

Paul's Letter to the Romans

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1 Paul ¹ a servant of Jesus Christ, ¹ called to be an apostle for the Good News of God, ² which he promised through his prophets in the Scriptures, ³ concerning his Son, who was born of the David according to the flesh, ⁴ who was declared to be of God with power according to the holiness of resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord, ⁵ through whom grace for his obedience of faith among the nations for his name's sake; ⁶ among whom you are also called to Jesus Christ; ⁷ to all who in Rome, beloved of God, called to be

¹ + 1:1 "Christ" means "Anointed One".

² + 1:3 or, seed

Grace|strong = "G5485" to|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G5210"
 and|strong = "G2532" peace|strong = "G1515" from|strong = "G0575"
 God|strong = "G2316" our|strong = "G2316" Father|strong = "G3962"
 and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3956" Lord|strong = "G2962"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547".

8First|strong = "G4413", I|strong = "G1473" thank|strong = "G2168"
 my|strong = "G3956" God|strong = "G2316" through|strong = "G1223"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547" for|strong = "G3754"
 all|strong = "G3956" of|strong = "G1223" you|strong = "G5210",
 that|strong = "G3754" your|strong = "G3650" faith|strong = "G4102"
 is|strong = "G2316" proclaimed|strong = "G2605"
 throughout|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3956" whole|strong = "G3650"
 world|strong = "G2889". ⁹ For|strong = "G1063" God|strong = "G2316"
 is|strong = "G1510" my|strong = "G1722" witness|strong = "G3144",
 whom|strong = "G3739" I|strong = "G1473" serve|strong = "G3000"
 in|strong = "G1722" my|strong = "G1722" spirit|strong = "G4151"
 in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Good|strong = "G1510"
 News|strong = "G2098" of|strong = "G5207" his|strong = "G0846"
 Son|strong = "G5207", how|strong = "G5613" unceasingly|strong = "G0089"
 I|strong = "G1473" make|strong = "G4160" mention|strong = "G3417"
 of|strong = "G5207" you|strong = "G5210" always in|strong = "G1722"
 my|strong = "G1722" prayers, ¹⁰ requesting, if|strong = "G1487"
 by|strong = "G1722" any|strong = "G1909" means|strong = "G1722"
 now|strong = "G2235" at|strong = "G1722" last|strong = "G4218"
 I|strong = "G1473" may|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G2316" prospered
 by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" will|strong = "G2307"
 of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316" to|strong = "G4314"
 come|strong = "G2064" to|strong = "G4314" you|strong = "G5210". ¹¹
 For|strong = "G1063" I|strong = "G2443" long|strong = "G1971"
 to|strong = "G1519" see|strong = "G3708" you|strong = "G5210",
 that|strong = "G2443" I|strong = "G2443" may|strong = "G2443"
 impart|strong = "G3330" to|strong = "G1519" you|strong = "G5210"
 some|strong = "G5100" spiritual|strong = "G4152" gift|strong = "G5486",
 to|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G3588" end|strong = "G1519"
 that|strong = "G2443" you|strong = "G5210" may|strong = "G2443"
 be|strong = "G5100" established|strong = "G4741"; ¹² that|strong = "G3778"
 is|strong = "G1510", that|strong = "G3778" I|strong = "G1473"
 with|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5210" may|strong = "G2532"
 be|strong = "G1510" encouraged|strong = "G4837" in|strong = "G1722"
 you|strong = "G5210", each|strong = "G0240" of|strong = "G1223"
 us|strong = "G1722" by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
 other's|strong = "G0240" faith|strong = "G4102", both|strong = "G5037"
 yours|strong = "G4771" and|strong = "G2532" mine|strong = "G1473".

13 Now I don't desire to have you that planned to come to you (and was far might fruit also among of I I to the to So is I to Good you are

1161" I" don't" 2532" have" 3756" 2309" to" 4314" have" 2192" 5210" unaware" 0050", brothers" 0080", 3754" I" 2532" often" 4178" 4388" to" 4314" come" 2064" 4314" you" 5210" (and" 2532" was" 3588" hindered" 2967" so" 2443" far" 0891"), that" 3754" I" 2532" might" 2532" have" 2192" some" 5100" fruit" 2590" among" 1722" you" 5210" also" 2532", even" 2532" as" 2531" among" 1722" the" 3588" rest" 3062" of" 5100" the" 3588" Gentiles" 1484". ¹⁴ I" 2532" am" 1510" debtor both" 5037" to" 2532" Greeks" 1672" and" 2532" to" 2532" foreigners, both" 5037" to" 2532" the" 2532" wise" 4680" and" 2532" to" 2532" the" 2532" foolish" 0453". ¹⁵ So" 2532" as" 1722" much as" 1722" is" 3588" in" 1722" me" 1473", I" 1473" am" 1473" eager" 4289" to" 2596" preach" 2097" the" 3588" Good" 2097" News" 2097" to" 2596" you" 5210" also" 2532" who" 3588" are" 3588" in" 1722" Rome" 4516".

16 For I am not the of Christ, because it is of God for salvation who the and the in revealed righteousness faith As written righteous

1063" I" 2532" am" 1510" not" 3756" ashamed" 1870" of" 2316" the" 3956" Good" 1510" News" 2098" of" 2316" Christ, because" 1063" it" 1510" is" 1510" the" 3956" power" 1411" of" 2316" God" 2316" for" 1063" salvation" 4991" for" 1063" everyone" 3956" who" 3588" believes" 4100", for" 1063" the" 3956" Jew" 2453" first" 4413", and" 2532" also" 2532" for" 1063" the" 3956" Greek" 1672". ¹⁷ For" 1063" in" 1722" it" 0846" is" 2316" revealed" 0601" God's" 2316" righteousness" 1343" from" 1537" faith" 4102" to" 1519" faith" 4102". As" 2531" it" 0846" is" 2316" written" 1125", "But" 1161" the" 3588" righteous" 1342" shall" 1342" live" 2198"

by|strong = "G1722" faith|strong = "G4102".³

18For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3956" wrath|strong = "G3709"
of|strong = "G0575" God|strong = "G2316" is|strong = "G2316"
revealed|strong = "G0601" from|strong = "G0575" heaven|strong = "G3772"
against|strong = "G1909" all|strong = "G3956" ungodliness|strong = "G0763"
and|strong = "G2532" unrighteousness|strong = "G0093" of|strong = "G0575"
men|strong = "G0444" who|strong = "G3588" suppress|strong = "G2722"
the|strong = "G3956" truth|strong = "G0225" in|strong = "G1722"
unrighteousness|strong = "G0093", ¹⁹ because|strong = "G1063"
that|strong = "G0846" which|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G1510"
known|strong = "G1110" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316"
is|strong = "G1510" revealed|strong = "G5319" in|strong = "G1722"
them|strong = "G0846", for|strong = "G1063" God|strong = "G2316"
revealed|strong = "G5319" it|strong = "G0846" to|strong = "G1722"
them|strong = "G0846". ²⁰ For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3588"
invisible|strong = "G0517" things|strong = "G0846" of|strong = "G0575"
him|strong = "G0846" since|strong = "G0575" the|strong = "G3588"
creation|strong = "G2937" of|strong = "G0575" the|strong = "G3588"
world|strong = "G2889" are|strong = "G1510" clearly|strong = "G2529"
seen|strong = "G2529", being|strong = "G1510" perceived
through|strong = "G3539" the|strong = "G3588" things|strong = "G0846"
that|strong = "G0846" are|strong = "G1510" made|strong = "G4161",
even|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G0846" everlasting
power|strong = "G1411" and|strong = "G2532" divinity,
that|strong = "G0846" they|strong = "G0846" may|strong = "G2532"
be|strong = "G1510" without|strong = "G2532" excuse|strong = "G0379". ²¹
Because|strong = "G1360" knowing|strong = "G1097" God|strong = "G2316",
they|strong = "G0846" didn't|strong = "G3756" glorify|strong = "G1392"
him|strong = "G0846" as|strong = "G5613" God|strong = "G2316",
and|strong = "G2532" didn't|strong = "G3756" give|strong = "G2168"
thanks|strong = "G2168", but|strong = "G0235" became|strong = "G3154"
vain in|strong = "G1722" their|strong = "G0846" reasoning,
and|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G0846" senseless|strong = "G0801"
heart|strong = "G2588" was|strong = "G3588" darkened|strong = "G4654".

22Professing|strong = "G5335" themselves|strong = "G1510"
to|strong = "G1510" be|strong = "G1510" wise|strong = "G4680",
they|strong = "G1510" became|strong = "G3471" fools|strong = "G3471", ²³
and|strong = "G2532" traded the|strong = "G3588" glory|strong = "G1391"
of|strong = "G2316" the|strong = "G3588" incorruptible
God|strong = "G2316" for|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
likeness|strong = "G3667" of|strong = "G2316" an|strong = "G2532"
image|strong = "G1504" of|strong = "G2316" corruptible|strong = "G5349"

³+ 1:17 Habakkuk 2:4

man|strong="G0444", and|strong="G2532" of|strong="G2316"
 birds|strong="G4071", four-footed|strong="G5074"
 animals|strong="G5074", and|strong="G2532" creeping
 things|strong="G3588". ²⁴ Therefore|strong="G1352"
 God|strong="G2316" also|strong="G0846" gave|strong="G3860"
 them|strong="G0846" up|strong="G1519" in|strong="G1722"
 the|strong="G3588" lusts|strong="G1939" of|strong="G2316"
 their|strong="G0846" hearts|strong="G2588" to|strong="G1519"
 uncleanness|strong="G0167", that|strong="G0846" their|strong="G0846"
 bodies|strong="G4983" should|strong="G2316" be|strong="G2316"
 dishonored|strong="G0818" among|strong="G1722"
 themselves|strong="G1438"; ²⁵ who|strong="G3739"
 exchanged|strong="G3337" the|strong="G3588" truth|strong="G0225"
 of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316" for|strong="G1519"
 a|strong="G1510" lie|strong="G5579", and|strong="G2532"
 worshiped|strong="G4573" and|strong="G2532" served|strong="G3000"
 the|strong="G3588" creature|strong="G2937" rather|strong="G3844"
 than|strong="G3844" the|strong="G3588" Creator|strong="G2936",
 who|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510" blessed|strong="G2128"
 forever|strong="G0165". Amen|strong="G0281".

²⁶For|strong="G1063" this|strong="G3778" reason|strong="G1223",
 God|strong="G2316" gave|strong="G3860" them|strong="G0846"
 up|strong="G1519" to|strong="G1519" vile passions|strong="G3806".
 For|strong="G1063" their|strong="G0846" women|strong="G0846"
 changed the|strong="G3588" natural|strong="G5446"
 function|strong="G5540" into|strong="G1519" that|strong="G3778"
 which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G2316" against|strong="G1519"
 nature|strong="G5449". ²⁷ Likewise|strong="G3668"
 also|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" men|strong="G0730",
 leaving|strong="G0863" the|strong="G3588" natural|strong="G5446"
 function|strong="G5540" of|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588"
 woman|strong="G2338", burned|strong="G1572" in|strong="G1722"
 their|strong="G0846" lust toward|strong="G1519" one|strong="G0240"
 another|strong="G0240", men|strong="G0730" doing|strong="G2716"
 what|strong="G3739" is|strong="G3739" inappropriate
 with|strong="G1722" men|strong="G0730", and|strong="G2532"
 receiving|strong="G0618" in|strong="G1722" themselves|strong="G1438"
 the|strong="G3588" due|strong="G1163" penalty|strong="G0489"
 of|strong="G1722" their|strong="G0846" error|strong="G4106". ²⁸
 Even|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2531" they|strong="G0846"
 refused|strong="G3756" to|strong="G1519" have|strong="G2192"
 God|strong="G2316" in|strong="G1722" their|strong="G0846"
 knowledge|strong="G1922", God|strong="G2316" gave|strong="G3860"
 them|strong="G0846" up|strong="G1519" to|strong="G1519"

a|strong="G2192" reprobate mind|strong="G3563", to|strong="G1519" do|strong="G4160" those|strong="G3588" things|strong="G0846" which|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3588" not|strong="G3756" fitting;
²⁹ being filled|strong="G4137" with|strong="G4137" all|strong="G3956" unrighteousness|strong="G0093", sexual immorality, wickedness|strong="G4189", covetousness|strong="G4124", malice|strong="G2549"; full|strong="G3324" of|strong="G3956" envy|strong="G5355", murder|strong="G5408", strife|strong="G2054", deceit|strong="G1388", evil|strong="G2549" habits, secret slanderers,³⁰ backbiters, hateful to|strong="G0545" God|strong="G2319", insolent|strong="G5197", arrogant|strong="G5244", boastful|strong="G0213", inventors|strong="G2182" of|strong="G2319" evil|strong="G2556" things|strong="G2556", disobedient|strong="G0545" to|strong="G0545" parents|strong="G1118",³¹ without|strong="G0801" understanding|strong="G0801", covenant breakers, without|strong="G0801" natural affection, unforgiving, unmerciful;³² who|strong="G3588", knowing the|strong="G3588" ordinance|strong="G1345" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316", that|strong="G3754" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" practice|strong="G4160" such|strong="G5108" things|strong="G5108" are|strong="G1510" worthy|strong="G0514" of|strong="G2316" death|strong="G2288", not|strong="G3756" only|strong="G3440" do|strong="G4160" the|strong="G3588" same|strong="G0846", but|strong="G0235" also|strong="G2532" approve|strong="G4909" of|strong="G2316" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" practice|strong="G4160" them|strong="G0846".

2Therefore|strong="G1352" you|strong="G3739" are|strong="G1510" without|strong="G0379" excuse|strong="G0379", O|strong="G5599" man|strong="G0444", whoever|strong="G3739" you|strong="G3739" are|strong="G1510" who|strong="G3739" judge|strong="G2919".

For|strong="G1063" in|strong="G1722" that|strong="G3739" which|strong="G3739" you|strong="G3739" judge|strong="G2919" another|strong="G2087", you|strong="G3739" condemn|strong="G2632" yourself|strong="G4572". For|strong="G1063" you|strong="G3739" who|strong="G3739" judge|strong="G2919" practice|strong="G4238" the|strong="G3956" same|strong="G0846" things|strong="G3956".²

We|strong="G3754" know|strong="G1492" that|strong="G3754" the|strong="G3588" judgment|strong="G2917" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316" is|strong="G1510" according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G1909" truth|strong="G0225" against|strong="G2596" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" practice|strong="G4238" such|strong="G5108" things|strong="G5108".³ Do|strong="G4160" you|strong="G4771" think|strong="G3049" this|strong="G3778", O|strong="G5599" man|strong="G0444" who|strong="G3588"

judges|strong="G2919" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588"
 practice|strong="G4160" such|strong="G5108" things|strong="G3778",
 and|strong="G2532" do|strong="G4160" the|strong="G3588"
 same|strong="G0846", that|strong="G3754" you|strong="G4771"
 will|strong="G2316" escape|strong="G1628" the|strong="G3588"
 judgment|strong="G2917" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316"? ⁴
 Or|strong="G2228" do|strong="G2532" you|strong="G4771"
 despise|strong="G2706" the|strong="G3588" riches|strong="G4149"
 of|strong="G2316" his|strong="G0846" goodness,
 forbearance|strong="G0463", and|strong="G2532"
 patience|strong="G3115", not|strong="G2532" knowing|strong="G0050"
 that|strong="G3754" the|strong="G3588" goodness of|strong="G2316"
 God|strong="G2316" leads|strong="G0071" you|strong="G4771"
 to|strong="G1519" repentance|strong="G3341"? ⁵ But|strong="G1161"
 according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G2596" your|strong="G2532"
 hardness and|strong="G2532" unrepentant|strong="G0279"
 heart|strong="G2588" you|strong="G4771" are|strong="G3588"
 treasuring up|strong="G2343" for|strong="G1722"
 yourself|strong="G4572" wrath|strong="G3709" in|strong="G1722"
 the|strong="G3588" day|strong="G2250" of|strong="G2250"
 wrath|strong="G3709", revelation|strong="G0602", and|strong="G2532"
 of|strong="G2250" the|strong="G3588" righteous|strong="G1341"
 judgment|strong="G1341" of|strong="G2250" God|strong="G2316", ⁶
 who|strong="G3739" "will|strong="G3739" pay|strong="G0591"
 back|strong="G0591" to|strong="G2596" everyone|strong="G1538"
 according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G2596" their|strong="G0846"
 works|strong="G2041".:" ⁴ ⁷ to|strong="G2596" those|strong="G3588"
 who|strong="G3588" by|strong="G2596" perseverance|strong="G5281"
 in|strong="G2596" well-doing seek|strong="G2212" for|strong="G2212"
 glory|strong="G1391", honor|strong="G5092", and|strong="G2532"
 incorruptibility, eternal|strong="G0166" life|strong="G2222"; ⁸
 but|strong="G1161" to|strong="G2532" those|strong="G3588"
 who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3588" self-seeking
 and|strong="G2532" don't obey|strong="G3982" the|strong="G3588"
 truth|strong="G0225", but|strong="G1161" obey|strong="G3982"
 unrighteousness|strong="G0093", will|strong="G2532"
 be|strong="G2532" wrath|strong="G3709", indignation|strong="G2372",
⁹ oppression, and|strong="G2532" anguish|strong="G2347"
 on|strong="G1909" every|strong="G3956" soul|strong="G5590"
 of|strong="G1909" man|strong="G0444" who|strong="G3588"
 does|strong="G2716" evil|strong="G2556", to|strong="G1909"
 the|strong="G3956" Jew|strong="G2453" first|strong="G4413",
 and|strong="G2532" also|strong="G2532" to|strong="G1909"
 the|strong="G3956" Greek|strong="G1672".

⁴ + 2:6 Psalm 62:12; Proverbs 24:12

10 But glory, honor, and peace go to every man who does good, to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. ¹¹ For there is no partiality with God. ¹² For as many as have sinned without the law will perish without the law. As many as have sinned under the law will be judged by the law. ¹³ For it isn't the hearers of the law who are righteous before God, but those who do the law will be justified. ¹⁴ (For when Gentiles who don't have the law by nature of things of the law, these, not having the law, are a law to themselves, ¹⁵ in that they show the work of the law written in their hearts, their conscience testifying with them, and their thoughts among themselves accusing or else excusing them) ¹⁶ in the day when God will

judge|strong = "G2919" the|strong = "G3588" secrets|strong = "G2927"
of|strong = "G2250" men|strong = "G0444", according|strong = "G2596"
to|strong = "G2596" my|strong = "G1722" Good|strong = "G2098"
News|strong = "G2098", by|strong = "G1722" Jesus|strong = "G2424"
Christ|strong = "G5547".

