

## Exegetical Notes on Luke 1:39-55

Immediately after the annunciation, without much comment Mary makes a 2-3 day trip from Nazareth to the hill country of Judea, tradition specifies the town in question to be Ain Karim, 5m W. of Jerusalem., although there is a Beth Zechariah about halfway [about 12m S.] between Jerusalem and Hebron, and as Hebron was a priestly city, this is yet another possibility. Another difficulty is a textual variant which attributes the Magnificat to Elizabeth, instead of Mary. Regardless of who spoke it, it is important to all the downtrodden servants of God, and has a rich liturgical history. One must carefully note the echos of the LXX in this text, and how these echos are developed later in the Gospel.

### 1:39

Ἀναστᾶσα δὲ Μαριάμ ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις ταύταις ἐπορεύθη εἰς τὴν ὄρεινὴν μετὰ σπουδῆς εἰς πόλιν Ἰούδα,

In those days Mary set out and went with haste to a Judean town in the hill country,

Ἀναστᾶσα – 27x in Luke, aorist active participle, 15x in –

1:39 In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a city of Judah,

4:29 And they rose up and put him out of the city, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their city was built, that they might throw him down headlong.

4:38 And he arose and left the synagogue, and entered Simon's house. Now Simon's mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they besought him for her.

4:39 And he stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her; and immediately she rose and served them.

5:25 And immediately he rose before them, and took up that on which he lay, and went home, glorifying God.

5:28 And he left everything, and rose and followed him.

6:8 But he knew their thoughts, and he said to the man who had the withered hand, "Come and stand here." And he rose and stood there.

11:7 and he will answer from within, Do not bother me; the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything'?

11:8 I tell you, though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him whatever he needs.

15:18 I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you;

15:20 And he arose and came to his father. But while he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him.

22:45 And when he rose from prayer, he came to the disciples and found them sleeping for sorrow,

23:1 Then the whole company of them arose, and brought him before Pilate.

24:12 But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

24:33 And they rose that same hour and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven gathered together and those who were with them,

Μαριάμ – 13x in Luke –

1:27 to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin's name was Mary.

1:30 And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God.

1:34 And Mary said to the angel, "How shall this be, since I have no husband?"

1:38 And Mary said, "Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her.

1:39 In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a city of Judah,

1:46 And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord,

1:56 And Mary remained with her about three months, and returned to her home.

2:5 to be enrolled with Mary, his betrothed, who was with child.

2:16 And they went with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

2:19 But Mary kept all these things, pondering them in her heart.

2:34 and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against

10:39 And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching.

10:42 one thing is needful. Mary has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her."

ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις ταύταις – 4x in Luke –

1:39 In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a city of Judah,  
6:12 In these days he went out to the mountain to pray; and all night he continued in prayer to God.  
19:42 saying, "Would that even today you knew the things that make for peace! But now they are hid from your eyes.  
24:18 Then one of them, named Cle'opas, answered him, "Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?"

*ἐπορεύθη* – 51x in Luke – *to move a considerable distance, either with a single destination or from one destination to another in a series* -

1:6, 1:39, 2:3, 2:41, 4:30, 4:42, 4:42, 5:24, 7:6, 7:8, 7:8, 7:11, 7:22, 7:50, 8:14, 8:48, 9:12, 9:13, 9:51, 9:52, 9:53, 9:56, 9:57, 10:37, 10:38, 11:5, 11:26, 13:31, 13:32, 13:33, 14:10, 14:19, 14:31, 15:4, 15:15, 15:18, 16:30, 17:11, 17:14, 17:19, 19:12, 19:28, 19:36, 21:8, 22:8, 22:22, 22:33, 22:39, 24:13, 24:28, 24:28

*εἰς τὴν ὄρεινὴν* – NT Hapax, No LXX

*ὄρεινὴν* – 2x in NT, 1x in LXX -

1:39 In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a city of Judah,  
1:65 And fear came on all their neighbors. And all these things were talked about through all the hill country of Judea;  
Prov 27:25 ἐπιμελοῦ τῶν ἐν τῷ πεδίῳ χλωρῶν καὶ κερεῖς πόαν καὶ συναγε χόρτον ὄρεινόν  
When the grass is gone, and the new growth appears, and the herbage of the mountains is gathered,

*μετὰ σπουδῆς* – 2x in NT, 7x in LXX –

Mark 6:25 And she came in immediately with haste to the king, and asked, saying, "I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter."

Luke 1:39 In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a city of Judah,  
Exod 12:11 οὕτως δὲ φάγεσθε αὐτό αἱ ὀσφύες ὑμῶν περιεζωσμένοι καὶ τὰ ὑποδήματα ἐν τοῖς ποσίν ὑμῶν καὶ αἱ βακτηρία ἐν ταῖς χερσίν ὑμῶν καὶ ἔδεσθε αὐτό μετὰ σπουδῆς πασχα ἐστὶν κυρίῳ  
In this manner you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it in haste. It is the LORD's passover.

Ps 77:33 καὶ ἐξέλιπον ἐν ματαιότητι αἱ ἡμέραι αὐτῶν καὶ τὰ ἔτη αὐτῶν μετὰ σπουδῆς

So he made their days vanish like a breath, and their years in terror.

