON XLV

# Reflexive Pronoun. Reciprocal Pronoun. Indefinite Relative Pronoun

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έλπίζω, I hope μυστήριον, τό, mystery πλησίον, adv., near δ πλησίον, neighbor ταπεινόω, I make low, humble

384. The reflexive pronouns are:

έμαυτοῦ, -ῆς, myself σεαυτοῦ, -ῆς, thyself ἐαυτοῦ, -ῆς, -οῦ (rarely αὐτοῦ, -ῆς, -οῦ), himself, herself, itself

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# REFLEXIVE PRONOUNS

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They are declined as follows: I. First person:

	Singular		Plural	
	Masc.	Fem.	Masc.	Fem.
Gen. Abl.	} έμαυτοῦ	έμαυτης	έαυτών	έαυτῶν
Loc. Ins. Dat.	} \$\$\$\$\$\$\$	έμαυτή	έαυτοῖς	έαυταϊς
Acc.	έμαυτόν	έμαυτήν	έαυτούς	έαυτάς

# 2. Second person:

#### Plural Singular Masc. Fem. Masc. Fem. Gen. έαυτῶν GEQUITOS έαυτών σεαυτού Abl. Loc. Ins. EQUTOIC tautaic. σεαυτώ σεαυτή Dat. Acc. έαυτούς έαυτάς σεαυτόν σεαυτήν

3. Third person:

Singular Neut. Masc. Fem. Gen. έαυτοῦ έαυτής έαυτοῦ Abl. Loc. Ins. έαυτω έαυτή έαυτώ Dat. Acc. èαυτήν tautó έαυτόν

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		Plural	
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Gen. Abl.	} έαυτῶν	έαυτών	έαυτῶν
Loc. Ins. Dat.	ξέαυτοῖς	έαυταῖς	έαυτοῖς
Acc.	έαυτούς	έαυτάς	έαυτά

Observe: 1. These pronouns occur in the oblique cases only. 2. They are formed from the personal pronouns plus adróc. 3. There is no neuter gender in the reflexive pronouns of the first and second persons. 4. The plural form is the same for all three persons.

385. Examine carefully the following examples of the use of the reflexive pronouns.

- I. έγω δοξάζω έμαυτόν, I glorify myself.
- he has life in himself. 2. Exer Luny is tauto,
- 3. TE Révers Rept Seautou; what dost thou say concerning thyself?
- 4. abrol év éaurois oreválouev, we ourselves groan within ourselves.

In these examples it is seen that the pronoun refers back to the subject of the clause, hence the name reflexive.

386. The reciprocal pronoun is allian, of one another. It occurs in the New Testament only in the masculine forms αλλήλων, αλλήλοις, αλλήλους. No fem. and neut. forms occur.

ELEYOV Apos allhabous, they said to one another.

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387. olda, I know, an old perfect with a present (durative) meaning is conjugated in the indicative active as follows:

5	Singular	0.000000		Plural
1.	olda,	I know,	I.	οίδαμεν
2.	oldas	etc.	2.	010000
3.	s610		3.	οίδασι
		Infinitive,	είδέναι	

388. The forms of the (indefinite) relative pronoun δστις, ήτις, δτι, given below are the forms found in the New Testament.

		Singular	1.1.1
	Masc.	Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	δστις	nin) hrig	δτι
Acc.			õtt
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Plural

äzeva

αίτινες OTTIVEC a. An old form örou (gen.) is found in certain set phrases. 1 1 5 Land Callo Charles

This pronoun is made from the relative 55 and the indefinite ric. It is used with the meanings "anyone" (indefinite) and "somebody" in particular (definite), i.e., "whoever" (indef.) and "who" (def.).

# EXERCISES

Nom.

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I. I. έμε οίδατε και οίδατε πόθεν είμι, και dπ' έμαυτοῦ ούκ έλήλυθα, άλλ' έστιν άληθινός ό πέμψας με, δν ύμεις ούχ οίδατε. 2. χαὶ ὑπέρ αὐτῶν ἐγώ ἀγιάζω ἐμαυτόν. 3. άγαπήσεις τον πλησίον σου ώς σεαυτόν. 4. δστις ούν ταπεινώσει έαυτον ώς το παιδίον τοῦτο, οὐτός έστιν ὁ μείζων (greatest) έν τη βασιλεία των ούρανων. 5. ού γάρ έαυτούς

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πηρύσσομεν άλλὰ Χριστόν Ίησοῦν Κύριον, ἐαυτούς δὲ δούλους ύμων διά Ίησοῦν. 6. και πολλοί μισήσουσιν άλλήλους.

II. I. You shall love one another. 2. I have not spoken concerning myself. 3. We preached not ourselves, but Christ. 4. They said that he made himself the son of God.

# LESSON XLVI

### Future and Aorist Active and Middle of Liquid Verbs

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### VOCABULARY

droxtelves, I kill, slay exterve, I stretch out xoábarros, b, pallet, bed

πρόβατον, τό, sheep owinpla, n, salvation opethw, I owe, ought; (sec. aorist without augment, δφελον)

**391.** Verbs with stems in a liquid  $(\lambda, \nu, \rho)$  form the futures by adding - e o/e1 to the stem. The e of the suffix contracts with the thematic vowel o/e. (Remember that the present stem is not always the same as the verb-stem.)

392. The conjugation of xplvw in the future indicative is:

### ACTIVE

- Singular
- Ι. χρινώ (χρινέω)
- Ι. χρινούμεν (χρινέομεν) 2. χρινείτε (χρινέετε)

Plural

- 2. xpiveiç (xpivéeiç) 3. xpivei (xpivéei)
- 3. χρινούσι (χρινέουσι)

1 Originally -ero/e. c was expelled.

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# MIDDLE

# Singular

# Plural

Ι. κρινούμαι (κρινέομαι)	<ol> <li>κρινούμεθα (κρινεόμεθα)</li> </ol>
<ol> <li>χρινή (χρινέη)</li> </ol>	2. χρινείσθε (χρινέεσθε)
3. χρινείται (χρινέεται)	3. χρινούνται (χρινέονται)

Observe that when one of the uncontracted syllables has an accent the contracted form has an accent (the circumflex, if possible).

a. The uncontracted forms do not occur. They are given to exhibit the vowels that are contracted.

b. Table of the vowel contractions.

$\omega = \omega + \omega$	e + o = ou
$1 + \epsilon t = \epsilon t$	e + ou = ou
13 + 8 + 81	A Subman work

393. Verbs with stems in a liquid form the aorist active and middle by lengthening the stem vowel and adding  $-\alpha$ .<sup>1</sup>  $\alpha$  of the stem is lengthened to n (but  $\bar{\alpha}$  after e, t, or  $\rho$ ), e to et, i to i and i to v. The conjugation through all the modes, infinitives, and participles is like the regular first aorist; thus the aor. ind. act. of µένω is ἔμεινα, etc.; the subj., usivo, etc.; infinitive, usiva part., usivaç. The aor. ind. middle of xplvw is exprvduny, etc. Notice that these verbs have no  $\sigma$  in the aorist.

394. Liquid verbs may have a second aorist, as βάλλω (βαλ-), ξβαλον.

<sup>1</sup> Originally a was expelled after a liquid.

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395. Learn the stem, the future, and aorist of the following verbs:

Present	Stem	Future	Aorist act.
άγγέλλω	άγγελ-	άγγελῶ	ήγγειλα
αἴρω	dp-	dpū	ήρα
άποχτείνω	(άπο) κτεν-	άποχτενώ	άπέχτεινα
άποστέλλω	(άπο)στελ-	άποστελώ	άπέστειλα
βάλλω	βαλ-	βαλώ	έβαλον
éyelpw	éyep-	έγερῶ	ήγειρα

Of course the compound forms of these verbs form their tenses in the same way as the uncompounded forms, as

έπαγγέλλω, έπαγγελῶ, ἐπήγγειλα άποκτείνω and άποστέλλω are compound verbs.

**396.** The tenses of the verb in Greek are divided into nine tense-systems. As we have seen each tense-system has a distinct stem, called tense-stem.

Systems		Tenses
1. Present, incl	uding	present and imperfect in all voices.
2. Future,	**	future active and middle.
3. First aorist,		first aorist act. and middle (and liquid aorists also).
4. Second aorist,	"	second aorist act. and middle.
5. First perfect,	"	first perfect and pluperf. active.
6. Second perfect,	"	second perfect and pluperf. active.

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7.	Perfect middle,	including	perfect and pluperf. middle and passive (and future perfect).
8.	First passive,		first aorist and future passive.
9.	Second passive,	"	second aorist and future passive.

a. Most verbs have only six of these nine systems, since very few verbs have both the first and second forms of the same tense; many verbs have less than six. No verb occurring in the New Testament is used in all nine systems.

**397.** The principal parts of a Greek verb are the first person singular indicative of every system used in it; e.g.,

λύω, λύσω, έλυσα, λέλυχα, λέλυμαι, έλύθην. βάλλω, βαλώ, έβαλον, βέβληχα, βέβλημαι, έβλήθην. γίνομαι, γενήσομαι, έγενόμην, γέγονα, γεγένημαι, έγενήθην. To know a verb one must know its principal parts.

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Ι. Ι. καθώς έμὲ ἀπέστειλας εἰς τὸν κόσμον, κἀγῶ¹ ἀπέστειλα αῦτοὺς εἰς τὸν κόσμον, καὶ ὑπὲρ αὐτῶν ἐγῶ ἀγιάζω ἐμαυτόν, ἴνα καὶ αὐτοὶ ὥσιν ἡγιασμένοι ἐν ἀληθεία. 2. ὁ ἐγεἰρας τὸν ᾿ἰησοῦν καὶ ἡμᾶς σὺν Ἱησοῦ² ἐγερεῖ. 3. καὶ ἀποκτενοῦσιν αὐτόν, καὶ τῆ τρίτῃ ἡμέρα ἐγερθήσεται. 4. ἐὰν ἐν ὑμῖν μείνῃ δ ἀπ' ἀρχῆς ἡκούσατε, καὶ³ ὑμεῖς ἐν τῷ υἰῷ καὶ³ ἐν τῷ πατρὶ μενεῖτε. 5. καὶ ἡρε τὸν κράβαττον αὐτοῦ. 6. ἐξῆλθεν ὁ σπεἰρων τοῦ σπεῖραι.

> <sup>1</sup> xάγω = xal έγω, see § 4. <sup>3</sup> Associative-ins. case. <sup>3</sup> See xal... xal in 415.

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II. I. They sought to kill him. 2. The disciples sowed the word. 3. I will send unto them prophets and apostles. 4. If we remain in the truth, the truth will remain in us.

### LESSON XLVII

### The Imperative Mode

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### VOCABULARY

apyonan, I begin, vabs, b, temple (Santan) Snoxpirins-, -ou, b, pretender,

moreów, I fast hypocrite

400. The imperative is comparatively a late development in Greek. More of its forms came from an old injunctive mode than from any other source.

401. The personal endings of the imperative are:

ACTIVI	E
Singular	Plural
2, -91, -5	-τε
3 <del>.</del> w.	-760007.
MIDDLE (AND	PASSIVE)
200	-σθε
3σθω	-σθωσαν.

a.  $-\theta_i$  (probably an old adverb) is found in a few old verbs, and, except in the aor. pass., is not used in the active forms of the imperative of most verbs. The ending -c is found only in a few old verbs. b.  $-\tau \omega$  is probably an old ablative form of a demonstrative pronoun.

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402. The present imperative active, middle, and passive is made on the present tense-stem. See 396.

403. The present active imperative of λόω is:

Singular

2. Lue, loose (thou)

# Plural

loose (ve)

2. Lúste.

3. Luétw, let him loose	3. Lutrwoar, let them loose
<ul><li>a. λῦε is the verb-ste</li><li>ε. Note the thematic verb</li></ul>	m with the thematic vowel owel $\varepsilon$ in all persons.
404. The present middle	e imperative of λίω is:
Singular	Plural
2. Noon loose (for) thusely	a a dealla lages (for) wave

(Jor) thyself 2. Lozobe, loose (for) yourself

3. Luéobw, let him loose 3. Luéobwoav, let them loose (for) himself (for) themselves

a. Lúou is for Lúeso, o is expelled, and e and o contract to ou.

405. The present passive imperative of λύω is:

Singular	Plural
<ol> <li>2. λύου, be (thou) loosed</li> <li>3. λυέσθω, let him be loosed</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>λύεσθε, be (ye) loosed</li> <li>λυέσθωσαν, let them be loosed</li> </ol>

Observe that the pres. passive imperative is like the pres. middle in form.

406. The second aorist active imperative of βάλλω is:

Singular	Plural
2. βάλε	2. βάλετε
3. βαλέτω	3. βαλέτωσαν

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a. The second pers. sing. of some second aorists is accented on the ultima, as είπέ, έλθέ, εὐρέ; accent of imps. recessive. b. No augment.

407. The second aorist middle imperative of  $\beta d\lambda \lambda \omega$  is

Singular	Plural	
2. βαλού	2. βάλεσθε	
3. βαλέσθω	3. βαλέσθωσαι	

a. Note the accent of Balou.

Observe that in the endings the imperative of the second aor, act. and middle is like that of the present act. and middle. The difference between them is the difference in tense-stem: the present tensestem is  $\beta \alpha \lambda \lambda$ -, the second aorist tense-stem is  $\beta \alpha \lambda$ -.

408. The imperative, like the subjunctive, is always future in time, though it may apply to the immediate future.

The difference in meaning between the present imperative and the aorist imperative is in the kind of action,-durative action in the present, and punctiliar action in the aorist. The pres. imperative, then, has to do with action in progress. The aorist imperative has to do with the simple act without regard to progress. E.g.,

Batha hibous, keep on (or go on) throwing stones. μή βάλλε, stop (or quit) throwing stones.

etselde eig toy olxov, enter the house.

un else long els tov olxov, do not (do not begin to) enter the house.

It will be observed that the first and second examples (present) have reference to the continuance of

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the action, while the third and fourth examples (aorist) have reference to the simple act. In the second example un with the pres. imperative forbids the continuance of the action; while in the fourth example un with the aor. subjunctive forbids the beginning (ingressive) of the action. In the second example the action is going on; in the fourth example the action has not begun. Thus Aktionsart must be considered. In prohibitions to forbid a thing not yet done the aor. subj. (not the imperative) is used with un (see fourth example above).

409. The first aorist act. imperative of λόω is:

Singular	Plural	
. λύσον	2. λύσατε	
. λυσάτω	3. λυσάτωσαν	

a. The origin of -ov of the second pers. sing. is obscure.

Observe that the stem is the aorist stem Auga-.

410. The first aorist middle imperative of λύω is:

Singular	• Plural
2. λύσαι	2. λύσασθε
3. λυσάσθω	3. λυσάσθωσαν

a. The second pers. sing. ending -a probably came from the aorist infinitive.

411. The aorist passive imperative of λύω is:

Sin	igular			1	Plural		
-2. 20	θητι, δ	he (thou)	loosed,	2.	λύθητε		
3. 20	θήτω	et	с.	3.	λυθήτω	σαν	
a 11 of	the se	econd 1	pers. sing	;. 1	was -OL	. 0	was
anged to	T to ave	oid the r	epetition	of	the rou	gh m	ute.

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Observe that the forms are made on the aor. pass. stem  $\lambda \upsilon \theta \varepsilon(\eta)$ .

412. In the imperative in Greek there is no first person form. In the first person the subjunctive is used instead of the imperative.

**413.** The original significance of the imperative was demand or exhortation; but it was not confined to this idea.

The imperative is used in:

 Commands or exhortations dxouéτω, let him hear. εἴσελθε εἰς τὸν οἶxον, enter the house.

2. Prohibitions-

un xpivers quit (don't go on) judging

3. Entreaties-

414.

πάτερ ἄγιε, τήρησον αύτοὺς ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου, Holy Father, keep them in thy name.

Note .- The negative of the imperative is µh.

# EXERCISES

 I. μή χρίνετε ίνα μή χριθήτε. 2. άγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου, ἐλθάτω ἡ βασιλεία σου, γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς. 3. ὅταν δὲ νηστεύητε, μή γίνεσθε ὡς οἱ ὑποκριταὶ σκυθρωποί.<sup>1</sup>
 4. ὁ ἔχων ὡτα ἀκούειν ἀκουέτω.
 5. πορεύθητι πρὸς τὸν λαὸν τοῦτον.
 6. ἄρθητι καὶ βλήθητι εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν.
 7. λέγει αὐτῷ "Ερχου καὶ ἴδε.

