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1 Paul|strong = "G3972", a prisoner|strong = "G1198" of Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547", and|strong = "G2532" Timothy|strong = "G5095" our brother|strong = "G0080", unto Philemon|strong = "G5371" our|strong = "G2257" dearly beloved|strong = "G0027", and|strong = "G2532" fellowlabourer|strong = "G4904", ² And|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G0027" our beloved|strong = "G0027" Apphia|strong = "G0682", and|strong = "G2532" Archippus|strong = "G0751" our|strong = "G2257" fellowsoldier|strong = "G4961", and|strong = "G2532" to the church|strong = "G1577" in|strong = "G2596" thy|strong = "G4675" house|strong = "G3624": ³ Grace|strong = "G5485" to you|strong = "G5213", and|strong = "G2532" peace|strong = "G1515", from|strong = "G0575" God|strong = "G2316" our|strong = "G2257" Father|strong = "G3962" and|strong = "G2532" the Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547".

4 I thank|strong = "G2168" my|strong = "G3450" God|strong = "G2316", making|strong = "G4160" mention|strong = "G3417" of thee|strong = "G4675" always|strong = "G3842" in|strong = "G1909" my|strong = "G3450" prayers|strong = "G4335", ⁵ Hearing|strong = "G0191" of thy|strong = "G4675" love|strong = "G0026" and|strong = "G2532" faith|strong = "G4102", which|strong = "G3739" thou hast|strong = "G2192" toward|strong = "G4314" the Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424", and|strong = "G2532" toward|strong = "G1519" all|strong = "G3956" saints|strong = "G0040"; ⁶ That|strong = "G3704" the communication|strong = "G2842" of thy|strong = "G4675" faith|strong = "G4102" may become|strong = "G1096" effectual|strong = "G1756" by|strong = "G1722" the acknowledging|strong = "G1922" of every|strong = "G3956" good thing|strong = "G0018" which is|strong = "G3588" in|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G5213" in|strong = "G1519" Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424". ⁷ For|strong = "G1063" we have|strong = "G2192" great|strong = "G4183" joy|strong = "G5479" and|strong = "G2532" consolation|strong = "G3874" in|strong = "G1909" thy|strong = "G4675" love|strong = "G0026", because|strong = "G3754" the bowels|strong = "G4698" of the saints|strong = "G0040" are refreshed|strong = "G0373" by|strong = "G1223" thee|strong = "G4675", brother|strong = "G0080". ⁸ Wherefore|strong = "G1352", though I might be|strong = "G2192" much|strong = "G4183" bold|strong = "G3954" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547" to enjoin|strong = "G2004" thee|strong = "G4671" that which is convenient|strong = "G0433", ⁹ Yet

for|strong="G1223" love's|strong="G0026" sake|strong="G1223"
I|strong="G3870" rather|strong="G3123" beseech|strong="G3870" thee,
being|strong="G5607" such an one|strong="G5108" as|strong="G5613"
Paul|strong="G3972" the aged|strong="G4246", and|strong="G1161"
now|strong="G3570" also|strong="G2532" a prisoner|strong="G1198" of
Jesus|strong="G2424" Christ|strong="G5547". ¹⁰ I
beseech|strong="G3870" thee|strong="G4571" for|strong="G4012"
my|strong="G1700" son|strong="G5043" Onesimus|strong="G3682",
whom|strong="G3739" I have begotten|strong="G1080"
in|strong="G1722" my|strong="G3450" bonds|strong="G1199": ¹¹
Which|strong="G3588" in time past|strong="G4218" was|strong="G3588"
to thee|strong="G4671" unprofitable|strong="G0890",
but|strong="G1161" now|strong="G3570" profitable|strong="G2173" to
thee|strong="G4671" and|strong="G2532" to me|strong="G1698": ¹²
Whom|strong="G3739" I have sent again|strong="G0375":
thou|strong="G4771" therefore|strong="G1161" receive|strong="G4355"
him|strong="G0846", that|strong="G5124" is|strong="G2076", mine
own|strong="G1699" bowels|strong="G4698": ¹³ Whom|strong="G3739"
I|strong="G1473" would|strong="G1014" have retained|strong="G2722"
with|strong="G4314" me|strong="G1683", that|strong="G2443"
in|strong="G5228" thy|strong="G4675" stead|strong="G5228" he might
have ministered|strong="G1247" unto me|strong="G3427"
in|strong="G1722" the bonds|strong="G1199" of the
gospel|strong="G2098": ¹⁴ But|strong="G1161" without|strong="G5565"
thy|strong="G4674" mind|strong="G1106" would I|strong="G2309"
do|strong="G4160" nothing|strong="G3762"; that|strong="G2443"
thy|strong="G4675" benefit|strong="G0018" should not|strong="G3361"
be|strong="G5600" as it were|strong="G5613" of|strong="G2596"
necessity|strong="G0318", but|strong="G0235" willingly|strong="G1595".
¹⁵ For|strong="G1063" perhaps|strong="G5029" he|strong="G5563"
therefore|strong="G5124" departed|strong="G5563" for|strong="G4314" a
season|strong="G5610", that|strong="G2443" thou shouldest
receive|strong="G0568" him|strong="G0846" for ever|strong="G0166";
¹⁶ Not now|strong="G3765" as|strong="G5613" a
servant|strong="G1401", but|strong="G0235" above|strong="G5228" a
servant|strong="G1401", a brother|strong="G0080"
beloved|strong="G0027", specially|strong="G3122" to
me|strong="G1698", but|strong="G1161" how much|strong="G4214"
more|strong="G3123" unto thee|strong="G4671", both|strong="G2532"
in|strong="G1722" the flesh|strong="G4561", and|strong="G2532"
in|strong="G1722" the Lord|strong="G2962"? ¹⁷ If|strong="G1487" thou
count|strong="G2192" me|strong="G1691" therefore|strong="G3767" a
partner|strong="G2844", receive|strong="G4355" him|strong="G0846"
as|strong="G5613" myself|strong="G1691". ¹⁸ If|strong="G1487" he
hath wronged|strong="G0091" thee|strong="G4571", or|strong="G2228"
oweth|strong="G3784" thee ought|strong="G5100", put|strong="G1677"