Ezek 7:11 καὶ συντρίψει στήριγμα ἀνόμου καὶ οὐ μετὰ θορύβου οὐδὲ μετὰ σπουδῆς

Violence has grown up into a rod of wickedness; none of them shall remain, nor their abundance, nor their wealth; neither shall there be preeminence among them.

3Mac 5:24 τὰ δὲ κατὰ τὴν πόλιν πλήθη συνήθροιστο πρὸς τὴν οἰκτροτάτην θεωρίαν προσδοκῶντα τὴν πρωίαν μετὰ σπουδῆς

The crowds of the city had been assembled for this most pitiful spectacle and they were eagerly waiting for daybreak.

3Mac 5:27 τοῦ δὲ ἀποδεξαμένου καὶ καταπλαγέντος ἐπὶ τῇ παρανόμῳ ἐξόδῳ κατὰ πᾶν ἀγνωσίᾳ κεκρατημένος ἐπυθάνετο τί τὸ πρῶγμα ἐφ' οὗ τοῦτο αὐτῷ μετὰ σπουδῆς τετέλεστοι

But he, upon receiving the report and being struck by the unusual invitation to come out -- since he had been completely overcome by incomprehension -- inquired what the matter was for which this had been so zealously completed for him.

Wis 19:2 ὅτι αὐτοὶ ἐπιτρέψαντες τοῦ ἀπιέναι καὶ μετὰ σπουδῆς προπέμψαντες αὐτοὺς διώξουσιν μεταμεληθέντες that, though they themselves had permitted thy people to depart and hastily sent them forth, they would change their minds and pursue them.

SusTh 1:50 καὶ ἀνέστρεψεν πᾶς ὁ λαὸς μετὰ σπουδῆς καὶ εἶπαν αὐτῷ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι δεῦρο κάθισον ἐν μέσῳ ἡμῶν καὶ ἀνάγειλον ἡμῖν ὅτι σοὶ δέδωκεν ὁ θεὸς τὸ πρεσβεῖον

*πόλιν' Ἰούδα* – NT Hapax, 20x in LXX –

2Chr 10:17, 2Chr 14:4, 2Chr 17:2, 2Chr 17:2, 2Chr 17:7, 2Chr 17:9, 2Chr 19:5, 2Chr 20:4, 2Chr 21:11, 2Chr 23:2, 2Chr 24:5, 2Chr 25:13, 2Chr 31:1, 2Chr 31:6, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 21:3, 1Mac 1:29, 1Mac 1:44, 1Mac 1:51, 1Mac 1:54, 1Mac 3:8

## 1:40

καὶ εἰσῆλθεν εἰς τὸν οἶκον Ζαχαρίου καὶ ἠσπάσατο τὴν' Ελισάβετ.

where she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth.

*εἰσῆλθεν εἰς* – 16x in Luke –

1:9 according to the custom of the priesthood, it fell to him by lot to enter the temple of the Lord and burn incense.

1:40 and she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth.

4:38 And he arose and left the synagogue, and entered Simon's house. Now Simon's mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they besought him for her.  
 6:4 how he entered the house of God, and took and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those with him?"  
 7:1 After he had ended all his sayings in the hearing of the people he entered Caper'na-um.  
 7:36 One of the Pharisees asked him to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee's house, and took his place at table.  
 8:33 Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and were drowned.  
 8:41 And there came a man named Ja'irus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus' feet he besought him to come to his house,  
 9:52 And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make ready for him;  
 10:38 Now as they went on their way, he entered a village; and a woman named Martha received him into her house.  
 18:17 Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it."  
 19:45 And he entered the temple and began to drive out those who sold,  
 21:21 Then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains, and let those who are inside the city depart, and let not those who are out in the country enter it;  
 22:40 And when he came to the place he said to them, "Pray that you may not enter into temptation."  
 22:46 and he said to them, "Why do you sleep? Rise and pray that you may not enter into temptation."  
 24:26 Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?"

### εἰς τὸν οἶκον – 16x in Luke –

1:23 And when his time of service was ended, he went to his home.  
 1:40 and she entered the house of Zechari'ah and greeted Elizabeth.  
 1:56 And Mary remained with her about three months, and returned to her home.  
 5:24 But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins" -- he said to the man who was paralyzed -- "I say to you, rise, take up your bed and go home."  
 5:25 And immediately he rose before them, and took up that on which he lay, and went home, glorifying God.  
 6:4 how he entered the house of God, and took and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those with him?"  
 7:10 And when those who had been sent returned to the house, they found the slave well.  
 7:36 One of the Pharisees asked him to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee's house, and took his place at table.  
 8:39 "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." And he went away, proclaiming throughout the whole city how much Jesus had done for him.  
 8:41 And there came a man named Ja'irus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus' feet he besought him to come to his house,  
 9:61 Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home."  
 11:24 "When the unclean spirit has gone out of a man, he passes through waterless places seeking rest; and finding none he says, I will return to my house from which I came.'  
 15:6 And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and his neighbors, saying to them, Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep which was lost.'  
 16:4 I have decided what to do, so that people may receive me into their houses when I am put out of the stewardship.'  
 16:27 And he said, Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house,  
 18:14 I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other; for every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but he who