II. 1. Let him depart. 2. Guard thyself from the evil one. 3. Say to this people all the words of this life. 4. Quit saying evil things.

1 multiwate adi. of a gloomy countenance.

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	LESSO	N XLVIII	18
	Numeral	s. oudsic (mo one)	5 E VAN
415.	VOCAR	BULARY	4 5
διψάω, I thirst xalxal, bot μήτεμήτε, τ ούχέτι, no lon ούτεούτε, η	h—and neither—nor nger, no more neither—nor	πάλιν, adv., again πεινάω, I hunger, an gry πώποτε, ever yet τέxai, both—and	90
416. Learn from one (fir	the numeral st) to twelve	s (cardinal and or (twelfth).	dinal) $\frac{11}{12} \perp \beta$
Car	dinals	Ordinals	
ne	, one, etc.	πρώτος, first,	etc.
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1. elç, one, etc.	πρώτος, first,
2. 800	δεύτερος
3. TPEIS	TPITOS
4. <i>téogapes</i>	τέταρτος
5. πέντε	πέμπτος
6. 85	Ĕxtoç
7. èntá :	έβδομος
8. δχτώ	573005
9. évvéa	Ενατος
IO. δέκα	δέχατος
II. Ĕvôexa	ένδέχατος
12. δώδεχα	δωδέχατος
ούδακεδ	
The second se	

Other numerals may be learned from a lexicon as they are needed.

417. The ordinals have the regular terminations of adjectives of the first and second declensions, as

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τρίτος (masc.), τρίτη (fem.), τρίτον (neut.), and are so declined.

**418.** The cardinals are indeclinable, except the first four and from 200 onward.

The first four are declined as follows:

1. 26	ς, μία,	ëv, one			2.	ðúo,	two
М	asc.,	Fem.	Neut.	Mase	c., Fem	ı., ar	nd Neut.
Nom.	elç	μία	ěν		Nom.	800	•
Gen. }	ένός	μιάς	ένός		Gen. ] Abl. ]	800	
Loc. Ins.	- éví	μιά	êvî		Loc. Ins.	- 800	<b>5</b> €
Dat. J Acc.	Ĕνα	μίαν	Ĕy		Dat Acc.	800	
3. 7	ρείς, τι	ola, three	• 60 m	4. téc	σσαρες,	τέσσ	aça, four
Masc.	and Fe	em. Ne	ut.	Masc.	and F	em.	Neut.
Nom.	τρείς	τ¢	la	Nom.	τέσσα	paç	τέσσαρα
Gen. Abl.	τριών	T (	οιών	Gen. Abl.	<b>τεσσά</b>	ρων	τεσσάρων
Loc. Ins.		T	ρισί	Loc. Ins.	τέσσα	ερσι	τέσσαρσι
Dat. Acc.	1.000		pla	Dat. Acc.	) τέσσα	ρας	τέσσαρα.
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These cardinals agree with the substantives with which they are used.

419. The declension of obdels, obdeula, obdev, no one (nobody), nothing, is:

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#### NEGATIVES 173 Masc. Neut. Fem. Nom. oùòsíc σύδεμία ούδέν Gen. ούδενός ούδεμιάς oddevác Abl. Loc. Ins. 343600 ຊົ້ານອີດິບໍດ Jyabbo Dat. Acc. ούδένα ούδεμίαν oùôév

Like oddels is declined undels, undeula, undev, no one, nothing. undels is generally used wherever un would be the appropriate negative.

420. A negative sentence in Greek may have more than one negative particle. In Greek the succession of negatives merely strengthens the first negative if the second (and third) is a compound form like 00066,  $000\pi\omega$ ,  $\mu\eta\delta\epsilon fc$ , etc., e.g.,

undert under opethere, owe no one anything.

421. of and  $\mu \dot{\eta}$  are used in direct questions to indicate the kind of answer expected.

1. of expects the answer yes.

ού τῷ δυόματι ἐπροφητεύσαμεν; Did we not prophesy by thy name?

2. µh expects the answer no.

παιδία, μή τι προσφάγιον ἕχετε; Little children, have you anything to eat? (You haven't anything to eat, have you?)

422. of  $\mu\eta$  is used with the aorist subjunctive (rarely present) or occasionally the future ind. in the sense of an emphatic negative future indicative.

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xal τον έρχόμενον πρός με ού μη έχβάλω έξω, and him who comes to me I will NOT cast out.

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I. I. καὶ οὐκ ἕφαγεν οὐδὲν ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις ἐκείναις, καὶ συντελεσθεισῶν αὐτῶν ἐπείνασεν. 2. οὐδεἰς δύναται δυσὶ κυρίοις δουλεὐειν, τὸν γὰρ ἕνα μισήσει καὶ τὸν ἕτερον ἀγαπήσει. 3. δ ἐρχόμενος πρὸς ἐμὲ οὐ μὴ πεινάση, καὶ δ πιστεύων εἰς ἐμὲ οὐ μὴ διψήσει πώποτε. 4. εἰπεν οὖν δ Ἱησοῦς τοῖς δώδεκα Μὴ καὶ ὑμεῖς θέλετε ὑπάγειν; 5. οὐκ εἰμὶ ἐλεύθερος; οὐκ εἰμὶ ἀπόστολος; 6. δ θεὸς φῶς ἐστιν καὶ σκοτία οὐκ ἕστιν ἐν αὐτῷ οὐδεμία. 7. οὐδεἰς ἀγαθὸς εἰ μὴ<sup>1</sup> εἰς δ θεός. 8. οὕτε ἐμὲ οἴδατε οῦτε τὸν πατέρα μου.

II. 1. Let no one enter the house. 2. Did he not see me? 3. I will not serve him. 4. Is he able to serve two masters?

# LESSON XLIX

# Present System of Contract Verbs in -tw.

424.	VOCABULA	RY	
Acutoum	and an and the second	οίχοδομέω,	I build I agree with, confess
θεωρέω, μετανοέω,	I look at, gaze, see I repent		I walk (live) I love

**425.** The conjugation of verbs with stems in  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , or  $\circ$ , has been given in all tenses except the present and imperfect. The conjugation of these verbs (stems in  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ , or  $\circ$ ) differs from that of regular  $\omega$ - verbs in the present and imperfect tenses only.

1 el un (or say un) with a substantive means except.

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**426.** In the present and imperfect tenses the vowel  $(\alpha, \varepsilon, \text{ or } \circ)$  of the stem unites with the thematic vowel (and in some forms the personal ending also) and forms a diphthong or a single long vowel. This is called *contraction*.

427. The conjugation of  $\varphi(\lambda \hat{\omega})$  in the present system is as follows:

1. The present indicative:

# Singular

### Plural

- φιλώ (φιλέω)
   φιλεῖς (φιλέεις)
- 3. φιλεί (φιλέει)
- φιλούμεν (φιλέομεν)
   φιλείτε (φιλέετε)
   φιλούσι (φιλέουσι)

Plural

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

### Singular

φιλούμαι (φιλέομαι)
 φιλούμεθα (φιλεόμεθα)
 φιλή (φιλέη)
 φιλείσθε (φιλέεσθε)
 φιλείται (φιλέεται)
 φιλούνται (φιλέονται)

2. The present subjunctive:

	Active		
Singular	Plural		
Ι. φιλώ (φιλέω)	Ι. φιλώμεν (φιλέωμεν)		
2. φιλής (φιλέης)	2. φιλήτε (φιλέητε)		
3. φιλή (φιλέη)	3. φιλώσι (φιλέωσι)		
MIDDLE	AND PASSIVE		
Singular	Plural		
Ι. φιλώμαι (φιλέωμαι)	Ι. φιλώμεθα (φιλεώμεθα)		
<ol> <li>[φιλή (φιλέη)]</li> </ol>	2. φιλήσθε (φιλέησθε)		
3. φιλήται (φιλέηται)	3. φιλώνται (φιλέωνται)		

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3. The present imperat	ive:		The declension		present ad	ctive participle
Ac	TIVE	φιλών,	-000a, -009 is:			
Singular	Plural	12.11.71.		Singula	17	
ε. φίλει (φίλεε)	2. φιλείτε (φιλέετε)	and states and	Masc.	F	em.	Neut.
φιλείτω (φιλεέτω)	3. φιλείτωσαν (φιλεέτωσαν)	Nom.	1979-1977 CC			
MIDDLE A	ND PASSIVE	Gen.	φιλούντος	φιλούσης		φιλοῦν (φιλέον) like masc.
Singular	Plural	Abl.	(φιλέοντος)	Arveorit		nac mase.
φιλού (φιλέου)	2. φιλεϊσθε (φιλέεσθε)	Loc.	φιλούντι			111-0
. φιλείσθω (φιλεέσθω)	3. φιλείσθωσαν (φιλεέσθωσαν)	Ins.	(φιλέοντι)	φιλούση		like masc.
4. The present infiniti	ve:	Dat.	)			
ACTIVE qu	λεΐν (φιλέειν)	Acc.	φιλούντα (φιλέοντα)	φιλοῦσαι		φιλούν (φιλέον)
MIDDLE AND PASSI	VE φιλείσθαι (φιλέεσθαι)	S. P. Geily	(ALVEONER)		a contra	
5. The present particip	ole:	Contraction of the second		Plura		27.6 . 17.5
	TIVE	1000	Masc.		1	<sup>7</sup> em.
σιλών (σιλέων), φιλούσα	(φιλέουσα), φιλοῦν (φιλέον)		φιλούντες (φιλά	ίοντες)	φιλούσαι (α	φιλέουσαι)
MIDDLE A	Gen. Abl.	φιλούντων (φιλ	εόντων)	φιλουσών		
	(φιλέομενος, -η, -ον)	Loc.		1200		
6. The imperfect indic		Ins.	φιλοῦσι (φιλέου	Iat)	φιλούσαις	
	TIVE	Dat.				
Singular	Plural	Acc.	φιλούντας (φιλέ	έοντας)	φιλούσας	
έφίλουν (έφίλεον)	Ι. έφιλούμεν (έφιλέομεν)			Neut.		
. έφίλεις (έφίλεες)	2. έφιλείτε (έφιλέετε)	Nom	φιλούντα (φιλ			
. έφίλει (έφίλεε)	3. έφίλουν (έφίλεον)	Gen.	1	eoria)		
MIDDLE A	AND PASSIVE	Abl.	like masc.			
Singular	Plural	Loc.				
<ol> <li>έφιλούμην (έφιλεόμην)</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>έφελούμεθα (έφελεόμεθα)</li> </ol>	Ins.	like masc.			
2. έφιλοῦ (έφιλέου)	2. έφιλεϊσθε (έφιλέεσθε)	Dat.				
3. έφιλείτο (έφιλέετο)	3. έφιλοῦντο (έφιλέοντο)	Acc.	φιλούντα (φιλ	έοντα).		Ranger

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**429.** The scheme of contraction for regular -εω verbs is as follows:

e + e = ec	s + et = et
s + o = ou	$\epsilon + n = n$
$\varepsilon + \omega = \omega$	$\epsilon + ou = ou$

430. Observe that: 1. The syllable resulting from contraction has an accent if either one of the component syllables had an accent in the uncontracted form. 2. The accent is circumflex, if the first vowel (of the contracting vowels) had the acute; but it is an acute, if the second vowel had the acute.

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### EXERCISES

I. Ι. χαλώς ποιείτε τοις μισούσιν ὑμάς. 2. μή θαυμάζετε, άδελφοί, εἰ μισεί ὑμάς ὁ χόσμος. 3. ταύτα αὐτοῦ λαλοῦντος πολλοὶ ἐπίστευσαν. 4. τί δὲ ὑμῖν δοχεί; 5. ἐἀν τι αἰτώμεθα χατὰ τὸ θέλημα αὐτοῦ ἀχούει ἡμῶν. 6. χαὶ μετὰ ταῦτα περιεπάτει Ἱησοῦς ἐν τῆ Γαλιλαία, οὐ γὰρ ἡθελεν ἐν τῆ Ἰουδαία περιπατείν, ὅτι ἐζήτουν αὐτὸν οἰ Ἰουδαῖοι ἀποχτείναι. 7. ἐφοβοῦντο τὸν λαόν.

II. I. Who is seeking to kill you? 2. He who hates his brother walks in darkness. 3. Follow me.
Quit doing these things. 5. They feared the crowd.

### LESSON L

### Comparison of Adjectives and Adverbs

432. VOCABULARY		
έξεστιν,	it is lawful, is possible	παλαιός, -ά, -όν, old, ancient περισσός, -ή, -όν, abundant
νέος, -α, -	ov, young, new	πλούσιος, -α, -ον, rich

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**433.** The comparative degree of an adjective in  $-o\varsigma$  is generally formed by adding  $-\tau e \rho o \varsigma$ ,  $-\alpha$ ,  $-o\nu$  to the masc. stem of adj. as found in the positive degree. To form the superlative' degree,  $-\tau \alpha \tau o \varsigma$ ,  $-\eta$ ,  $-o\nu$  is added to the masc. stem of adj. as found in the positive degree.

434. Examine carefully the following examples:

	Positive	Comparative	Superlative
1.	lσχūρός, -ά, -ον, strong	lσχυρότερος, -α, -ον, stronger	[lozupótatos,-ŋ,-ov] strongest
	νέος, -α, -ον	νεώτερος, -α, -ον	[νεώτατος, -η, -ον]
101003.	,σοφός, -η, -ον	σοφώτερος, -α, -ον	[σοφώτατος, -η, -ον]

a. The forms enclosed in brackets are not found in the New Testament.

Similarly adjectives in -eç make the comparison.

μαλ 4. ασθενής, -ές ασθενέστερος, -α, -ον [ασθενέστατος, -η, -ον]

**435.** Observe: 1. If the penult of the adjective (with nom. sing. masc. in  $-o\varsigma$ ) is short<sup>2</sup> in the positive, the o of the stem is lengthened to  $\omega^3$  in the comparative and superlative. 2. All comparatives and superlatives have recessive accent.

**436.** The stem from which the comparative is formed may be an adverb, e.g.,

έξω,	out	éçátepoç, outer
0.531.53	up, above	dvátepos, higher

<sup>1</sup> There are only three superlative forms in -tarto; in the New Testament.

\* A penult, although its vowel is short, is considered long if its vowel is followed by two consonants or a double consonant.

<sup>3</sup> Sometimes - wrepoç occurs instead of -brepoç, and vice versa.

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437. With the comparative degree (of adverbs also) the ablative is commonly used to express the standard of comparison, e.g.,

τό μωρόν του θεού σοφώτερον των ανθρώπων, the foolishness of God (is) wiser than men.

Epzera de à lozupórepás pou, but there comes one stronger (mightier) than I.

438. The comparative may be followed by # (than), then the standard of comparison is in the same case as the object compared, e.g.,

- Σοδόμοις έν τη ήμέρα έχείνη ανεχτότερον έσται η τη πόλει excive, it will be more tolerable in that day for Sodom than for that city.
  - a. T is used also in the comparison of clauses.

439. The superlative form is rare in the New Testament. When it occurs, it generally has, not the true superlative sense, but the elative sense of very or exceedingly.

In the New Testament the comparative with the article generally performs the peculiar functions of the superlative, e.g.,

δ δε μιχρότερος έν τη βασιλεία των ούρανων, the least in the kingdom of heaven.

440. Adverbs are made from adjectives also. Note carefully the following example.

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
dxριβώς, accurately adj. dxριβά-	άπριβέστερον, more accurately	[ἀχριβέστατα] most accurately

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Observe: I. The positive degree of the adverb is made by adding the ablative ending -ws to the adjective stem. (In a mechanical way the positive degree of the adverb is formed from the positive degree of the adjective by changing final v of the ablative plural neuter to ; and retaining the accent of the adjective.) 2. The comparative of the adverb is the neut. sing. acc. of the adjective. 3. The superlative of the adverb is the neut. plur. acc. of the superlative of the adjective.

441. & bé, i bé, ol bé are used demonstratively to refer to persons already mentioned in an oblique case, e.g., πάλιν δε ό Πειλάτος προσεφώνησεν αύτοις, θέλων άπολύσαι

τόν Ίησοῦν. οἱ δὲ ἐπεφώνουν λέγοντες Σταύρου σταύρου autor, And again Pilate spoke to them, wishing to release Jesus. But they should, saying, "Crucify, crucify him." example

of dé refers to autois.