17 Indeed|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771" bear|strong = "G2028"
the|strong = "G2532" name|strong = "G2028" of|strong = "G2316"
a|strong = "G1487" Jew|strong = "G2453", rest|strong = "G1879"
on|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G2532" law|strong = "G3551",
glory|strong = "G2744" in|strong = "G1722" God|strong = "G2316", ¹⁸
know|strong = "G1097" his|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2307",
and|strong = "G2532" approve|strong = "G1381" the|strong = "G3588"
things|strong = "G3588" that|strong = "G1097" are|strong = "G3588"
excellent|strong = "G1308", being instructed|strong = "G2727"
out|strong = "G1537" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588"
law|strong = "G3551", ¹⁹ and|strong = "G5037" are|strong = "G1510"
confident|strong = "G3982" that|strong = "G3982" you|strong = "G1722"
yourself|strong = "G4572" are|strong = "G1510" a|strong = "G1510"
guide|strong = "G3595" of|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
blind|strong = "G5185", a|strong = "G1510" light|strong = "G5457"
to|strong = "G1722" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588"
are|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" darkness|strong = "G4655", ²⁰
a|strong = "G2192" corrector|strong = "G3810" of|strong = "G3551"
the|strong = "G3588" foolish|strong = "G0878", a|strong = "G2192"
teacher|strong = "G1320" of|strong = "G3551" babies,
having|strong = "G2192" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
law|strong = "G3551" the|strong = "G3588" form|strong = "G3446"
of|strong = "G3551" knowledge|strong = "G1108" and|strong = "G2532"
of|strong = "G3551" the|strong = "G3588" truth|strong = "G0225". ²¹
You|strong = "G3767" therefore|strong = "G3767" who|strong = "G3588"
teach|strong = "G1321" another|strong = "G2087", don't|strong = "G3756"
you|strong = "G3767" teach|strong = "G1321" yourself|strong = "G4572"?
You|strong = "G3767" who|strong = "G3588" preach|strong = "G2784"
that|strong = "G3767" a|strong = "G2784" man|strong = "G3361" shouldn't
steal|strong = "G2813", do|strong = "G3361" you|strong = "G3767"
steal|strong = "G2813"? ²² You|strong = "G3004" who|strong = "G3588"
say|strong = "G3004" a|strong = "G3004" man|strong = "G3361" shouldn't
commit|strong = "G3431" adultery|strong = "G3431", do|strong = "G3361"
you|strong = "G3004" commit|strong = "G3431" adultery|strong = "G3431"?
You|strong = "G3004" who|strong = "G3588" abhor|strong = "G0948"
idols|strong = "G1497", do|strong = "G3361" you|strong = "G3004"
rob|strong = "G2416" temples|strong = "G2416"? ²³ You|strong = "G3739"
who|strong = "G3739" glory|strong = "G2744" in|strong = "G1722"
the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551", do|strong = "G2744"

you|strong="G3739" dishonor|strong="G0818" God|strong="G2316" by|strong="G1722" disobeying the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551"?
²⁴ For|strong="G1063" "the|strong="G3588" name|strong="G3686" of|strong="G1223" God|strong="G2316" is|strong="G2316" blasphemed|strong="G0987" among|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" Gentiles|strong="G1484" because|strong="G1223" of|strong="G1223" you|strong="G5210"," ⁵ just|strong="G2531" as|strong="G2531" it|strong="G1223" is|strong="G2316" written|strong="G1125". ²⁵
 For|strong="G1063" circumcision|strong="G4061" indeed|strong="G1063" profits|strong="G5623", if|strong="G1437" you|strong="G4771" are|strong="G1510" a|strong="G1096" doer of|strong="G3551" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551", but|strong="G1161" if|strong="G1437" you|strong="G4771" are|strong="G1510" a|strong="G1096" transgressor|strong="G3848" of|strong="G3551" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551", your|strong="G1437" circumcision|strong="G4061" has|strong="G1096" become|strong="G1096" uncircumcision|strong="G0203". ²⁶
 If|strong="G1437" therefore|strong="G3767" the|strong="G3588" uncircumcised|strong="G0203" keep|strong="G5442" the|strong="G3588" ordinances|strong="G1345" of|strong="G3551" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551", won't|strong="G3756" his|strong="G0846" uncircumcision|strong="G0203" be|strong="G3767" accounted as|strong="G1519" circumcision|strong="G4061"? ²⁷ Won't those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3588" physically|strong="G5449" uncircumcised|strong="G0203", but|strong="G2532" fulfill the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551", judge|strong="G2919" you|strong="G4771", who|strong="G3588" with|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588" letter|strong="G1121" and|strong="G2532" circumcision|strong="G4061" are|strong="G3588" a|strong="G2532" transgressor|strong="G3848" of|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551"? ²⁸ For|strong="G1063" he|strong="G1510" is|strong="G1510" not|strong="G3756" a|strong="G1510" Jew|strong="G2453" who|strong="G3588" is|strong="G1510" one|strong="G3588" outwardly, neither|strong="G3756" is|strong="G1510" that|strong="G2453" circumcision|strong="G4061" which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G1510" outward|strong="G5318" in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" flesh|strong="G4561"; ²⁹ but|strong="G0235" he|strong="G2532" is|strong="G2316" a|strong="G3739" Jew|strong="G2453" who|strong="G3739" is|strong="G2316" one|strong="G3739" inwardly|strong="G2927", and|strong="G2532" circumcision|strong="G4061" is|strong="G2316" that|strong="G3739" of|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588" heart|strong="G2588", in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" spirit|strong="G4151",

⁵ + 2:24 Isaiah 52:5; Ezekiel 36:22

not|strong = "G3756" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
 letter|strong = "G1121"; whose|strong = "G3739" praise|strong = "G1868"
 is|strong = "G2316" not|strong = "G3756" from|strong = "G1537"
 men|strong = "G0444", but|strong = "G0235" from|strong = "G1537"
 God|strong = "G2316".

3Then|strong = "G3767" what|strong = "G5101"
 advantage|strong = "G4053" does|strong = "G5101" the|strong = "G3588"
 Jew|strong = "G2453" have|strong = "G2228"? Or|strong = "G2228"
 what|strong = "G5101" is|strong = "G5101" the|strong = "G3588" profit
 of|strong = "G2228" circumcision|strong = "G4061"? ²
 Much|strong = "G4183" in|strong = "G2596" every|strong = "G3956"
 way|strong = "G5158"! Because|strong = "G3754" first|strong = "G4413"
 of|strong = "G2316" all|strong = "G3956", they|strong = "G3754"
 were|strong = "G3956" entrusted|strong = "G4100" with|strong = "G2316"
 the|strong = "G3956" revelations of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316".

³ For|strong = "G1063" what|strong = "G5101" if|strong = "G1487"
 some|strong = "G5100" were|strong = "G3588" without|strong = "G3361"
 faith|strong = "G4102"? Will|strong = "G2316" their|strong = "G0846" lack
 of|strong = "G2316" faith|strong = "G4102" nullify|strong = "G2673"
 the|strong = "G3588" faithfulness|strong = "G4102" of|strong = "G2316"
 God|strong = "G2316"? ⁴ May|strong = "G2532" it|strong = "G1161"
 never|strong = "G3361" be|strong = "G1096"! Yes|strong = "G1161",
 let|strong = "G1096" God|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G1096"
 found|strong = "G1096" true|strong = "G0227", but|strong = "G1161"
 every|strong = "G3956" man|strong = "G0444" a|strong = "G1096"
 liar|strong = "G5583". As|strong = "G2531" it|strong = "G1161"
 is|strong = "G2316" written|strong = "G1125",

“ that|strong = "G3704" you|strong = "G4771" might|strong = "G2532"
 be|strong = "G1096" justified|strong = "G1344" in|strong = "G1722"
 your|strong = "G2532" words|strong = "G3056",

a nd|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532" prevail|strong = "G3528"
 when|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771" come|strong = "G1096"
 into|strong = "G1096" judgment|strong = "G2919".” ⁶

5But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" our|strong = "G2316"
 unrighteousness|strong = "G0093" commends|strong = "G4921"
 the|strong = "G3588" righteousness|strong = "G1343" of|strong = "G2316"
 God|strong = "G2316", what|strong = "G5101" will|strong = "G2316"
 we|strong = "G2249" say|strong = "G3004"? Is|strong = "G2316"
 God|strong = "G2316" unrighteous|strong = "G0094" who|strong = "G3588"

⁶ + 3:4 Psalm 51:4

inflicts|strong="G2018" wrath|strong="G3709"? I|strong="G1473"
speak|strong="G3004" like|strong="G2596" men|strong="G0444"
do|strong="G3361". ⁶ May|strong="G2889" it|strong="G1893"
never|strong="G3361" be|strong="G1096"! For|strong="G2316" then
how|strong="G4459" will|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316"
judge|strong="G2919" the|strong="G3588" world|strong="G2889"? ⁷
For|strong="G1519" if|strong="G1487" the|strong="G3588"
truth|strong="G0225" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316"
through|strong="G1722" my|strong="G1699" lie|strong="G5582"
abounded|strong="G4052" to|strong="G1519" his|strong="G0846"
glory|strong="G1391", why|strong="G5101" am|strong="G2919"
I|strong="G2504" also|strong="G1161" still|strong="G2089"
judged|strong="G2919" as|strong="G5613" a|strong="G5613"
sinner|strong="G0268"? ⁸ Why|strong="G3739" not|strong="G3361"
(as|strong="G2531" we|strong="G2249" are|strong="G1510"
slanderosly|strong="G0987" reported|strong="G3004",
and|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2531" some|strong="G5100" affirm
that|strong="G3754" we|strong="G2249" say|strong="G3004"), "Let's
do|strong="G4160" evil|strong="G2556", that|strong="G3754"
good|strong="G0018" may|strong="G2532" come|strong="G2064"?"
Those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3739" say|strong="G3004"
so|strong="G2443" are|strong="G1510" justly
condemned|strong="G2917".

⁹What|strong="G5101" then|strong="G2532"? Are|strong="G1510"
we|strong="G2532" better|strong="G4284" than|strong="G2532"
they|strong="G3767"? No|strong="G3756", in|strong="G2532"
no|strong="G3756" way|strong="G3956". For|strong="G1063"
we|strong="G2532" previously warned both|strong="G5037"
Jews|strong="G2453" and|strong="G2532" Greeks|strong="G1672"
that|strong="G3956" they|strong="G3767" are|strong="G1510"
all|strong="G3956" under|strong="G5259" sin|strong="G0266". ¹⁰
As|strong="G2531" it|strong="G1510" is|strong="G1510"
written|strong="G1125",

“ There|strong="G1510" is|strong="G1510" no|strong="G3756"
one|strong="G1520" righteous|strong="G1342”;

n o|strong="G3756", not|strong="G3756" one|strong="G1520”.

¹¹There|strong="G1510" is|strong="G1510" no|strong="G3756"
one|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" understands|strong="G4920”.

T here|strong = "G1510" is|strong = "G1510" no|strong = "G3756"
one|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" seeks after
God|strong = "G2316".

12They|strong = "G2193" have|strong = "G1510" all|strong = "G3956"
turned|strong = "G1578" away|strong = "G1578".

T hey|strong = "G2193" have|strong = "G1510" together|strong = "G0260"
become|strong = "G4160" unprofitable.

T here|strong = "G1510" is|strong = "G1510" no|strong = "G3756"
one|strong = "G1520" who|strong = "G3588" does|strong = "G4160"
good|strong = "G1510",

n o|strong = "G3756", not|strong = "G3756" so much as|strong = "G2193"
one|strong = "G1520".” ⁷

13“Their|strong = "G0846" throat|strong = "G2995" is|strong = "G3588" an
open|strong = "G0455" tomb.

W ith|strong = "G0846" their|strong = "G0846" tongues|strong = "G1100"
they|strong = "G0846" have|strong = "G3588" used deceit.” ⁸

“ The|strong = "G3588" poison|strong = "G2447" of|strong = "G3588" vipers
is|strong = "G3588" under|strong = "G5259" their|strong = "G0846"
lips|strong = "G5491”.” ⁹

14“Their|strong = "G2532" mouth|strong = "G4750" is|strong = "G3739"
full|strong = "G1073" of|strong = "G4750" cursing|strong = "G0685"
and|strong = "G2532" bitterness|strong = "G4088”.” ¹⁰

15“Their|strong = "G0846" feet|strong = "G4228" are|strong = "G3588"
swift|strong = "G3691" to|strong = "G0846" shed|strong = "G1632"
blood|strong = "G0129”.

16Destruction|strong = "G4938" and|strong = "G2532"
misery|strong = "G5004" are|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722"
their|strong = "G0846" ways|strong = "G3598”.

⁷ + 3:12 Psalm 14:1-3; 53:1-3; Ecclesiastes 7:20

⁸ + 3:13 Psalm 5:9

⁹ + 3:13 Psalm 140:3

¹⁰ + 3:14 Psalm 10:7

17The way of strength of strength peace, they haven't known." ¹¹

18"There is no strength fear of strength God before their eyes." ¹²

19Now we know that whatever things the law says, it speaks to those who are under the law, that every mouth may be closed, and all the world may be brought under the judgment of strength God. ²⁰

Because by the law works of strength, no flesh will be justified in his sight; for through the law strength comes the knowledge of strength sin.

21But now apart from strength, a righteousness of strength God has been revealed, being testified by strength the law and strength the prophets; even strength the righteousness of strength God through strength faith in strength Jesus Christ to strength all and strength on strength all those who believe.

¹¹ + 3:17 Isaiah 59:7-8

¹² + 3:18 Psalm 36:1

For|strong="G1063" there|strong="G1510" is|strong="G1510"
no|strong="G3756" distinction|strong="G1293", ²³ for|strong="G1063"
all|strong="G3956" have|strong="G2532" sinned|strong="G0264",
and|strong="G2532" fall|strong="G5302" short|strong="G5302"
of|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3956" glory|strong="G1391"
of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316"; ²⁴ being
justified|strong="G1344" freely|strong="G1432" by|strong="G1722"
his|strong="G0846" grace|strong="G5485" through|strong="G1223"
the|strong="G3588" redemption|strong="G0629" that|strong="G0846"
is|strong="G3588" in|strong="G1722" Christ|strong="G5547"
Jesus|strong="G2424", ²⁵ whom|strong="G3739" God|strong="G2316"
sent to|strong="G1519" be|strong="G2316" an|strong="G3739" atoning
sacrifice ¹³ through|strong="G1223" faith|strong="G4102"
in|strong="G1722" his|strong="G0846" blood|strong="G0129",
for|strong="G1519" a|strong="G3739" demonstration|strong="G1732"
of|strong="G1223" his|strong="G0846" righteousness|strong="G1343"
through|strong="G1223" the|strong="G3588" passing
over|strong="G1519" of|strong="G1223" prior sins|strong="G0265",
in|strong="G1722" God's|strong="G2316" forbearance; ²⁶
to|strong="G1519" demonstrate|strong="G1732" his|strong="G0846"
righteousness|strong="G1343" at|strong="G1722" this|strong="G3588"
present|strong="G3568" time|strong="G2540", that|strong="G0846"
he|strong="G2532" might|strong="G2532" himself|strong="G0846"
be|strong="G1510" just|strong="G1342" and|strong="G2532"
the|strong="G3588" justifier|strong="G1344" of|strong="G1537"
him|strong="G0846" who|strong="G3588" has|strong="G2316"
faith|strong="G4102" in|strong="G1722" Jesus|strong="G2424".

²⁷Where|strong="G4226" then|strong="G3767" is|strong="G3588"
the|strong="G3588" boasting|strong="G2746"? It|strong="G1223"
is|strong="G3588" excluded|strong="G1576". By|strong="G1223"
what|strong="G4169" kind|strong="G4169" of|strong="G1223"
law|strong="G3551"? Of|strong="G1223" works|strong="G2041"?
No|strong="G3780", but|strong="G0235" by|strong="G1223"
a|strong="G3767" law|strong="G3551" of|strong="G1223"
faith|strong="G4102". ²⁸ We|strong="G4102" maintain|strong="G3049"
therefore that|strong="G0444" a|strong="G5565" man|strong="G0444"
is|strong="G0444" justified|strong="G1344" by|strong="G1344"
faith|strong="G4102" apart|strong="G5565" from|strong="G5565"
the|strong="G1344" works|strong="G2041" of|strong="G3551"
the|strong="G1344" law|strong="G3551". ²⁹ Or|strong="G2228"
is|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3588"
God|strong="G2316" of|strong="G2316" Jews|strong="G2453"
only|strong="G3440"? Isn't|strong="G3780" he|strong="G2532"

¹³ + 3:25 or, a propitiation

the|strong = "G3588" God|strong = "G2316" of|strong = "G2316"
 Gentiles|strong = "G1484" also|strong = "G2532"? Yes|strong = "G3483",
 of|strong = "G2316" Gentiles|strong = "G1484" also|strong = "G2532", ³⁰
 since|strong = "G1537" indeed|strong = "G2532" there|strong = "G3739"
 is|strong = "G2316" one|strong = "G1520" God|strong = "G2316"
 who|strong = "G3739" will|strong = "G2316" justify|strong = "G1344"
 the|strong = "G3588" circumcised|strong = "G4061" by|strong = "G1223"
 faith|strong = "G4102" and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588"
 uncircumcised|strong = "G0203" through|strong = "G1223"
 faith|strong = "G4102".

31Do|strong = "G1096" we|strong = "G3767" then|strong = "G3767"
 nullify|strong = "G2673" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551"
 through|strong = "G1223" faith|strong = "G4102"? May|strong = "G4102"
 it|strong = "G1223" never|strong = "G3361" be|strong = "G1096"!
 No|strong = "G3361", we|strong = "G3767" establish|strong = "G2476"
 the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551".

4What|strong = "G5101" then|strong = "G3767" will|strong = "G5101"
 we|strong = "G2249" say|strong = "G3004" that|strong = "G3004"
 Abraham|strong = "G0011", our|strong = "G0011"
 forefather|strong = "G3962", has|strong = "G3962" found|strong = "G2147"
 according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G3004" the|strong = "G3588"
 flesh|strong = "G4561"? ² For|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487"
 Abraham|strong = "G0011" was|strong = "G2316" justified|strong = "G1344"
 by|strong = "G1537" works|strong = "G2041", he|strong = "G1487"
 has|strong = "G2192" something|strong = "G2745" to|strong = "G4314"
 boast|strong = "G2745" about|strong = "G4314", but|strong = "G0235"
 not|strong = "G3756" toward|strong = "G4314" God|strong = "G2316". ³
 For|strong = "G1063" what|strong = "G5101" does|strong = "G5101"
 the|strong = "G3588" Scripture|strong = "G1124" say|strong = "G3004"?
 "Abraham|strong = "G0011" believed|strong = "G4100"
 God|strong = "G2316", and|strong = "G2532" it|strong = "G0846"
 was|strong = "G3588" accounted to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846"
 for|strong = "G1063" righteousness|strong = "G1343"." ¹⁴ ⁴
 Now|strong = "G1161" to|strong = "G2596" him who|strong = "G3588"
 works, the|strong = "G3588" reward|strong = "G3408" is|strong = "G3588"
 not|strong = "G3756" counted|strong = "G3049" as|strong = "G2596"
 grace|strong = "G5485", but|strong = "G1161" as|strong = "G2596" something
 owed. ⁵ But|strong = "G1161" to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846"
 who|strong = "G3588" doesn't|strong = "G3361" work|strong = "G2038",
 but|strong = "G1161" believes|strong = "G4100" in|strong = "G1519"
 him|strong = "G0846" who|strong = "G3588" justifies|strong = "G1344"
 the|strong = "G3588" ungodly|strong = "G0765", his|strong = "G0846"

¹⁴ + 4:3 Genesis 15:6

faith|strong = "G4102" is|strong = "G3588" accounted for|strong = "G1519"
 righteousness|strong = "G1343". ⁶ Even|strong = "G2532"
 as|strong = "G2509" David|strong = "G1138" also|strong = "G2532"
 pronounces blessing|strong = "G3108" on|strong = "G3049"
 the|strong = "G3588" man|strong = "G0444" to|strong = "G3004"
 whom|strong = "G3739" God|strong = "G2316" counts
 righteousness|strong = "G1343" apart|strong = "G5565"
 from|strong = "G5565" works|strong = "G2041":

7"Blessed|strong = "G3107" are|strong = "G3739" they|strong = "G3739"
 whose|strong = "G3739" iniquities are|strong = "G3739"
 forgiven|strong = "G0863",

w hose|strong = "G3739" sins|strong = "G0266" are|strong = "G3739"
 covered|strong = "G1943".

8Blessed|strong = "G3107" is|strong = "G3739" the|strong = "G3739"
 man|strong = "G0435" whom|strong = "G3739" the|strong = "G3739"
 Lord|strong = "G2962" will|strong = "G3739" by|strong = "G0266"
 no|strong = "G3756" means charge with|strong = "G2962"
 sin|strong = "G0266". ¹⁵

9Is|strong = "G3778" this|strong = "G3778" blessing|strong = "G3108"
 then|strong = "G2532" pronounced only|strong = "G2532"
 on|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G3588" circumcised|strong = "G4061",
 or|strong = "G2228" on|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G3588"
 uncircumcised|strong = "G0203" also|strong = "G2532"?
 For|strong = "G1063" we|strong = "G3778" say|strong = "G3004"
 that|strong = "G3004" faith|strong = "G4102" was|strong = "G3588"
 accounted to|strong = "G1519" Abraham|strong = "G0011"
 for|strong = "G1063" righteousness|strong = "G1343". ¹⁰
 How|strong = "G4459" then|strong = "G3767" was|strong = "G1510"
 it|strong = "G1510" counted|strong = "G3049"? When|strong = "G1722"
 he|strong = "G1510" was|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722"
 circumcision|strong = "G4061", or|strong = "G2228" in|strong = "G1722"
 uncircumcision|strong = "G0203"? Not|strong = "G3756" in|strong = "G1722"
 circumcision|strong = "G4061", but|strong = "G0235" in|strong = "G1722"
 uncircumcision|strong = "G0203". ¹¹ He|strong = "G2532"
 received|strong = "G2983" the|strong = "G3956" sign|strong = "G4592"
 of|strong = "G1223" circumcision|strong = "G4061", a|strong = "G2983"
 seal|strong = "G4973" of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3956"
 righteousness|strong = "G1343" of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3956"
 faith|strong = "G4102" which|strong = "G3588" he|strong = "G2532"

¹⁵ + 4:8 Psalm 32:1-2

had|strong = "G1510" while|strong = "G1722" he|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" uncircumcision|strong = "G0203", that|strong = "G4100" he|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G1510" the|strong = "G3956" father|strong = "G3962" of|strong = "G1223" all|strong = "G3956" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" believe|strong = "G4100", though|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G0846" might|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" uncircumcision|strong = "G0203", that|strong = "G4100" righteousness|strong = "G1343" might|strong = "G2532" also|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G1510" accounted to|strong = "G1519" them|strong = "G0846". ¹² He|strong = "G2532" is|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G3588" father|strong = "G3962" of|strong = "G1537" circumcision|strong = "G4061" to|strong = "G2532" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" not|strong = "G3756" only|strong = "G3440" are|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" circumcision|strong = "G4061", but|strong = "G0235" who|strong = "G3588" also|strong = "G2532" walk|strong = "G4748" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" steps|strong = "G2487" of|strong = "G1537" that|strong = "G1722" faith|strong = "G4102" of|strong = "G1537" our|strong = "G2532" father|strong = "G3962" Abraham|strong = "G0011", which|strong = "G3588" he|strong = "G2532" had|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" uncircumcision|strong = "G0203".