### Ζαχαρίου – 10x in Luke –

1:5 In the days of Herod, king of Judea, there was a priest named Zechari'ah, of the division of Abi'jah; and he had a wife of the daughters of Aaron, and her name was Elizabeth.  
 1:12 And Zechari'ah was troubled when he saw him, and fear fell upon him.  
 1:13 But the angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zechari'ah, for your prayer is heard, and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name John.  
 1:18 And Zechari'ah said to the angel, "How shall I know this? For I am an old man, and my wife is advanced in years."  
 1:21 And the people were waiting for Zechari'ah, and they wondered at his delay in the temple.  
 1:40 and she entered the house of Zechari'ah and greeted Elizabeth.  
 1:59 And on the eighth day they came to circumcise the child; and they would have named him Zechari'ah after his father,  
 1:67 And his father Zechari'ah was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying,  
 3:2 in the high-priesthood of Annas and Ca'iaphas, the word of God came to John the son of Zechari'ah in the wilderness;  
 11:51 from the blood of Abel to the blood of Zechari'ah, who perished between the altar and the sanctuary. Yes, I tell you, it shall be required of this generation.

### ἡσπάσατο – 2x in Luke – *to employ certain set phrases as a part of the process of greeting, whether communicated directly or indirectly -*

1:40 and she entered the house of Zechari'ah and greeted Elizabeth.  
 10:4 Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and salute no one on the road.

## Ἑλισάβετ – 9x in Luke –

1:5 In the days of Herod, king of Judea, there was a priest named Zechari'ah, of the division of Abi'jah; and he had a wife of the daughters of Aaron, and her name was Elizabeth.

1:7 But they had no child, because Elizabeth was barren, and both were advanced in years.

1:13 But the angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zechari'ah, for your prayer is heard, and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name John.

1:24 After these days his wife Elizabeth conceived, and for five months she hid herself, saying,

1:36 And behold, your kinswoman Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son; and this is the sixth month with her who was called barren.

1:40 and she entered the house of Zechari'ah and greeted Elizabeth.

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:57 Now the time came for Elizabeth to be delivered, and she gave birth to a son.

### 1:41

καὶ ἐγένετο ὡς ἤκουσεν τὸν ἀσπασμὸν τῆς Μαρίας ἢ Ἑλισάβετ, ἐσκίρτησεν τὸ βρέφος ἐν τῇ κοιλίᾳ αὐτῆς, καὶ ἐπλήσθη πνεύματος ἁγίου ἢ Ἑλισάβετ,

When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the child leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

### Allusion to Genesis 25:22

ἐσκίρτων δὲ τὰ παιδιά ἐν αὐτῇ εἶπεν δὲ εἰ οὕτως μοι μέλλει γίνεσθαι ἵνα τί μοι τοῦτο ἐπορεύθη δὲ πυθέσθαι παρὰ κυρίου

The children struggled together within her; and she said, "If it is to be this way, why do I live?" So she went to inquire of the LORD.

## καὶ ἐγένετο – 9x in Luke –

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:65 And fear came on all their neighbors. And all these things were talked about through all the hill country of Judea;

2:15 When the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let us go over to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has made known to us."

2:46 After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions;

4:36 And they were all amazed and said to one another, "What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out."

9:33 And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is well that we are here; let us make three booths, one for you and one for Moses and one for Eli'jah" -- not knowing what he said.

17:14 When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed.

19:15 When he returned, having received the kingdom, he commanded these servants, to whom he had given the money, to be called to him, that he might know what they had gained by trading.

22:44 And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.

## ὡς ἤκουσεν – 3x in NT –

Luke 1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

John 11:20 When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary sat in the house.

John 11:29 And when she heard it, she rose quickly and went to him.

## ἀσπασμὸν – 5x in Luke –

1:29 But she was greatly troubled at the saying, and considered in her mind what sort of greeting this might be.

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.

11:43 Woe to you Pharisees! for you love the best seat in the synagogues and salutations in the market places.

20:46 "Beware of the scribes, who like to go about in long robes, and love salutations in the market places and the best seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at feasts,

## ἔσκιρτησεν – 3x in Luke, 6x in LXX –

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.

6:23 Rejoice in that day, and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven; for so their fathers did to the prophets.

Ps 113:4 τὰ ὄρη ἔσκιρτησαν ὡσεὶ κριοὶ καὶ οἱ βουνοὶ ὡς ἀρνία προβάτων

The mountains skipped like rams, the hills like lambs.

Ps 113:6 τὰ ὄρη ὅτι ἔσκιρτήσατε ὡσεὶ κριοὶ καὶ οἱ βουνοὶ ὡς ἀρνία προβάτων

O mountains, that you skip like rams? O hills, like lambs?