442. In comparisons µāllov (mpre, rather) and t are used with the positive degree. & 1 more mallor \$ 1 0' 0 col = lowers of pleasure rather than 443. lower of tox Exercises

I. I. xal τό άσθενές (weakness) τοῦ θεοῦ ίσχυρότερον των άνθρώπων. 2. μαχάριόν έστιν μαλλον διδόναι (to give) ή λαμβάνειν. 3. δ δε όπίσω μου έρχόμενος ίσχυρότερός μου έστίν. 4. Σάββατόν έστιν, και ούκ έξεστίν σοι άραι τον χράβαττον. δς δὲ ἀπεκρίθη αὐτοῖς 'Ο ποιήσας με ὑγιῆ ἐκεῖνός μοι είπεν "Αρον τον χράβαττόν σου χαι περιπάτει. 5. αύτη δέ έστιν ή χρίσις ότι τὸ φῶς ἐλήλυθεν εἰς τὸν χόσμον χαὶ ήγάπησαν οί ἄνθρωποι μάλλον τό σκότος ή τό φως, ήν γάρ αύτων πονηρά τά έργα. 6. αποκριθείς δε ό ήγεμών είπεν αύτοῖς Τίνα θέλετε άπὸ τῶν δύο ἀπολύσω ὑμῖν; οἱ δὲ εἶπαν Τὸν Βαραββάν.

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II. 1. That man is stronger than I. 2. He said to them, "Come unto me." They said to him, "We are not able to go." 3. The children of God loved light rather (µāllov) than darkness. 4. Seek ye rather to enter the kingdom than to die in sin.

### LESSON LI

Comparison of Adjectives and Adverbs (Continued). Declension of Adjectives with Stems in -ov-

444. V	VOCABULARY	
άφρων,-ον, foolish εδ, well εδθέως, adv., straightu at once τέλειος, -α, -ον, finishe complete	sober-minded	

445. The following adjectives show irregularities of comparison.

> Comparative suffix -twy (masc.) Superlative suffix -10705 (masc.)

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
άγαθός	χρείσσων χρείττων	xpátistos (only as title)
κακός	χείρων ήσσων	XELPLOTOS: Ungle
μέγας(big) μιχρός(lite)	μείζων μιχρότερος	μέγιστος
time drawed	έλάσσων	eráxioros (least)
πολός	πλείων πλέων	πλείστος

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446. The declension of herew, -or, the comparative of µéyaç, is:

STEM μειζον- (μειζοσ-)

### Singular

Masc. and Fem.		Neut.
Nom.	μείζων	μείζον
Gen. Abl.	treltonoe	μείζονος
Loc.		
Ins.	μείζονι	pellove
Dat.		
Acc.	μείζονα, μείζω	μείζον.
	Plural	
	Masc. and Fem.	Neut.
Nom.	μείζονες, μείζους	μείζονα, μείζω
Gen. Abl.	μειζόνων	μειζόνων
Loc.		e trais strongen
Ins. Dat.	μείζοσι	pelloor
Acc.	μείζονας, μείζους	μείζονα, μείζω.

447. Comparatives in -(1) wy are declined like ust wy; SO xpeloowy, xhelwy, etc. The superlatives in -10705, -n, -ov are declined like adjectives of the first and second declensions.

448. Adjectives with stems in -ov- are declined like usitor, except that they do not have the second forms like µείζω and µείζους: as άφρων, -ον, σώφρων, -ον, etc. The voc. sing. of appuv is appuv (like nom.).

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449. Observe carefully the following examples of the comparison of irregular adverbs. (See 438, I-3):

Positive	Comparative	Superlative
eð (well)	BERTION Chetter	1 per
χαλώς	κάλλιον	
χαχώς	ήσσον	
(μάλα)	μάλλον	μάλιστα
πολό	πλεΐον	Value and the state
	πλέον	
errós	έγγύτερον	ξγγιστα
τάχα or	τάχιον	τάχιστα
ταχέως	τάχειον	

a. The positive of the adverb is sometimes made from the neut. acc. sing. of the adjective.

# ×450.

### EXERCISES

I. Ι. ήκουσαν οἱ Φαρισαῖοι ὅτι 'Ιησοῦς πλείονας μαθητὰς ποιεῖ καὶ βαπτίζει ἡ 'Ιωάνης. 2. ὁ πιστεύων εἰς ἐμὲ τὰ ἔργα ἂ ἐγῶ ποιῶ κἀκεῖνος¹ ποιήσει καὶ μείζονα τούτων ποιήσει, ὅτι ἐγῶ πρὸς τὸν πατέρα πορεύομαι. 3. ἄφρων, ταύτῃ τῇ νυκτὶ τὴν ψυχήν σου αἰτοῦσι ἀπὸ σοῦ. 4. λέγει οὖν αὐτῷ 'Ιησοῦς, "Ο ποιεἰς ποίησον τάχειον. 5. οὐκ ἔστιν δοῦλος μείζων τοῦ κυρίου αὐτοῦ οὐδὲ ἀπόστολος μείζων τοῦ πέμψαντος αὐτόν. 6. ἐγῶ γάρ εἰμι ὁ ἐλάχιστος τῶν ἀποστόλων. 7. τἰς ἄρα<sup>8</sup> μείζων ἐστὶν ἐν τῇ βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν; ὅστις οὖν ταπεινώσει ἑαυτὸν ὡς τὸ παιδίον τοῦτο, οὖτός ἐστιν ὁ μείζων ἐν τῇ βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν.

II. 1. My brother is greater than I. 2. I hope to come unto you quickly. 3. I am able to do more work than this. 4. Is it lawful to do well on the sabbath?

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# LESSON LII

# Present System of Contract Verbs in - άω

451.	VOCABULARY		
διαλογίζομαι,	I consider, reason,	τελευτάω,	
	discuss		1 die
έπερωτάω,	I question, ask (a	τιμάω,	I honor
	question)	τολμάω,	I dare
ldoµaı,	I heal	σιωπάω,	Iam silent,
πλανάω,	I cause to wander,		keep si-
	lead astray		lence
ldoµaı,	question) I heal I cause to wander	τολμάω, σιωπάω,	I dare I am sil keep

**452.** The conjugation of  $\gamma \epsilon \nu \nu d\omega$ , as an example of the  $-d\omega$  verbs, in the present system, is:

I. The present indicative:

# ACTIVE

### Singular

# Plural

Plural

Υεννώ (γεννάω)
 γεννάς (γεννάεις)

Υεννώμεν (γεννάομεν)
 γεννάτε (γεννάετε)

- 3. YEVVA (YEVVAEL)
- 3. γεννώσε (γεννάουσε)

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

# Singular

- γεννώμαι (γεννάομαι)
   γεννάσαι (γεννάεσαι)
- Υεννώμεθα (γενναόμεθα)
   γεννάσθε (γεννάεσθε)

3. γεννώνται (γεννάονται)

- 3. γεννάται (γεννάεται)
  - 2. The present subjunctive:

# ACTIVE

Singular	Plural	
Ι. γεννώ (γεννάω)	Ι. γεννώμεν (γεννάωμεν)	
2. γεννάς (γεννάης)	2. γεννάτε (γεννάητε)	
<ol> <li>γεννά (γεννάη)</li> </ol>	3. γεννώσι (γεννάωσι)	

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<sup>1</sup> See § 4, p. 217. <sup>2</sup> άρα, an inferential particle, then, therefore.

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Note that the contract forms of the indicative and subjunctive active are alike.

MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

Singular

Plural

3. γεννώνται (γεννάωνται)

Plural

Plural

- Ι. γεννώμεθα (γενναώμεθα) Ι. γεννώμαι (γεννάωμαι) 2. γεννάσθε (γεννάησθε) 2. [YEVVA (YEVVAn)]
- 3. γεννάται (γεννάηται)
  - 3. The present imperative:

#### ACTIVE

- Singular 2. YÉVVA (YÉVVAE)
  - 2. γεννάτε (γεννάετε)
- 3. γεννάτω (γενναέτω)

3. γεννάτωσαν (γενναέτωσαν)

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

### Singular

2. γεννάσθε (γεννάεσθε) 2. γεννώ (γεννάου) 3. γεννάσθωσαν (γενναέσθωσαν) 3. γεννάσθω (γενναέσθω)

4. The present infinitive:

#### ACTIVE

YEVVAN (YEVVAELV); some editors write YEVVAN

Note. YEVVav really represents YEVVacev, for the inf. ending -etv is a contraction of the thematic vowel a and ev.

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE γεννάσθαι (γεννάεσθαι)

5. The present participle:

# ACTIVE γεννών (γεννάων), γεννώσα (γεννάουσα), γεννών (γεννάον) MIDDLE AND PASSIVE γεννώμενος, -η, -ον (γενναόμενος)

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# 6. The imperfect indicative:

#### ACTIVE

# Singular

- Ι. έγεννώμεν (έγεννάομεν)
- Ι. έγέννων (έγένναον) 2. έγέννας (έγένναες)
- 3. έγέννα (έγένναε)
- 2. έγεννάτε (έγεννάετε)

Plural

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3. έγέννων (έγένναον)

Note. In the third plur. a form like erévvouv is sometimes found. Thus from eputáw, imperfect ήρώτουν. This confusion between -άω and -έω verbs began early in the Ionic.

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

1.	έγεννώμην	(έγενναόμην)
2.	έγεννώ (έγ	εννάου)
3.	έγεννάτο (έ	γεννάετο)

- Ι. έγεννώμεθα (έγενναόμεθα)
- 2. έγεννασθε (έγεννάεσθε)
- 3. έγεννώντο (έγεννάοντο)

453. The declension of the present active participle γεννών, -ώσα, ών is:

# Singular

#### Masc. Fem. Nom. γεννών (γεννάων) γεννώσα (γεννάουσα) γεννώντος (γεννάοντος) γεννώσης (γενναούσης) γεννώντι (γεννάοντι) γεννώση (γενναούση) γεννώντα (γεννάοντα) γεννώσαν (γεννάουσαν)

# Neut.

Nom. γεννών (γεννάον) Gen. like masc. Abl.

Gen.

Abl.

Loc.

Ins.

Dat.

Acc.

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Loc.	ງ 🖓 ຈາວກໍມີຄ	
Ins.	like masc.	
Dat.		
Acc.	γεννών (γεννάον)	
	F	Plural
	Masc.	Fem.
Nom.	γεννώντες (γεννάον	τες) γεννώσαι (γεννάουσαι)
Gen. Abl.	} γεννώντων (γενναόι	ντων) γεννωσών (γενναουσών)
Loc. Ins.	γεννώσι (γεννάουσι	) γεννώσαις (γενναούσαις)
Dat.	]	
Acc.	γεννώντας (γεννάον	ντας) γεννώσας (γενναούσας)
		Neut.
Nom.	γεννώντα (γεννάοντ	(α)
Gen. Abl.	} like masc.	
Loc.	í	
Ins.	like masc.	
Dat.	A STREET REAL PROPERTY AND A ST	
Acc.	γεννώντα (γεννάον	τα)
	The scheme of is as follows:	contraction for regular -dw
α-	-ε = α	$\alpha + \circ = \omega$
α-	$\vdash \eta = \alpha$	$\alpha + \omega = \omega$
	$+ \varepsilon t = q$	$\alpha + \circ \upsilon = \omega$ (since $\circ \upsilon$ in these
α-	$+ \varepsilon \varepsilon (= \varepsilon + \varepsilon) = \alpha$	uncontracted forms is a
α-	+ 1) = ¢	spurious diphthong, i.e., u is not present in the un- contracted form of ou).

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# 455.

I. I. έἀν εἴπωμεν ὅτι ἀμαρτίαν οὐχ ἔχομεν, ἐαυτοὺς πλανῶμεν xal ἡ ἀλήθεια οὐχ ἔστιν ἐν ἡμῖν. 2. οἰ ἀμαρτωλοἰ τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας αὐτοὺς ἀγαπῶσιν. 3. xal ἐν τῆ οἰχία γενόμενος ἐπηρώτα αὐτοὑς Τί ἐν τῆ ὅδῷ διελογίζεσθε; οἰ δὲ ἐσιώπων. 4. Τίμα τὸν πατέρα σου xal τὴν μητέρα. 5. τεχνία, μηδεἰς πλανάτω ὑμᾶς. 6. xal πᾶς ὅ ὅχλος ἐζήτουν ἄπτεσθαι αὐτοῦ, ὅτι δύναμις παρ' αὐτοῦ ἐξήρχετο xal ἰᾶτο πάντας. 7. Τί ἐξήλθατε εἰς τὴν ἕρημον θεάσασθαι; 8. ὅ μὴ ἀγαπῶν τὸν ἀδελφὸν αὐτοῦ ὄν ἐώραχεν, τὸν θεὸν ὅν οὐχ ἑώραχεν οὐ δύναται ἀγαπῷν.

EXERCISES

II. I. Let us love one another. 2. He who loves his brother keeps the commandment of God.3. The disciples were not able to heal him. 4. They were asking him concerning the kingdom.

# LESSON LIII

Impersonal Verbs.  $\pi \rho i \nu$  ( $\tilde{\eta}$ ) and the Infinitive. Constructions with xal érévero and it hap

456.	VOCABU	/LARY
άλέχτωρ, -ορος, δ,	cock	xoivów, I make common,
άπαρνέομαι, I der	ıy	unclean
διακονέω, I serve,	minister	μανθάνω, I learn; second
diáxovos, b, servar	at, minister,	aor. Euglov- 9 learned
deacon		σταυρός, δ, cross
κοινός, -ή, -όν, con clean	nmon, un-	bavazów, I put to death

**457.** There are some verbs used in the third person singular with an impersonal subject, called impersonal verbs. Examine the following examples:

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I. dei, it is necessary. dei µe xal 'Púµŋv ldeiv, Imust see Rome also (it is necessary for me to see Rome also). µe is the acc. of general reference with ldeiv; 'Púµŋv is the object of ldeiv. Observe that the subject of dei is ldeiv.

2. δοχεϊ, it seems (good). τι ὑμῖν δοχεῖ; what think you? (What seems (good) to you?) Observe the case of ὑμῖν. δοχέω is used in the personal construction also.

3. Efects, it is possible, it is lawful. oux Efectiv ou Exerv author, it is not lawful for thee to have her. Observe that Exerv is the subject of Efectiv, and that out is in the dative case.

 μέλει, it concerns, it is a care. xal où μέλει αὐτῷ περί τῶν προβάτων, he cares not for the sheep (it is not a care to him concerning the sheep).

**458.**  $\pi \rho i \nu$  (or  $\pi \rho i \nu$   $\eta$ ), before, is frequently used with the infinitive (in the ablative case). E.g.,

πρίν 'Αβραάμ γενέσθαι έγὼ είμί, before Abraham came into being, I am.

**459.** The idioms containing xal  $\dot{\epsilon}\gamma\dot{\epsilon}\nu\epsilon\tau_0$  (or  $\dot{\epsilon}\gamma\dot{\epsilon}\nu\epsilon\tau_0$   $\dot{\delta}\dot{\epsilon}$ ), and it came to pass (and it happened), are so common in the New Testament that they call for a special note. The New Testament has four constructions with xal  $\dot{\epsilon}\gamma\dot{\epsilon}\nu\epsilon\tau_0$ .

I. xal évévero xal + the verb.

- xal έγένετο έν μιζ τῶν ἡμερῶν xal αὐτὸς ἡν διδάσχων, and it came to pass, on one of the days, that he was teaching.
  - 2. xal évévero + the verb.
- xal évévero antilos els rov olxov abrov, and it came to pass that he departed to his home.

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3. xai évévero xai idoó + the verb.

xal évévero xal idoù avdpeç dúo énéstroav autaiç, and it came to pass that, behold, two men stood by them.

- 4. xal évévero + an infinitive.
- και έγένετο αύτὸν ἐν τοῖς σάββασιν διαπορεύεσθαι διὰ τῶν σπορίμων, and it came to pass that he was going through the grain-fields on the Sabbath.

