

# Paul's Letter to Philemon



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## Introduction

1 From Paul, now a prisoner for Christ Jesus from Timothy, a fellow Lord. <sup>2</sup> To our dear fellow worker Philemon, to our sister Apphia, to our fellow soldier Archippus; and to the church that meets at Philemon's house; <sup>3</sup> may God, our Father, and the Lord Jesus Christ bless you and give you peace.

Request regarding runaway slave

4 I always mention you in prayers and God for you, because of the love and the faith which, not only to the Lord Jesus, but also to all his people; <sup>6</sup> and I pray that in the faith may result in action, as you come to a fuller

realization of|strong = "G1722" everything|strong = "G3956"  
 that|strong = "G3588" is|strong = "G3588" good|strong = "G3956"  
 and|strong = "G4102" Christlike in|strong = "G1722" us|strong = "G1519". <sup>7</sup>  
 I|strong = "G2532" have|strong = "G2192" indeed|strong = "G2532"  
 found|strong = "G2192" great|strong = "G4183" joy|strong = "G5479"  
 and|strong = "G2532" encouragement|strong = "G3874" in|strong = "G1909"  
 your|strong = "G1223" love|strong = "H0157", knowing|strong = "H3045",  
 as|strong = "G2532" I|strong = "G2532" do|strong = "G2532",  
 how|strong = "G3754" the|strong = "G2532" hearts|strong = "G4698"  
 of|strong = "G1223" Christ's people|strong = "G4183" have|strong = "G2192"  
 been|strong = "G2192" cheered, friend|strong = "H7453",  
 by|strong = "G1223" you|strong = "G4771".

8And|strong = "G5547" so|strong = "G1352", though|strong = "G1722"  
 my|strong = "G1722" union|strong = "H2260" with|strong = "G1722"  
 Christ|strong = "G5547" enables me|strong = "G2192", with|strong = "G1722"  
 all|strong = "G1722" confidence|strong = "G3954", to|strong = "G1722"  
 dictate the|strong = "G1722" course|strong = "H4256" that|strong = "G3588"  
 you|strong = "G4771" should|strong = "G3588" adopt, <sup>9</sup>  
 yet|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G2532" claims|strong = "H1697"  
 of|strong = "G1223" love|strong = "H0157" make|strong = "G2532"  
 me|strong = "G1223" prefer|strong = "H7489" to|strong = "G2532"  
 plead|strong = "G3870" with|strong = "G1223" you|strong = "G1510" –  
 yes|strong = "G1161", even|strong = "G2532" me|strong = "G1223",  
 Paul|strong = "G3972", though|strong = "G5613" I|strong = "G2532"  
 am|strong = "G1510" an|strong = "G2532" ambassador|strong = "H6735"  
 for|strong = "G1223" Christ|strong = "G5547" Jesus|strong = "G2424"  
 and|strong = "G2532", now|strong = "G1161" a|strong = "G5613"  
 prisoner|strong = "G1198" for|strong = "G1223" him|strong = "G3588"  
 as|strong = "G5613" well|strong = "G2532". <sup>10</sup> I|strong = "G1473"  
 plead|strong = "G3870" with|strong = "G1722" you|strong = "G4771"  
 for|strong = "G4012" this|strong = "G3588" child|strong = "G5043"  
 of|strong = "G4012" mine|strong = "G1699", Onesimus|strong = "G3682",  
 to|strong = "G1722" whom|strong = "G3739", in|strong = "G1722"  
 my|strong = "G1699" prison|strong = "H1004", I|strong = "G1473"  
 have|strong = "G1473" become|strong = "H1961" a|strong = "G1722"  
 father|strong = "G1080". <sup>11</sup> Once|strong = "G4218" he|strong = "G2532"  
 was|strong = "G3588" of|strong = "G2532" little|strong = "H4592"  
 service|strong = "H5656" to|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771",  
 but|strong = "G1161" now|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G2532"  
 has|strong = "G3739" become|strong = "G1161" of|strong = "G2532"  
 great|strong = "G2532" service|strong = "H5656", not|strong = "G3739"  
 only|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G4771",  
 but|strong = "G1161" to|strong = "G2532" me|strong = "G1473"  
 as|strong = "G1161" well|strong = "G2532"; <sup>12</sup> and|strong = "G3588"