Jer 27:11 ὅτι ἠὺφραίνεσθε καὶ κατεκαυχᾶσθε διαρπάζοντες τὴν κληρονομίαν μου διότι ἔσκιρτᾶτε ὡς βοῖδια ἐν βοτάνῃ καὶ ἐκερατίζετε ὡς ταῦροι

"Though you rejoice, though you exult, O plunderers of my heritage, though you are wanton as a heifer at grass, and neigh like stallions,

Mal 3:20 καὶ ἀνατελεῖ ὑμῖν τοῖς φοβουμένοις τὸ ὄνομά μου ἡλῖος δικαιοσύνης καὶ ἴασις ἐν ταῖς πτέρυξιν αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐξελεύσεσθε καὶ σκιρτήσετε ὡς μοσχάρια ἐκ δεσμῶν ἀνειμένα

But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.

Wis 17:18 ἢ σκιρτῶντων ζώων δρόμος ἀθεώρητος ἢ ὠρυομένων ἀπνηεστάτων θηρίων φωνὴ ἢ ἀντανακλωμένη ἐκ κοιλότητος ὀρέων ἠγῶ παρέλυσεν αὐτοὺς ἐκφοβούντα

Whether there came a whistling wind, or a melodious sound of birds in wide-spreading branches, or the rhythm of violently rushing water,

Wis 19:9 ὡς γὰρ ἵπποι ἐνεμήθησαν καὶ ὡς ἀμνοὶ διεσκιρτησαν αἰνοῦντές σε κύριε τὸν ῥυσάμενον αὐτοῦς

For they ranged like horses, and leaped like lambs, praising thee, O Lord, who didst deliver them.

## βρέφος – 5x in Luke –

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.

2:12 And this will be a sign for you: you will find a babe wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."

2:16 And they went with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

18:15 Now they were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them; and when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them.

## τὸ βρέφος ἐν τῇ κοιλίᾳ - 2x in NT, here and 1:44 –

## κοιλία - 7x in Luke –

1:15 for he will be great before the Lord, and he shall drink no wine nor strong drink, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb.

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:42 and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.

2:21 And at the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

11:27 As he said this, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him, "Blessed is the womb that bore you, and the breasts that you sucked!"

23:29 For behold, the days are coming when they will say, Blessed are the barren, and the wombs that never bore, and the breasts that never gave suck!

## ἐπλήσθη – 13x in Luke – aorist passive indicative, 10x in Luke \* -

1:15 for he will be great before the Lord, and he shall drink no wine nor strong drink, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb.

\*1:23 And when his time of service was ended, he went to his home.

\*1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

\*1:57 Now the time came for Elizabeth to be delivered, and she gave birth to a son.

\*1:67 And his father Zechari'ah was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying,

\*2:6 And while they were there, the time came for her to be delivered.

\*2:21 And at the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

\*2:22 And when the time came for their purification according to the law of Moses, they brought him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord

\*4:28 When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with wrath.

5:7 they beckoned to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink.

\*5:26 And amazement seized them all, and they glorified God and were filled with awe, saying, "We have seen strange things today."

\*6:11 But they were filled with fury and discussed with one another what they might do to Jesus.

21:22 for these are days of vengeance, to fulfil all that is written.

### ἐπλήσθη πνεύματος ἁγίου – 5x in NT –

Luke 1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

Luke 1:67 And his father Zechari'ah was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying,

Acts 4:8 Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders,

Acts 9:17 So Anani'as departed and entered the house. And laying his hands on him he said, "Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus who appeared to you on the road by which you came, has sent me that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit."

Acts 13:9 But Saul, who is also called Paul, filled with the Holy Spirit, looked intently at him

### πνεύματος ἁγίου – 7x in Luke-

1:15 for he will be great before the Lord, and he shall drink no wine nor strong drink, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb.

1:35 And the angel said to her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God.

1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit

1:67 And his father Zechari'ah was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying,

3:16 John answered them all, "I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming, the thong of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.

4:1 And Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan, and was led by the Spirit

11:13 If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

## 1:42

καὶ ἀνεφώνησεν κραυγῇ μεγάλῃ καὶ εἶπεν, Εὐλογημένη σὺ ἐν γυναιξίν καὶ εὐλογημένος ὁ καρπὸς τῆς κοιλίας σου.

and exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

### Allusion to 11:27

Ἐγένετο δὲ ἐν τῷ λέγειν αὐτὸν ταῦτα ἐπάρασά τις φωνὴν γυνὴ ἐκ τοῦ ὄχλου εἶπεν αὐτῷ, Μακαρία ἡ κοιλία ἡ βαστάσασά σε καὶ μαστοὶ οὓς ἐθήλασας.

While he was saying this, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him, "Blessed is the womb that bore you and the breasts that nursed you!"

### Allusion to Judges 5:24

εὐλογηθεῖη ἐν γυναιξίν Ιαηλ γυνὴ Χαβερ τοῦ Κιναίου ἀπὸ γυναικῶν ἐν σκηναῖς εὐλογηθεῖη

"Most blessed of women be Ja'el, the wife of Heber the Kenite, of tent-dwelling women most blessed.