### 460.

#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. δεί ὑμάς γεννηθήναι ἄνωθεν. 2. πρίν ἀλέκτορα φωνήσαι τρίς ἀπαρνήση με. 3. τί με δεί ποιείν ἕνα σωθώ; 4. ἐγένετο δὲ ἐν ἐτέρψ σαββάτψ εἰσελθείν αὐτὸν εἰς τὴν συναγωγὴν καὶ διδάσκειν. 5. τί δοκεί σοί; 6. ἡμῖν οὐκ ἕξεστιν ἀποκτείναι οὐδένα. 7. δοκῶ γὰρ κάγὼ πνεῦμα θεοῦ ἔχειν. 8. διδάσκαλε, οἴδαμεν ὅτι ἀληθής εἶ καὶ οὐ μέλει σοι περὶ οὐδενός.

II. I. It is necessary to go into the house. 2. He does not care for any one. 3. It came to pass before he went into the house that his brothers came to him. 4. It is not lawful for a man to kill any one.

#### LESSON LIV

# Present System of Contract Verbs in -6ω

#### 461.

#### VOCABULARY

διακονία, ή, service, ministry ζηλόω, I am jealous, desire δικαιόω, I declare righteous, eagerly

justify λ έκπορεύομαι, I go out δ ένώπιον, prep. with gen., π before. in presence of

ληστής, οῦ, δ, robber δμοιόω, I make like προφητεύω, I prophesy

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**462.** The conjugation of  $\pi\lambda\eta\rho\delta\omega$ , as an example of the  $-\delta\omega$  verbs, in the present system, is:

I. The present indicative:

#### ACTIVE

- Singular
- Ι. πληρώ (πληρόω) Ι. πληρούμεν (πληρόομεν)
- 2. πληροίς (πληρόεις)
- 3. πληροί (πληρόει)
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# Singular

- Ι. πληρούμαι (πληρόομαι) Ι. πληρούμεθα (πληροόμεθα)
- 2. πληροί (πληρόη)
- 3. πληρούται (πληρόεται)
- πληροῦσθε (πληρόεσθε)
   πληροῦνται (πληρόονται)

Plural

2. πληρούτε (πληρόετε)

3. πληρούσι (πληρόουσι)

Plural

2. The present subjunctive:

#### ACTIVE

### Singular

- πληρῶ (πληρόω)
   πληροῖς (πληρόης)
   πληροῖ (πληρόη)
- 2. 3. indicative (probably)

Plural

The plural of the present subjunctive active of -ow verbs in New Testament seems to be like the pres. indic. Note that the pres. indic. and subj. active are alike. The pres. subj. act. was probably assimilated to the pres. ind. act. There is doubt concerning the plur. forms that occur in the New Testament.

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# Singular

#### Plural The plural does not occur

- Ι. πληρώμαι (πληρόωμαι)
- in the New Testament
- 3. πληρώται (πληρόηται)

2. [πληροί (πληρόη)]

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If the plural had been used in the New Testament it would have probably been like the pres. ind.

Forms in brackets [] are not found in the New Testament.

3. The present imperative:

#### ACTIVE

#### Singular

πλήρου (πλήροε)

3. πληρούτω (πληροέτω)

2. πληρούτε (πληρόετε)

3. πληρούτωσαν (πληροέτωσαν)

Plural

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#### Singular

2. πληρού (πληρόου)

Plural 2. πληροῦσθε (πληρόεσθε)

- 3. πληρούσθω (πληρόεσθω) 3. πληρούσθωσαν (πληροέσθω
  - σαν)

4. The present infinitive:

#### ACTIVE

πληρούν (πληρόειν); some editors write πληροίν. πληρούν is for πληροεεν. See note to 452, 4.

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πληρούσθαι (πληρόεσθαι).

5. The present participle:

#### ACTIVE

πληρών (πληρόων), πληρούσα (πληρόουσα), πληρούν (πληρόον)

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6. The imperfect indicative:

## ACTIVE

# Singular

Plural

- Ι. έπλήρουν (έπλήροον)
- έπληροῦμεν (ἐπληρόομεν)
   έπληροῦτε (ἐπληρόετε)
- έπλήρους (έπλήροες)
   έπλήρου (έπλήροε)
- 3. έπλήρουν (έπλήροον)

In the third plur. a form like ἐπληροῦσαν (ἐπληρόοσαν) is found.

# MIDDLE AND PASSIVE

# Singular

### Plural

έπληρούμην (ἐπληροόμην) Ι. ἐπληρούμεθα (ἐπληροόμεθα)

- 2. έπληροῦ (ἐπληρόου) 2. ἐπληροῦσθε (ἐπληρόεσθε)
- 3. έπληροῦτο (ἐπληρόετο) 3. ἐπληροῦντο (ἐπληρόοντο)

**463.** The present active participle  $\pi\lambda\eta\rho\omega\nu$ ,  $\pi\lambda\eta\rho\sigma\sigma\sigma$ ,  $\pi\lambda\eta\rho\sigma\sigma\nu$  is declined like  $\varphi(\lambda\omega\nu)$ ,  $\varphi(\lambda\sigma\sigma\sigma,\varphi(\lambda\sigma\sigma\nu)$  (427). The result of contraction is the same in both cases:  $\varepsilon + \sigma = \sigma \upsilon$ ; and  $\sigma + \sigma = \sigma \upsilon$ .

464. The scheme of contraction for regular  $-6\omega$  verbs is as follows:

$o + \varepsilon = ou$	$\circ + \omega = \omega$	o + ou = ou
o + o = ou	$o + \epsilon t = ot$	1.000
$o + \eta = \omega$	$o + \eta = -ot^{\dagger}$	

#### EXERCISES

I. Ι. ώστε, άδελφοί μου, ζηλοῦτε τὸ προφητεύειν. 2. τὰ δὲ ἐκπορευόμενα ἐκ τοῦ στόματος ἐκ τῆς καρδίας ἐξέρχεται, κἀκεῖνα κοινοῖ τὸν ἄνθρωπον. 3. καὶ σὺν αὐτῷ σταυροῦσιν δύο ληστάς. 4. καὶ εἰπεν αὐτοῖς Ὑμεῖς ἐστὲ οἰ δικαιοῦντες ἑαυτοὺς ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀνθρώπων. 5. καὶ εἴπατε ᾿Αρχίππῷ Βλέπε τὴν διακονίαν ἢν παρέλαβες ἐν κυρίῳ, ἴνα αὐτὴν

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πληροίς. 6. έλεγον την έξοδον (departure) αύτοῦ ην ημελλεν πληροῦν ἐν Ἱερουσαλήμ.

II. I. They were crucifying him with two thieves.2. Let us love him who justifies us. 3. The works of the righteous are being made manifest. 4. That which goes into the mouth does not defile man.

# LESSON LV

# Conjugation of μι-verbs: δίδωμι. Second Aorist of γινώσχω

# 466.

δίδωμι, I give, deliver

dποδίδωμι, I give up or back; restore; pay; midd., sell έπιγινώσχω, I recognize, discover έπιδίδωμι, I give over

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παραδίδωμι, I give over (to another), deliver up, betray

467. Greek verbs are of two main conjugations, the  $\omega$ -conjugation and the  $\mu$ -conjugation. The conjugation which has been studied thus far, except  $\epsilon l\mu l$ , is the  $\omega$ -conjugation ( $\omega$ -verbs). The verbs in  $-\omega$ are by far more common than the verbs in  $-\mu l$ . The verbs (or conjugations) are so named because the ending of the first person singular present indicative active of one is  $-\omega$  and of the other is  $-\mu l$ .

**468.**  $\mu$ -verbs differ from  $\omega$ -verbs only in the present and second aorist (called  $\mu$ -aorist) systems. The essential difference between the  $\mu$ -verbs and  $\omega$ -verbs in these systems is that the  $\mu$ -verbs do not have the thematic vowel  $\circ/\epsilon$  which the  $\omega$ -

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verbs have, before the personal endings. The subjunctive of the  $\mu$ -verbs, however, has the thematic vowel  $\omega/\pi$  (mode-sign). In the other tense systems the  $\mu$ -verbs and the  $\omega$ -verbs are conjugated alike.

469. The principal parts of δίδωμι' are:

δίδωμι, δώσω, έδωχα, δέδωχα, δέδομαι, έδόθην

Observe that: 1. The verb stem is  $\delta_0$ . 2. The present stem is the reduplicated verb-stem, with the vowel  $\iota$  in the reduplication.

470. The present active of blowm is:

I. Indicative:

Singular	Plural
Ι. [διδώ]	Ι. [δίδομεν]
2. [διδώς Or διδοίς]	2. [didote]
3. διδφ Or διδοί	3. διδόασι
In the first sing. a form	διδώ (from διδόω) occurs.
2. Subjunctive:	
Singular	Plural
Ι. [διδώ]	I. [διδώμεν]
2. [διδως or διδοίς]	2. [διδώτε]
3. διδφ Or διδοί	3. [διδώσι]
3. Imperative:	
Singular	Plural
2. δίδου	2. δίδοτε
3. διδότω	3. [διδότωσαν]
4. Infinitive:	mi tyrifin sine si yiki
διδόνο	zt

 $^{1}\mu$ -verbs compounded with prepositions are numerous. The uncompounded forms of all  $\mu$ -verbs are given as quotable in the New Testament, although the form may be found only in compounds.

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5. Participle:

διδούς, διδούσα, διδόν

The participle is declined like  $\lambda \omega v$  except for the nom. sing. masc., and the accent.

471. The imperfect indicative active of δίδωμι is:

Singular	Plural
I. [śčíčouv]	I. [édidoper]
2. [édidous]	2. [édidore]
3. ėdidou	3. έδίδοσαν, έδίδου

472. The present middle and passive of blowur is:

I. Indicative:	
Singular	Plural
I. [δίδομαι]	Ι. διδόμεθα
2. [δίδοσαι]	2. [δίδοσθε]
3. 8180rai	3. [δίδονται]

2. Subjunctive:

Does not occur in the New Testament.

3. Imperative:

Does not occur in the New Testament.

4. Infinitive:

δίδοσθαι

5. Participle:

διδόμενος, -η, -ον

473. The imperfect indicative middle and passive of δίδωμι is:

Singular	Plural		
<ol> <li>[έδιδόμην]</li> </ol>	Ι. [έδιδόμεθα]		
2. [édidoso]	<ol> <li>[έδίδοσθε]</li> </ol>		
3. έδίδοτο, έδίδετο	3. [édidovto]		

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	474. The aorist (µ-aorist)	active of δίδωμι is:	475. The aorist middle of δίδωμι is:				
	<ol> <li>Indicative: Singular</li> <li>Εδωχα</li> <li>Εδωχας</li> <li>Εδωχε</li> </ol>	<i>Plural</i> I. έδώχαμεν 2. έδώχατε 3. Έδωχαν, Έδοσαν	<ol> <li>I. Indicative: Singular         <ol> <li>[έδόμην]</li> <li>[ἕδου]</li> <li>ἕδοτο, ἕδετο</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	<i>Plural</i> 1. [έδόμεθα] 2. ἕδοσθε 3. ἕδοντο			
	Aorists made with the aorists. Actually they are 2. Subjunctive:		<ol> <li>Subjunctive:</li> <li>Does not occur in the 1</li> <li>Imperative:</li> </ol>	New Testament.			
	Singular 1. δώ 2. δώς, δοῖς 3. δῷ, δοῖ, δώη	Plural Ι. δώμεν 2. δώτε 3. δώσι	Does not occur in the 1 4. Infinitive: Does not occur in the 1 5. Participle:				
	Some forms like δώση, δώ subjunctives from a first ac papyri).		Does not occur in the 1 476. Some ω-verbs have those of μι-verbs.	aorists conjugated like			
÷	3. Imperative: Singular	Plural	<ol> <li>The aorist (μι-aoris γινώσχω is:</li> </ol>	st) indicative active of			
	<ol> <li>2. δός</li> <li>3. δότω</li> <li>4. Infinitive:</li> </ol>	2. δότε 3. [δότωσαν]	Singular Ι. ἕγνων 2. ἕγνως 3. ἕγνω	<b>Plural</b> Ι. Εγνωμεν 2. Εγνωτε 3. Εγνωσαν			
http:///.	δοῦνα 5. Participle: δούς, [δοῦσα] Declined like the present ww.biblecentre.net/nt/greek/davis/page198	, [ðóv] act. participle.	2. The subjunctive is throughout. But third sing	γνῶ, γνῷς, etc., with ω g. is γνοῖ. ύθι, γνώτω, γνῶτε, [γνώτωσαν] ι			

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# EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. ὑμίν τὸ μυστήριον δέδοται τῆς βασιλείας τοῦ θεοῦ. 2. Κύριε, τίς έστιν δ παραδιδούς σε; 3. παντί αίτοῦντί σε δίδου. 4. εί δὲ οὐ ποιῶ τὰ ἕργα τοῦ πατρός μου, μὴ πιστεύετε μοι. εί δὲ ποιῶ, καν' έμοι μή πιστεύητε, τοῖς Εργοις πιστεύετε, ίνα γνώτε και γινώσκητε ότι έν έμοι ό πατήρ πάγώ έν τῷ πατρί. 5. δότε αύτοις ὑμεις φαγείν. 6. λέγω δε ύμιν ότι 'Ηλείας ήδη ήλθεν, και ούκ έπέγνωσαν αύτόν. 7. απόδοτε πάσι τάς όφειλάς (dues). 8. έξεστιν δούναι χήνσον (poll-tax, tribute) Καίσαρι η οδ; δώμεν η μή δώμεν;

II. I. If I know all mysteries and have not love, I am nothing. 2. I give you power to cast out demons. 3. Jesus was giving bread to the disciples that they might give it to the multitude.

# LESSON LVI

Conjugation	of	µt-Ve	erbs	(co	nt'd):	Tot	mper.	Present	
Imperative	of	elul.	Sec	ond	Aorist	of	βαίνω	φημί	

VOCABULARY			
I make to stand, place, stand	έφίστημι,	I stand upon or by, come	
I set against, withstand	χαθίστημι,	upon I set down, ap-	
I raise up, rise, arise, runne	μεταβαίνω,	point I pass over, de-	
I put away, de- part from	παρίστημι,	part I place beside,	
I go into, embark <sup>1</sup> xāv = xal iáv, "en		stand by	
	I make to stand, place, stand I set against, withstand I raise up, rise, arise, I put away, de- part from I go into, embark	I make to stand, ἐφίστημι, place, stand I set against, withstand καθίστημι, I raise up, rise, arise, πιστή μεταβαίνω, I put away, de- part from παρίστημι,	

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éflorqui, I am amazed, am ouvlorqui, I commend, esbeside myself tablish

479. The principal parts of Yornus are:

<sup>Ι</sup>στημι, στήσω, ἕστησα, ἕστηκα, [ἔσταμαι], ἐστάθην, second aor. act. Estny.

Observe that: I. The verb-stem is org- 2. The present stem is the verb-stem reduplicated, with the vowel , in the reduplication. lorg- is for given-(initial  $\sigma$  is represented by the rough breathing).

480. The conjugation of Yornyu in the present active is:

I. Indicative:

Singular	Plural		
Ι. ίστημι	I. [ἴσταμεν]		
2. [lorns]	2. [lotate]		
3. lornoi	3. [lotãoi]		

Many forms from lotávo occur. They are regular in their conjugation.

2. Subjunctive:

Does not occur in the New Testament.

3. Imperative:

Does not occur in the New Testament.

4. Infinitive:

Ιστάναι

5. Participle:

lotác, [lotãoa], [lotáv]. lotác is declined like xão.