I|strong = "G3778" am|strong = "G1510" sending|strong = "H7971"  
 him|strong = "G3588" back|strong = "H7725" to|strong = "G3778"  
 you|strong = "G4771" with|strong = "G3588" this|strong = "G3778"  
 letter|strong = "H5612" – though|strong = "H3588" it|strong = "G3778"  
 is|strong = "G1510" like|strong = "H3644" tearing|strong = "H2963"  
 out|strong = "G1510" of|strong = "G3588" my|strong = "G1699"  
 heart|strong = "G4698". <sup>13</sup> For|strong = "G5228" my|strong = "G1722"  
 own|strong = "G1683" sake|strong = "G5228" I|strong = "G1473"  
 should|strong = "G3588" like|strong = "G4314" to|strong = "G4314"  
 keep|strong = "G2722" him|strong = "G3588" with|strong = "G1722"  
 me|strong = "G1473", so|strong = "G2443" that|strong = "G2443",  
 while|strong = "G1722" I|strong = "G1473" am|strong = "G1473"  
 in|strong = "G1722" prison|strong = "H1004" for|strong = "G5228"  
 the|strong = "G1722" good|strong = "G3588" news|strong = "G2098",  
 he|strong = "G3739" might|strong = "G2098" attend|strong = "H7181"  
 to|strong = "G4314" my|strong = "G1722" wants|strong = "H2656"  
 on|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G1722" behalf|strong = "G5228". <sup>14</sup>  
 But|strong = "G1161" I|strong = "G1161" do|strong = "G4160"  
 not|strong = "G3361" wish|strong = "G2309" to|strong = "G2443"  
 do|strong = "G4160" anything|strong = "G3762" without|strong = "G5565"  
 your|strong = "G4674" consent|strong = "G1106", because|strong = "G1161"  
 I|strong = "G1161" want|strong = "G2309" your|strong = "G4674" generosity  
 to|strong = "G2443" be|strong = "G1510" voluntary|strong = "G2309"  
 and|strong = "G1161" not|strong = "G3361", as|strong = "G5613"  
 it|strong = "G1161" were|strong = "G1510", compulsory. <sup>15</sup>  
 It|strong = "G1063" may|strong = "G2443" be|strong = "G2443"  
 that|strong = "G2443" he|strong = "G3778" was|strong = "G5610"  
 separated|strong = "G5563" from|strong = "G1223" you|strong = "G3778"  
 for|strong = "G1063" an|strong = "G4314" hour|strong = "G5610",  
 for|strong = "G1063" this|strong = "G3778" reason|strong = "G1223",  
 so|strong = "G2443" that|strong = "G2443" you|strong = "G3778"  
 might|strong = "G5610" have|strong = "G3778" him|strong = "G4314"  
 back|strong = "G4314" for|strong = "G1063" ever|strong = "H5769", <sup>16</sup>  
 no|strong = "G3756" longer|strong = "G2089" as|strong = "G5613"  
 a|strong = "G5613" slave|strong = "G1401", but|strong = "G1161"  
 as|strong = "G5613" something|strong = "H1697" better|strong = "G3123" –  
 a|strong = "G5613" dearly|strong = "H0157" loved|strong = "H0157"  
 friend|strong = "H7453" and|strong = "G2532" follower of|strong = "G2532"  
 the|strong = "G1722" Lord|strong = "G2962", especially|strong = "G3122"  
 dear|strong = "H3357" to|strong = "G2532" me|strong = "G1473",  
 and|strong = "G2532" how|strong = "G5613" much|strong = "G4214"  
 more|strong = "G3123" so|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G2532"  
 you|strong = "G4771", not|strong = "G3756" only|strong = "G3756"  
 as|strong = "G5613" a|strong = "G5613" person|strong = "H5315",  
 but|strong = "G1161" as|strong = "G5613" your|strong = "G2962"  
 fellow|strong = "G4561" Christian! <sup>17</sup> If|strong = "G1487",