### Allusion to Judith 13:18

καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῇ Οὐζίας εὐλογητὴ σὺ θύγατερ τῷ θεῷ τῷ ὑψίστῳ παρὰ πάσας τὰς γυναικὰς τὰς ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς καὶ εὐλογημένος κύριος ὁ θεὸς ὃς ἐκτισεν τοὺς οὐρανοὺς καὶ τὴν γῆν ὃς κατεθύνην σε εἰς τραῦμα κεφαλῆς ἀρχοντος ἐχθρῶν ἡμῶν

And Uziah said to her, "O daughter, you are blessed by the Most High God above all women on earth; and blessed be the Lord God, who created the heavens and the earth, who has guided you to strike the head of the leader of our enemies.

### Allusion to Bar Ap 54:10 [syriac]

Blessed is my mother among those who bear, and praised among women is she who bore me.

### Allusion to Deuteronomy 28:4

εὐλογημένα τὰ ἔκγονα τῆς κοιλίας σου καὶ τὰ γενήματα τῆς γῆς σου τὰ βουκόλια τῶν βοῶν σου καὶ τὰ ποίμνια τῶν προβάτων σου

Blessed shall be the fruit of your womb, the fruit of your ground, and the fruit of your livestock, both the increase of your cattle and the issue of your flock.

**ἀνεφώνησεν** – NT Hapax, 5x in LXX – *to speak with considerable volume or loudness – the LXX usage may suggest intoning a chant....*

1Chr 15:28 καὶ πᾶς Ἰσραὴλ ἀνάγοντες τὴν κιβωτὸν διαθήκης κυρίου ἐν σημασίᾳ καὶ ἐν φωνῇ σωφὲρ καὶ ἐν σάλπιγγιν καὶ ἐν κυμβάλοις ἀναφωνοῦντες νάβλαις καὶ ἐν κινύραις

So all Israel brought up the ark of the covenant of the LORD with shouting, to the sound of the horn, trumpets, and cymbals, and made loud music on harps and lyres.

1Chr 16:4 καὶ ἔταξεν κατὰ πρόσωπον τῆς κιβωτοῦ διαθήκης κυρίου ἐκ τῶν Λευιτῶν λειτουργοῦντας ἀναφωνοῦντας καὶ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι καὶ αἰνεῖν κύριον τὸν θεὸν Ἰσραὴλ

Moreover he appointed certain of the Levites as ministers before the ark of the LORD, to invoke, to thank, and to praise the LORD, the God of Israel.

1Chr 16:5 Ἀσαφ ὁ ἠγούμενος καὶ δευτερεύων αὐτῷ Ζαχαρίας Ἰηλ Σεμιραμωθ Ἰηλ Ματταθίας Ἐλιαβ καὶ Βαναιας καὶ Ἀβδεδομ καὶ Ἰηλ ἐν ὄργανοις νάβλαις καὶ κινύραις καὶ Ἀσαφ ἐν κυμβάλοις ἀναφωνῶν

Asaph was the chief, and second to him were Zechari'ah, Je-i'el, Shemi'ramoth, Jehi'el, Mattithi'ah, Eli'ab, Benai'ah, O'bed-e'dom, and Je-i'el, who were to play harps and lyres; Asaph was to sound the cymbals,

1Chr 16:42 καὶ μετ' αὐτῶν σάλπιγγες καὶ κύμβαλα τοῦ ἀναφωνεῖν καὶ ὄργανα τῶν ψδῶν τοῦ θεοῦ υἱοὶ Ἰδιθων εἰς τὴν πύλην

Heman and Jedu'thun had trumpets and cymbals for the music and instruments for sacred song. The sons of Jedu'thun were appointed to the gate.

2Chr 5:13 καὶ ἐγένετο μία φωνὴ ἐν τῷ σαλπίζειν καὶ ἐν τῷ ψαλτωδεῖν καὶ ἐν τῷ ἀναφωνεῖν φωνῇ μιᾷ τοῦ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι καὶ αἰνεῖν τῷ κυρίῳ καὶ ὡς ὑψωσαν φωνὴν ἐν σάλπιγγιν καὶ ἐν κυμβάλοις καὶ ἐν ὄργανοις τῶν ψδῶν καὶ ἔλεγον ἐξομολογεῖσθε τῷ κυρίῳ ὅτι ἀγαθὸν ὅτι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ καὶ ὁ οἶκος ἐνεπλήσθη νεφέλης δόξης κυρίου

and it was the duty of the trumpeters and singers to make themselves heard in unison in praise and thanksgiving to the LORD), and when the song was raised, with trumpets and cymbals and other musical instruments, in praise to the LORD, "For he is good, for his steadfast love endures for ever," the house, the house of the LORD, was filled with a cloud,

**κραυγῆ μεγάλης** – 2x in NT, 3x in LXX -

Luke 1:42 and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!

Acts 23:9 Then a great clamor arose; and some of the scribes of the Pharisees' party stood up and contended, "We find nothing wrong in this man. What if a spirit or an angel spoke to him?"

Exod 11:6 καὶ ἔσται κραυγὴ μεγάλη κατὰ πᾶσαν γῆν Αἰγύπτου ἣτις τοιαύτη οὐ γέγονεν καὶ τοιαύτη οὐκέτι προστεθήσεται

And there shall be a great cry throughout all the land of Egypt, such as there has never been, nor ever shall be again.