481. Imperfect indicative active forms of Tornut do not occur in the New Testament.

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<ul><li>482. The conjugation passive of ἴστημι is:</li><li>I. Indicative:</li></ul>	of the present middle and	486. The aorist (µ:-aoris I. Indicative: Singular	t) active of longul is: Plural		
Singular	Plural	Ι. ἔστην	Ι. Εστημεν		
<b>Ι.</b> ΐσταμαι	Ι. Ιστάμεθα	2. [ĕστης]	2. Estyte		
2. Yotasai	2. ίστασθε	3. Eorn	3. Eστησαν		
3. โσταται	3. ίστανται				
2. Subjunctive:		The difference in meaning between ἔστην and ἔστησα (first aorist) is that ἔστην, I stood, is intran			
Does not occur in th	e New Testament.	sitive, and fornoa, I set or placed, is transitive.			
3. Imperative:		2. Subjunctive:			
Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural		
2. ίστασο	<ol> <li>[ἴστασθε]</li> </ol>	Ι. [στῶ]	I. [στώμεν]		
3. [loráoθω]	3. [ἰστάσθωσαν]	2. [στής]	2. στήτε		
4. Infinitive:		3. oth	3. στώσι		
ίστασθαι		3. Imperative:			
5. Participle: Istáuevos, -n, -ov		Singular	Plural		
		2. στήθι,	<ol> <li>στήτε</li> </ol>		
	cative middle and passive of	-070			
ίστημι is: Singular	Plural	3. στήτω	3. [στήτωσαν]		
Οιημηνι Ι. Ιστάμηνι	Ι. ζοτάμεθα	-ora occurs only in com	pounds.		
2. [loraco]	2. ίστασθε	4. Infinitive:	친 물려 먹을 가지 않는 것이다.		
3. ίστατο	3. Котачто	στή	ίναι		
1 MAC 1	d in the pres. ind. act. first	5. Participle:			
	pers. sing. enst, third pers.	στάς, [στᾶς			
	aperfect ind. act. third pers.	στάς is declined like π	άς.		
sing. Eqn. The present for		487. Like Eorny is conjuga	ated Egny the second (or me-		
485. The present imperative of sight, I am, is:		aorist of βaivo. Thus:			
Singular	Plural	Ind. act. Egnv, Egns, etc.	n a tradicativity or solu		
2. Tote	2. [Ĕστε]	Subj. act. third sing. Bi			
3. 2010, 170	3. Εστωσαν	Imperative act. βηθι and			

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1 Long t. See 70, 2.

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Infinitive act. βήναι

Participle act. Báç, declined like zãç.

In the New Testament  $\beta \alpha i \nu \omega$  occurs only in compounds (see vocabulary).

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#### EXERCISES

 I. και άναστάς ήλθεν πρός τόν πατέρα έαυτοῦ.
 2. και ήκουσαν φωνῆς μεγάλης έκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ λεγούσης αὐτοῖς 'Ανάβατε ώδε,<sup>1</sup> και ἀνέβησαν εἰς τὸν οὐρανόν ἐν τῆ νεφέλη.
 3. εἰπεν δὲ τῷ ἀνδρί "Εγειρε και στῆθι εἰς τὸ μέσον (midst) και ἀναστάς ἔστη.
 4. καταβάς δὲ Πέτρος πρός τοὺς ἄνδρας εἰπεν 'Ιδοὺ ἐγώ εἰμι δν ζητεῖτε.
 5. παρέστη γάρ μοι ταύτη τῆ νυκτί τοῦ θεοῦ οῦ εἰμί, ῷ καὶ λατρεύω (serve), ἄγγελος λέγων Μή φοβοῦ, Παῦλε. Καίσαρί σε δεῖ παραστῆναι.
 6. ὸ νόμος γὰρ ἀνθρώπους καθίστησιν ἀρχιερεῖς ἔχοντας ἀσθένειαν.

II. I. An angel stood by Paul in the night. 2. Two men went up into the temple. 3. Who appointed you a ruler of the people? 4. The disciples went into the boat.

#### LESSON LVII

Conjugation of µ-Verbs (Continued): τίθημι

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#### VOCABULARY

τίθημι, I place, lay, put (down) έπιτίθημι, I lay upon, place upon μνημεϊον, τό, sepulchre, tomb παρατίθημι, I set before, commit προστίθημι, I add, give in addition ' όδε, adv. hither, here. CONJUGATION OF µt-VERBS

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490. The principal parts of τίθημι are: τίθημι, θήσω, έθηχα, τέθειχα, τέθειμαι, έτέθη.

Observe that: 1. The verb-stem is  $\theta \epsilon$ -. 2. The present stem is the reduplicated verb-stem, with the vowel  $\iota$  in the reduplication. 3. The aorist indic. has -x  $\alpha$  as suffix.

Plural

Ι. τίθεμεν

2. TIBETE

3. τιθέασι

Plural

Plural

3. [TIBÉTWOORY]

Ι. τιθώμεν

2. TIONTE

3. τιθώσι

2. TIBETE

491. The present active of riongu is:

- I. Indicative:
  - Singular 1. τίθημι 2. [τίθης] 3. τίθησι
- 2. Subjunctive:
  - Singular Ι. τιθώ
  - 2. τιθής 3. τιθή
- Imperative:
   Singular
   2. τίθει
  - 3. τιθέτω
- 4. Infinitive:

τιθέναι

5. Participle:

τιθείς, τιθείσα, τιθέν

Declined like the aorist passive participle of  $\lambda \omega$ :  $\lambda u \theta \epsilon i \varsigma$ ,  $-\epsilon i \sigma \alpha$ ,  $-\epsilon \nu$ , (350).

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492. The imperfect indic	ative active of τ(θημι is:	495. The aorist active of	of tibym is:
Singular	Plural	I. Indicative:	CONTRACTOR MANAGER
I. [έτ(θην]	I. [ét(8eµev]	Singular	Plural
2. [étibeis]	2. [étifere]	Ι. έθηχα	Ι. έθήχαμεν
3. étildet	3. etileoav	2. 2017205	2. έθήχατε
A third pers. plur. etilou	y is from τιθέω.	3. ž0yxe	3. Ebyxav
passive of tlenu is:	the present middle and		δίδωμι, so τίθημι has the mactive. Other modes are o
I. Indicative:		2. Subjunctive:	
Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
I. τίθεμαι	<ol> <li>[τιθέμεθα]</li> </ol>	Ι. θώ	Ι. Θώμεν
2. [tilesat]	2. τίθεσθε 3. τίθενται	2. 0ns	2. [0ŋte]
3. Tiberai	3. tivestai	3. <del>0</del> ň	3. 8001
2. Subjunctive: Does not occur in the	New Testament	3. Imperative:	
	New Testament.	Singular	Plural
3. Imperative:	77	2. θές	2. Bére 1
Singular	Plural	3. [θέτω]	3. [θέτωσαν]
2. [t(0ero]	2. [tileofle]	4. Infinitive:	G. Lennerd
3. [τιθέσθω]	3. τιθέσθωσαν		ivat
4. Infinitive:		5. Participle:	
τίθεσθαι		θείς, [θεῖσ	α]. [θεν]
5. Participle: τιθέμενος, -η, -ον		Declined like rifels.	
	ative middle and passive	496. The aorist middle of I. Indicative:	of τίθημι is:
Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
<ol> <li>[έτιθέμην]</li> </ol>	Ι. [έτιθέμεθα]	Ι. έθέμην	Ι. [έθέμεθα]
2. [étileso]	2. [έτ(θεσθε]	2. ž0ou	2. E8eo8e
3. έτίθετο	3. έτίθεντο	3. 80000	3. 20270

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Plural

Ι. θώμεθα

2. [0ησθε]

3. [0wvrai]

Plural

3. [0600woav]

2. θέσθε

#### 2. Subjunctive:

- Singular I. [θώμαι] 2. [0n] 3. [0ηται] 3. Imperative: Singular
  - 2. 000 3. [θέσθω]
- 4. Infinitive:
- θέσθαι
- 5. Participle

BELLEVOG, -M, -OV

### ¥497.

#### EXERCISES

Ι. Ι. πας άνθρωπος πρώτον τόν χαλόν οίνον τίθησιν. 2. χαί φωνήσας φωνή μεγάλη δ 'Ιησούς είπεν Πάτερ, είς χεϊράς σου παρατίθεμαι τὸ πνεῦμά μου. 3. ήραν τὸν χύριον έχ τοῦ μνημείου, καί ούκ οίδαμεν ποῦ ἔθηκαν αὐτόν. 4. ὁ δὲ κύριος προσετίθει τούς σωζομένους χαθ' ήμέραν<sup>1</sup> έπι το αύτό.2 5. διά τοῦτό με ὁ πατήρ ἀγαπῷ ὅτι ἐγὼ τίθημι τὴν ψυχήν μου, ίνα πάλιν λάβω αύτήν. ούδείς ήρεν αύτην άπ' έμου, άλλ' έγώ τίθημε αύτην άπ' έμαυτου.

II. I. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. 2. The apostle commends the disciple to the Lord. 3. I do not know where they laid him. 4. He was placing his hands upon the children.

NOTE: The students may now begin to read I John and continue it as Lessons after Lesson LIX is finished.

1 xat ' huspay, daily. 2 ent to abto, (to the same), together.

# CONJUGATION OF µt-VERBS

#### LESSON LVIII

# Conjugation of µt-Verbs (Continued): doingut, covingut Other Verbs: Old Forms

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#### VOCABULARY

doingue, I send away, for- ouvingue, I perceive, undergive, leave, let eldús, -uia, -ós, knowing έστώς, ώσα, ός, standing hoev, old pluperf. (with imp. meaning) of olda.

stand tore, adv., then Trayov, second aor. ind. act. of ayw

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499. The verb Irjus, I send, occurs in the New Testament only in compounds. Of this verb the most common compounds are doingue (dn6 + ingue) and συνίημι.

The verb-stem of Input is &-. The present stem is the reduplicated verb-stem, with , in the reduplication.

The principal parts of doingut are:

άφίημι, άφήσω, άφήχα, άφέωνται (third plur.), άφέθην.

500. The following forms of doingut are those which occur most frequently in the New Testament.

- Present indicative active:
- Plural

1. [apinut] 2. doeiç (from dolw)

Singular

- I. dolenev, dolonev 2. dolets
- 3. apinor
- 3. aplouse

Imperfect indicative active:

Third sing. House (notice augment of the preposition)

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Present active imperative: Third sing. dφιέτω.	and the rest like Elizov, except the reduplication throughout the aorist.			
The second aor. imperative active:SingularPlural2. ἄφες2. ἄφετεThe second aor. infinitive active ἀφεῖναιThe second aor. participle active ἀφείς (masc.).501. The following forms of συνίημι occur.Present ind. act. third plur. συνιάσι and συνίουσι.Present subj. act. third plur. συνίωσι.	<ul> <li>3. ειση</li> <li>3. [εισωσι]</li> <li>3. The old perf. infinitive, εἰδέναι</li> <li>4. The old perf. participle, εἰδώς, εἰδυῖα, εἰδός (with meaning of the present). Declined like λελυκώς, -υῖα, -ός.</li> <li>504. An old perfect active participle from ἴστημι is found also in the New Testament. Nom. ἐστώς, ἐστῶσα, ἐστός Gen. ἐστῶτος, ἐστῶσας, ἐστῶτος</li> <li>The other cases can be easily formed from these.</li> </ul>			
Present act. participle συνιείς and συνίων. Second aor. subj. third plur. συνώσι. 502. The verb ἄγω has a reduplicated second aorist ήγαγον. Ind. ήγαγον, ήγαγες, etc. Subj. άγάγω, άγάγης, etc.;	<ul> <li>έστώς has the intensive meaning, standing.</li> <li>505. EXERCISES         <ol> <li>I. δ μισθωτός (hireling) και ούκ ῶν ποιμήν, οδ ούκ</li> <li>ἕστιν τὰ πρόβατα ἴδια, θεωρεῖ τὸν λύκον (wolf) ἐρχόμενου</li> <li>και ἀρίησιν τὰ πρόβατα και φεύγει.</li> <li>Σιὰ τοῦτο ἐν παραβο-</li> </ol> </li> </ul>			

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λαίς αύτοις λαλώ, ότι βλέποντες ού βλέπουσιν και άκούοντες ούχ αχούουσιν ούδε συνίουσιν. 3. άγωμεν χαι ήμεις ίνα άποθάνωμεν μετ' αύτοῦ. 4. τί γάρ έστιν εύχοπώτερον (easier), elneiv 'Aplevral oou al auaprian, & elneiv "Eyespe καί περιπάτει; ίνα δε είδητε ότι έξουσίαν έχει ο υίος του άνθρώπου έπι της γης άφιέναι άμαρτίας τότε λέγει τώ παραλυτικώ (paralytic) "Εγειρε άρόν σου την κλίνην και ύπαγε είς τον οίχόν σου. 5. και θεωρεί τον Ίησοῦν ἐστῶτα, καί ούκ ήδει ότι 'Ιησούς έστίν. 6. 'Ιησούς ούν είδως πάντα τὰ έρχόμενα ἐπ' αὐτὸν έξῆλθεν, καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς Τίνα ζητεῖτε: II. I. We saw him standing in the boat. 2. He said to the man, "Thy sins are forgiven." 3. I knew not who it was. 4. They led the servants to the house.

#### LESSON LIX

The Optative Mode. Wishes

#### 506.

edayyehllouan, I proclaim glad tidings (preach the gospel) origos, -n, -ov, few, little, small

παρουσία, ή, coming, presence

σημείον, τό, sign σήμερον,

adv., to-day, this day

507. Besides the indicative, subjunctive, and imperative modes, there is another mode in Greek, called the Optative.

In meaning the optative is a sort of weaker subjunctive. The subjunctive and optative are really different forms of the same mode, the mode of hesitating affirmation.

# OPTATIVE MODE

508. In the New Testament the optative mode occurs only sixty-seven times, and in the present and aorist tenses only.

509. Of the forms of the optative mode found in the New Testament the following are representative: I. Present tense (act. and middle):

. Fles	ent tense (act. and	a maaae	s).
	ingular		Plural
	δυναίμην	JORAN .	
	εἴη (from εἰμί) ἔχοι θέλοι	2.	πάσχοιτε ἔχοιεν δύναντο
3	Exot	- 1	έχοιεν
	θέλοι	3. ]	δύναντο
. Seco	nd aorist (act. and	middle)	the second
	ingular		Plural
1.	όναίμην (fr. όνίνημα	)	
12.00	δώη (fr. δίδωμι) λάβοι τύχοι φάγοι		
-	λάβοι		
3	τύχοι	3.	εὄροιεν
	φάγοι		
	γένοιτο		
. First	t aorist (act. and m	niddle):	
S	ingular		Plural
	εύξαίμην		
	[ περισσεύσαι		
	πλεονάσαι	- 5	ποιήσαιεν ψηλαφήσειαν
3.	χαταρτίσαι	3. J	ψηλαφήσειαν
	περισσεύσαι πλεονάσαι χαταρτίσαι χατευθύναι		Jury Start
	t aorist passive:		(nites) (state)
P1.:	1	0 01	

Third sing., Loriobein, mlnouveein, anonoein.

Observe that: 1. There are two mode signs for the optative, either : or m. 2. : is used with thematic tense stems, as Eyor, edfaluny. 3. m is used with Page 212 of Beginner's Greek Grammar by W. H. Davis

1 xhivn, n. a couch, a bed.

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the non-thematic tense stems, as  $\epsilon i\eta$ ,  $\delta \phi \eta$ . 4.  $\epsilon \epsilon$  and  $\alpha$  in the third person plural of both stems. 5. The mode sign ( $\epsilon$ ) contracts with the vowel of the stem.

**510.** A wish about the future is usually expressed in the New Testament by the optative (generally the aorist), e.g.,

abtog de o bedg the elohyng ayıdsat duag ddotedeig, May the God of peace himself sanctify you wholly.

The commonest wish of this kind is the phrase µ'n γένοιτο, may it not become.

A wish about the future may be expressed by  $\delta\varphi \approx \lambda ov^{1}$  and the future indicative — once in N. T.

511. A wish about the present is expressed by  $\delta \varphi \epsilon \lambda o \nu$ and the imperfect indicative, e.g.,

δφελον ψυχρός ής ή ζεστός, would that thou wert cold or hot.

512. A wish about the past is expressed by δφελον and the aorist indicative, e.g.,

Spelov épasilebsare, would that you did reign

**513.** The fourth class condition is the condition undetermined and with remote prospect of determination.  $\epsilon l$  and the optative in the protasis, and the optative with  $\frac{\pi}{2}v$  in the apodosis. In the New Testament no whole example of this class of conditions occurs. There is found the condition (protasis) or the conclusion (apodosis), but not both at the same time.

el και πάσχοιτε, if you should even suffer (protasis) εὐξαίμην ἄν, I could pray (potential optative).

<sup>1</sup> δφελον is just the second aor. of δφείλω without augment.

<sup>1</sup>Part II is based on "A Grammar of the Greek New Testament in the Light of Historical Research," by A. T. Robertson.

# PART II:1 SUPPLEMENT TO PART I

SOUNDS AND WRITING

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#### A. Sounds and Writing

§1. Syncope is the suppression of a short vowel between consonants for the sake of facility in pronunciation. Thus  $\pi \alpha \pi \rho \delta \varsigma$  for  $\pi \alpha \pi \epsilon \rho \delta \varsigma$ .