that|strong = "G5124" on mine|strong = "G1698" account|strong = "G1677";
¹⁹ I|strong = "G1473" Paul|strong = "G3972" have written|strong = "G1125"
 it with mine own|strong = "G1699" hand|strong = "G5495",
 I|strong = "G1473" will repay|strong = "G0661" it: albeit|strong = "G2443" I
 do|strong = "G3004" not|strong = "G3361" say|strong = "G3004" to
 thee|strong = "G4671" how|strong = "G3754" thou owest|strong = "G4359"
 unto me|strong = "G3427" even|strong = "G2532" thine own
 self|strong = "G4572" besides|strong = "G4359". ²⁰ Yea|strong = "G3483",
 brother|strong = "G0080", let|strong = "G3685" me|strong = "G1473" have
 joy|strong = "G3685" of thee|strong = "G4675" in|strong = "G1722" the
 Lord|strong = "G2962": refresh|strong = "G0373" my|strong = "G3450"
 bowels|strong = "G4698" in|strong = "G1722" the Lord|strong = "G2962".

²¹ Having confidence|strong = "G3982" in|strong = "G5218"
 thy|strong = "G4675" obedience|strong = "G5218" I wrote|strong = "G1125"
 unto thee|strong = "G4671", knowing|strong = "G1492"
 that|strong = "G3754" thou wilt also|strong = "G2532" do|strong = "G4160"
 more than|strong = "G5228" I say|strong = "G3004". ²²
 But|strong = "G1161" withal|strong = "G0260" prepare|strong = "G2090"
 me|strong = "G3427" also|strong = "G2532" a lodging|strong = "G3578":
 for|strong = "G1063" I trust|strong = "G1679" that|strong = "G3754"
 through|strong = "G1223" your|strong = "G5216" prayers|strong = "G4335" I
 shall be given|strong = "G5483" unto you|strong = "G5213".

²³ There salute|strong = "G0782" thee|strong = "G4571"
 Epaphras|strong = "G1889", my|strong = "G3450"
 fellowprisoner|strong = "G4869" in|strong = "G1722" Christ|strong = "G5547"
 Jesus|strong = "G2424"; ²⁴ Marcus|strong = "G3138",
 Aristarchus|strong = "G0708", Demas|strong = "G1214",
 Lucas|strong = "G3065", my|strong = "G3450"
 fellowlabourers|strong = "G4904". ²⁵ The grace|strong = "G5485" of
 our|strong = "G2257" Lord|strong = "G2962" Jesus|strong = "G2424"
 Christ|strong = "G5547" be with|strong = "G3326" your|strong = "G5216"
 spirit|strong = "G4151". Amen|strong = "G0281".
 Written from Rome to Philemon, by Onesimus, a servant.