¹³For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3588" promise|strong = "G1860" to|strong = "G2228" Abraham|strong = "G0011" and|strong = "G4102" to|strong = "G2228" his|strong = "G0846" offspring that|strong = "G0846" he|strong = "G0846" would|strong = "G0846" be|strong = "G1510" heir|strong = "G2818" of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" world|strong = "G2889" wasn't|strong = "G3756" through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551", but|strong = "G0235" through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" righteousness|strong = "G1343" of|strong = "G1223" faith|strong = "G4102".

¹⁴ For|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" are|strong = "G3588" heirs|strong = "G2818", faith|strong = "G4102" is|strong = "G3588" made|strong = "G2758" void|strong = "G2758", and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588" promise|strong = "G1860" is|strong = "G3588" made|strong = "G2758" of|strong = "G1537" no|strong = "G1487" effect. ¹⁵ For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" produces|strong = "G2716" wrath|strong = "G3709"; for|strong = "G1063" where|strong = "G3757" there|strong = "G1510" is|strong = "G1510" no|strong = "G3756" law|strong = "G3551", neither|strong = "G3756" is|strong = "G1510" there|strong = "G1510" disobedience.

16 For this cause it is that, that may be according to grace and end promise sure to the offspring, not that only which is law, but that also which is faith of Abraham, who father of us all. ¹⁷ As it is written, "I have a father of many nations." ¹⁶ This is his presence of him whom God gives life to the dead, and he calls the things that are not, as though they were. ¹⁸ Against hope, Abraham believed, to that he might become of many nations, according to that which he had been spoken, "So will your offspring be." ¹⁷ ¹⁹ Without being weakened in faith, he

¹⁶ + 4:17 Genesis 17:5

¹⁷ + 4:18 Genesis 15:5

didn't|strong = "G3361" consider|strong = "G2657" his|strong = "G1438"
 own|strong = "G1438" body|strong = "G4983", already having
 been|strong = "G2532" worn out|strong = "G1438", (he|strong = "G2532"
 being|strong = "G5225" about|strong = "G3588" a|strong = "G2532"
 hundred|strong = "G1541" years|strong = "G1541" old|strong = "G1541"),
 and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588" deadness|strong = "G3500"
 of|strong = "G4983" Sarah's|strong = "G4564" womb|strong = "G3388". ²⁰
 Yet|strong = "G1161", looking to|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G3588"
 promise|strong = "G1860" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316",
 he|strong = "G1161" didn't|strong = "G3756" waver|strong = "G1252"
 through unbelief|strong = "G0570", but|strong = "G1161"
 grew|strong = "G1743" strong|strong = "G1743" through
 faith|strong = "G4102", giving|strong = "G1325" glory|strong = "G1391"
 to|strong = "G1519" God|strong = "G2316", ²¹ and|strong = "G2532"
 being|strong = "G1510" fully|strong = "G4135" assured|strong = "G4135"
 that|strong = "G3754" what|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G2532"
 had|strong = "G1510" promised|strong = "G1861", he|strong = "G2532"
 was|strong = "G1510" also|strong = "G2532" able|strong = "G1415"
 to|strong = "G2532" perform|strong = "G4160". ²²
 Therefore|strong = "G1352" it|strong = "G0846" also|strong = "G2532"
 was|strong = "G0846" "credited|strong = "G3049" to|strong = "G1519"
 him|strong = "G0846" for|strong = "G1519" righteousness|strong = "G1343".¹⁸
²³ Now|strong = "G1161" it|strong = "G0846" was|strong = "G0846"
 not|strong = "G3756" written|strong = "G1125" that|strong = "G3754"
 it|strong = "G0846" was|strong = "G0846" accounted to|strong = "G0846"
 him|strong = "G0846" for|strong = "G3754" his|strong = "G0846"
 sake|strong = "G1223" alone|strong = "G3441", ²⁴ but|strong = "G0235"
 for|strong = "G1223" our|strong = "G2424" sake|strong = "G1223"
 also|strong = "G2532", to|strong = "G1909" whom|strong = "G3739"
 it|strong = "G1223" will|strong = "G3739" be|strong = "G2532" accounted,
 who|strong = "G3739" believe|strong = "G4100" in|strong = "G1909"
 him|strong = "G3739" who|strong = "G3739" raised|strong = "G1453"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" our|strong = "G2424" Lord|strong = "G2962"
 from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498", ²⁵
 who|strong = "G3739" was|strong = "G3739" delivered|strong = "G3860"
 up|strong = "G1453" for|strong = "G1223" our|strong = "G2532"
 trespasses|strong = "G3900", and|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G3739"
 raised|strong = "G1453" for|strong = "G1223" our|strong = "G2532"
 justification|strong = "G1347".

5Being|strong = "G2192" therefore|strong = "G3767"
 justified|strong = "G1344" by|strong = "G1223" faith|strong = "G4102",
 we|strong = "G2249" have|strong = "G2192" peace|strong = "G1515"
 with|strong = "G4314" God|strong = "G2316" through|strong = "G1223"

¹⁸ + 4:22 Genesis 15:6

our|strong="G2316" Lord|strong="G2962" Jesus|strong="G2424"
 Christ|strong="G5547"; ² through|strong="G1223"
 whom|strong="G3739" we|strong="G3739" also|strong="G2532"
 have|strong="G2192" our|strong="G2316" access|strong="G4318"
 by|strong="G1722" faith|strong="G4102" into|strong="G1519"
 this|strong="G3778" grace|strong="G5485" in|strong="G1722"
 which|strong="G3739" we|strong="G3739" stand|strong="G2476".
 We|strong="G3739" rejoice|strong="G2744" in|strong="G1722"
 hope|strong="G1680" of|strong="G1223" the|strong="G3588"
 glory|strong="G1391" of|strong="G1223" God|strong="G2316". ³
 Not|strong="G3756" only|strong="G3440" this|strong="G3588",
 but|strong="G1161" we|strong="G2532" also|strong="G2532"
 rejoice|strong="G2744" in|strong="G1722" our|strong="G2532"
 sufferings|strong="G2347", knowing|strong="G1492"
 that|strong="G3754" suffering|strong="G2347" produces|strong="G2716"
 perseverance|strong="G5281"; ⁴ and|strong="G1161"
 perseverance|strong="G5281", proven|strong="G1382"
 character|strong="G1382"; and|strong="G1161" proven|strong="G1382"
 character|strong="G1382", hope|strong="G1680"; ⁵ and|strong="G1161"
 hope|strong="G1680" doesn't|strong="G3756" disappoint|strong="G2617"
 us|strong="G1325", because|strong="G3754" God's|strong="G2316"
 love|strong="G0026" has|strong="G2316" been|strong="G3756"
 poured|strong="G1325" into|strong="G1722" our|strong="G2316"
 hearts|strong="G2588" through|strong="G1223" the|strong="G3588"
 Holy|strong="G0040" Spirit|strong="G4151" who|strong="G3588"
 was|strong="G3588" given|strong="G1325" to|strong="G1722"
 us|strong="G1325".

⁶For|strong="G1063" while|strong="G1510" we|strong="G2249"
 were|strong="G1510" yet|strong="G2089" weak|strong="G0772",
 at|strong="G2596" the|strong="G2596" right|strong="G2540"
 time|strong="G2540" Christ|strong="G5547" died|strong="G0599"
 for|strong="G1063" the|strong="G2596" ungodly|strong="G0765". ⁷
 For|strong="G1063" one|strong="G5100" will|strong="G5100"
 hardly|strong="G3433" die|strong="G0599" for|strong="G1063"
 a|strong="G2532" righteous|strong="G1342" man|strong="G5100".
 Yet|strong="G2532" perhaps|strong="G5029" for|strong="G1063"
 a|strong="G2532" good|strong="G0018" person|strong="G5100"
 someone|strong="G5100" would|strong="G5100" even|strong="G2532"
 dare|strong="G5111" to|strong="G2532" die|strong="G0599". ⁸
 But|strong="G1161" God|strong="G2316" commends|strong="G4921"
 his|strong="G1438" own|strong="G1438" love|strong="G0026"
 toward|strong="G1519" us|strong="G1519", in|strong="G1519"
 that|strong="G3754" while|strong="G1510" we|strong="G2249"
 were|strong="G1510" yet|strong="G1161" sinners|strong="G0268",

Christ died for us.

Much more than being now justified by his blood, we will from God's wrath through him. ¹⁰ For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, being reconciled, we will be saved by his life.

Not only so, but we also rejoice in God through Jesus Christ, through whom now we received reconciliation. ¹² Therefore, as we sinners entered into the world through one man, and sin passed to all men because all sinned. ¹³ For until the law was in the world; but sin is not charged when there is no law. ¹⁴ Nevertheless death reigned from Adam until Moses, even over those whose sins weren't like

Adam's disobedience, who is is foreshadowing of him who was to come.

15 But the free gift isn't like the trespass of Adam. For if by the trespass of one man many died, much more grace and the greater gift of God and the greater grace of God through one man, Jesus Christ, abound to the many. The gift is not as through one who sinned; for the judgment came by one to condemnation, but the free gift followed many trespasses to justification. For if by the trespass of one man, death reigned through the one man; so much more will those who receive the grace and the greater gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man, Jesus Christ.

18 So then as through one man trespass, all men were condemned; even so

through|strong = "G1223" one|strong = "G1520" act|strong = "G1345"
of|strong = "G1223" righteousness|strong = "G1345", all|strong = "G3956"
men|strong = "G0444" were|strong = "G3956" justified to|strong = "G1519"
life|strong = "G2222". ¹⁹ For|strong = "G1063" as|strong = "G5618"
through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" one|strong = "G1520"
man's|strong = "G0444" disobedience|strong = "G3876"
many|strong = "G4183" were|strong = "G3588" made|strong = "G2525"
sinners|strong = "G0268", even|strong = "G2532" so|strong = "G2532"
through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" obedience|strong = "G5218"
of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" one|strong = "G1520",
many|strong = "G4183" will|strong = "G0444" be|strong = "G2532"
made|strong = "G2525" righteous|strong = "G1342". ²⁰
The|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" came|strong = "G3922"
in|strong = "G1161" that|strong = "G2443" the|strong = "G3588"
trespass|strong = "G3900" might abound; but|strong = "G1161"
where|strong = "G3757" sin|strong = "G0266" abounded|strong = "G5248",
grace|strong = "G5485" abounded|strong = "G5248" more|strong = "G5248"
exceedingly, ²¹ that|strong = "G2443" as|strong = "G1519"
sin|strong = "G0266" reigned|strong = "G0936" in|strong = "G1722"
death|strong = "G2288", even|strong = "G2532" so|strong = "G2443"
grace|strong = "G5485" might|strong = "G2532" reign|strong = "G0936"
through|strong = "G1223" righteousness|strong = "G1343"
to|strong = "G1519" eternal|strong = "G0166" life|strong = "G2222"
through|strong = "G1223" Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547"
our|strong = "G2424" Lord|strong = "G2962".

6What|strong = "G5101" shall we|strong = "G3767" say|strong = "G3004"
then|strong = "G3767"? Shall we|strong = "G3767"
continue|strong = "G1961" in|strong = "G3004" sin|strong = "G0266",
that|strong = "G2443" grace|strong = "G5485" may|strong = "G2443"
abound? ² May it|strong = "G0846" never|strong = "G3361"
be|strong = "G1096"! We|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588"
died|strong = "G0599" to|strong = "G1722" sin|strong = "G0266",
how|strong = "G4459" could|strong = "G1096" we|strong = "G3588"
live|strong = "G2198" in|strong = "G1722" it|strong = "G0846"
any|strong = "G2089" longer|strong = "G2089"? ³ Or|strong = "G2228" don't
you|strong = "G3754" know|strong = "G0050" that|strong = "G3754"
all|strong = "G3745" of|strong = "G2228" us|strong = "G1519"
who|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G3588" baptized|strong = "G0907"
into|strong = "G1519" Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424"
were|strong = "G3588" baptized|strong = "G0907" into|strong = "G1519"
his|strong = "G0846" death|strong = "G2288"? ⁴ We|strong = "G2249"
were|strong = "G3588" buried|strong = "G4916" therefore|strong = "G3767"
with|strong = "G1722" him|strong = "G0846" through|strong = "G1223"
baptism|strong = "G0908" into|strong = "G1519" death|strong = "G2288",

that|strong = "G2443" just|strong = "G5618" as|strong = "G1519"
 Christ|strong = "G5547" was|strong = "G3588" raised|strong = "G1453"
 from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498"
 through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" glory|strong = "G1391"
 of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" Father|strong = "G3962",
 so|strong = "G2443" we|strong = "G2249" also|strong = "G2532"
 might|strong = "G2532" walk|strong = "G4043" in|strong = "G1722"
 newness|strong = "G2538" of|strong = "G1537" life|strong = "G2222".

5 For|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487" we|strong = "G1487"
 have|strong = "G1510" become|strong = "G1096" united|strong = "G4854"
 with|strong = "G2532" him|strong = "G0846" in|strong = "G2532"
 the|strong = "G3588" likeness|strong = "G3667" of|strong = "G0386"
 his|strong = "G0846" death|strong = "G2288", we|strong = "G1487"
 will|strong = "G1510" also|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G1510"
 part|strong = "G0846" of|strong = "G0386" his|strong = "G0846"
 resurrection|strong = "G0386"; ⁶ knowing|strong = "G1097"
 this|strong = "G3778", that|strong = "G3754" our old|strong = "G3820"
 man|strong = "G0444" was|strong = "G3588" crucified|strong = "G4957"
 with|strong = "G4957" him|strong = "G1097", that|strong = "G3754"
 the|strong = "G3588" body|strong = "G4983" of|strong = "G4983"
 sin|strong = "G0266" might|strong = "G1473" be|strong = "G0444"
 done|strong = "G2673" away|strong = "G2673" with|strong = "G4957",
 so|strong = "G2443" that|strong = "G3754" we|strong = "G2249"
 would|strong = "G0266" no|strong = "G3371" longer|strong = "G3371"
 be|strong = "G0444" in|strong = "G0444" bondage|strong = "G1398"
 to|strong = "G2443" sin|strong = "G0266". ⁷ For|strong = "G1063"
 he|strong = "G1344" who|strong = "G3588" has died|strong = "G0599" has
 been freed|strong = "G1344" from|strong = "G0575" sin|strong = "G0266". ⁸
 But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" we|strong = "G1487"
 died|strong = "G0599" with|strong = "G4862" Christ|strong = "G5547",
 we|strong = "G1487" believe|strong = "G4100" that|strong = "G3754"
 we|strong = "G1487" will|strong = "G3748" also|strong = "G2532"
 live|strong = "G4800" with|strong = "G4862" him|strong = "G0846", ⁹
 knowing|strong = "G1492" that|strong = "G3754" Christ|strong = "G5547",
 being raised|strong = "G1453" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3754"
 dead|strong = "G3498", dies|strong = "G0599" no|strong = "G3765"
 more|strong = "G3765". Death|strong = "G2288" no|strong = "G3765"
 longer|strong = "G3765" has|strong = "G5547" dominion
 over|strong = "G2961" him|strong = "G0846"! ¹⁰ For|strong = "G1063"
 the|strong = "G3588" death|strong = "G0599" that|strong = "G3739"
 he|strong = "G3739" died|strong = "G0599", he|strong = "G3739"
 died|strong = "G0599" to|strong = "G2316" sin|strong = "G0266"
 one|strong = "G3739" time|strong = "G2178"; but|strong = "G1161"
 the|strong = "G3588" life|strong = "G2198" that|strong = "G3739"

he|strong="G3739" lives|strong="G2198", he|strong="G3739" lives|strong="G2198" to|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316". ¹¹

Thus|strong="G3779" consider|strong="G3049" yourselves|strong="G1438" also|strong="G2532" to|strong="G2532" be|strong="G1510" dead|strong="G3498" to|strong="G2532" sin|strong="G0266", but|strong="G1161" alive|strong="G2198" to|strong="G2532" God|strong="G2316" in|strong="G1722" Christ|strong="G5547" Jesus|strong="G2424" our|strong="G2316" Lord|strong="G2316".

12Therefore|strong="G3767" don't|strong="G3361" let|strong="G3767" sin|strong="G0266" reign|strong="G0936" in|strong="G1722" your|strong="G1722" mortal|strong="G2349" body|strong="G4983", that|strong="G0846" you|strong="G5210" should obey|strong="G5219" it|strong="G0846" in|strong="G1722" its|strong="G0846" lusts|strong="G1939". ¹³ Also|strong="G2532", do|strong="G2532" not|strong="G3366" present|strong="G3936" your|strong="G2532" members|strong="G3196" to|strong="G2532" sin|strong="G0266" as|strong="G1438" instruments|strong="G3696" of|strong="G1537" unrighteousness|strong="G0093", but|strong="G0235" present|strong="G3936" yourselves|strong="G1438" to|strong="G2532" God|strong="G2316" as|strong="G1438" alive|strong="G2198" from|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588" dead|strong="G3498", and|strong="G2532" your|strong="G2532" members|strong="G3196" as|strong="G1438" instruments|strong="G3696" of|strong="G1537" righteousness|strong="G1343" to|strong="G2532" God|strong="G2316".

¹⁴ For|strong="G1063" sin|strong="G0266" will|strong="G1510" not|strong="G3756" have|strong="G1510" dominion over|strong="G2961" you|strong="G5210", for|strong="G1063" you|strong="G5210" are|strong="G1510" not|strong="G3756" under|strong="G5259" law|strong="G3551", but|strong="G0235" under|strong="G5259" grace|strong="G5485".

15What|strong="G5101" then|strong="G3767"? Shall we|strong="G3754" sin|strong="G0264" because|strong="G3754" we|strong="G3754" are|strong="G1510" not|strong="G3756" under|strong="G5259" law|strong="G3551" but|strong="G0235" under|strong="G5259" grace|strong="G5485"? May|strong="G5485" it|strong="G1510" never|strong="G3756" be|strong="G1510"! ¹⁶ Don't|strong="G3756" you|strong="G3739" know|strong="G1492" that|strong="G3754" when|strong="G1492" you|strong="G3739" present|strong="G3936" yourselves|strong="G1438" as|strong="G1519" servants|strong="G1401" and|strong="G1343" obey|strong="G5219" someone|strong="G3739", you|strong="G3739" are|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3739" servants|strong="G1401" of|strong="G1401"

whomever|strong = "G3739" you|strong = "G3739" obey|strong = "G5219",
 whether|strong = "G2228" of|strong = "G1401" sin|strong = "G0266"
 to|strong = "G1519" death|strong = "G2288", or|strong = "G2228"
 of|strong = "G1401" obedience|strong = "G5218" to|strong = "G1519"
 righteousness|strong = "G1343"? ¹⁷ But|strong = "G1161"
 thanks|strong = "G5485" be|strong = "G1510" to|strong = "G1519"
 God|strong = "G2316" that|strong = "G3754", whereas|strong = "G1161"
 you|strong = "G3739" were|strong = "G1510" bondservants
 of|strong = "G1537" sin|strong = "G0266", you|strong = "G3739"
 became|strong = "G5219" obedient|strong = "G5219" from|strong = "G1537"
 the|strong = "G3588" heart|strong = "G2588" to|strong = "G1519"
 that|strong = "G3754" form|strong = "G1537" teaching|strong = "G1322"
 to|strong = "G1519" which|strong = "G3739" you|strong = "G3739"
 were|strong = "G1510" delivered|strong = "G3860". ¹⁸ Being
 made|strong = "G1402" free|strong = "G1659" from|strong = "G0575"
 sin|strong = "G0266", you|strong = "G1659" became|strong = "G1402"
 bondservants of|strong = "G0575" righteousness|strong = "G1343".