§ 2. Diaeresis (separation) is indicated by a double dot ("), written over  $\iota$  or  $\upsilon$  to show that  $\iota$  or  $\upsilon$  does not form a diphthong with the preceding vowel. Thus  $\pi\rho\omega t$ , early;  $lo\chi \delta t$ , by strength; Musson, Moses.

§ 3. Elision is the dropping of a short vowel at the end of a word before a word beginning with a vowel. E.g.,  $d\pi' d\rho\chi\eta\varsigma$  for  $d\pi\delta d\rho\chi\eta\varsigma$ ,  $\delta\delta\delta'$  "va for  $\delta\delta\delta\delta$  "va,  $d\phi' \delta\alpha u\tau \delta\bar{\delta}$  for  $d\pi\delta \delta\alpha u\tau \delta\bar{\delta}$ .

Note that an apostrophe marks the omission of the vowel.

§ 4. Crasis is the contraction of a vowel or diphthong at the end of a word with one at the beginning of the next word. Thus xdµoi for xal ėµoi; xdxeīvoç for xal ėxeīvoç; τοὕνοµα for τὸ ὄνοµα.

Note that crasis is indicated by the coronis (') over the contracted form.

§ 5. When a smooth mute  $(\pi, x, \tau)$  is brought before the rough breathing by elision or in forming compounds, it is changed to the corresponding rough mute. This is called aspiration. Thus  $d\nu\theta'$   $d\nu$  for  $d\nu\tau$ ?  $d\nu\tau$ ?  $d\nu$  for  $e\pi$ ?  $d\nu$ ;  $d\rho(\eta\mu)$  ( $d\pi\delta + i\eta\mu$ ).

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§ 6. The vowels  $\alpha$ ,  $\varepsilon$ ,  $\circ$  are often interchanged in words of the same root. Sometimes there is an interchange among different vowels. This is called *interchange* or gradation of vowels. Thus  $\pi\varepsilon i\theta\omega$ , second perf.  $\pi i\pi 0i\theta \alpha$ ;  $\tau p i \phi \omega$ , I nourish,  $\tau p \circ \phi \eta$ , nourishment,  $i\tau p \dot{\alpha} \eta \eta \gamma$ , I was nourished.

§7. Modern editors of Greek texts use four punctuation marks: the comma and period are used as in English; the interrogation mark (;) is in form like the English semicolon; the point above the line (`) corresponds to the English semicolon or colon.

# PARADIGMS OF NOUNS

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## **B.** Paradigms of Nouns

### (a) Substantives

§ 8. Some masculines in -ας of the first declension. βορράς, δ, north (wind)

#### Singular

Nom. βορράς

So declined are some proper names in -ac.

Gen. Abl.	} Boppã
Loc. Ins. Dat.	Boppæ
Acc. Voc.	βορράν βορρά

§ 9. The normal form of contract substantives (those with stems in -e- or -o- of the second declension) may be seen in the masculine and neuter of the contract adjective  $\delta_{1\pi}\lambda_{0}\tilde{u}_{\varsigma}$  (§14).

Frequently these substantives are found in the uncontracted form. Thus dotéa, acc. plur. of dotouv (dotéov).

§ 10. Substantives of the third declension with stems in -v-.

ordyus, b, ear of corn

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Ins. Dat. στάχυξ	στάχυσι	Ins. Dat.	[γόνατι]	γυνα	x	[ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	[ώτί]	ΰδατι
Αcc. στάχυν	στάχυας	Acc.	[7640]	γυνα	πχα	τρίχα	005	σδώρ
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χθύς, δ, fish; etc.	su chegni, doșt, il, como,	25 0424			Plu	ral		
		Nom.	γόνατα	YUVO	űxeç	TPIXES	ώτα	δδατα
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### C. Pronouns

§ 17. A few forms of the demonstrative pronoun  $\delta \delta \epsilon$ ,  $\eta \delta \epsilon$ ,  $\tau \delta \delta \epsilon$ , this, occur in the New Testament. It is declined like the article ( $\delta$ ) with the enclitic  $\delta \epsilon$ added.

§ 18. Most other pronouns (not personal) are declined in the first and second declensions, and may be easily learned, as they are needed, from a lexicon.

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### PARADIGMS OF VERBS

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### D. Paradigms of the Verb

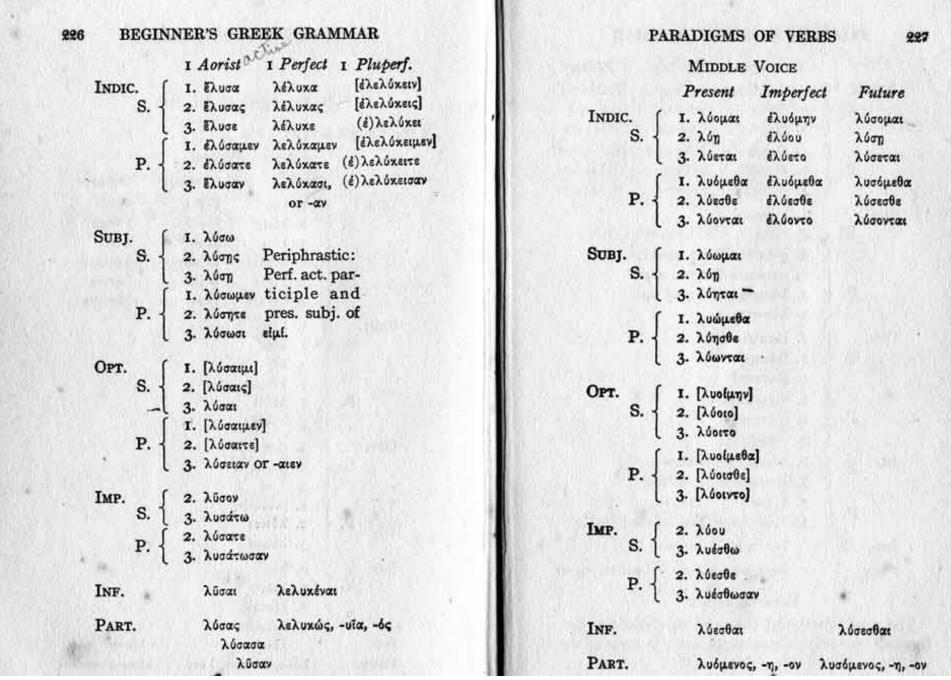
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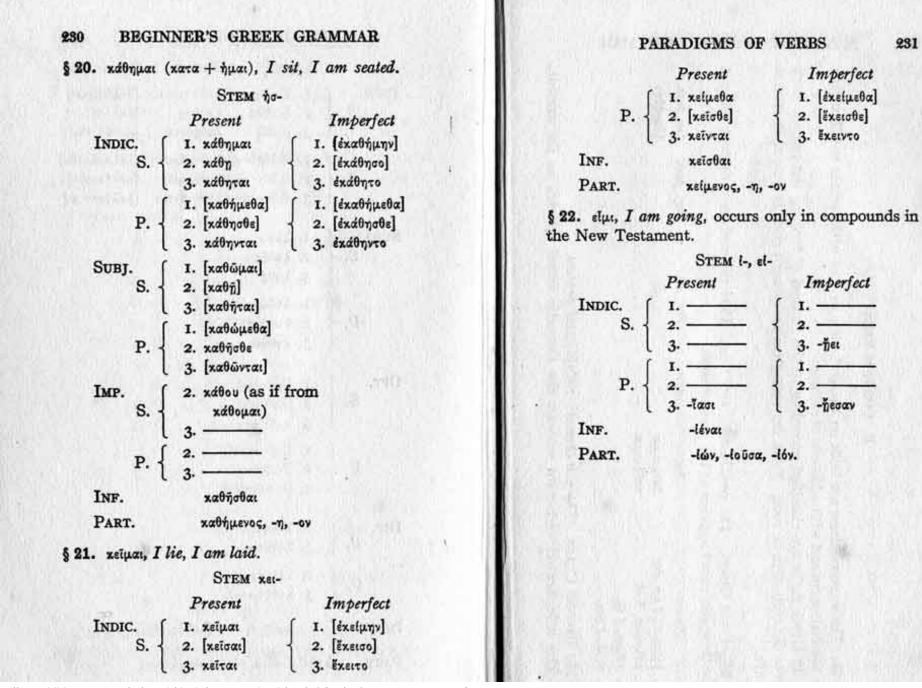
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Орт. S. { P. {	<ol> <li>Ι. λυσαίμην</li> <li>2. [λύσατο]</li> <li>3. [λύσαττο]</li> <li>Ι. [λυσαίμεθα]</li> <li>2. [λύσατσθε]</li> </ol>	OPT. S. $\begin{cases} I. [λυθείην] \\ 2. [λυθείης] \\ 3. λυθείη \end{cases}$
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The passive	voice of the present, imperfect, per-	ΙΝΕ. λυθήναι [λυθήσεσθαι]
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Here the verb-stem or root without The non-thematic root class. ne thematic vowel appears as the present stem. 24. FIRST CLASS.

Present	Fut.	Aorist	Perf. act.	Perf. pass.	Aor. pass.	G
Súvapaı, I am able	Burfgouan				4Burtilony	RA
xab-yuan, I sit	xabhoopat					M
. xsiµaı, I lie						MA
onul. I say						R

The non-thematic reduplicated present. SECOND CLASS. 25.

The reduplicated verb-stem without the thematic vowel appears as the present.

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	Aor. pass.	EbóByv	defenv	eoraby.	êrê0ŋv		Aor. pass.	é def x 0 nv		present stem	Aor. pass.	ήχθην	111.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.	ήχούσθην
	Perf. pass.	DéBouran	àpéwyta:		ré0enpan		Perf. pass.	Béderyhan		form the I	Perf. pass.	Arpan		
	Perf. act.	ðéðwxæ		Earnyka	-ἐστώς (ptc.) τέθεικα	The non-thematic present with -va- and -vu	Perf. act.		drohuha	t. tem or root to	Perf. act.		hránne	dxhxoa
	Aorist	E Buxa	deñxa	בסרוןי	Eoryoa Ebyxa	c present wi	Aorist	Edet Ea	άπώλεσα	matic presents of the verb-s	Aorist	मैंद्र प्र मुह्य	hydanoa	ĥxouaa
i i	Fut.	ბრძლ	dena	athaw	Otjaw	te non-theman	Fut.	Bel çw	drokeau -	The simple the	Fut.	đξω		axouau dxoúcopau
	Present	didupu, I give	. dolnput, I forgive	Tornput, I stand	tibyut, I place	26. THIRD CLASS. Th	Present	deixvuut, I show	drebhupu, I destroy	<ol> <li>POURTH CLASS. The simple thematic present.</li> <li>a. The thematic vowel °/. is added to the verb-stem or root to form the present stem.</li> </ol>	Present	äru (ar-), I lead	άγαπάω (άγαπα-), I love	axouto (axou-), I hear

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29. SIXTH CLASS. The thematic present with a suffix.

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Tixtu (TEX-), I bear

suffix (-t, -y, -ax, -r, -0) and the thematic vowel o/, are added to the verb-stem o form the present stem.

a. With the suffix -t.

(1) With stems in  $\delta$  (sometimes  $\gamma$ ).  $\delta i$  (sometimes  $\gamma i$ ) form  $\xi$ .

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Aor. pass. ēβaπτicony	έσώθην 10 (ττ).	Αστ. φαss. έχηρύχθην -έτάγην έτάχθην	form -arv	Aor. pass. ήγγέλην ήρθην άπεχτάνθην	églényv	hyépôny, éxolôny	éonápriv	ępávny Ł <u>ż</u> ápny	n the root.	Aor. pass.			עדטקעדעא	ézébyy		
Perf. Þass. Beßárrtepæ	afewquat th t to form a	Perf. pass. κεκήρυγμαι τέταγμαι	-avi and -api form -avi respectively.	Perf. þass. Hyreduau Hoµau	βέβγμμαι	έγήγερμαι χέχοιμαι	Eonaphan		al is inserted i	Perf. pass.			ervilhhar			
Perf. act. Řiλπικα ×éxpaya	σέσωχα or γ unites wi	Perf. act. xexhpuxa réraxa	λι forms λλ. -ίν, τρ, -σν, -σρ,	Perf. act. hrreðxa hpxa	Béßληxa	έγήγερχα χέχοιχα			Sometimes a sympathetic nasal is inserted in the root.	Perf. act.	ήμάρτηχα	BéByxa	pepagnya pepagnya	πέπωχα	τέτυχα	4
Aorist egárruca HAauca Expaça	(έχέχραξα) Έχραγον Έσωσα tes 7. x, χ,	Aorist exhpuça etaça	nd nasals). m -ειν, -ειρ, ·	Aorist hrreida hpa dréxteiva	EBalov	ήγειρα Εχοινα	ğonerpæ	(ἔφανα)	etimes a syr	Aorist	ที่ไม่ส่อรางจ ที่ไม่สอรอง	יוראש דו המכוו	ELZBOV	Eriov	ETUXON	1 xplwe has also stem xpr-
Fut. βαπτίσω έλπιῶ κράξω	aŵsw and sometim	Fut. ce xypúξu táξoµai	p (liquids at - uvi, -upt for	Fut. hee dryela doa ill droxreva	Bali	έγερώ χοινώ	σπερώ	pavo ülua:		Put.	duaprijaw	Bhoopar	indotativ	<i>wlouan</i>	いいの	1 white 1
Present Fut. βαπτίζω (βαπτιδ-), Ι baptize βαπτίσω έλπίζω (έλπιδ-), Ι hope έλπιώ κράζω (κραγ-), Ι ary κράξω	(ἐκέκραξα) ἐκραγον σώζω (σωδ-), I save σώσω ἕσωσα ἕσωσα σέσωσμαι ἐσώθην (2) With stems in x, χ, and sometimes γ. x, χ, or γ unites with ι to form σσ (ττ).	Present Fut. Xapússu (xypux-), I announce xypúξu zásou (zay-), I arrange záξoµæi	(3) With stems in λ, ν, ρ (liquids and nasals). λι forms λλανι and -α nd -αιρενι, -ερι, -ινι, -ιρι, -υνι, -υρι form -ειν, -ειρ, -Γν, -Γρ, respectively.	Presend Fut. drrέλλω (drred-), I announce drreλῶ atpu (dp-), I raise dpῶ droxretvu (dro-xrev-), I kill droxrevῶ	βάλλω (βαλ-), I throw	ėreipu (ėrep-), I raise up xolvu (xov-). <sup>1</sup> I iudee	σπείρω (σπερ-), I sow	gaívw (gav-), I show Xaípw (Xap-), I rejoice	b. With a suffix containing v.	Present	ėµaptávu (ėµapt-), I sin	Baives (Ba-),* I go	havbarw (hab-), I learn	πίνω (πι-), I drink	rurzávu (ruz-), I happen	Contraction of the second

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GREEK GRAMMAR BEGINNER'S 238 The verb-stem is always a labial mute  $(\pi, \beta, \varphi)$ .  $\beta$  or  $\varphi$  changes ox is added Perf. pass. Aor. pass. éðiðáx0ηv Aor. pass. exal upony έγνώσθην eupébny extrav Mp9m ETYworkan verb-stem ends in a vowel; ux is added if verb-stem ends in a consonant. Sometimes the verb-stem is reduplicated. Perf. pass. xexdluur Perf. act. (sébvyxa) ETYWXC eupyxa Perf. act. e. With the suffix 9. Only a few verbs in this division. dreed avor Aorist edi Bata ETVON' eðpov eŭpa exé luya Exopa Aorist drobavo Upat 540 TVWOOLAL eùphaw BibdEw Fut. 2. χαλύπτω (χαλυβ-), I cover χαλύψω arobyhoxas (aro-bay-), I am dying xóψω Fut. d. With the suffix an or lan. (didax-), I leach YIVWOXW (YVO-), I know With the suffix r. ebçloxus (ebp-), I find I. ärru (àq-), I fasten 3. x6mtw (x0m-), I cut Present Present ο π before τ. BLOGONW 5 ÷ ei

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SEVENTH CLASS. This group of verbs is not properly a class as the other classes. Chis class consists of verbs containing in one or more tenses a verb-stem essentially ifferent from the verb-stem of the present tense. 30.