Exod 12:30 καὶ ἀναστὰς Φαραὼ νυκτὸς καὶ πάντες οἱ θεράποντες αὐτοῦ καὶ πάντες οἱ Αἰγύπτιοι καὶ ἐγενήθη κραυγὴ μεγάλη ἐν πάσῃ γῆ Αἰγύπτῳ οὐ γὰρ ἦν οἰκία ἐν ἣ οὐκ ἦν ἐν αὐτῇ τεθηκῶς

And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt, for there was not a house where one was not dead.

1Mac 5:31 καὶ εἶδεν Ἰουδᾶς ὅτι ἦρκεται ὁ πόλεμος καὶ ἡ κραυγὴ τῆς πόλεως ἀνέβη ἕως οὐρανοῦ σάλπιγγιν καὶ κραυγῆ μεγάλης

So Judas saw that the battle had begun and that the cry of the city went up to Heaven with trumpets and loud shouts,

**κραυγῆ** – 6x in NT – *the sound of a loud scream or shout* -

Matt 25:6 But at midnight there was a cry, Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.'

Luke 1:42 and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!

Acts 23:9 Then a great clamor arose; and some of the scribes of the Pharisees' party stood up and contended, "We find nothing wrong in this man. What if a spirit or an angel spoke to him?"

Eph 4:31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, with all malice,

Heb 5:7 In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to him who was able to save him from death, and he was heard for his godly fear.

Rev 21:4 he will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away."

**Εὐλογημένη σὺ** - 3x in NT -

Luke 1:42 and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!

Acts 3:26 God, having raised up his servant, sent him to you first, to bless you in turning every one of you from your wickedness."

Heb 6:14 saying, "Surely I will bless you and multiply you."

## Εὐλογημένη – 13x in Luke, perfect passive participle, 4x \* -

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1:64 And immediately his mouth was opened and his tongue loosed, and he spoke, blessing God.

2:28 he took him up in his arms and blessed God and said,

2:34 and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against

6:28 bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you.

9:16 And taking the five loaves and the two fish he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd.

\*13:35 Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

\*19:38 saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

24:30 When he was at table with them, he took the bread and blessed, and broke it, and gave it to them.

24:50 Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them.

24:51 While he blessed them, he parted from them, and was carried up into heaven.

24:53 and were continually in the temple blessing God.

## ἐν γυναιξίν – NT Hapax, 8x in LXX -

JudgB 5:24 εὐλογηθεῖτη ἐν γυναιξίν Ἰαηλ γυνὴ Χαβερ τοῦ Κιναίου ἀπὸ γυναικῶν ἐν σκηναῖς εὐλογηθεῖτη

"Most blessed of women be Ja'el, the wife of Heber the Ken'ite, of tent-dwelling women most blessed.

2Chr 21:14 ἰδοὺ κύριος πατάξει σε πληγὴν μεγάλην ἐν τῷ λαῷ σου καὶ ἐν τοῖς υἱοῖς σου καὶ ἐν γυναιξίν σου καὶ ἐν πάσῃ τῇ ἀποσκευῇ σου

behold, the LORD will bring a great plague on your people, your children, your wives, and all your possessions,

Cant 1:8 ἐὰν μὴ γυνὴ σεαυτὴν ἢ καλὴ ἐν γυναιξίν ἐξελθε σὺ ἐν πτέρυγαις τῶν ποιμνίων καὶ ποιμαίνε τὰς ἐρίφους σου ἐπὶ σκηνώμασιν τῶν ποιμένων

If you do not know, O fairest among women, follow in the tracks of the flock, and pasture your kids beside the shepherds' tents.

Cant 5:9 τί ἀδελφιδός σου ἀπὸ ἀδελφιδοῦ ἢ καλὴ ἐν γυναιξίν τί ἀδελφιδός σου ἀπὸ ἀδελφιδοῦ ὅτι οὕτως ὥρκισα ἡμᾶς

What is your beloved more than another beloved, O fairest among women? What is your beloved more than another beloved, that you thus adjure us?

Cant 6:1 ποῦ ἀπῆλθεν ὁ ἀδελφιδός σου ἢ καλὴ ἐν γυναιξίν ποῦ ἀπέβλεψεν ὁ ἀδελφιδός σου καὶ ζητήσομεν αὐτὸν μετὰ σοῦ

Whither has your beloved gone, O fairest among women? Whither has your beloved turned, that we may seek him with you?

Hos 12:13 καὶ ἀνεχώρησεν Ἰακωβ εἰς πεδίον Συρίας καὶ ἐδούλευσεν Ἰσραηλ ἐν γυναικί καὶ ἐν γυναικί ἐφυλάξατο

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TobBA 3:8 ὅτι ἦν δεδομένη ἀνδράσιν ἑπτὰ καὶ Ἀσμοδαυς τὸ πονηρὸν δαιμόνιον ἀπέκτεινεν αὐτούς πρὶν ἢ γενέσθαι αὐτούς μετ' αὐτῆς ὡς ἐν γυναιξίν καὶ εἶπαν αὐτῇ οὐ συνίεις ἀποπνίγουσά σου τοὺς ἄνδρας ἡδὴ ἑπτὰ ἔσχεες καὶ ἐνός αὐτῶν οὐκ ὠνάσθης

because she had been given to seven husbands, and the evil demon Asmodeus had slain each of them before he had been with her as his wife. So the maids said to her, "Do you not know that you strangle your husbands? You already have had seven and have had no benefit from any of them.