then|strong = "G3767", you|strong = "G1487" count|strong = "G2192"  
me|strong = "G1473" your|strong = "G2192" friend|strong = "H7453",  
receive|strong = "G4355" him|strong = "G4355" as|strong = "G5613"  
you|strong = "G1487" would|strong = "H0014" me|strong = "G1473". <sup>18</sup>  
If|strong = "G1487" he|strong = "G1161" has|strong = "G3778"  
caused|strong = "H5414" you|strong = "G4771" any|strong = "G5100"  
loss|strong = "H2398", or|strong = "G2228" owes|strong = "G3784"  
you|strong = "G4771" anything|strong = "G5100", charge|strong = "G1677"  
it|strong = "G1161" to|strong = "G5100" me|strong = "G1473". <sup>19</sup>  
I|strong = "G1473", Paul|strong = "G3972", put|strong = "G2532"  
my|strong = "G1699" own|strong = "G1699" hand|strong = "G5495"  
to|strong = "G2443" it|strong = "G2532" – I|strong = "G1473"  
will|strong = "G2532" repay|strong = "H7999" you|strong = "G4771"  
myself|strong = "G1473". I|strong = "G1473" say|strong = "G3004"  
nothing|strong = "G3361" about|strong = "G3754" your|strong = "G2532"  
owing me|strong = "G1473" your|strong = "G2532" self|strong = "G4572". <sup>20</sup>  
Yes|strong = "G3483", friend|strong = "H7453", let|strong = "G3685"  
me|strong = "G1473" gain|strong = "H1215" something|strong = "H1697"  
from|strong = "G3588" you|strong = "G4771" because|strong = "G1722"  
of|strong = "G2962" your|strong = "G2962" union|strong = "H2260"  
with|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722" Lord|strong = "G2962".  
Cheer|strong = "H2895" my|strong = "G1722" heart|strong = "G4698"  
by|strong = "G1722" your|strong = "G2962" Christlike  
spirit|strong = "G3588".

21Even|strong = "G2532" as|strong = "G2532" I|strong = "G3739"  
write|strong = "G1125", I|strong = "G3739" have|strong = "G2532"  
such|strong = "G3588" confidence|strong = "G3982" in|strong = "G2532"  
your|strong = "G2532" compliance with|strong = "G2532"  
my|strong = "G3708" wishes|strong = "H2654", that|strong = "G3754"  
I|strong = "G3739" am|strong = "G2532" sure|strong = "G1492"  
that|strong = "G3754" you|strong = "G4771" will|strong = "G2532"  
do|strong = "G4160" even|strong = "G2532" more|strong = "G5228"  
than|strong = "G5228" I|strong = "G3739" am|strong = "G2532"  
asking|strong = "G3004". <sup>22</sup> Please|strong = "H4994" also|strong = "G2532"  
get|strong = "G2090" a|strong = "G2532" lodging|strong = "G3578"  
ready|strong = "G2090" for|strong = "G1063" me|strong = "G1473",  
for|strong = "G1063" I|strong = "G1473" hope|strong = "G1679"  
that|strong = "G3754" I|strong = "G1473" will|strong = "G2532"  
be|strong = "G2532" given|strong = "G5483" back|strong = "H7725"  
to|strong = "G2532" you|strong = "G5210" all|strong = "G2532"  
in|strong = "G2532" answer|strong = "H6030" to|strong = "G2532"  
your|strong = "G1223" prayers|strong = "G4335".  
Messages|strong = "H2372" and|strong = "G2532" Blessing|strong = "H1293"