I. Eobu (co-), I am eating

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2. ville (va-), I spin

Present	Fut.	Aorist	Perf. act.	Perf. pass.	Aor. pass.
rotos (20-), I cat	paropar	Eparrov			üq0ŋv
bpáw (bpa-), I see	120Hoftg	elõov	èùpaxa		日のこう
	120 CAR - 5		ėópaxa	1211 181	
pėxu (tpex-), I run		20 papav			
çépus (çep-), I bear	olaw	(vo-) xxy (-ov)	évhvoya		ty ty they are
Many other verks may be included in this close	ha included	in this aloce			

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31. Perfect stems that end in a mute (217) suffer euphonic changes in the perfect and luperfect middle (and passive) before the personal endings:

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A palatal mute  $(x \gamma \chi)$  before  $\mu$  becomes  $\gamma$ . A labial mute  $(\pi \beta \varphi)$  before  $\mu$  becomes  $\mu$ . .... i

A lingual mute ( $\tau$  3 0) before  $\mu$  becomes  $\sigma$ .

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A lingual mute before a lingual mute becomes  $\sigma$ . 4 10

A mute of the stem before a mute of the personal ending becomes coordinate, as \$ 5 > x = , or > x + , y = > x + , x = > x + , x + > o + , b > y + , x + > x + , y + > x + .

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	<b>Tel0</b>	жеке10	réreighai	πέπεισαι	πέπεισται	<i>astelopeda</i>	πέπεισθε	πεπεισμένοι είσί
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ect indicative middle (and passive) of	táoow	Stem reray	rérayuat	<del>rétaț</del> ai	τέταχται	τετάγμεθα	réray0e	terayuévoi eldi

BEGINNER'S GREEK GRAMMAR Likewise the same changes of the stem occur in the pluperfect, as (¿) rerpáµuny, (é) rérpaphe, rerpaulievoi haav. (έ)γέγραπτο, (έ)γεγράμμεθα, é) rérpado.

of mute stems is a eriphrastic form made up of the perfect participle and elof (perfect) or 3000 (pluperfect). (and passive) the perfect ind. middle The third person plural of

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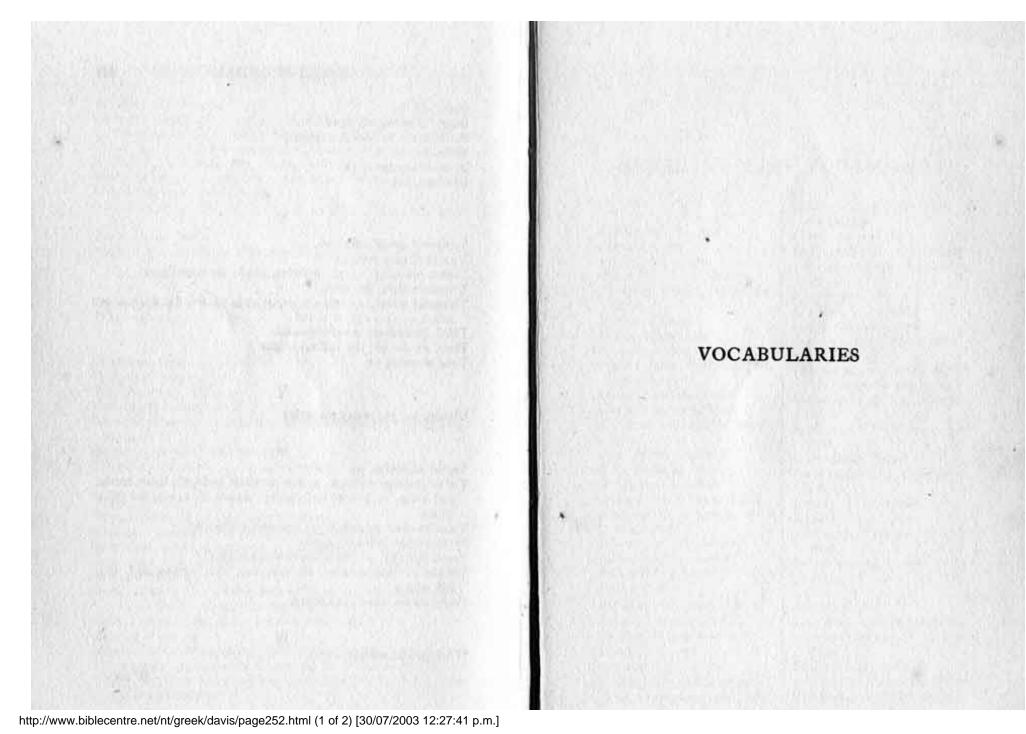
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άλλήλων, (gen. masc. plu.), of one another άλλος, -η, -0, other allotpios, -a, -ov, belonging to another (another's), strange άμαρτάνω, I sin auaptia, -ac, t, sin auny, adv., truly, verily άμπελών, -ώνος, δ, vineyard av, see page 157 dvá, prep., on, upon, along; only used with acc. in N. T. avabalvw, I go up, come up, ascend dvaβλέπω, I look up, recover sight άναγινώσχω, I read avaoraous, -ews, n, resurrection avenos, -ou, b. wind avnp, avopós, b. man avolornus, I set against, withsland άνθρωπος, -ου, ό, man avlornut, I raise up, rise. arise avolyw, I open dyri, prep., with gen., opposite, against; instead of, in place of, for avw, adv., up, above άνωθεν, adv., from above, again äξιος, -a, -ov, fitting, worthy

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άπαγγέλλω, I announce, dedare άπαρνέομαι, I deny ärac, ärasa, ärav, all, altogether άπέρχομαι, I go away antyw, I keep off, have in full (of receipts); midd., I keep myself from, abstain and, prep., from off, used only with the abl. in the N. T. anoblowut, I give up, give back, restore; pay; midd., sell άποθνήσχω, I die droxplyouat, I answer anourelyw, I kill, slay anolow, I release anortélie. I send forth απόστολος, -ου, δ, apostle anto, I fasten to; midd., antouan, I touch dovéouar, I deny apri, adv., now, just now, this moment aptos, -ou, à, bread doxn, -nç, n, beginning doxiepeús, - éws, b, chief priest apyopar, I begin άρχων, -οντος, à, ruler, prince dobévera, -ac, n, weakness dobevis, -és, weak, sick auptor, adv., lomorrow autos, -h, -b, self, very, same; he, she, it apeous, -ews, n, remission, forgiveness doingut, I send away, forgive, leave, let aplornus, I put away, depart from žeowy, -oy, foolish

### В

βαίνω, I go βάλλω, I throw, cast βαπτίζω, I baptize βασιλεία, -ας, ή, kingdom βασιλεύς, -έως, δ, king βασιλεύω, I am king, I reign βιβλίον, -ου, τό, book, a written document βίος, -ου, δ, life, manner of life βλέπω, I see, look at, behold βούλομαι, I will, wish

#### Г

Yauos, -ou, b, marriage yáp, coördinating conj., for. yé, enclitic, postpositive particle giving especial prominence to a word, indeed, at last YEVVaw, I beget Yévoç, -ouç, tó, race, kind Yn, Yns, n, earth ylyouar, I become, be γινώσχω, I know YLWOOD, -ns, n, longue YVWGIG. -EWG, n, knowledge γόνυ, -νατος, τό, knee γράμμα, -ατος, τό, letter (of alphabet), writing γραμματεύς, -έως, δ, scribe, town-clerk γραφή, -ης, ή, writing, scripture Ypápu, I write yuvh, -vaixós, h, woman, wife δαιμόνιον, -ου, τό, demon, evil-

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**čé**, copulative and adversative (milder than alla' conj., postpositive, in the next place, and; but, on the other hand det. it is necessary deútepos, -a, -ov, second did, prep., with gen., through, by; with acc., because of, on account of, for the sake of διάβολος, -ou, à, devil διαθήχη, -ης, ή, covenant, lestament διακονέω, I serve, minister dianovía, -aç, h, service, ministry διάχονος, -ou, o, servant, minister, deacon dialoyicopai, I reason with, discuss, consider diavoia, -ac, n, mind, understanding διδάσχαλος, -ou, à, teacher > διδάσχω, I leach didupt, I give, deliver διέρχομαι, I go through Stratos, -a, -ov, righteous. διxatooúvy, -ns, n, righteousness\_ dixatów, I declare righteous, justify διψάω, I thirst διώπω, I follow after, pursue, persecute doxéw, I think, suppose; doxei, it seems good obea, -nc, n, glory δοξάζω, I glorify δουλεύω, I am a servant, I serve doulog, -ou, à, servant

δύναμαι, I am able, can δύναμις, -εως, ή, power δυνατός, -ή, -όν, able δύο, two δώδεχα, twelve δῶρον, -ου, τό, gift

eay, conditional particle, if  $\dot{\epsilon}\dot{\alpha}$ y  $\mu\dot{\eta}$ , with a substantive = except, unless έαυτοῦ, -ής, -οῦ, (rarely αύτοῦ, -ῆς, -οῦ), reflexive, himself, herself, itself έβαλον, I threw, cast; sec. aor. of βάλλω. εβην, I went; μι- aorist of Balvw. eyevouny, I became; sec. aor. of rivouar. έγνων, I knew; μι- aorist of γινώσχω. έγράφην, sec. aor. passive of γράφω. errús, adv., near erelpw, I raise up έγώ, Ι Edvoc, -ous, to, race, nation EBOG, -OUG, TO, custom el, conditional particle, if el  $\mu\eta$ , with a substantive = except, unless eldov. I saw; sec. aor.; opdu used in present elul, I am elnov, elna, I said; sec. aor.; λέγω used in present elphyn, -nc. n. peace elc, prep., into, used only with the acc. elç, µla, ëv, one

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elodyw, I bring in elgépyouat I enter tx (t5), prep., out, out of, from within, used only with the abl. έxβάλλω, I throw out, cast out exsi, adv., there έκείνος, -η, -o, demons. pron., that (one) exxindia, -ac, n, assembly, church expopedoual. I go out extelve. I stretch out ELaboy. I took; sec. aor. of λαμβάνω. Eleog, -oug, to, pily, mercy έλεύθερος, -α. -ov, free EXTILW. I hope erals, -loos, n. hope ELITOV, I left; sec. aor. of letzw. έμαυτοῦ, -ῆς, reflexive pron., myself Eußalvw, I go into, embark έμός, -ή, όν, poss. pron., my, mine ev, prep., in; used only with the loc. έντολή, -ής, ή, commandment ένώπιον, prep. with gen., before, in the presence of έξέρχομαι, I go out; sec. aor. έξηλθον. Ecertiv, it is lawful, is possible efformut, I am amazed, am beside myself ecousia, -ac, h, authority, power EEw, adv., without, outside; used with abl., without, outside

topth, -ns, n, feast έπαγγελία, -ας, ή, promise έπαύριον, adv., on the morrow έπερωτάω, I question, ask (a question) έπιγινώσχω, I recognize, discover éntôlôwut, I give over  $i\pi i\theta u \mu la, -\alpha \varsigma, \eta, desire$ έπιθυμέω. I desire έπιμένω, I remain, abide éntriônque, I lay upon, place ubon epyasia, -ac, n, work, business Epyov, -ou, to, work Epypos, -ou, n, wilderness, desert Epyouat, I go, come έρωτάω, I ask (question) έσθίω, I eat; έφαγον, I ate Egyatos, -n, -ov, last Egyov, I gol; sec. aor. of έχω. έτερος, -α, -ov, another έτος, -ους, τό, year EU, adv., well EbayyEllouar, I proclaim glad tidings (preach the gospel) eúbéwc, adv., straightway, at once edploxw, I find eboov. I found; sec. aor. of εύρίσχω. έφαγον, I ate; sec. aor.; ἐσθίω used in present 'Eqéctor, -a, -ov, Ephesian eolornue, I stand upon or by, come upon ξφυγον, sec. aor. of φεύγω. Eyw. I have, hold, get

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# Z ζάω, I live ζηλόω, I am jealous, desire eagerly ζητέω, I seek ζωή, -ῆς, ἡ, life

# H

ή, conj., or
ήγεμών, -όνος, δ, leader, governor
ήδειν, old pluperf. (with pres. meaning) of olda.
ήλθον, I went, came; sec. aor.; έρχομαι used in present
ήλιος, -ου, δ, sun
ήμέρα, -ας, ή, day
ήμέτερος, -α, -ον, poss. pron., our

### Θ

θάλασσα, -ης, ή, sea Odvaros, -ou, b, death bavarow, I put to death bauualw, I wonder, marvel bedouar, I behold, see, look at θέλημα, -ατος, τό, will θέλω, I wish, will 0265, -00, 0, God θεραπεύω, I heal, doctor Bewpéw, I look at, gaze, see Orlivic, -ews, n, tribulation, distress OplE, Toryos, n. hair Opóvos, -ou, ò, throne Buyarno, -tobs, n, daughter I laoyar, I heal Toway, -a, -ov, one's own

lερόν, -οῦ, τό, temple lερεύς, -έως, δ, priest lημι, I send lνα, conj. generally with subjunctive, in order that, that lμάτιον, -ου, τό, garment lστημι, I make to stand, place, stand lσχυρός, -ά, -όν, strong

# K

xabaption, I purify xallornue, I set down, appoint xal, conj., and; also; even; xal ... xal, both ... and xax65, -h, -6v, evil, bad χαλέω, I call xalos, -n. -ov, good, beautiful xalus, adv., well, finely xapola, -as, n. heart xaprós, -oú, à, fruit xata, prep., with gen., down (upon), against; with abl., down (from); with acc., down (along), through, according to xataβaivw, I am going down xatalów. I destroy xareoblw. I cat up xeiµai, I lie (am laid) xepath, -nc. n. head xn pússow, I announce, proclaim xotvóc, -ń, -óv, common, unclean xowów, I make common, unclean xonto, I beat, strike xóquoc. -ou. b. world xpábarros, -ou, ò, pallet, bed xpáčw, I cry out xplua, -atos, to, judgment

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xρίνω, I judge xρίσις, -εως, η, judgment xρύπτω, I hide xτίσις, -εως, η, creation xυριεύω, I am lord of, rule (over) with gen. xύριος, -ου, δ, Lord xύων, xυνός, δ, dog xωλύω, I hinder xώμη, -ης, η, village

#### Λ

λαλέω, I speak λαμβάνω, I take, receive; sec. aor., ἕλαβον. λαός, -οῦ, δ, people λέγω, I say, speak λείπω, I leave, abandon; sec. aor., ἕλιπον. ληστής, -οῦ, δ, robber λίθος, -ου, δ, stone λίψ, λιβός, δ, the S. W. wind λόγος, -ου, δ, word λούω, I wash λυπέω, I grieve λύω, I loose

# M

μαθητής, -οῦ, δ, disciple μαχάριος, -α, -ον, happy, blessed μαλλον, adv., more, rather μανθάνω, I learn; sec. aor., ἕμαθον. μαρτυρέω, I bear witness, testify μάστιξ, -ιγος, ἡ, whip, scourge, plague μάχαιρα, -ας, ἡ, sword μέγας, μεγάλη, μέγα, great

µéhet, it concerns, is a care, with dat. uéllo, I am about (or going) to do something μέλος, -ους, τό, member uévo. I remain μέρος, -ους, τό, part uera, prep., with gen., with; with acc., after; µετά ταῦτα, after these things, after this μεταβαίνω, I pass over. depart μετανοέω, I repent un, not μηδείς, μηδεμία, μηδέν, πο one, nothing μήτε . . . μήτε, neither . . . TOT untrop, -toos, n. mother µexpos, -a, -by, small, little μισέω, I hate μισθός, -oū, δ, pay, wages, reward μνα, μνας, ή, mina (a weight and a sum of money) urgueiov, -ou, to, sepulchre. tomb μνημονεύω, I remember, with gen. μονογενής, -ές, only begotten µovoy, adv., only µóvos, -n. -ov, only, alone μυστήριον, -ου, τό, mystery

## N

ναός, -οῦ, ὁ, temple νεανίας, -ου, ὁ, youth νεχρός, -ά, -όν, dead νέος, -α, -ον, young, new νεφέλη, -ης, ἡ, cloud

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νεωχόρος, -ου, δ or ἡ, templekeeper νηστεύω, I fast νιχάω, I conquer νίπτω, I wash νομίζω, I think, suppose νόμος, -ου, δ, law νῦν, adv., now νύξ, νυχτός, ἡ, night