¹⁹I|strong = "G2532" speak|strong = "G3004" in|strong = "G1519"
 human|strong = "G0442" terms|strong = "G0442" because|strong = "G1223"
 of|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" weakness|strong = "G0769"
 of|strong = "G1223" your|strong = "G2532" flesh|strong = "G4561";
 for|strong = "G1063" as|strong = "G1519" you|strong = "G5210"
 presented|strong = "G3936" your|strong = "G2532"
 members|strong = "G3196" as|strong = "G1519" servants|strong = "G1401"
 to|strong = "G1519" uncleanness|strong = "G0167" and|strong = "G2532"
 to|strong = "G1519" wickedness upon wickedness, even|strong = "G2532"
 so|strong = "G2532" now|strong = "G3568" present|strong = "G3936"
 your|strong = "G2532" members|strong = "G3196" as|strong = "G1519"
 servants|strong = "G1401" to|strong = "G1519"
 righteousness|strong = "G1343" for|strong = "G1063"
 sanctification|strong = "G0038". ²⁰ For|strong = "G1063"
 when|strong = "G3753" you|strong = "G1510" were|strong = "G1510"
 servants|strong = "G1401" of|strong = "G1401" sin|strong = "G0266",
 you|strong = "G1510" were|strong = "G1510" free|strong = "G1658"
 from|strong = "G1510" righteousness|strong = "G1343". ²¹
 What|strong = "G5101" fruit|strong = "G2590" then|strong = "G5119"
 did|strong = "G2192" you|strong = "G3739" have|strong = "G2192"
 at|strong = "G1909" that|strong = "G3739" time|strong = "G5119"
 in|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G3588" things|strong = "G3739"
 of|strong = "G1909" which|strong = "G3739" you|strong = "G3739"
 are|strong = "G3739" now|strong = "G3568" ashamed|strong = "G1870"?
 For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3588" end|strong = "G5056"
 of|strong = "G1909" those|strong = "G3588" things|strong = "G3739"
 is|strong = "G5101" death|strong = "G2288". ²² But|strong = "G1161"

now|strong = "G1161", being|strong = "G2192" made|strong = "G1402"
 free|strong = "G1659" from|strong = "G0575" sin|strong = "G0266"
 and|strong = "G1161" having|strong = "G2192" become|strong = "G2192"
 servants of|strong = "G0575" God|strong = "G2316", you|strong = "G5210"
 have|strong = "G2192" your|strong = "G2192" fruit|strong = "G2590"
 of|strong = "G0575" sanctification|strong = "G0038" and|strong = "G1161"
 the|strong = "G3588" result|strong = "G1519" of|strong = "G0575"
 eternal|strong = "G0166" life|strong = "G2222". ²³ For|strong = "G1063"
 the|strong = "G3588" wages|strong = "G3800" of|strong = "G2316"
 sin|strong = "G0266" is|strong = "G2316" death|strong = "G2288",
 but|strong = "G1161" the|strong = "G3588" free|strong = "G5486"
 gift|strong = "G5486" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316"
 is|strong = "G2316" eternal|strong = "G0166" life|strong = "G2222"
 in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424"
 our|strong = "G2316" Lord|strong = "G2962".

7Or|strong = "G2228" don't you|strong = "G3754" know|strong = "G1097",
 brothers|strong = "G0080" ¹⁹ (for|strong = "G1063" I|strong = "G3754"
 speak|strong = "G2980" to|strong = "G1909" men|strong = "G0444"
 who|strong = "G3588" know|strong = "G1097" the|strong = "G3588"
 law|strong = "G3551"), that|strong = "G3754" the|strong = "G3588"
 law|strong = "G3551" has|strong = "G0444" dominion over|strong = "G1909"
 a|strong = "G2228" man|strong = "G0444" for|strong = "G1063"
 as|strong = "G3745" long|strong = "G5550" as|strong = "G3745"
 he|strong = "G3754" lives|strong = "G2198"? ² For|strong = "G1063"
 the|strong = "G3588" woman|strong = "G1135" that|strong = "G1437"
 has|strong = "G3551" a|strong = "G1437" husband|strong = "G0435"
 is|strong = "G3588" bound|strong = "G1210" by|strong = "G0575"
 law|strong = "G3551" to|strong = "G0435" the|strong = "G3588"
 husband|strong = "G0435" while|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G1437"
 lives|strong = "G2198", but|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1437"
 the|strong = "G3588" husband|strong = "G0435" dies|strong = "G0599",
 she|strong = "G1437" is|strong = "G3588" discharged from|strong = "G0575"
 the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" of|strong = "G0575"
 the|strong = "G3588" husband|strong = "G0435". ³ So|strong = "G3767"
 then|strong = "G3767" if|strong = "G1437", while|strong = "G1510"
 the|strong = "G3588" husband|strong = "G0435" lives|strong = "G2198",
 she|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G1510" joined|strong = "G1096"
 to|strong = "G1096" another|strong = "G2087" man|strong = "G0435",
 she|strong = "G0846" would|strong = "G1096" be|strong = "G1510"
 called|strong = "G5537" an|strong = "G1510" adulteress|strong = "G3428".
 But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1437" the|strong = "G3588"
 husband|strong = "G0435" dies|strong = "G0599", she|strong = "G0846"

¹⁹ + 7:1 The word for "brothers" here and where context allows may also be correctly translated "brothers and sisters" or "siblings."

is|strong = "G1510" free|strong = "G1658" from|strong = "G0575"
the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551", so|strong = "G3767"
that|strong = "G1096" she|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G1510"
no|strong = "G3361" adulteress|strong = "G3428", though|strong = "G1161"
she|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G1510" joined|strong = "G1096"
to|strong = "G1096" another|strong = "G2087" man|strong = "G0435". ⁴
Therefore|strong = "G5620", my|strong = "G1096" brothers|strong = "G0080",
you|strong = "G5210" also|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G1096"
made|strong = "G1096" dead|strong = "G3498" to|strong = "G1519"
the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" through|strong = "G1223"
the|strong = "G3588" body|strong = "G4983" of|strong = "G1537"
Christ|strong = "G5547", that|strong = "G2443" you|strong = "G5210"
would|strong = "G5547" be|strong = "G1096" joined|strong = "G1096"
to|strong = "G1519" another|strong = "G2087", to|strong = "G1519"
him|strong = "G2532" who|strong = "G3588" was|strong = "G3588"
raised|strong = "G1453" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588"
dead|strong = "G3498", that|strong = "G2443" we|strong = "G2532"
might|strong = "G2532" produce fruit|strong = "G2592" to|strong = "G1519"
God|strong = "G2316". ⁵ For|strong = "G1063" when|strong = "G3753"
we|strong = "G2249" were|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722"
the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561", the|strong = "G3588"
sinful|strong = "G0266" passions|strong = "G3804" which|strong = "G3588"
were|strong = "G1510" through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588"
law|strong = "G3551" worked|strong = "G1754" in|strong = "G1722"
our|strong = "G1223" members|strong = "G3196" to|strong = "G1519"
bring|strong = "G1519" out|strong = "G1510" fruit|strong = "G2592"
to|strong = "G1519" death|strong = "G2288". ⁶ But|strong = "G1161"
now|strong = "G1161" we|strong = "G2249" have|strong = "G2532"
been|strong = "G2532" discharged from|strong = "G0575"
the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551", having|strong = "G4151"
died|strong = "G0599" to|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G3739"
in|strong = "G1722" which|strong = "G3739" we|strong = "G2249"
were|strong = "G3739" held; so|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G3739"
we|strong = "G2249" serve|strong = "G1398" in|strong = "G1722"
newness|strong = "G2538" of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588"
spirit|strong = "G4151", and|strong = "G2532" not|strong = "G3756"
in|strong = "G1722" oldness|strong = "G3821" of|strong = "G4151"
the|strong = "G3588" letter|strong = "G1121".

7What|strong = "G5101" shall we|strong = "G1487" say|strong = "G3004"
then|strong = "G3767"? Is|strong = "G5101" the|strong = "G3588"
law|strong = "G3551" sin|strong = "G0266"? May|strong = "G3004"
it|strong = "G1223" never|strong = "G3756" be|strong = "G1096"!
However|strong = "G0235", I|strong = "G1487" wouldn't
have|strong = "G1096" known|strong = "G1097" sin|strong = "G0266"

except through the law of G3551. For I G1487 wouldn't have G1096 known G1097 coveting G1939 unless G1487 the G3588 law G3551 had G3588 said G3004, "You G1487 shall not G3756 covet G1937." ²⁰ ⁸ But G1161 sin G0266, finding occasion G0874 through G1223 the G3956 commandment G1785, produced G2716 in G1722 me G1473 all G3956 kinds G3956 of G1223 coveting G1939. For G1063 apart G5565 from G5565 the G3956 law G3551, sin G0266 is G3588 dead G3498. ⁹ I G1473 was G3588 alive G2198 apart G5565 from G2064 the G3588 law G3551 once G4218, but G1161 when G1161 the G3588 commandment G1785 came G2064, sin G0266 revived and G1161 I G1473 died. ¹⁰ The G3588 commandment G1785 which G3588 was G3588 for G1519 life G2222, this G3778 I G1473 found G2147 to G1519 be G2532 for G1519 death G2288; ¹¹ for G1063 sin G0266, finding occasion G0874 through G1223 the G3588 commandment G1785, deceived G1818 me G1473, and G2532 through G1223 it G0846 killed G0615 me G1473. ¹² Therefore G5620 the G3588 law G3551 indeed G2532 is G0018 holy G0040, and G2532 the G3588 commandment G1785 holy G0040, righteous G1342, and G2532 good G0018.

¹³ Did G1096 then G3767 that G2443 which G3588 is G0018 good G0018 become G1096 death G2288 to G2443 me G1473? May G2443 it G1223 never G3361 be G1096! But G0235 sin G0266, that G2443 it G1223 might G1473 be G1096 shown G5316 to G2443 be G1096 sin G0266, was G3588 producing G2716 death G2288

²⁰ + 7:7 Exodus 20:17; Deuteronomy 5:21

in|strong="G2596" me|strong="G1473" through|strong="G1223" that|strong="G2443" which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G0018" good|strong="G0018"; that|strong="G2443" through|strong="G1223" the|strong="G3588" commandment|strong="G1785" sin|strong="G0266" might|strong="G1473" become|strong="G1096" exceedingly sinful|strong="G0268". ¹⁴ For|strong="G1063" we|strong="G3754" know|strong="G1492" that|strong="G3754" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551" is|strong="G1510" spiritual|strong="G4152", but|strong="G1161" I|strong="G1473" am|strong="G1510" fleshly, sold|strong="G4097" under|strong="G5259" sin|strong="G0266". ¹⁵ For|strong="G1063" I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" understand|strong="G1097" what|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" am|strong="G2309" doing|strong="G4160". For|strong="G1063" I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" practice|strong="G4160" what|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" desire|strong="G2309" to|strong="G2309" do|strong="G4160"; but|strong="G0235" what|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" hate|strong="G3404", that|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" do|strong="G4160". ¹⁶ But|strong="G1161" if|strong="G1487" what|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" desire|strong="G2309", that|strong="G3754" I|strong="G3739" do|strong="G4160", I|strong="G3739" consent to|strong="G2309" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551" that|strong="G3754" it|strong="G4160" is|strong="G3778" good|strong="G2570". ¹⁷ So|strong="G1161" now|strong="G1161" it|strong="G0846" is|strong="G3588" no|strong="G3765" more|strong="G3765" I|strong="G1473" that|strong="G0846" do it|strong="G0846", but|strong="G1161" sin|strong="G0266" which|strong="G3588" dwells|strong="G3611" in|strong="G1722" me|strong="G1473". ¹⁸ For|strong="G1063" I|strong="G1473" know|strong="G1492" that|strong="G3754" in|strong="G1722" me|strong="G1473", that|strong="G3754" is|strong="G1510", in|strong="G1722" my|strong="G1722" flesh|strong="G4561", dwells|strong="G3611" no|strong="G3756" good|strong="G0018" thing|strong="G0018". For|strong="G1063" desire|strong="G2309" is|strong="G1510" present|strong="G3873" with|strong="G1722" me|strong="G1473", but|strong="G1161" I|strong="G1473" don't|strong="G3756" find it|strong="G1161" doing|strong="G2716" that|strong="G3754" which|strong="G3748" is|strong="G1510" good|strong="G0018". ¹⁹ For|strong="G1063" the|strong="G4160" good|strong="G0018" which|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" desire|strong="G2309", I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" do|strong="G4160"; but|strong="G0235" the|strong="G4160" evil|strong="G2556" which|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" desire|strong="G2309", that|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" practice|strong="G4160". ²⁰ But|strong="G1161" if|strong="G1487" what|strong="G3739"

I|strong = "G1473" don't|strong = "G3756" desire|strong = "G2309",
 that|strong = "G3739" I|strong = "G1473" do|strong = "G4160",
 it|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G3778" no|strong = "G3756"
 more|strong = "G3765" I|strong = "G1473" that|strong = "G3739"
 do|strong = "G4160" it|strong = "G0846", but|strong = "G1161"
 sin|strong = "G0266" which|strong = "G3739" dwells|strong = "G3611"
 in|strong = "G1722" me|strong = "G1473". ²¹ I|strong = "G1473"
 find|strong = "G2147" then|strong = "G0686" the|strong = "G3588"
 law|strong = "G3551" that|strong = "G3754", while|strong = "G3754"
 I|strong = "G1473" desire|strong = "G2309" to|strong = "G2309"
 do|strong = "G4160" good|strong = "G2570", evil|strong = "G2556"
 is|strong = "G3588" present|strong = "G3873". ²² For|strong = "G1063"
 I|strong = "G2316" delight in|strong = "G2596" God's|strong = "G2316"
 law|strong = "G3551" after|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588" inward
 person|strong = "G0444", ²³ but|strong = "G1161" I|strong = "G1473"
 see|strong = "G0991" a|strong = "G1510" different|strong = "G2087"
 law|strong = "G3551" in|strong = "G1722" my|strong = "G1722"
 members|strong = "G3196", warring against|strong = "G1722"
 the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" of|strong = "G3551"
 my|strong = "G1722" mind|strong = "G3563", and|strong = "G2532" bringing
 me|strong = "G1473" into|strong = "G1722" captivity under|strong = "G1722"
 the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551" of|strong = "G3551"
 sin|strong = "G0266" which|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G1510"
 in|strong = "G1722" my|strong = "G1722" members|strong = "G3196". ²⁴
 What|strong = "G5101" a|strong = "G0444" wretched|strong = "G5005"
 man|strong = "G0444" I|strong = "G1473" am|strong = "G1473"!
 Who|strong = "G3588" will|strong = "G5101" deliver|strong = "G4506"
 me|strong = "G1473" out|strong = "G1537" of|strong = "G1537"
 the|strong = "G3588" body|strong = "G4983" of|strong = "G1537"
 this|strong = "G3778" death|strong = "G2288"? ²⁵ I|strong = "G1473"
 thank|strong = "G5485" God|strong = "G2316" through|strong = "G1223"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547", our|strong = "G2316"
 Lord|strong = "G2962"! So|strong = "G3767" then|strong = "G3767"
 with|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" mind|strong = "G3563",
 I|strong = "G1473" myself|strong = "G0846" serve|strong = "G1398"
 God's|strong = "G2316" law|strong = "G3551", but|strong = "G1161"
 with|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561",
 sin's|strong = "G0266" law|strong = "G3551".

⁸There|strong = "G1722" is|strong = "G3588" therefore|strong = "G0686"
 now|strong = "G3568" no|strong = "G3762" condemnation|strong = "G2631"
 to|strong = "G1722" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588"
 are|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424", who|strong = "G3588" don't walk according
 to|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" flesh, but|strong = "G3762"

according to|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit. ²¹ ²
 For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551"
 of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151"
 of|strong = "G4151" life|strong = "G2222" in|strong = "G1722"
 Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424" made me
 free|strong = "G1659" from|strong = "G0575" the|strong = "G3588"
 law|strong = "G3551" of|strong = "G4151" sin|strong = "G0266"
 and|strong = "G2532" of|strong = "G4151" death|strong = "G2288". ³
 For|strong = "G1063" what|strong = "G3739" the|strong = "G3588"
 law|strong = "G3551" couldn't do|strong = "G2532", in|strong = "G1722"
 that|strong = "G3739" it|strong = "G1223" was|strong = "G3739"
 weak|strong = "G0770" through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3588"
 flesh|strong = "G4561", God|strong = "G2316" did, sending|strong = "G3992"
 his|strong = "G4012" own|strong = "G1438" Son|strong = "G5207"
 in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" likeness|strong = "G3667"
 of|strong = "G5207" sinful|strong = "G0266" flesh|strong = "G4561"
 and|strong = "G2532" for|strong = "G1063" sin|strong = "G0266",
 he|strong = "G2532" condemned|strong = "G2632" sin|strong = "G0266"
 in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561", ⁴
 that|strong = "G2443" the|strong = "G3588" ordinance|strong = "G1345"
 of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588" law|strong = "G3551"
 might|strong = "G1473" be|strong = "G3361" fulfilled|strong = "G4137"
 in|strong = "G1722" us|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588"
 don't|strong = "G3361" walk|strong = "G4043" according|strong = "G2596"
 to|strong = "G2443" the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561",
 but|strong = "G0235" according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2443"
 the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151". ⁵ For|strong = "G1063"
 those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" live|strong = "G5426"
 according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588"
 flesh|strong = "G4561" set|strong = "G5426" their|strong = "G2596"
 minds|strong = "G5426" on|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588"
 things|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588"
 flesh|strong = "G4561", but|strong = "G1161" those|strong = "G3588"
 who|strong = "G3588" live|strong = "G5426" according|strong = "G2596"
 to|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151",
 the|strong = "G3588" things|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G4151"
 the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151". ⁶ For|strong = "G1063"
 the|strong = "G3588" mind|strong = "G5427" of|strong = "G4151"
 the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561" is|strong = "G3588"
 death|strong = "G2288", but|strong = "G1161" the|strong = "G3588"
 mind|strong = "G5427" of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588"
 Spirit|strong = "G4151" is|strong = "G3588" life|strong = "G2222"
 and|strong = "G2532" peace|strong = "G1515"; ⁷ because|strong = "G1063"
 the|strong = "G3588" mind|strong = "G5427" of|strong = "G2316"

²¹ + 8:1 NU omits "who don't walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit"

the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561" is|strong = "G2316" hostile toward|strong = "G1519" God|strong = "G2316", for|strong = "G1063" it|strong = "G1519" is|strong = "G2316" not|strong = "G3756" subject|strong = "G5293" to|strong = "G1519" God's|strong = "G2316" law|strong = "G3551", neither|strong = "G3756" indeed|strong = "G1063" can|strong = "G1410" it|strong = "G1519" be|strong = "G2316". ⁸ Those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" flesh|strong = "G4561" can't|strong = "G3756" please|strong = "G0700" God|strong = "G2316".