## εὐλογημένος - perfect passive participle, see above, this verse –

## ὁ καρπὸς τῆς κοιλίας – NT Hapax, 4x in LXX –

Gen 30:2 ἐθυμώθη δὲ Ἰακωβ τῇ Ραχηλ καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῇ μὴ ἀντὶ θεοῦ ἐγὼ εἰμι ὃς ἐστέρησέν σε καρπὸν κοιλίας Ἰακωβ's anger was kindled against Rachel, and he said, "Am I in the place of God, who has withheld from you the fruit of the womb?"

Ps 131:11 ὡμοσεν κύριος τῷ Δαυιδ ἀλήθειαν καὶ οὐ μὴ ἀθετήσῃ αὐτὴν ἐκ καρποῦ τῆς κοιλίας σου θήσομαι ἐπὶ τὸν θρόνον σου

The LORD swore to David a sure oath from which he will not turn back: "One of the sons of your body I will set on your throne.

Lam 2:20 ἰδέ κύριε καὶ ἐπίβλεψον τίτι ἐπεφύλλισας οὕτως εἰ φάγονται γυναικες καρπὸν κοιλίας αὐτῶν ἐπιφύλλιδα ἐποίησεν μάγειρος φονευθήσονται νήπια θηλάζοντα μαστούς ἀποκτενεῖς ἐν ἀγιάσματι κυρίου ἱερέα καὶ προφῆτην

Look, O LORD, and see! With whom hast thou dealt thus? Should women eat their offspring, the children of their tender care? Should priest and prophet be slain in the sanctuary of the Lord?

Mic 6:7 εἰ προσδέξεται κύριος ἐν χιλιάσιν κριῶν ἢ ἐν μυριάσιν χειμάρρων πόνων εἰ δῶ πρωτότοκά μου ἀσεβείας καρπὸν κοιλίας μου ὑπὲρ ἀμαρτίας ψυχῆς μου

Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my first-born for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?"

### καρπὸς – 12x in Luke –

1:42 and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!

3:8 Bear fruits that befit repentance, and do not begin to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as our father'; for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children to Abraham.

3:9 Even now the axe is laid to the root of the trees; every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire."

6:43 "For no good tree bears bad fruit, nor again does a bad tree bear good fruit;

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6:44 for each tree is known by its own fruit. For figs are not gathered from thorns, nor are grapes picked from a bramble bush.

8:8 And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundredfold." As he said this, he called out, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

12:17 and he thought to himself, 'What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops?'

13:6 And he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came seeking fruit on it and found none.

13:7 And he said to the vinedresser, 'Lo, these three years I have come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and I find none. Cut it down; why should it use up the ground?'

13:9 And if it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down."

20:10 When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, that they should give him some of the fruit of the vineyard; but the tenants beat him, and sent him away empty-handed.

### κοιλίας – 7x in Luke, see 1.41 above -

## 1:43

καὶ πόθεν μοι τοῦτο ἵνα ἔλθῃ ἡ μήτηρ τοῦ κυρίου μου πρὸς ἐμέ;

And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me?

### Allusion to 2 Samuel 24:21

καὶ εἶπεν Ὀρνα τί ὅτι ἦλθεν ὁ κύριός μου ὁ βασιλεὺς πρὸς τὸν δούλον αὐτοῦ καὶ εἶπεν Δαυιδ κτήσασθαι παρὰ σοῦ τὸν ἄλωνα τοῦ οἰκοδομῆσαι θυσιαστήριον τῷ κυρίῳ καὶ συσχεθῆ ἡ θραύσις ἐπάνω τοῦ λαοῦ

Araunah said, "Why has my lord the king come to his servant?" David said, "To buy the threshing floor from you in order to build an altar to the LORD, so that the plague may be averted from the people."

### καὶ πόθεν – 4x in NT –

Mark 12:37 David himself calls him Lord; so how is he his son?" And the great throng heard him gladly.

Luke 1:43 And why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?

James 4:1 What causes wars, and what causes fightings among you? Is it not your passions that are at war in your members?

Rev 7:13 Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and whence have they come?"

### πόθεν – 4x in Luke –

1:43 And why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?

13:25 When once the householder has risen up and shut the door, you will begin to stand outside and to knock at the door, saying, 'Lord, open to us.' He will answer you, 'I do not know where you come from.'

13:27 But he will say, 'I tell you, I do not know where you come from; depart from me, all you workers of iniquity!'

20:7 So they answered that they did not know whence it was.

### ἡ μήτηρ τοῦ κυρίου – NT Hapax, No LXX –

### μήτηρ– 17x in Luke

1:15 for he will be great before the Lord, and he shall drink no wine nor strong drink, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb.