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b. h. to, the definite article the 6865, -00, 1, way, road olda, I know olxia, -ac, h, house olxodoutéw, I build olxog, -ou, b, house olvos, -ou, b, wine ohlyog, -n, -ov, few, little, small δλος, -η, -ov, whole buotow, I make like δμολογέω, I agree with, confess δνομα, -ατος, τό, name δπου, rel. adv., where ontopat, I see δράω, I see; fut., δψομαι; sec. aor., eldoy öc, ŋ, ö, rel. pron., who, which, that, what ooric, hric, ori, indef. rel. pron., who, which, that, what örav, rel. temporal adv. used with the subj. and ind., whenever, when öre, rel. temporal adv. used with the ind., when ört, conj., because, that où, not; oùx before vowels; oùx before rough breathing où un, see page 173

ούδείς, ούδεμία, ούδέν, no one (nobody), nothing ούπέτι, no longer, no more ούρανός, -οῦ, δ, heaven οῦς, ὠτός, τό, ear οῦτε...οῦτε, neither...nor οῦτος, αῦτη, τοῦτο, demons. pron., this (one) ὀφείλω, I owe, ought; sec. aor. without augment, ὄφελον ὀφθαλμός, -οῦ, δ, eye δχλος, -ου, δ, crowd ὄψομαι, fut. midd., I shall see; ᠔ράω used in present

### п

παιδίον, -ou, τό, little child  $\pi \alpha \lambda \alpha \iota \delta \varsigma$ ,  $- \dot{\alpha}$ ,  $- \delta v$ , old, ancient πάλιν, adv., again παρά, prep., with the loc., by or at (the side of); with the abl., from (the side of); with the acc., along (side of)  $\pi \alpha \rho \alpha \beta o \lambda \eta$ ,  $-\eta \varsigma$ ,  $\eta$ , parable παραδίδωμι, I give over (to another), deliver up, betray παραχαλέω, I beseech, exhort, encourage παράχλησις, -εως, ή, exhortation παραλαμβάνω, I take, receive; sec. aor., παρέλαβον παρατίθημι, I set before, commit παρέχω, I provide, supply παρίστημι, I place beside, stand by παρουσία, -as, ή, coming, presence πάς, πάσα, πάν, all, every

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 $\pi \alpha \sigma \chi \alpha$ , (indeclinable),  $\tau \delta$ , the Passover πάσχω, I suffer; sec. aor., ξπαθογ πατήρ, -τρός, δ, father παύω, I stop; midd., παύομαι, I cease Telow. I persuade πεινάω, I hunger, am hungry πειράζω, I test, tempt πέμπω, I send πepl, prep., with gen., about, concerning; with abl., from around; with acc., round about, about, concerning περιάγω, I go about, carry about περιπατέω, I walk, live περισσός. -ή. -όν, abundant πιστεύω, I believe  $\pi i \sigma \tau \iota \varsigma$ , - $\varepsilon \omega \varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\eta}$ , faith πιστός, -ή, -όν, faithful πλανάω, I cause to wander (to err), lead astray πλήθος, -ους, τό, crowd, multitude πληρόω, I make full, fill πλησίον, adv., near; & πλησίον, neighbor πλοίον, -ου, τό, boat  $\pi\lambda o \dot{\sigma} to \varsigma, -\alpha, -ov, rich$ πνεύμα, -ατος, τό, spirit πόθεν, interrog. adv., whence ποιέω, I do, make rouny, -évoc, à, shepherd πόλις, -εως, ή, city  $\pi o \lambda 0$ , adv., much πολύς, πολλή, πολύ, much, many πονηρός, -ά, -όν, evil πορεύομαι, I go, proceed ποτήριον, -ου, τό, εμβ

ποῦ, interrog. adv., where πούς. ποδός. δ. foot πρεσβύτερος, -ου, δ, elder πρίν (ή), before; see page 100  $\pi p \delta$ , prep. with abl., before προάγω, I lead forth, go before πρόβατον, -ου, τό, sheep πρός, prep., with loc., near, by; with acc., lowards, to; with abl. (once), "from the point of view of" προσέρχομαι, I go to, come to προσευχή, -ής, ή, prayer προστίθημι. I add, give in addition πρόσωπον, -ου, τό, face προφητεύω. Ι prophesy προφήτης, -ου, δ, prophet πρώτος, -η, -ov, first πώποτε, adv., ever yet πώς, adv., how

## P

όημα, -ατος, τό, word

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Σ

σάββατον, -ου, τό, Sabbath σαλεύω, I shake σάλπιγξ, -ιγγος, ή, trumpet σάρξ, σαρχός, ή, flesh σεαυτοῦ, -ῆς, reflexive, thyself σημεῖον, -ου, τό, sign σήμερον, adv., to-day, this day σιγάω, I am silent, keep silence σιωτάω, I am silent, keep silence σχανδαλίζω, I cause to stumble, offend σχηνόω, I dwell (as in a tent)

# σοφία, -ας, ή, wisdom τέταρτος, -η, -ον, fou σοφός, -ή, -όν, wise τηρέω, Ι keep

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σπείρω, Ι sow σπέρμα, -ατος, τό, seed σταυρός, -οῦ, δ, cross σταυρόω, I crucify στέλλω, I send oteválu, I groan στόμα, -ατος, τό, mouth στρέφω, I turn, change où, thou (you) dúy, prep., with, used only with the instrumental συνάγω, I gather together συναγωγή, -ής, ή, synagogue συνεσθίω, I eat with (someone) ouvinus, I perceive ouvlornue, I commend, establish σύρω, I drag, draw σώζω, I save σώμα, -ατος, τό, body σωτήρ, -ήρος, δ, Saviour owrypla, -ac, n, salvation σώφρων, -ov, of sound mind, sober-minded

oxorow, -oxos, & stake, thorn

σός, σή, σόν, poss. pron., thy,

oxorla, -as, i, darkness

thine

oxóroc, -ouc, tó, darkness

# Т

ταπεινόω, I make low, humble ταχέως, adv., quickly ταχ ό, adv., quickly τè... xal, both ... and τέχνον, -ου, τό, child τέλειος, -α, -ον, finished, complete τελειόω, I end, complete, fulfill

τελευτάω, (I finish), I die reléw, I finish, end, complete τέλος, -ους, τό, end τέσσαρες, τέσσαρα, four réraptos, -n, -ov, fourth rionus, I place, lay, put down TULÁW. I honor τίς, τί, interrog. pron., who, which, what TIS, TI, indef. pron., one, a certain one, a certain thing; some one, something τολμάω, I dare τόπος, -ou, à, place tote, adv., then τούτο, see ούτος TREIG. TOLA. three Tpltos, -n, -ov, third τυφλός, -ή, -όν, blind ruphow, I make blind, blind

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# r

bying, -eg, whole, healthy υδωρ, υδατος, τό, water ulóc, -oū, ò, son υμέτερος, -α, -ον, poss. pron., your ὑπάγω, I go away, depart oxép, prep., with abl., in behalf of, in the interest of: instead of; in place of; for the sake of; about, concerning; with acc., over, above, bevond ὑπό, prep., with abl., by; with acc., under ὑποχριτής, -οῦ, ὁ, pretender, hypocrite

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φαίνω, I shine, appear φανερός, -ά, -όν, manifest φανερόω, I make manifest φέρω, I bear, carry φεύγω, I flee, take flight; sec. aor., ἕφυγον φιλέω, I love φίλος, -ου, δ, friend φοβέομαι, I am afraid, I fear φύβος, -ου, δ, fear φυλάσσω, I guard, keep φωνέω, I call, speak aloud φωνή, -ής, ή, voice φῶς, φωτός, τό, light

Φ

# х

χαίρω, Ι rejoice χαρά, -āς, ἡ, joy χάρις, -ιτος, ἡ, grace χάρισμα, -ατος, τό, gift, free gift

 $\chi \epsilon l \rho$ ,  $\chi \epsilon \iota \rho \delta \varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\eta}$ , hand  $\chi \rho \epsilon l \alpha$ ,  $-\alpha \varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\eta}$ , need  $\chi \rho \circ v l \zeta \omega$ , I spend time, tarry  $\chi \rho \delta v \circ \varsigma$ ,  $-\omega v$ ,  $\delta$ , time

# Ψ

ψεύστης, -ου, δ, liar ψυχή, -ης, ή, soul

# Ω

ώδε, adv., here, hither ὥρα, -ας, ἡ, hour ὡς, rel., comp., and temporal adv., as, when ὥστε, consecutive particle, so that ὥστε, inferential conj., and so, therefore

### Abide, μένω, έπιμένω After these things, μετά ταῦτα Am, είμὶ Am able, δύναμαι Am about (to do something). μέλλω And, xαί Angel, ἄγγελος All, πᾶς, ὅλος Announce, xηρύσσω Answer, ἀποχρίνομαι Apostle, ἀπόστολος Appoint, xαθίστημι Ask (a question), ἐρωτάω

### B

Bad, χαχός Baptize, βαπτίζω Bear witness, μαρτυρέω Because (conj.), ὅτι Become, γίνομαι Before, πρό with abl. Beget, γεννάω Beginning, ἀρχή Behold, βλέπω Believe, πιστεύω Blind (adj.), τυφλός Blind (verb), τυφλόω Boat, πλοῖον Bread, ἄρτος Brother, ἀδελφός

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### A

But, dλλά Buy, dγοράζω By (denoting agent), ὑπό with abl.

Call, xaléw Came to pass, evévero Care, it is a, uélet Cast out, έχβάλλω Cease, παύομαι Certain (indef.), TIS, TI Child, téxyoy; little child, παιδίον Christ, Xptor65 Church, exx Angla Come, Epyouar Commandment, έντολή Commend, συνίστημι Concerning, πapl with gen. Covenant, διαθήχη Crowd, by los Crucify, σταυρόω

## D

Darkness, σχοτία, σχότος Daughter, θυγάτηρ Day, ἡμέρα Dead, νεχρός Defile, χοινόω Demon, δαιμόνιον Depart, ἀπέρχομαι Destroy, χαταλόω

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Devil, διάβολος Die, άποθνήσχω Disciple, μαθητής Do, ποιέω

### E

Eat, έσθίω Eat up, κατεσθίω Enter, είσέρχομαι Eternal, αἰώνιος Every, πᾶς Evil, κακός Eye, όφθαλμός

## F

Face, πρόσωπον Faith, TIOTIC Faithful, xloros Father, πατήρ Fear, φοβέομαι Find, εύρίσχω First, TOWTOG Follow, αχολουθέω Foot, Toús For (conj.), Yáp Forever, els toy alava, els τούς αίώνας Forgive, dolnut Friend, of los From, and with abl., napá with abl. Fulfill, πληρόω

### G

Garment, Ιμάτιον Give, δίδωμι Glorify, δοξάζω Glory, δόξα Go, βαίνω, ἕρχομαι Go away, ἀπέρχομαι Go to, προσέρχομαι God, Θεός Good, ἀγαθός, καλός Gospel, εὐαγγέλιον Grace, χάρις Great, μέγας Guard, φυλάσσω

## H

Hand, ysip Hate, μισέω Have, Eyw He (in the oblique cases), abroc He himself (intensive), autoc Heal, θεραπεύω Hear, αχούω Heart, xapola Heaven, oupavós Himself, herself (reflexive), έαυτου, έαυτής Holy, aytos Ηορε, έλπίς Hope (verb), έλπίζω Hour, woa House, olxoç, olxla How, Twis

## В

I

I, ἐγώ
If, εἰ with the ind., ἐἀν with the subj.
In, ἐν with loc.
In order that, ἕνα with subj.
Into, εἰς with acc.
It (in oblique cases), αὐτό
It itself (intensive), αὐτό
Itself (reflexive), ἐαυτοῦ

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### J

Joy, χαρά Judge, χρίνω Judgment, χρίσις Justify, διχαιόω

# ĸ

Keep, τηρέω Kill, άποκτείνω King, βασιλεύς Kingdom, βασιλεία Know, γινώσκω, οίδα

### L

Last, ἕσχατος Law, νόμος Lawful, is, ἕξεστι Lay, τίθημι Lay down, τίθημι Lead, ἄγω Life, ζωή Light, φῶς Look, βλέπω Look up, ἀναβλέπω Look up, ἀναβλέπω Love, ἀγάπη Love (verb), ἀγαπάω

## M

Make, ποιέω Man, ἄνθρωπος Manifest, make, φανερόω Many, πολύς Marvel, θαυμάζω Master, πύριος Mercy, ἕλεος Month, στόμα Mother, μήτηρ Multitude, πλήθος Myself (*reflexive*, *in oblique* cases), έμαυτοῦ, -ῆς. Mystery, μυστήριον

## N

Name, ὄνομα Nation, ἕθνος Necessary, is, δεῖ New, xαινός, νέος Night, νύξ No one, οὐδείς Not, οὐ, οὐx, οὖχ; μή with subj., inf., and partic. Nothing, οὐδέν Now, νῦν

### 0

Obtain, ξχω On, έν with loc., έπί with loc. One another, ἀλλήλων Only begotten, μονογενής Other, ἄλλος Out of, έx with abl.

### P

Parable, παραβολή Part, μέρος Paul, Παῦλος Peace, εἰρήνη People, λαός Persuade, πείθω Place, τόπος Place upon, ἐπιτίθημι Power (authority), ἐξουσία Power, δύναμις Preach, χηρύσσω, εὐαγγελίζω

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Priest, ἰερεύς Proclaim, κηρύσσω Promise, ἐπαγγελία Prophet, προφήτης Pursue, διώχω

Q

Quickly, ταχέως, τάχα

- R
- Raise, έγείρω Rather, μάλλον Receive, λαμβάνω Remain, μένω Righteous, δίκαιος Righteousness, δικαιοσύνη Ruler, άρχων

S

Sabbath, oaßbaroy Salute, donaLouar Same, autos with the article Sanctify, aytaLw Save, σώζω Saviour, owthp Scribe, ypauuateus Scripture, ypaph Sea, θάλασσα See, βλέπω Seed, σπέρμα Seek, ζητέω Send, πέμπω, στέλλω Send forth, arostélla Servant, δούλος Serve, διαχονέω, δουλεύω Shake, σαλεύω She (in the oblique cases), autos Two, dúo

She herself (intensive), αὐτός Sheep, πρόβατον Shepherd, ποιμήν Sin, ἀμαρτία So that, ὥστε Son, υἰός : Soul, ψυχή Sow, σπείρω Speak, λέγω, λαλέω Spirit, πνεῦμα Stand, ἴστημι Stone, λίθος Strong, ἰσχυρός Sword, μάχαιρα Synagogue, συναγωγή

т

Take, λαμβάνω Take away, alow, analow Take up, alow Teach, διδάσχω Teacher, διδάσχαλος Temple, lepóy Testament, διαθήχη Than, ŋ That, excivos The, 6, 1, 16 Thief, Anornic Third, toftos This, ούτος, αύτη, τούτο Thou, σύ Throne, 0p6voc Through, dia with genitive Throw, Barrow, Thyself (reflexive), σεαυτού, -ńs Touch, antouat Tribulation, 0λiψις Truth, almeea

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# U

Under, onto with acc.

V Village, χώμη Voice, φωνή

## W

Walk, περιπατέω Wash, λούω, νίπτω Way, δδός We, ήμεῖς Well, χαλῶς, εδ What, see Who When, δταν, δτε Where, ποῦ Who, which, that, what (relative),  $\delta\varsigma$ ,  $\ddot{\eta}$ ,  $\ddot{\delta}$ Who, which, what? (interrog.),  $\tau i\varsigma$ ,  $\tau i$ Whole,  $\delta\lambda \varsigma\varsigma$ Why,  $\tau i$ Will,  $\theta \epsilon \lambda \eta \mu \alpha$ Wisdom,  $\sigma \sigma \rho i \alpha$ Wisdom,  $\sigma \sigma \rho i \alpha$ Word,  $\lambda \delta \gamma \varsigma\varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\rho} \eta \mu \alpha$ Word,  $\lambda \delta \gamma \varsigma\varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\rho} \eta \mu \alpha$ Word,  $\chi \delta \sigma \varsigma \varsigma$ ,  $\dot{\rho} \eta \mu \alpha$ World,  $\chi \delta \sigma \mu \varsigma\varsigma$ Worthy,  $\ddot{\alpha} \xi i \varsigma \varsigma$ Write,  $\gamma \rho \dot{\alpha} \phi \omega$ 

#### Y

You (sing.), σύ You (plu.), ὑμεῖς

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