⁹But|strong = "G1161" you|strong = "G5210" are|strong = "G1510" not|strong = "G3756" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G2192" flesh|strong = "G4561" but|strong = "G1161" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G2192" Spirit|strong = "G4151", if|strong = "G1487" it|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G1510" so|strong = "G1161" that|strong = "G3778" the|strong = "G2192" Spirit|strong = "G4151" of|strong = "G4151" God|strong = "G2316" dwells|strong = "G3611" in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5210". But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" any|strong = "G5100" man|strong = "G3778" doesn't|strong = "G3756" have|strong = "G2192" the|strong = "G2192" Spirit|strong = "G4151" of|strong = "G4151" Christ|strong = "G5547", he|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G1510" not|strong = "G3756" his|strong = "G0846". ¹⁰ If|strong = "G1487" Christ|strong = "G5547" is|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5210", the|strong = "G3588" body|strong = "G4983" is|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498" because|strong = "G1223" of|strong = "G4151" sin|strong = "G0266", but|strong = "G1161" the|strong = "G3588" spirit|strong = "G4151" is|strong = "G3588" alive|strong = "G2222" because|strong = "G1223" of|strong = "G4151" righteousness|strong = "G1343". ¹¹ But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151" of|strong = "G1537" him|strong = "G0846" who|strong = "G3588" raised|strong = "G1453" up|strong = "G1453" Jesus|strong = "G2424" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498" dwells|strong = "G3611" in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5210", he|strong = "G2532" who|strong = "G3588" raised|strong = "G1453" up|strong = "G1453" Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498" will|strong = "G2532" also|strong = "G2532" give|strong = "G2227" life|strong = "G2227" to|strong = "G2532" your|strong = "G1487" mortal|strong = "G2349" bodies|strong = "G4983" through|strong = "G1223" his|strong = "G0846" Spirit|strong = "G4151" who|strong = "G3588" dwells|strong = "G3611" in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5210".

12 So we are debtors, not flesh after flesh. ¹³ For live flesh must die; but you by death of life will live. ¹⁴ For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are children of God. ¹⁵ For you didn't receive of bondage to fear, but you received of adoption, whom we cry, "Abba! ²² Father!"

16 The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are children of God; ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with him, that we may also be glorified with him.

²² + **8:15** Abba is an Aramaic word for "Father" or "Daddy", which can be used affectionately and respectfully in prayer to our Father in heaven.

18 For I consider that the sufferings of this time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which will be revealed toward us.¹⁹ For the creation waits with eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed.²⁰ For the creation was subjected to vanity, not of its own will, but because of him who subjected it, in that the creation itself also will be delivered from the bondage of decay into the liberty of the glory of the children of God.²² For we know the whole creation groans and travails in pain together until now.²³ Not only so, but we ourselves also, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within, waiting for the adoption, the redemption of our body.²⁴ For we were saved in hope, but hope is seen is not hope. For who

hopes for that which he sees?²⁵

But if we hope for that which we don't see, we wait for it with patience.

In the same way, the Spirit also helps our weaknesses, for we don't know how to pray, we ought. But the Spirit himself makes intercession for us with groanings which can't be searched, he knows what is on the Spirit's mind, because he makes intercession for the saints according to God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, those who are called according to his purpose. For whom he also predestined to be like the image of his Son, he might be the firstborn among

many|strong="G4183" brothers|strong="G0080".²³ ³⁰
 Whom|strong="G3739" he|strong="G2532" predestined|strong="G4309",
 those|strong="G3778" he|strong="G2532" also|strong="G2532"
 called|strong="G2564". Whom|strong="G3739" he|strong="G2532"
 called|strong="G2564", those|strong="G3778" he|strong="G2532"
 also|strong="G2532" justified|strong="G1344". Whom|strong="G3739"
 he|strong="G2532" justified|strong="G1344", those|strong="G3778"
 he|strong="G2532" also|strong="G2532" glorified|strong="G1392".

31What|strong="G5101" then|strong="G3767" shall|strong="G3778"
 we|strong="G2249" say|strong="G3004" about|strong="G5228"
 these|strong="G3778" things|strong="G3778"? If|strong="G1487"
 God|strong="G2316" is|strong="G2316" for|strong="G5228"
 us|strong="G3004", who|strong="G3588" can|strong="G3004"
 be|strong="G2316" against|strong="G2596" us|strong="G3004"? ³²
 He|strong="G2532" who|strong="G3739" didn't|strong="G3756"
 spare|strong="G5339" his|strong="G0846" own|strong="G2398"
 Son|strong="G5207", but|strong="G0235" delivered|strong="G3860"
 him|strong="G0846" up|strong="G3860" for|strong="G5228"
 us|strong="G5483" all|strong="G3956", how|strong="G4459"
 would|strong="G0846" he|strong="G2532" not|strong="G3756"
 also|strong="G2532" with|strong="G4862" him|strong="G0846"
 freely|strong="G5483" give|strong="G5483" us|strong="G5483"
 all|strong="G3956" things|strong="G3956"? ³³ Who|strong="G3588"
 could bring|strong="G1458" a|strong="G2316" charge|strong="G1458"
 against|strong="G2596" God's|strong="G2316" chosen|strong="G1588"
 ones? It is|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316" who|strong="G3588"
 justifies|strong="G1344". ³⁴ Who|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510"
 he|strong="G2532" who|strong="G3739" condemns|strong="G2632"?
 It|strong="G1161" is|strong="G1510" Christ|strong="G5547"
 who|strong="G3739" died|strong="G0599", yes|strong="G1161"
 rather|strong="G3123", who|strong="G3739" was|strong="G1510"
 raised|strong="G1453" from|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588"
 dead|strong="G0599", who|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510"
 at|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" right|strong="G1188"
 hand|strong="G1188" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316",
 who|strong="G3739" also|strong="G2532" makes
 intercession|strong="G1793" for|strong="G5228" us|strong="G1722".

35Who|strong="G3588" shall|strong="G3162" separate|strong="G5563"
 us from|strong="G0575" the|strong="G3588" love|strong="G0026"
 of|strong="G0575" Christ|strong="G5547"? Could oppression,
 or|strong="G2228" anguish|strong="G2347", or|strong="G2228"

²³ + 8:29 The word for "brothers" here and where context allows may also be correctly translated "brothers and sisters" or "siblings."

persecution|strong = "G1375", or|strong = "G2228" famine|strong = "G3042",
 or|strong = "G2228" nakedness|strong = "G1132", or|strong = "G2228"
 peril|strong = "G2794", or|strong = "G2228" sword|strong = "G3162"? ³⁶
 Even as|strong = "G5613" it is|strong = "G3588" written|strong = "G1125",

“ For|strong = "G3754" your|strong = "G3650" sake|strong = "G1752"
 we|strong = "G3754" are|strong = "G3588" killed all|strong = "G3650"
 day|strong = "G2250" long|strong = "G2250".

W e|strong = "G3754" were|strong = "G3588" accounted
 as|strong = "G5613" sheep|strong = "G4263" for|strong = "G3754"
 the|strong = "G3588" slaughter|strong = "G4967".” ^{24 37}
 No|strong = "G0235", in|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3956"
 these|strong = "G3778" things|strong = "G3778" we|strong = "G2249"
 are|strong = "G3956" more|strong = "G3956" than conquerors
 through|strong = "G1223" him|strong = "G0025" who|strong = "G3588"
 loved|strong = "G0025" us|strong = "G1722". ³⁸ For|strong = "G1063"
 I|strong = "G3754" am|strong = "G3195" persuaded|strong = "G3982"
 that|strong = "G3754" neither|strong = "G3777" death|strong = "G2288",
 nor|strong = "G3777" life|strong = "G2222", nor|strong = "G3777"
 angels|strong = "G0032", nor|strong = "G3777"
 principalities|strong = "G0746", nor|strong = "G3777"
 things|strong = "G3195" present|strong = "G1764", nor|strong = "G3777"
 things|strong = "G3195" to|strong = "G3195" come|strong = "G3195",
 nor|strong = "G3777" powers|strong = "G1411", ³⁹ nor|strong = "G3777"
 height|strong = "G5313", nor|strong = "G3777" depth|strong = "G0899",
 nor|strong = "G3777" any|strong = "G5100" other|strong = "G2087"
 created|strong = "G2937" thing|strong = "G5313" will|strong = "G2316"
 be|strong = "G2316" able|strong = "G1410" to|strong = "G1410"
 separate|strong = "G5563" us|strong = "G1722" from|strong = "G0575"
 God’s|strong = "G2316" love|strong = "G0026" which|strong = "G3588"
 is|strong = "G2316" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" our|strong = "G2316" Lord|strong = "G2962".

9I|strong = "G1473" tell|strong = "G3004" the|strong = "G3588"
 truth|strong = "G0225" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547".
 I|strong = "G1473" am|strong = "G1473" not|strong = "G3756"
 lying|strong = "G5574", my|strong = "G1722" conscience|strong = "G4893"
 testifying with|strong = "G1722" me|strong = "G3004" in|strong = "G1722"
 the|strong = "G3588" Holy|strong = "G0040" Spirit|strong = "G4151" ²
 that|strong = "G3754" I|strong = "G1473" have|strong = "G1510"
 great|strong = "G3173" sorrow|strong = "G3077" and|strong = "G2532"
 unceasing|strong = "G0088" pain|strong = "G3077" in|strong = "G2532"

²⁴ + 8:36 Psalm 44:22

my|strong="G3754" heart|strong="G2588". ³ For|strong="G1063" I|strong="G1473" could wish|strong="G2172" that|strong="G0846" I|strong="G1473" myself|strong="G0846" were|strong="G1510" accursed|strong="G0331" from|strong="G0575" Christ|strong="G5547" for|strong="G1063" my|strong="G2596" brothers' sake|strong="G5228", my|strong="G2596" relatives|strong="G4773" according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G2596" the|strong="G3588" flesh|strong="G4561" ⁴ who|strong="G3739" are|strong="G1510" Israelites|strong="G2475"; whose|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3588" adoption|strong="G5206", the|strong="G3588" glory|strong="G1391", the|strong="G3588" covenants|strong="G1242", the|strong="G3588" giving|strong="G3548" of|strong="G1391" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3548", the|strong="G3588" service|strong="G2999", and|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" promises|strong="G1860"; ⁵ of|strong="G1537" whom|strong="G3739" are|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3956" fathers|strong="G3962", and|strong="G2532" from|strong="G1537" whom|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510" Christ|strong="G5547" as|strong="G1519" concerning|strong="G1909" the|strong="G3956" flesh|strong="G4561", who|strong="G3739" is|strong="G1510" over|strong="G1909" all|strong="G3956", God|strong="G2316", blessed|strong="G2128" forever|strong="G0165". Amen|strong="G0281".

⁶But|strong="G1161" it|strong="G1161" is|strong="G2316" not|strong="G3756" as|strong="G1161" though|strong="G1161" the|strong="G3956" word|strong="G3056" of|strong="G1537" God|strong="G2316" has|strong="G2316" come|strong="G1537" to|strong="G3778" nothing|strong="G3756". For|strong="G1063" they|strong="G3754" are|strong="G3956" not|strong="G3756" all|strong="G3956" Israel|strong="G2474" that|strong="G3754" are|strong="G3956" of|strong="G1537" Israel|strong="G2474". ⁷ Neither|strong="G3761", because|strong="G3754" they|strong="G3754" are|strong="G1510" Abraham's|strong="G0011" offspring, are|strong="G1510" they|strong="G3754" all|strong="G3956" children|strong="G5043". But|strong="G0235", "your|strong="G3956" offspring will|strong="G1510" be|strong="G1510" accounted as|strong="G1722" from|strong="G1722" Isaac|strong="G2464"." ²⁵ ⁸ That|strong="G3778" is|strong="G1510", it|strong="G3778" is|strong="G1510" not|strong="G3756" the|strong="G3588" children|strong="G5043" of|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3588" flesh|strong="G4561" who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G1510" children|strong="G5043" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316", but|strong="G0235" the|strong="G3588" children|strong="G5043" of|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3588" promise|strong="G1860"

²⁵ + 9:7 Genesis 21:12

are counted as heirs.⁹
 For this is
 a word of
 promise: “At the time I appointed Sarah will have son.”²⁶ ¹⁰ Not only so also conceived by one father Isaac.¹¹ For being neither anything bad purpose according might of of calls said “The elder will the younger.”²⁸ ¹³
 Even as it is written, “Jacob I loved, but Esau I hated.”²⁹

14What shall we say then? Is there with it? For to will on have I will

²⁶ + 9:9 Genesis 18:10,14

²⁷ + 9:11 NU puts the phrase “not of works, but of him who calls” at the beginning of verse 12 instead of the end of verse 11.

²⁸ + 9:12 Genesis 25:23

²⁹ + 9:13 Malachi 1:2-3

compassion|strong="G3627" on|strong="G1653" whom|strong="G3739" I|strong="G3739" have|strong="G1653" compassion|strong="G3627".³⁰

¹⁶ So|strong="G3767" then|strong="G3767" it|strong="G0686" is|strong="G2316" not|strong="G3756" of|strong="G2316" him|strong="G2309" who|strong="G3588" wills|strong="G2309", nor|strong="G3761" of|strong="G2316" him|strong="G2309" who|strong="G3588" runs|strong="G5143", but|strong="G0235" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316" who|strong="G3588" has|strong="G2316" mercy|strong="G1653".¹⁷ For|strong="G1063" the|strong="G3956" Scripture|strong="G1124" says|strong="G3004" to|strong="G1519" Pharaoh|strong="G5328", "For|strong="G1063" this|strong="G3778" very|strong="G0846" purpose|strong="G0846" I|strong="G1473" caused you|strong="G4771" to|strong="G1519" be|strong="G2532" raised|strong="G1825" up|strong="G1519", that|strong="G3754" I|strong="G1473" might|strong="G2532" show|strong="G1731" in|strong="G1722" you|strong="G4771" my|strong="G3956" power|strong="G1411", and|strong="G2532" that|strong="G3754" my|strong="G3956" name|strong="G3686" might|strong="G2532" be|strong="G2532" proclaimed|strong="G1229" in|strong="G1722" all|strong="G3956" the|strong="G3956" earth|strong="G1093".³¹ ¹⁸ So|strong="G3767" then|strong="G3767", he|strong="G3739" has|strong="G3739" mercy|strong="G1653" on|strong="G1653" whom|strong="G3739" he|strong="G3739" desires|strong="G2309", and|strong="G1161" he|strong="G3739" hardens|strong="G4645" whom|strong="G3739" he|strong="G3739" desires|strong="G2309".

¹⁹ You|strong="G3004" will|strong="G5101" say|strong="G3004" then|strong="G3767" to|strong="G3004" me|strong="G3004", "Why|strong="G5101" does|strong="G5101" he|strong="G0846" still|strong="G2089" find|strong="G3201" fault|strong="G3201"? For|strong="G1063" who|strong="G3588" withstands his|strong="G0846" will|strong="G5101"?"²⁰ But|strong="G2316" indeed|strong="G3304", O|strong="G5599" man|strong="G0444", who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G1510" you|strong="G4771" to|strong="G3004" reply|strong="G0470" against|strong="G3361" God|strong="G2316"? Will|strong="G2316" the|strong="G3588" thing|strong="G4110" formed|strong="G4160" ask|strong="G3004" him|strong="G4160" who|strong="G3588" formed|strong="G4160" it|strong="G4160", "Why|strong="G5101" did|strong="G4160" you|strong="G4771" make|strong="G4160" me|strong="G3004" like|strong="G3779" this|strong="G3779"?"³² ²¹ Or|strong="G2228" hasn't|strong="G3756"

³⁰ + 9:15 Exodus 33:19

³¹ + 9:17 Exodus 9:16

³² + 9:20 Isaiah 29:16; 45:9

the|strong = "G3588" potter|strong = "G2763" a|strong = "G2192"
 right|strong = "G1849" over|strong = "G1849" the|strong = "G3588"
 clay|strong = "G4081", from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588"
 same|strong = "G0846" lump|strong = "G5445" to|strong = "G1519"
 make|strong = "G4160" one|strong = "G3739" part|strong = "G0846"
 a|strong = "G2192" vessel|strong = "G4632" for|strong = "G1519"
 honor|strong = "G5092", and|strong = "G1161" another for|strong = "G1519"
 dishonor|strong = "G0819"? ²² What|strong = "G3588" if|strong = "G1487"
 God|strong = "G2316", willing|strong = "G2309" to|strong = "G1519"
 show|strong = "G1731" his|strong = "G0846" wrath|strong = "G3709"
 and|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G1519" make|strong = "G1107"
 his|strong = "G0846" power|strong = "G1415" known|strong = "G1107",
 endured|strong = "G5342" with|strong = "G1722" much|strong = "G4183"
 patience|strong = "G3115" vessels|strong = "G4632" of|strong = "G2316"
 wrath|strong = "G3709" prepared|strong = "G2675" for|strong = "G1519"
 destruction|strong = "G0684", ²³ and|strong = "G2532"
 that|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532"
 make|strong = "G1107" known|strong = "G1107" the|strong = "G3588"
 riches|strong = "G4149" of|strong = "G1391" his|strong = "G0846"
 glory|strong = "G1391" on|strong = "G1909" vessels|strong = "G4632"
 of|strong = "G1391" mercy|strong = "G1656", which|strong = "G3739"
 he|strong = "G2532" prepared|strong = "G4282" beforehand|strong = "G4282"
 for|strong = "G1519" glory|strong = "G1391"— ²⁴ us|strong = "G1537",
 whom|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G2532" also|strong = "G2532"
 called|strong = "G2564", not|strong = "G3756" from|strong = "G1537"
 the|strong = "G2532" Jews|strong = "G2453" only|strong = "G3440",
 but|strong = "G0235" also|strong = "G2532" from|strong = "G1537"
 the|strong = "G2532" Gentiles|strong = "G1484"? ²⁵ As|strong = "G5613"
 he|strong = "G2532" says|strong = "G3004" also|strong = "G2532"
 in|strong = "G1722" Hosea|strong = "G5617",

“ I|strong = "G1473" will|strong = "G2532" call|strong = "G2564"
 them|strong = "G1722" ‘my|strong = "G1722" people|strong = "G2992”,
 which|strong = "G3588" were|strong = "G2992" not|strong = "G3756"
 my|strong = "G1722" people|strong = "G2992”;

a nd|strong = "G2532" her ‘beloved|strong = "G0025”,
 who|strong = "G3588" was|strong = "G3588" not|strong = "G3756"
 beloved|strong = "G0025”.” ³³

26“It|strong = "G0846" will|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G1510"
 that|strong = "G3739" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
 place|strong = "G5117" where|strong = "G3757" it|strong = "G0846”

³³ + 9:25 Hosea 2:23

was|strong="G1510" said|strong="G2046" to|strong="G2532"
 them|strong="G0846", 'You|strong="G5210" are|strong="G1510"
 not|strong="G3756" my|strong="G1722" people|strong="G2992",'

t here|strong="G1563" they|strong="G0846" will|strong="G2316"
 be|strong="G1510" called|strong="G2564" 'children of|strong="G5207"
 the|strong="G3588" living|strong="G2198" God|strong="G2316"."³⁴

27Isaiah|strong="G2268" cries|strong="G2896"
 concerning|strong="G5228" Israel|strong="G2474",

“ If|strong="G1437" the|strong="G3588" number|strong="G0706"
 of|strong="G5207" the|strong="G3588" children of|strong="G5207"
 Israel|strong="G2474" are|strong="G1510" as|strong="G5613"
 the|strong="G3588" sand|strong="G0285" of|strong="G5207"
 the|strong="G3588" sea|strong="G2281",

i t|strong="G1437" is|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3588"
 remnant|strong="G3005" who|strong="G3588" will|strong="G1510"
 be|strong="G1510" saved|strong="G4982";

28for|strong="G1063" he|strong="G2532" will|strong="G2962" finish
 the|strong="G3588" work and|strong="G2532" cut it|strong="G4160"
 short in|strong="G1909" righteousness,

b ecause|strong="G1063" the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2962"
 will|strong="G2962" make|strong="G4160" a|strong="G4160" short work
 upon|strong="G1909" the|strong="G3588" earth|strong="G1093"."³⁵

29As|strong="G5613" Isaiah|strong="G2268" has|strong="G2962"
 said|strong="G1096" before,

“ Unless|strong="G1487" the|strong="G2532" Lord|strong="G2962"
 of|strong="G2962" Armies³⁶ had|strong="G2962" left|strong="G1459" us
 a|strong="G5613" seed|strong="G4690”,

w e|strong="G2249" would|strong="G0302" have|strong="G2532"
 become|strong="G1096" like|strong="G5613" Sodom|strong="G4670”,

³⁴ + 9:26 Hosea 1:10

³⁵ + 9:28 Isaiah 10:22-23

³⁶ + 9:29 Greek: Sabaoth (for Hebrew: Tze'va'ot)

and would have been made like Gomorrah.”³⁷

30What shall we say then? That Gentiles, who didn't follow after righteousness, attained righteousness, even the righteousness which of Israel, following after a law, didn't arrive at the law righteousness. Why? Because they didn't seek it by faith, but as it were by works of the law. They stumbled over the stumbling stone,³³ even as it is written,

“ Behold, I lay Zion a stumbling stone and a rock of offense”;

and no one who believes in him will be disappointed.”³⁹

10Brothers, my heart's desire and

³⁷ + 9:29 Isaiah 1:9

³⁸ + 9:33 “Behold”, from “ⲁⲩⲁⲩ”, means look at, take notice, observe, see, or gaze at. It is often used as an interjection.

³⁹ + 9:33 Isaiah 8:14; 28:16

my|strong="G1699" prayer|strong="G1162" to|strong="G1519"
 God|strong="G2316" is|strong="G2316" for|strong="G1519"
 Israel|strong="G0846", that|strong="G0846" they|strong="G0846"
 may|strong="G2532" be|strong="G2532" saved. ² For|strong="G1063"
 I|strong="G3754" testify|strong="G3140" about|strong="G2596"
 them|strong="G0846" that|strong="G3754" they|strong="G0846"
 have|strong="G2192" a|strong="G2192" zeal|strong="G2205"
 for|strong="G1063" God|strong="G2316", but|strong="G0235"
 not|strong="G3756" according|strong="G2596" to|strong="G2596"
 knowledge|strong="G1922". ³ For|strong="G1063" being
 ignorant|strong="G0050" of|strong="G2316" God's|strong="G2316"
 righteousness|strong="G1343", and|strong="G2532"
 seeking|strong="G2212" to|strong="G2212" establish|strong="G2476"
 their|strong="G2532" own|strong="G2398"
 righteousness|strong="G1343", they|strong="G2532"
 didn't|strong="G3756" subject|strong="G5293"
 themselves|strong="G2398" to|strong="G2212" the|strong="G3588"
 righteousness|strong="G1343" of|strong="G2316" God|strong="G2316".
⁴ For|strong="G1063" Christ|strong="G5547" is|strong="G3588"
 the|strong="G3956" fulfillment|strong="G5056" ⁴⁰ of|strong="G3551"
 the|strong="G3956" law|strong="G3551" for|strong="G1063"
 righteousness|strong="G1343" to|strong="G1519"
 everyone|strong="G3956" who|strong="G3588" believes|strong="G4100".

⁵For|strong="G1063" Moses|strong="G3475" writes|strong="G1125"
 about|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" righteousness|strong="G1343"
 of|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551",
 "The|strong="G3588" one|strong="G0444" who|strong="G3588"
 does|strong="G4160" them|strong="G0846" will|strong="G0444"
 live|strong="G2198" by|strong="G1722" them|strong="G0846"."⁴¹ ⁶
 But|strong="G1161" the|strong="G3588" righteousness|strong="G1343"
 which|strong="G5101" is|strong="G1510" of|strong="G1537"
 faith|strong="G4102" says|strong="G3004" this|strong="G3778",
 "Don't|strong="G3361" say|strong="G3004" in|strong="G1722"
 your|strong="G1722" heart|strong="G2588", 'Who|strong="G3588"
 will|strong="G1510" ascend|strong="G0305" into|strong="G1519"
 heaven|strong="G3772"?'⁴² (that|strong="G3004" is|strong="G1510",
 to|strong="G1519" bring|strong="G2609" Christ|strong="G5547"
 down|strong="G2609"); ⁷ or|strong="G2228", 'Who|strong="G3588"
 will|strong="G1510" descend|strong="G2597" into|strong="G1519"

⁴⁰ + 10:4 or, completion, or end

⁴¹ + 10:5 Leviticus 18:5

⁴² + 10:6 Deuteronomy 30:12

the|strong = "G3588" abyss|strong = "G0012"?⁴³ (that|strong = "G3778" is|strong = "G1510", to|strong = "G1519" bring|strong = "G0321" Christ|strong = "G5547" up|strong = "G1519" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498".)⁸ But|strong = "G0235" what|strong = "G5101" does|strong = "G1510" it|strong = "G3778" say|strong = "G3004"? "The|strong = "G3588" word|strong = "G4487" is|strong = "G1510" near|strong = "G1451" you|strong = "G4771", in|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2532" mouth|strong = "G4750" and|strong = "G2532" in|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2532" heart|strong = "G2588";"⁴⁴ that|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G1510", the|strong = "G3588" word|strong = "G4487" of|strong = "G1722" faith|strong = "G4102" which|strong = "G3739" we|strong = "G3739" preach|strong = "G2784":⁹ that|strong = "G3754" if|strong = "G1437" you|strong = "G4771" will|strong = "G2316" confess|strong = "G3670" with|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2962" mouth|strong = "G4750" that|strong = "G3754" Jesus|strong = "G2424" is|strong = "G2316" Lord|strong = "G2962" and|strong = "G2532" believe|strong = "G4100" in|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2962" heart|strong = "G2588" that|strong = "G3754" God|strong = "G2316" raised|strong = "G1453" him|strong = "G0846" from|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" dead|strong = "G3498", you|strong = "G4771" will|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G2532" saved|strong = "G4982".¹⁰ For|strong = "G1063" with|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G1161" heart|strong = "G2588" one believes|strong = "G4100" resulting|strong = "G1519" in|strong = "G1519" righteousness|strong = "G1343"; and|strong = "G1161" with|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G1161" mouth|strong = "G4750" confession is|strong = "G2588" made|strong = "G3670" resulting|strong = "G1519" in|strong = "G1519" salvation|strong = "G4991".¹¹ For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3956" Scripture|strong = "G1124" says|strong = "G3004", "Whoever|strong = "G3588" believes|strong = "G4100" in|strong = "G1909" him|strong = "G0846" will|strong = "G3956" not|strong = "G3756" be|strong = "G3956" disappointed."⁴⁵

¹²For|strong = "G1063" there|strong = "G1510" is|strong = "G1510" no|strong = "G3756" distinction|strong = "G1293" between|strong = "G0846" Jew|strong = "G2453" and|strong = "G2532" Greek|strong = "G1672"; for|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3956" same|strong = "G0846" Lord|strong = "G2962" is|strong = "G1510" Lord|strong = "G2962" of|strong = "G2962" all|strong = "G3956", and|strong = "G2532" is|strong = "G1510" rich|strong = "G4147" to|strong = "G1519" all|strong = "G3956" who|strong = "G3588" call|strong = "G1941" on|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846".¹³ For|strong = "G1063",

⁴³ + 10:7 Deuteronomy 30:13

⁴⁴ + 10:8 Deuteronomy 30:14

⁴⁵ + 10:11 Isaiah 28:16

“Whoever will call on the name of the Lord will be saved.”⁴⁶ How they will call on him they have not believed? How will they believe in him whom they have not heard? How will they hear without a preacher?¹⁵ And how will they preach unless they are sent? As it is written:

“How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the Good News of peace,

who bring glad tidings of good things!”⁴⁷

But they didn’t all listen to the glad news. For Isaiah says, “Lord, who has believed our report?”⁴⁸ So hearing comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.¹⁸ But I say, didn’t they hear? Yes, most certainly,

⁴⁶ + 10:13 Joel 2:32

⁴⁷ + 10:15 Isaiah 52:7

⁴⁸ + 10:16 Isaiah 53:1

“ Their|strong = "G0846" sound went|strong = "G1831"
out|strong = "G1831" into|strong = "G1519" all|strong = "G3956"
the|strong = "G3956" earth|strong = "G1093",

t heir|strong = "G0846" words|strong = "G4487" to|strong = "G1519"
the|strong = "G3956" ends|strong = "G4009" of|strong = "G1093"
the|strong = "G3956" world|strong = "G3625".”⁴⁹

19But|strong = "G0235" I|strong = "G1473" ask|strong = "G3004",
didn't|strong = "G3756" Israel|strong = "G2474" know|strong = "G1097"?
First|strong = "G4413" Moses|strong = "G3475" says|strong = "G3004",

“ I|strong = "G1473" will|strong = "G1484" provoke|strong = "G3949"
you|strong = "G5210" to|strong = "G3004" jealousy|strong = "G3863"
with|strong = "G1909" that|strong = "G1097" which is|strong = "G3004"
no|strong = "G3756" nation|strong = "G1484".

I |strong = "G1473" will|strong = "G1484" make|strong = "G3863"
you|strong = "G5210" angry with|strong = "G1909" a|strong = "G3004"
nation|strong = "G1484" void of|strong = "G1909"
understanding|strong = "G0801".”⁵⁰

20Isaiah|strong = "G2268" is|strong = "G3588" very|strong = "G2532"
bold|strong = "G0662" and|strong = "G2532" says|strong = "G3004",

“ I|strong = "G1473" was|strong = "G3588" found|strong = "G2147"
by|strong = "G1722" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588"
didn't|strong = "G3361" seek|strong = "G2212" me|strong = "G3004".

I |strong = "G1473" was|strong = "G3588" revealed to|strong = "G3004"
those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" didn't|strong = "G3361"
ask|strong = "G1905" for|strong = "G1722" me|strong = "G3004".”⁵¹

21But|strong = "G1161" about|strong = "G4314" Israel|strong = "G2474"
he|strong = "G2532" says|strong = "G3004", “All|strong = "G3650"
day|strong = "G2250" long|strong = "G2250" I|strong = "G1473" stretched out
my|strong = "G3004" hands|strong = "G5495" to|strong = "G4314"
a|strong = "G3004" disobedient|strong = "G0544" and|strong = "G2532"
contrary people|strong = "G2992”.”⁵²

⁴⁹ + 10:18 Psalm 19:4

⁵⁰ + 10:19 Deuteronomy 32:21

⁵¹ + 10:20 Isaiah 65:1

⁵² + 10:21 Isaiah 65:2

11|strong = "G1473" ask|strong = "G3004" then|strong = "G2532",
 did|strong = "G1510" God|strong = "G2316" reject his|strong = "G0846"
 people|strong = "G2992"? May|strong = "G2532" it|strong = "G0846"
 never|strong = "G3361" be|strong = "G1510"! For|strong = "G1063"
 I|strong = "G1473" also|strong = "G2532" am|strong = "G1510"
 an|strong = "G1510" Israelite|strong = "G2475", a|strong = "G1096"
 descendant|strong = "G4690" of|strong = "G1537"
 Abraham|strong = "G0011", of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588"
 tribe|strong = "G5443" of|strong = "G1537" Benjamin|strong = "G0958". ²
 God|strong = "G2316" didn't|strong = "G3756" reject his|strong = "G0846"
 people|strong = "G2992", whom|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G0846"
 foreknew|strong = "G4267". Or|strong = "G2228" don't|strong = "G3756"
 you|strong = "G3739" know|strong = "G1492" what|strong = "G5101"
 the|strong = "G3588" Scripture|strong = "G1124" says|strong = "G3004"
 about|strong = "G5613" Elijah|strong = "G2243"? How|strong = "G5613"
 he|strong = "G0846" pleads|strong = "G1793" with|strong = "G1722"
 God|strong = "G2316" against|strong = "G2596" Israel|strong = "G2474": ³
 "Lord|strong = "G2962", they|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2532"
 killed|strong = "G0615" your|strong = "G2962" prophets|strong = "G4396".
 They|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2532" broken
 down|strong = "G2679" your|strong = "G2962" altars|strong = "G2379".
 I|strong = "G1473" am|strong = "G2212" left alone|strong = "G3441",
 and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G2532" seek|strong = "G2212"
 my|strong = "G2212" life|strong = "G5590".⁵³ ⁴ But|strong = "G0235"
 how|strong = "G5101" does|strong = "G5101" God|strong = "G0846" answer
 him|strong = "G0846"? "I|strong = "G3004" have|strong = "G3748" reserved
 for|strong = "G3004" myself|strong = "G1683" seven|strong = "G2035"
 thousand|strong = "G2035" men|strong = "G0435" who|strong = "G3588"
 have|strong = "G3748" not|strong = "G3756" bowed|strong = "G2578"
 the|strong = "G3588" knee|strong = "G1119" to|strong = "G3004"
 Baal|strong = "G0896".⁵⁴ ⁵ Even|strong = "G2532" so|strong = "G3767"
 too|strong = "G2532" at|strong = "G1722" this|strong = "G3779"
 present|strong = "G3568" time|strong = "G2540" also|strong = "G2532"
 there|strong = "G1722" is|strong = "G3588" a|strong = "G1096"
 remnant|strong = "G3005" according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2596"
 the|strong = "G3588" election|strong = "G1589" of|strong = "G5485"
 grace|strong = "G5485". ⁶ And|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487"
 by|strong = "G1537" grace|strong = "G5485", then|strong = "G1161"
 it|strong = "G1161" is|strong = "G3588" no|strong = "G3765"
 longer|strong = "G3765" of|strong = "G1537" works|strong = "G2041";
 otherwise|strong = "G1893" grace|strong = "G5485" is|strong = "G3588"
 no|strong = "G3765" longer|strong = "G3765" grace|strong = "G5485".
 But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" it|strong = "G1161"

⁵³ + 11:3 1 Kings 19:10,14

⁵⁴ + 11:4 1 Kings 19:18

is|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G1537" works|strong = "G2041",
 it|strong = "G1161" is|strong = "G3588" no|strong = "G3765"
 longer|strong = "G3765" grace|strong = "G5485"; otherwise|strong = "G1893"
 work|strong = "G2041" is|strong = "G3588" no|strong = "G3765"
 longer|strong = "G3765" work|strong = "G2041".

7What|strong = "G5101" then|strong = "G3767"? That|strong = "G3739"
 which|strong = "G3739" Israel|strong = "G2474" seeks|strong = "G1934"
 for|strong = "G3778", that|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G3739"
 didn't|strong = "G3756" obtain|strong = "G2013", but|strong = "G1161"
 the|strong = "G3588" chosen|strong = "G1589" ones
 obtained|strong = "G2013" it|strong = "G1161", and|strong = "G1161"
 the|strong = "G3588" rest|strong = "G3062" were|strong = "G3778"
 hardened|strong = "G4456". ⁸ According as|strong = "G2531"
 it|strong = "G0846" is|strong = "G2316" written|strong = "G1125",
 "God|strong = "G2316" gave|strong = "G1325" them|strong = "G0846"
 a|strong = "G1325" spirit|strong = "G4151" of|strong = "G4151"
 stupor|strong = "G2659", eyes|strong = "G3788" that|strong = "G0191"
 they|strong = "G0846" should|strong = "G2316" not|strong = "G3361"
 see|strong = "G0991", and|strong = "G2532" ears|strong = "G3775"
 that|strong = "G0191" they|strong = "G0846" should|strong = "G2316"
 not|strong = "G3361" hear|strong = "G0191", to|strong = "G2193"
 this|strong = "G3588" very|strong = "G0846" day|strong = "G2250".⁵⁵

9David|strong = "G1138" says|strong = "G3004",

" Let|strong = "G1096" their|strong = "G0846" table|strong = "G5132"
 be|strong = "G1096" made|strong = "G1096" a|strong = "G1096"
 snare|strong = "G3803", a|strong = "G1096" trap|strong = "G3803",

a |strong = "G1096" stumbling|strong = "G4625" block|strong = "G4625",
 and|strong = "G2532" a|strong = "G1096" retribution|strong = "G0468"
 to|strong = "G1519" them|strong = "G0846".

10Let|strong = "G4654" their|strong = "G0846" eyes|strong = "G3788"
 be|strong = "G2532" darkened|strong = "G4654", that|strong = "G3956"
 they|strong = "G0846" may|strong = "G2532" not|strong = "G3361"
 see|strong = "G0991".

A lways|strong = "G1223" keep|strong = "G3361" their|strong = "G0846"
 backs|strong = "G3577" bent."⁵⁶

⁵⁵ + 11:8 Deuteronomy 29:4; Isaiah 29:10

⁵⁶ + 11:10 Psalm 69:22,23

11 I ask then, did they stumble that they might fall never by salvation to them, to those who provoke to jealousy. ¹² Now if their fall is the riches of the world, and their loss the riches of the Gentiles, how much more their fullness!

13 For I speak to you who are then as I am to the Gentiles, I glorify myself if I may provoke those who are my flesh, and may of them. ¹⁵ For if the rejection of them is the reconciling of the world, what would their acceptance be, but their life from the dead?

16 If the first fruit is holy, so is the lump. If the root is holy, so

are|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G3588" branches|strong = "G2798". ¹⁷
 But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487" some|strong = "G5100"
 of|strong = "G5100" the|strong = "G3588" branches|strong = "G2798"
 were|strong = "G1510" broken|strong = "G1575" off|strong = "G1575",
 and|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771", being|strong = "G1510"
 a|strong = "G1096" wild|strong = "G0065" olive|strong = "G1636",
 were|strong = "G1510" grafted|strong = "G1461" in|strong = "G1722"
 among|strong = "G1722" them|strong = "G0846" and|strong = "G2532"
 became|strong = "G1096" partaker|strong = "G4791" with|strong = "G1722"
 them|strong = "G0846" of|strong = "G5100" the|strong = "G3588"
 root|strong = "G4491" and|strong = "G2532" of|strong = "G5100"
 the|strong = "G3588" richness of|strong = "G5100" the|strong = "G3588"
 olive|strong = "G1636" tree|strong = "G1636", ¹⁸ don't|strong = "G3756"
 boast|strong = "G2620" over|strong = "G2620" the|strong = "G3588"
 branches|strong = "G2798". But|strong = "G1161" if|strong = "G1487"
 you|strong = "G4771" boast|strong = "G2620", remember
 that|strong = "G1161" it|strong = "G1161" is|strong = "G3588"
 not|strong = "G3756" you|strong = "G4771" who|strong = "G3588"
 support|strong = "G0941" the|strong = "G3588" root|strong = "G4491",
 but|strong = "G1161" the|strong = "G3588" root|strong = "G4491"
 supports|strong = "G0941" you|strong = "G4771". ¹⁹ You|strong = "G3004"
 will|strong = "G3004" say|strong = "G3004" then|strong = "G3767",
 "Branches|strong = "G2798" were|strong = "G2798" broken|strong = "G1575"
 off|strong = "G1575", that|strong = "G2443" I|strong = "G1473"
 might|strong = "G1473" be|strong = "G3767" grafted|strong = "G1461"
 in|strong = "G3004". ²⁰ True; by|strong = "G2476" their|strong = "G5426"
 unbelief|strong = "G0570" they|strong = "G1161" were|strong = "G3588"
 broken|strong = "G1575" off|strong = "G1575", and|strong = "G1161"
 you|strong = "G4771" stand|strong = "G2476" by|strong = "G2476"
 your|strong = "G5426" faith|strong = "G4102". Don't|strong = "G3361"
 be|strong = "G3361" conceited, but|strong = "G1161" fear|strong = "G5399";
²¹ for|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487" God|strong = "G2316"
 didn't|strong = "G3756" spare|strong = "G5339" the|strong = "G3588"
 natural|strong = "G5449" branches|strong = "G2798",
 neither|strong = "G3756" will|strong = "G2316" he|strong = "G1487"
 spare|strong = "G5339" you|strong = "G4771". ²² See|strong = "G3708"
 then|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588" goodness and|strong = "G2532"
 severity|strong = "G0663" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316".
 Toward|strong = "G1909" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588"
 fell|strong = "G4098", severity|strong = "G0663"; but|strong = "G1161"
 toward|strong = "G1909" you|strong = "G4771", goodness,
 if|strong = "G1437" you|strong = "G4771" continue|strong = "G1961"
 in|strong = "G1909" his|strong = "G3708" goodness;
 otherwise|strong = "G1893" you|strong = "G4771" also|strong = "G2532"
 will|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G2532" cut|strong = "G1581"
 off|strong = "G1581". ²³ They|strong = "G0846" also|strong = "G2548",

if|strong="G1437" they|strong="G0846" don't|strong="G3361" continue|strong="G1961" in|strong="G2316" their|strong="G0846" unbelief|strong="G0570", will|strong="G2316" be|strong="G1510" grafted|strong="G1461" in|strong="G2316", for|strong="G1063" God|strong="G2316" is|strong="G1510" able|strong="G1415" to|strong="G3825" graft them|strong="G0846" in|strong="G2316" again|strong="G3825". ²⁴ For|strong="G1063" if|strong="G1487" you|strong="G4771" were|strong="G3778" cut|strong="G1581" out|strong="G1537" of|strong="G1537" that|strong="G3778" which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G3778" by|strong="G1537" nature|strong="G5449" a|strong="G1487" wild|strong="G0065" olive|strong="G1636" tree|strong="G1636", and|strong="G2532" were|strong="G3778" grafted|strong="G1461" contrary|strong="G3844" to|strong="G1519" nature|strong="G5449" into|strong="G1519" a|strong="G1487" good olive|strong="G1636" tree|strong="G1636", how|strong="G4214" much|strong="G4214" more|strong="G3123" will|strong="G3778" these|strong="G3778", which|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3778" the|strong="G3588" natural|strong="G5449" branches, be|strong="G2532" grafted|strong="G1461" into|strong="G1519" their|strong="G2532" own|strong="G2398" olive|strong="G1636" tree|strong="G1636"?"

²⁵For|strong="G1063" I|strong="G3739" don't|strong="G3756" desire|strong="G2309" you|strong="G5210" to|strong="G2443" be|strong="G1510" ignorant|strong="G0050", brothers|strong="G0080", ⁵⁷ of|strong="G0575" this|strong="G3778" mystery|strong="G3466", so|strong="G2443" that|strong="G3754" you|strong="G5210" won't|strong="G3756" be|strong="G1510" wise|strong="G5429" in|strong="G1096" your|strong="G1438" own|strong="G1438" conceits, that|strong="G3754" a|strong="G1096" partial|strong="G3313" hardening|strong="G4457" has|strong="G3739" happened|strong="G1096" to|strong="G2443" Israel|strong="G2474", until|strong="G0891" the|strong="G3588" fullness|strong="G4138" of|strong="G0575" the|strong="G3588" Gentiles|strong="G1484" has|strong="G3739" come|strong="G1096" in|strong="G1096", ²⁶ and|strong="G2532" so|strong="G2532" all|strong="G3956" Israel|strong="G2474" will|strong="G3956" be|strong="G2532" saved|strong="G4982". Even|strong="G2532" as|strong="G2531" it|strong="G3779" is|strong="G3588" written|strong="G1125",

“ There will|strong="G3956" come|strong="G2240" out|strong="G1537" of|strong="G1537" Zion|strong="G4622" the|strong="G3956" Deliverer|strong="G4506”,

⁵⁷ + 11:25 The word for “brothers” here and where context allows may also be correctly translated “brothers and sisters” or “siblings.”

and he will turn away from Jacob's ungodliness.

This is my covenant with them,

when I will take away their sins.⁵⁸

28Concerning the Good News, they are enemies for your sake. But concerning the election, they are beloved for the fathers' sake.²⁹ For the gifts and the calling are irrevocable.³⁰ For as you were in the past you are now disobedient to God, but now have obtained mercy by their disobedience, even so these also have now been disobedient, that by the mercy shown to you they may also obtain mercy.³² For God has bound all to disobedience, that he might have mercy on all.

33Oh the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and

⁵⁸ + 11:27 Isaiah 59:20-21; 27:9; Jeremiah 31:33-34

knowledge of God!
How unsearchable are his
his judgments, and
his ways past tracing out!

34“For who has
known the mind
of the Lord?”

Or who has
been his counselor?”⁵⁹

35“Or who has
first given to
him”,

and it will
be repaid to
him again?”⁶⁰

36For of him
and through him
and to him
are all things.
To him be
the glory for
ever! Amen.

12Therefore I urge
you, brothers, by
the mercies of
God, to present
your bodies as
living sacrifice,
acceptable to God,
which is your
spiritual service.
Don't be conformed
to this world,
but be transformed

⁵⁹ + 11:34 Isaiah 40:13

⁶⁰ + 11:35 Job 41:11

by|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588" renewing|strong = "G0342"
of|strong = "G2316" your|strong = "G2532" mind|strong = "G3563",
so|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G3778" you|strong = "G5210"
may|strong = "G2532" prove what|strong = "G5101" is|strong = "G2316"
the|strong = "G3588" good|strong = "G0018", well-pleasing|strong = "G2101",
and|strong = "G2532" perfect|strong = "G5046" will|strong = "G2307"
of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316".

3For|strong = "G1063" I|strong = "G1473" say|strong = "G3004"
through|strong = "G1223" the|strong = "G3956" grace|strong = "G5485"
that|strong = "G3739" was|strong = "G1510" given|strong = "G1325"
me|strong = "G1325", to|strong = "G1519" everyone|strong = "G3956"
who|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G1510" among|strong = "G1722"
you|strong = "G5210", not|strong = "G3361" to|strong = "G1519"
think|strong = "G5426" of|strong = "G1223" yourself|strong = "G4771"
more|strong = "G3956" highly|strong = "G5252" than|strong = "G3844"
you|strong = "G5210" ought|strong = "G1163" to|strong = "G1519"
think|strong = "G5426"; but|strong = "G0235" to|strong = "G1519"
think|strong = "G5426" reasonably, as|strong = "G5613"
God|strong = "G2316" has|strong = "G2316" apportioned|strong = "G3307"
to|strong = "G1519" each|strong = "G1538" person|strong = "G1538"
a|strong = "G5613" measure|strong = "G3358" of|strong = "G1223"
faith|strong = "G4102". ⁴ For|strong = "G1063" even|strong = "G1161"
as|strong = "G1722" we|strong = "G1161" have|strong = "G2192"
many|strong = "G4183" members|strong = "G3196" in|strong = "G1722"
one|strong = "G1520" body|strong = "G4983", and|strong = "G1161"
all|strong = "G3956" the|strong = "G3956" members|strong = "G3196"
don't|strong = "G3756" have|strong = "G2192" the|strong = "G3956"
same|strong = "G0846" function|strong = "G4234", ⁵ so|strong = "G3779"
we|strong = "G1161", who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G1510"
many|strong = "G4183", are|strong = "G1510" one|strong = "G1520"
body|strong = "G4983" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547",
and|strong = "G1161" individually members|strong = "G3196"
of|strong = "G1520" one|strong = "G1520" another|strong = "G0240", ⁶
having|strong = "G2192" gifts|strong = "G5486" differing
according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588"
grace|strong = "G5485" that|strong = "G1161" was|strong = "G3588"
given|strong = "G1325" to|strong = "G2596" us|strong = "G1325":
if|strong = "G1535" prophecy|strong = "G4394", let's prophesy
according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2596" the|strong = "G3588"
proportion|strong = "G0356" of|strong = "G5485" our|strong = "G2596"
faith|strong = "G4102"; ⁷ or|strong = "G1535" service|strong = "G1248", let's
give ourselves to|strong = "G1722" service|strong = "G1248";
or|strong = "G1535" he|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588"
teaches|strong = "G1321", to|strong = "G1722" his|strong = "G1722"

teaching|strong = "G1321"; ⁸ or|strong = "G1535" he|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588" exhorts|strong = "G3870", to|strong = "G1722" his|strong = "G1722" exhorting|strong = "G3870"; he|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588" gives|strong = "G3330", let him|strong = "G3870" do it with|strong = "G1722" generosity|strong = "G0572"; he|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588" rules, with|strong = "G1722" diligence|strong = "G4710"; he|strong = "G1722" who|strong = "G3588" shows|strong = "G1653" mercy|strong = "G1653", with|strong = "G1722" cheerfulness|strong = "G2432".

⁹Let love|strong = "G0026" be|strong = "G0018" without|strong = "G0505" hypocrisy|strong = "G0505". Abhor|strong = "G0655" that which|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G0018" evil|strong = "G4190". Cling|strong = "G2853" to|strong = "G0018" that which|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G0018" good|strong = "G0018". ¹⁰ In|strong = "G1519" love|strong = "G5360" of|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G3588" brothers be tenderly affectionate to|strong = "G1519" one|strong = "G0240" another|strong = "G0240"; in|strong = "G1519" honor|strong = "G5092" prefer one|strong = "G0240" another|strong = "G0240", ¹¹ not|strong = "G3361" lagging|strong = "G3636" in|strong = "G2962" diligence|strong = "G4710", fervent|strong = "G2204" in|strong = "G2962" spirit|strong = "G4151", serving|strong = "G1398" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962", ¹² rejoicing|strong = "G5463" in|strong = "G5463" hope|strong = "G1680", enduring in|strong = "G5463" troubles|strong = "G2347", continuing|strong = "G4342" steadfastly in|strong = "G5463" prayer|strong = "G4335", ¹³ contributing|strong = "G2841" to|strong = "G0040" the|strong = "G3588" needs|strong = "G5532" of|strong = "G0040" the|strong = "G3588" saints|strong = "G0040", and|strong = "G0040" given to|strong = "G0040" hospitality|strong = "G5381".

¹⁴Bless|strong = "G2127" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" persecute|strong = "G1377" you|strong = "G5210"; bless|strong = "G2127", and|strong = "G2532" don't|strong = "G3361" curse|strong = "G2672". ¹⁵ Rejoice|strong = "G5463" with|strong = "G3326" those who rejoice|strong = "G5463". Weep|strong = "G2799" with|strong = "G3326" those who weep|strong = "G2799". ¹⁶ Be|strong = "G1096" of|strong = "G3588" the|strong = "G3588" same|strong = "G0846" mind|strong = "G5426" one|strong = "G0240" toward|strong = "G1519" another|strong = "G0240". Don't|strong = "G3361" set|strong = "G5426" your|strong = "G5426" mind|strong = "G5426" on|strong = "G1519" high|strong = "G5308" things|strong = "G0846", but|strong = "G0235" associate|strong = "G4879" with|strong = "G3844" the|strong = "G3588" humble|strong = "G5011". Don't|strong = "G3361" be|strong = "G1096" wise|strong = "G5429" in|strong = "G1519" your|strong = "G5426"

own|strong="G1438" conceits. ¹⁷ Repay|strong="G0591"
no|strong="G3367" one|strong="G3367" evil|strong="G2556"
for|strong="G0473" evil|strong="G2556". Respect|strong="G3956"
what|strong="G2556" is|strong="G0444" honorable|strong="G2570"
in|strong="G3956" the|strong="G3956" sight|strong="G1799"
of|strong="G1799" all|strong="G3956" men|strong="G0444". ¹⁸
If|strong="G1487" it|strong="G1537" is|strong="G0444"
possible|strong="G1415", as|strong="G0444" much as|strong="G0444"
it|strong="G1537" is|strong="G0444" up to|strong="G0444"
you|strong="G5210", be|strong="G3956" at|strong="G1537"
peace|strong="G1514" with|strong="G3326" all|strong="G3956"
men|strong="G0444". ¹⁹ Don't|strong="G3361" seek
revenge|strong="G1556" yourselves|strong="G1438",
beloved|strong="G0027", but|strong="G0235" give|strong="G1325"
place|strong="G5117" to|strong="G3004" God's wrath|strong="G3709".
For|strong="G1063" it|strong="G3004" is|strong="G2962"
written|strong="G1125", "Vengeance|strong="G1557" belongs
to|strong="G3004" me|strong="G1325"; I|strong="G1473"
will|strong="G2962" repay|strong="G0467", says|strong="G3004"
the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2962"." ⁶¹ ²⁰ Therefore

" If|strong="G1437" your|strong="G1437" enemy|strong="G2190"
is|strong="G3778" hungry|strong="G3983", feed|strong="G5595"
him|strong="G0846".

I f|strong="G1437" he|strong="G0846" is|strong="G3778"
thirsty|strong="G1372", give|strong="G4160" him|strong="G0846"
a|strong="G4160" drink|strong="G4222";

f or|strong="G1063" in|strong="G1909" doing|strong="G4160"
so|strong="G1063", you|strong="G4771" will|strong="G3778"
heap|strong="G4987" coals|strong="G0440" of|strong="G1909"
fire|strong="G4442" on|strong="G1909" his|strong="G0846"
head|strong="G2776"." ⁶²

21Don't|strong="G3361" be|strong="G0018" overcome|strong="G3528"
by|strong="G1722" evil|strong="G2556", but|strong="G0235"
overcome|strong="G3528" evil|strong="G2556" with|strong="G1722"
good|strong="G0018".

⁶¹ + 12:19 Deuteronomy 32:35

⁶² + 12:20 Proverbs 25:21-22

13 Let every soul be subject to the higher authorities, for there is no authority except from God, and those who exist are ordained by God. ² Therefore he who resists the authority withstands the ordinance of God; and those who withstand will receive judgment to themselves. ³ For rulers are not a terror to the good work, but to the evil. Do you desire to have no fear of the authority? Do that which is good, and you will have praise from the authority, ⁴ for he is a servant of God in you for good. But if you do that which is evil, be afraid, for he doesn't bear the sword in vain; for he is a servant of God, an avenger for wrath to him who does evil. ⁵ Therefore you need to be subject, not only because of

the|strong="G3588" wrath|strong="G3709", but|strong="G0235" also|strong="G2532" for|strong="G1223" conscience'|strong="G4893" sake|strong="G1223". ⁶ For|strong="G1063" this|strong="G3778" reason|strong="G1223" you|strong="G1510" also|strong="G2532" pay|strong="G5055" taxes|strong="G5411", for|strong="G1063" they|strong="G0846" are|strong="G1510" servants|strong="G3011" of|strong="G1223" God's|strong="G2316" service, continually|strong="G1223" doing this|strong="G3778" very|strong="G0846" thing|strong="G3778". ⁷ Therefore give|strong="G0591" everyone|strong="G3956" what|strong="G3588" you|strong="G3956" owe: if you|strong="G3956" owe taxes|strong="G5411", pay|strong="G0591" taxes|strong="G5411"; if customs|strong="G5056", then|strong="G3956" customs|strong="G5056"; if respect|strong="G5092", then|strong="G3956" respect|strong="G5092"; if honor|strong="G5092", then|strong="G3956" honor|strong="G5092".

8Owe|strong="G3784" no|strong="G3361" one|strong="G0240" anything|strong="G3367", except|strong="G1487" to|strong="G3784" love|strong="G0025" one|strong="G0240" another|strong="G0240"; for|strong="G1063" he|strong="G1487" who|strong="G3588" loves|strong="G0025" his|strong="G0025" neighbor|strong="G2087" has|strong="G4137" fulfilled|strong="G4137" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551". ⁹ For|strong="G1063" the|strong="G3588" commandments|strong="G1785", "You|strong="G4771" shall|strong="G3778" not|strong="G3756" commit|strong="G3431" adultery|strong="G3431", " "You|strong="G4771" shall|strong="G3778" not|strong="G3756" murder|strong="G5407", " "You|strong="G4771" shall|strong="G3778" not|strong="G3756" steal|strong="G2813", " ⁶³ "You|strong="G4771" shall|strong="G3778" not|strong="G3756" covet|strong="G1937", " ⁶⁴ and|strong="G2532" whatever|strong="G5100" other|strong="G2087" commandments|strong="G1785" there|strong="G1722" are|strong="G3778", are|strong="G3778" all|strong="G3588" summed|strong="G0346" up in|strong="G1722" this|strong="G3778" saying|strong="G3056", namely|strong="G5613", "You|strong="G4771" shall|strong="G3778" love|strong="G0025" your|strong="G0025" neighbor|strong="G4139" as|strong="G5613" yourself|strong="G4572". " ⁶⁵ ¹⁰ Love|strong="G0026" doesn't|strong="G3756" harm|strong="G2556" a|strong="G3767" neighbor|strong="G4139". Love|strong="G0026" therefore|strong="G3767" is|strong="G3588" the|strong="G3588" fulfillment|strong="G4138" of|strong="G3551" the|strong="G3588" law|strong="G3551".

⁶³ + 13:9 TR adds "You shall not give false testimony,"

⁶⁴ + 13:9 Exodus 20:13-15,17; Deuteronomy 5:17-19,21

⁶⁵ + 13:9 Leviticus 19:18

11 Do this, knowing the time that it is already for you to awaken out of sleep, for salvation is now nearer to us than when we first believed. ¹² The night is far gone, and the day is near. Let's therefore throw off the deeds of darkness, and let's put on armor of light. ¹³ Let's walk properly, as in the day; not reveling and drunkenness, not in sexual promiscuity and lustful acts, and not in strife. ¹⁴ But put on patience, kindness, and the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, for its lusts.

14 Now accept one who is weak in faith, but not for disputes over opinions. ² One man has faith to eat all things, but he who is weak eats only vegetables. ³ Don't let him despise him who doesn't eat. Don't let him who

doesn't|strong="G3361" eat|strong="G2068" judge|strong="G2919"
 him|strong="G0846" who|strong="G3588" eats|strong="G2068",
 for|strong="G1063" God|strong="G2316" has|strong="G2316"
 accepted|strong="G4355" him|strong="G0846". ⁴ Who|strong="G3588"
 are|strong="G1510" you|strong="G4771" who|strong="G3588"
 judge|strong="G2919" another's|strong="G0245"
 servant|strong="G3610"? To|strong="G2228" his|strong="G0846"
 own|strong="G2398" lord|strong="G2962" he|strong="G0846"
 stands|strong="G2476" or|strong="G2228" falls|strong="G4098".
 Yes|strong="G1063", he|strong="G0846" will|strong="G1510"
 be|strong="G1510" made to|strong="G2228" stand|strong="G2476",
 for|strong="G1063" God|strong="G0846" has|strong="G2962" power
 to|strong="G2228" make|strong="G2476" him|strong="G0846"
 stand|strong="G2476".

5 One|strong="G1538" man|strong="G1538" esteems
 one|strong="G1538" day|strong="G2250" as|strong="G1722"
 more|strong="G3956" important. Another|strong="G2250" esteems
 every|strong="G3956" day|strong="G2250" alike. Let|strong="G2919"
 each|strong="G1538" man|strong="G1538" be|strong="G3956"
 fully|strong="G4135" assured|strong="G4135" in|strong="G1722"
 his|strong="G3956" own|strong="G2398" mind|strong="G3563". ⁶
 He|strong="G2532" who|strong="G3588" observes|strong="G5426"
 the|strong="G3588" day|strong="G2250", observes|strong="G5426"
 it|strong="G2532" to|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588"
 Lord|strong="G2962"; and|strong="G2532" he|strong="G2532"
 who|strong="G3588" does|strong="G2068" not|strong="G3756" observe
 the|strong="G3588" day|strong="G2250", to|strong="G2532"
 the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2962" he|strong="G2532"
 does|strong="G2068" not|strong="G3756" observe it|strong="G2532".
 He|strong="G2532" who|strong="G3588" eats|strong="G2068",
 eats|strong="G2068" to|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588"
 Lord|strong="G2962", for|strong="G1063" he|strong="G2532"
 gives|strong="G2168" God|strong="G2316" thanks|strong="G2168".
 He|strong="G2532" who|strong="G3588" doesn't|strong="G3756"
 eat|strong="G2068", to|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588"
 Lord|strong="G2962" he|strong="G2532" doesn't|strong="G3756"
 eat|strong="G2068", and|strong="G2532" gives|strong="G2168"
 God|strong="G2316" thanks|strong="G2168". ⁷ For|strong="G1063"
 none|strong="G3762" of|strong="G3762" us lives|strong="G2198"
 to|strong="G2532" himself|strong="G1438", and|strong="G2532"
 none|strong="G3762" dies|strong="G0599" to|strong="G2532"
 himself|strong="G1438". ⁸ For|strong="G1063" if|strong="G1437"
 we|strong="G1437" live|strong="G2198", we|strong="G1437"
 live|strong="G2198" to|strong="G1510" the|strong="G3588"

Lord|strong = "G2962". Or|strong = "G5037" if|strong = "G1437"
 we|strong = "G1437" die|strong = "G0599", we|strong = "G1437"
 die|strong = "G0599" to|strong = "G1510" the|strong = "G3588"
 Lord|strong = "G2962". If|strong = "G1437" therefore|strong = "G3767"
 we|strong = "G1437" live|strong = "G2198" or|strong = "G5037"
 die|strong = "G0599", we|strong = "G1437" are|strong = "G1510"
 the|strong = "G3588" Lord's|strong = "G2962". ⁹ For|strong = "G1063"
 to|strong = "G1519" this|strong = "G3778" end|strong = "G1519"
 Christ|strong = "G5547" died|strong = "G0599", rose, and|strong = "G2532"
 lived|strong = "G2198" again|strong = "G2532", that|strong = "G2443"
 he|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G2532"
 Lord|strong = "G2961" of|strong = "G1519" both|strong = "G2532"
 the|strong = "G2532" dead|strong = "G3498" and|strong = "G2532"
 the|strong = "G2532" living|strong = "G2198".

10But|strong = "G1161" you|strong = "G4771", why|strong = "G5101"
 do|strong = "G2919" you|strong = "G4771" judge|strong = "G2919"
 your|strong = "G2532" brother|strong = "G0080"? Or|strong = "G2228"
 you|strong = "G4771" again|strong = "G2532", why|strong = "G5101"
 do|strong = "G2919" you|strong = "G4771" despise|strong = "G1848"
 your|strong = "G2532" brother|strong = "G0080"? For|strong = "G1063"
 we|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G2316" all|strong = "G3956"
 stand|strong = "G3936" before|strong = "G3936" the|strong = "G3956"
 judgment|strong = "G0968" seat|strong = "G0968" of|strong = "G2316" Christ.
¹¹ For|strong = "G1063" it|strong = "G2532" is|strong = "G2316"
 written|strong = "G1125",

“ ‘As|strong = "G2532" I|strong = "G1473" live|strong = "G2198",
 says|strong = "G3004" the|strong = "G3956" Lord|strong = "G2962",
 ‘to|strong = "G3004" me|strong = "G3004" every|strong = "G3956"
 knee|strong = "G1119" will|strong = "G2316" bow|strong = "G2578".

E very|strong = "G3956" tongue|strong = "G1100" will|strong = "G2316"
 confess|strong = "G1843" to|strong = "G3004" God|strong = "G2316".” ⁶⁶

12So|strong = "G3767" then|strong = "G3767" each|strong = "G1538"
 one|strong = "G1538" of|strong = "G3056" us|strong = "G1325"
 will|strong = "G2316" give|strong = "G1325" account|strong = "G3056"
 of|strong = "G3056" himself|strong = "G1438" to|strong = "G1325"
 God|strong = "G2316".

⁶⁶ + 14:11 Isaiah 45:23

13 Therefore let's not
 judge one another
 any more, but
 judge this rather
 that no man
 put a stumbling
 block in his
 brother's way, or
 an occasion for falling.

¹⁴ I know and am
 persuaded in
 the Lord Jesus that
 that nothing is
 unclean of itself;
 except that to
 him who considers
 anything to be
 unclean, to him
 it is unclean. ¹⁵
 Yet if because
 of food your
 brother is grieved,
 you walk no
 longer in love.
 Don't destroy with
 your food him
 for whom Christ
 died. ¹⁶ Then don't
 let your good
 be slandered, ¹⁷ for
 God's Kingdom is
 not eating and
 drinking, but
 righteousness,
 and joy in
 the Holy Spirit. ¹⁸
 For he who
 serves Christ in
 these things is
 acceptable to God
 and approved by
 men. ¹⁹ So then, let's
 follow after things
 which make for
 peace, and things
 which we may

build|strong="G3619" one|strong="G0240" another|strong="G0240"
 up|strong="G1519". ²⁰ Don't|strong="G3361"
 overthrow|strong="G2647" God's|strong="G2316" work|strong="G2041"
 for|strong="G1223" food's sake|strong="G1223". All|strong="G3956"
 things|strong="G3956" indeed|strong="G0235" are|strong="G3956"
 clean|strong="G2513", however|strong="G0235" it|strong="G1223"
 is|strong="G2316" evil|strong="G2556" for|strong="G1223"
 that|strong="G3956" man|strong="G0444" who|strong="G3588" creates
 a|strong="G2316" stumbling|strong="G4348" block|strong="G4348"
 by|strong="G1223" eating|strong="G2068". ²¹ It|strong="G3739"
 is|strong="G3739" good|strong="G2570" to|strong="G1722"
 not|strong="G3361" eat|strong="G2068" meat|strong="G2907",
 drink|strong="G4095" wine|strong="G3631", nor|strong="G3366"
 do|strong="G3361" anything|strong="G5315" by|strong="G1722"
 which|strong="G3739" your|strong="G4350" brother|strong="G0080"
 stumbles|strong="G4350", is|strong="G3739" offended|strong="G4624",
 or|strong="G2228" is|strong="G3739" made weak|strong="G0770".

²² Do|strong="G2919" you|strong="G4771" have|strong="G2192"
 faith|strong="G4102"? Have|strong="G2192" it|strong="G3739"
 to|strong="G2596" yourself|strong="G4572" before|strong="G1799"
 God|strong="G2316". Happy|strong="G3107" is|strong="G2316"
 he|strong="G3739" who|strong="G3739" doesn't|strong="G3361"
 judge|strong="G2919" himself|strong="G1438" in|strong="G1722"
 that|strong="G3739" which|strong="G3739" he|strong="G3739"
 approves. ²³ But|strong="G1161" he|strong="G3739"
 who|strong="G3739" doubts|strong="G1252" is|strong="G1510"
 condemned|strong="G2632" if|strong="G1437" he|strong="G3739"
 eats|strong="G2068", because|strong="G3754" it|strong="G1437"
 isn't|strong="G3756" of|strong="G1537" faith|strong="G4102";
 and|strong="G1161" whatever|strong="G1437" is|strong="G1510"
 not|strong="G3756" of|strong="G1537" faith|strong="G4102"
 is|strong="G1510" sin|strong="G0266".

²⁴ Now to him who is able to establish you according to my Good News and
 the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery
 which has been kept secret through long ages, ²⁵ but now is revealed, and by
 the Scriptures of the prophets, according to the commandment of the eternal
 God, is made known for obedience of faith to all the nations; ²⁶ to the only
 wise God, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory forever! Amen. ⁶⁷

¹⁵ Now|strong="G1161" we|strong="G2249" who|strong="G3588"
 are|strong="G3588" strong|strong="G1415" ought|strong="G3784"

⁶⁷ + 14:26 TR places verses 24-26 after Romans 16:24 as verses 25-27.

to bear the weaknesses of the weak, and not to please ourselves. ² Let each of us please his neighbor for that which is good, to build up him. ³ For even Christ didn't please himself. But, as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me." ⁶⁸ ⁴ For whatever written before were written for learning, that through perseverance and through encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. ⁵ Now the God of perseverance and of encouragement grant to be the same mind with one another according to Christ Jesus, ⁶ that with one accord with one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

⁷Therefore accept one another as Christ also

⁶⁸ + 15:3 Psalm 69:9

accepted you, ⁶⁹ to the glory of God the glory of God. ⁸ Now I say that Christ has a servant of the circumcision for the truth of God, that he might confirm the promises given to the fathers, ⁹ and that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written,

“ Therefore I will give praise to you among the Gentiles

and sing to your name.” ⁷⁰

10 Again he says,

“ Rejoice, you Gentiles, with his people.” ⁷¹

11 Again,

“ Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles!

Let all the peoples praise him.” ⁷²

⁶⁹ + 15:7 TR reads “us” instead of “you”

⁷⁰ + 15:9 2 Samuel 22:50; Psalm 18:49

⁷¹ + 15:10 Deuteronomy 32:43

⁷² + 15:11 Psalm 117:1

12 Again, Isaiah says,

“ There will be
the root of
Jesse,

he who arises
to rule over
the Gentiles;

in him the
Gentiles will hope.”⁷³

13 Now may the
God of
fill you with
all joy and
peace in
that you may
abound in
in the power
of the Holy
Spirit.

14 I myself am
also persuaded
you, my brothers,⁷⁴
that you are
are full of
goodness, filled
all knowledge,
also to admonish
others.¹⁵ But I
write the more
boldly to you
part as reminding
you, because
of the grace
that was given
to me by
God, that

⁷³ + 15:12 Isaiah 11:10

⁷⁴ + 15:14 The word for “brothers” here and where context allows may also be correctly translated “brothers and sisters” or “siblings.”

I should be
 a servant of Christ
 Jesus to the
 Gentiles, serving as a
 priest of the
 Good News of
 God, that, through
 offering up
 the Gentiles might
 be made acceptable,
 sanctified by
 Holy Spirit.¹⁷ I
 have therefore
 boasting in Christ
 Jesus in things
 pertaining to God.¹⁸
 For I will
 not dare to
 speak of any
 things except those
 which Christ worked
 through me for
 the obedience of
 the Gentiles, by
 word and deed,¹⁹
 in the power
 of signs and
 wonders, in the
 power of God's
 Spirit; so that
 from Jerusalem and
 around as far
 as Illyricum,
 I have fully
 preached the Good
 News of Christ;²⁰
 yes, making it my aim
 to preach the
 Good News, not
 where Christ was
 already named, that I
 might not build
 on another's
 foundation.²¹ But, as
 it is written,

“ They will see”,
 to whom no
 news of him
 came”.

They who haven’t
 heard will understand.”

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Therefore also I was hindered many times from coming to you, but now, no longer having any place in these regions, and I, having these many years a longing to come to you, whenever I travel to Spain, I will come to you. For I hope to see you on my journey, and to be helped on my way there, if I may enjoy your company for a while. But now, I say, I am going to Jerusalem, serving the saints. For it is the good pleasure of Macedonia and Achaia to make a certain contribution for the poor among the saints who are at

⁷⁵ + 15:21 Isaiah 52:15

Jerusalem|strong = "G2419". ²⁷ Yes|strong = "G1063", it|strong = "G0846" has|strong = "G1510" been|strong = "G1510" their|strong = "G0846" good|strong = "G1510" pleasure|strong = "G2106", and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G0846" are|strong = "G1510" their|strong = "G0846" debtors|strong = "G3781". For|strong = "G1063" if|strong = "G1487" the|strong = "G3588" Gentiles|strong = "G1484" have|strong = "G1510" been|strong = "G1510" made partakers of|strong = "G1722" their|strong = "G0846" spiritual|strong = "G4152" things|strong = "G0846", they|strong = "G0846" owe|strong = "G3784" it|strong = "G0846" to|strong = "G2532" them|strong = "G0846" also|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532" serve them|strong = "G0846" in|strong = "G1722" material|strong = "G4559" things|strong = "G0846". ²⁸

When|strong = "G2532" therefore|strong = "G3767" I|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2532" accomplished|strong = "G2005" this|strong = "G3778", and|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2532" sealed|strong = "G4972" to|strong = "G1519" them|strong = "G0846" this|strong = "G3778" fruit|strong = "G2590", I|strong = "G2532" will|strong = "G3778" go|strong = "G0565" on|strong = "G1519" by|strong = "G1223" way|strong = "G1223" of|strong = "G1223" you|strong = "G5210" to|strong = "G1519" Spain|strong = "G4681". ²⁹ I|strong = "G3754" know|strong = "G1492" that|strong = "G3754" when|strong = "G1161" I|strong = "G3754" come|strong = "G2064" to|strong = "G4314" you|strong = "G5210", I|strong = "G3754" will|strong = "G3748" come|strong = "G2064" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" fullness|strong = "G4138" of|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" blessing|strong = "G2129" of|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" Good News of|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547".

³⁰ Now|strong = "G1161" I|strong = "G1473" beg|strong = "G3870" you|strong = "G5210", brothers|strong = "G0080", by|strong = "G1722" our|strong = "G2316" Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547" and|strong = "G2532" by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" love|strong = "G0026" of|strong = "G4151" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151", that|strong = "G2316" you|strong = "G5210" strive|strong = "G4865" together|strong = "G1722" with|strong = "G1722" me|strong = "G1473" in|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2962" prayers|strong = "G4335" to|strong = "G4314" God|strong = "G2316" for|strong = "G5228" me|strong = "G1473", ³¹ that|strong = "G2443" I|strong = "G1473" may|strong = "G2532" be|strong = "G1096" delivered|strong = "G4506" from|strong = "G0575" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G3588" disobedient|strong = "G0544" in|strong = "G1722" Judea|strong = "G2449", and|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G2443" my|strong = "G1722" service|strong = "G1248" which|strong = "G3588" I|strong = "G1473" have|strong = "G2532" for|strong = "G1519" Jerusalem|strong = "G2419"

may|strong="G2532" be|strong="G1096" acceptable|strong="G2144"
 to|strong="G1519" the|strong="G3588" saints|strong="G0040", ³²
 that|strong="G2443" I|strong="G1223" may|strong="G2443"
 come|strong="G2064" to|strong="G4314" you|strong="G5210"
 in|strong="G1722" joy|strong="G5479" through|strong="G1223"
 the|strong="G1223" will|strong="G2307" of|strong="G1223"
 God|strong="G2316", and|strong="G2064" together|strong="G1722"
 with|strong="G1722" you|strong="G5210", find|strong="G4875"
 rest|strong="G4875". ³³ Now|strong="G1161" the|strong="G3956"
 God|strong="G2316" of|strong="G2316" peace|strong="G1515"
 be|strong="G3956" with|strong="G3326" you|strong="G5210"
 all|strong="G3956". Amen|strong="G0281".

16 I|strong="G1473" commend|strong="G4921" to|strong="G2532"
 you|strong="G5210" Phoebe|strong="G5402", our|strong="G2532"
 sister|strong="G0079", who|strong="G3588" is|strong="G1510"
 a|strong="G1510" servant|strong="G1249" ⁷⁶ of|strong="G1577"
 the|strong="G3588" assembly|strong="G1577" that|strong="G1161"
 is|strong="G1510" at|strong="G1722" Cenchreae, ² that|strong="G3739"
 you|strong="G5210" receive|strong="G4327" her|strong="G0846"
 in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2962"
 in|strong="G1722" a|strong="G1096" way|strong="G1722"
 worthy|strong="G0516" of|strong="G2962" the|strong="G3588"
 saints|strong="G0040", and|strong="G2532" that|strong="G3739"
 you|strong="G5210" assist her|strong="G0846" in|strong="G1722"
 whatever|strong="G3739" matter|strong="G4229" she|strong="G0846"
 may|strong="G2532" need|strong="G5535" from|strong="G1722"
 you|strong="G5210", for|strong="G1063" she|strong="G0846"
 herself|strong="G1438" also|strong="G2532" has|strong="G2962"
 been|strong="G1096" a|strong="G1096" helper|strong="G4368"
 of|strong="G2962" many|strong="G4183", and|strong="G2532"
 of|strong="G2962" my|strong="G1722" own|strong="G1438" self.

3 Greet|strong="G0782" Prisca|strong="G4251" and|strong="G2532"
 Aquila|strong="G0207", my|strong="G1722" fellow|strong="G4904"
 workers|strong="G4904" in|strong="G1722" Christ|strong="G5547"
 Jesus|strong="G2424", ⁴ who|strong="G3739" risked|strong="G5294"
 their|strong="G1438" own|strong="G1438" necks|strong="G5137"
 for|strong="G5228" my|strong="G3956" life|strong="G5590",
 to|strong="G2532" whom|strong="G3739" not|strong="G3756"
 only|strong="G3441" I|strong="G1473" give|strong="G2168"
 thanks|strong="G2168", but|strong="G0235" also|strong="G2532"
 all|strong="G3956" the|strong="G3956" assemblies|strong="G1577"
 of|strong="G1577" the|strong="G3956" Gentiles|strong="G1484". ⁵

⁷⁶ + 16:1 or, deacon

Greet|strong = "G0782" the|strong = "G3588" assembly|strong = "G1577" that|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1519" their|strong = "G0846" house|strong = "G3624". Greet|strong = "G0782" Epänetus|strong = "G1866", my|strong = "G3739" beloved|strong = "G0027", who|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G1510" the|strong = "G3588" first|strong = "G0536" fruits|strong = "G0536" of|strong = "G3624" Achaia to|strong = "G1519" Christ|strong = "G5547". ⁶ Greet|strong = "G0782" Mary|strong = "G3137", who|strong = "G3748" labored|strong = "G2872" much|strong = "G4183" for|strong = "G1519" us|strong = "G1519". ⁷ Greet|strong = "G0782" Andronicus|strong = "G0408" and|strong = "G2532" Junia|strong = "G2458", my|strong = "G1722" relatives|strong = "G4773" and|strong = "G2532" my|strong = "G1722" fellow|strong = "G4869" prisoners|strong = "G4869", who|strong = "G3739" are|strong = "G1510" notable among|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" apostles|strong = "G0652", who|strong = "G3739" were|strong = "G1510" also|strong = "G2532" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547" before|strong = "G4253" me|strong = "G1473". ⁸ Greet|strong = "G0782" Amplias, my|strong = "G1722" beloved|strong = "G0027" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962". ⁹ Greet|strong = "G0782" Urbanus|strong = "G3773", our|strong = "G5547" fellow|strong = "G4904" worker|strong = "G4904" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547", and|strong = "G2532" Stachys|strong = "G4720", my|strong = "G1722" beloved|strong = "G0027". ¹⁰ Greet|strong = "G0782" Apelles|strong = "G0559", the|strong = "G3588" approved|strong = "G1384" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547". Greet|strong = "G0782" those|strong = "G3588" who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" household of|strong = "G1537" Aristobulus|strong = "G0711". ¹¹ Greet|strong = "G0782" Herodion|strong = "G2267", my|strong = "G1722" kinsman. Greet|strong = "G0782" them|strong = "G1722" of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" household of|strong = "G1537" Narcissus|strong = "G3488", who|strong = "G3588" are|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962". ¹² Greet|strong = "G0782" Tryphaena|strong = "G5170" and|strong = "G2532" Tryphosa|strong = "G5173", who|strong = "G3588" labor|strong = "G2872" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962". Greet|strong = "G0782" Persis|strong = "G4069", the|strong = "G3588" beloved|strong = "G0027", who|strong = "G3588" labored|strong = "G2872" much|strong = "G4183" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962". ¹³ Greet|strong = "G0782" Rufus|strong = "G4504", the|strong = "G3588" chosen|strong = "G1588" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" Lord|strong = "G2962", and|strong = "G2532" his|strong = "G0846" mother|strong = "G3384" and|strong = "G2532" mine|strong = "G1473". ¹⁴ Greet|strong = "G0782" Asyncritus|strong = "G0799", Phlegon|strong = "G5393", Hermes|strong = "G2060", Patrobas|strong = "G3969",

Hermas|strong="G2057", and|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" brothers|strong="G0080"⁷⁷ who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3588" with|strong="G4862" them|strong="G0846".¹⁵ Greet|strong="G0782" Philologus|strong="G5378" and|strong="G2532" Julia|strong="G2456", Nereus|strong="G3517" and|strong="G2532" his|strong="G0846" sister|strong="G0079", and|strong="G2532" Olympas|strong="G3652", and|strong="G2532" all|strong="G3956" the|strong="G3956" saints|strong="G0040" who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3956" with|strong="G4862" them|strong="G0846".¹⁶ Greet|strong="G0782" one|strong="G0240" another|strong="G0240" with|strong="G1722" a|strong="G1722" holy|strong="G0040" kiss|strong="G5370". The|strong="G3956" assemblies|strong="G1577" of|strong="G1577" Christ|strong="G5547" greet|strong="G0782" you|strong="G5210".

¹⁷Now|strong="G1161" I|strong="G3739" beg|strong="G3870" you|strong="G5210", brothers|strong="G0080", look|strong="G4648" out|strong="G0575" for|strong="G3844" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3739" are|strong="G3739" causing|strong="G4160" the|strong="G3588" divisions and|strong="G2532" occasions of|strong="G0575" stumbling|strong="G4625", contrary|strong="G3844" to|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" doctrine which|strong="G3739" you|strong="G5210" learned|strong="G3129", and|strong="G2532" turn|strong="G1578" away|strong="G0575" from|strong="G0575" them|strong="G0846".¹⁸ For|strong="G1063" those|strong="G3588" who|strong="G3588" are|strong="G3588" such|strong="G5108" don't|strong="G3756" serve|strong="G1398" our|strong="G5547" Lord|strong="G2962" Jesus|strong="G2532" Christ|strong="G5547", but|strong="G0235" their|strong="G1438" own|strong="G1438" belly|strong="G2836"; and|strong="G2532" by|strong="G1223" their|strong="G1438" smooth|strong="G5542" and|strong="G2532" flattering|strong="G2129" speech|strong="G2129" they|strong="G2532" deceive|strong="G1818" the|strong="G3588" hearts|strong="G2588" of|strong="G1223" the|strong="G3588" innocent|strong="G0172".¹⁹ For|strong="G1063" your|strong="G3956" obedience|strong="G5218" has|strong="G1510" become known to|strong="G1519" all|strong="G3956". I|strong="G1161" rejoice|strong="G5463" therefore|strong="G3767" over|strong="G1909" you|strong="G5210". But|strong="G1161" I|strong="G1161" desire|strong="G2309" to|strong="G1519" have|strong="G1510" you|strong="G5210" wise|strong="G4680" in|strong="G1519" that|strong="G3956" which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G1510" good|strong="G0018", but|strong="G1161" innocent|strong="G0185" in|strong="G1519" that|strong="G3956" which|strong="G3588" is|strong="G1510"

⁷⁷ + 16:14 The word for "brothers" here and where context allows may also be correctly translated "brothers and sisters" or "siblings."