1:43 And why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?

1:60 but his mother said, "Not so; he shall be called John."

2:33

And his father and his mother marveled at what was said about him;

2:34 and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against  
 2:48 And when they saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, "Son, why have you treated us so? Behold, your father and I have been looking for you anxiously."  
 2:51 And he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart.  
 7:12 As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her.  
 7:15 And the dead man sat up, and began to speak. And he gave him to his mother.  
 8:19  
 Then his mother and his brothers came to him, but they could not reach him for the crowd.  
 8:20 And he was told, "Your mother and your brothers are standing outside, desiring to see you."  
 8:21 But he said to them, "My mother and my brothers are those who hear the word of God and do it."  
 8:51 And when he came to the house, he permitted no one to enter with him, except Peter and John and James, and the father and mother of the child.  
 12:53 they will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against her mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law."  
 12:53 they will be divided, father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against her mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law."  
 14:26 "If any one comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.  
 18:20 You know the commandments: Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Honor your father and mother."  
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### κυρίου – 104x in Luke –

1:6, 1:9, 1:11, 1:15, 1:16, 1:17, 1:25, 1:28, 1:32, 1:38, 1:43, 1:45, 1:47, 1:58, 1:66, 1:68, 1:76, 2:9, 2:9, 2:11, 2:15, 2:22, 2:23, 2:23, 2:24, 2:26, 2:39, 3:4, 4:8, 4:12, 4:18, 4:19, 5:8, 5:12, 5:17, 6:5, 6:46, 6:46, 7:6, 7:13, 7:19, 9:54, 9:59, 9:61, 10:1, 10:2, 10:17, 10:21, 10:27, 10:39, 10:40, 10:41, 11:1, 11:39, 12:36, 12:37, 12:41, 12:42, 12:42, 12:43, 12:45, 12:46, 12:47, 13:8, 13:15, 13:23, 13:25, 13:35, 14:21, 14:22, 14:23, 16:3, 16:5, 16:5, 16:8, 16:13, 17:5, 17:6, 17:37, 18:6, 18:41, 19:8, 19:8, 19:16, 19:18, 19:20, 19:25, 19:31, 19:33, 19:34, 19:38, 20:13, 20:15, 20:37, 20:42, 20:42, 20:44, 22:33, 22:38, 22:49, 22:61, 22:61, 24:3, 24:34

### πρὸς ἔμε – 8x in Luke

1:43 And why is this granted me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?  
 6:47 Every one who comes to me and hears my words and does them, I will show you what he is like:  
 11:6 for a friend of mine has arrived on a journey, and I have nothing to set before him';  
 12:41 Peter said, "Lord, are you telling this parable for us or for all?"  
 14:26 "If any one comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.  
 16:26 And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.'  
 18:16 But Jesus called them to him, saying, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them; for to such belongs the kingdom of God.  
 23:15 neither did Herod, for he sent him back to us. Behold, nothing deserving death has been done by him;

### 1:44

ἰδοὺ γὰρ ὡς ἐγένετο ἡ φωνὴ τοῦ ἀσπασμοῦ σου εἰς τὰ ᾠτά μου, ἐσκίρτησεν ἐν ἀγαλλιάσει τὸ βρέφος ἐν τῇ κοιλίᾳ μου.

For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting, the child in my womb leaped for joy.

### ἰδοὺ - 57x in Luke –

1:20 And behold, you will be silent and unable to speak until the day that these things come to pass, because you did not believe my words, which will be fulfilled in their time."  
 1:31 And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus.  
 1:36 And behold, your kinswoman Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son; and this is the sixth month with her who was called barren.  
 1:38 And Mary said, "Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her.  
 1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.  
 1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed;

2:10 And the angel said to them, "Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all the people;

2:25 Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him.

2:34 and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against

2:48 And when they saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, "Son, why have you treated us so? Behold, your father and I have been looking for you anxiously."

5:12 While he was in one of the cities, there came a man full of leprosy; and when he saw Jesus, he fell on his face and besought him, "Lord, if you will, you can make me clean."

5:18 And behold, men were bringing on a bed a man who was paralyzed, and they sought to bring him in and lay him before Jesus;

6:23 Rejoice in that day, and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven; for so their fathers did to the prophets.

7:12 As he drew near to the gate of the city, behold, a man who had died was being carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and a large crowd from the city was with her.

7:25 What then did you go out to see? A man clothed in soft clothing? Behold, those who are gorgeously appareled and live in luxury are in kings' courts.

7:27 This is he of whom it is written, Behold, I send my messenger before thy face, who shall prepare thy way before thee.'

7:34 The Son of man has come eating and drinking; and you say, Behold, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!'

7:37 And behold, a woman of the city, who was a sinner, when she learned that he was at table in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster flask of ointment,

8:41 And there came a man named Ja'irus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus' feet he besought him to come to his house,

9:30 And behold, two men talked with him, Moses and Eli'jah,

9:38 And behold, a man from the crowd cried, "Teacher, I beg you to look upon my son, for he is my only child;

9:39 and behold, a spirit seizes him, and he suddenly cries out; it convulses him till he foams, and shatters him, and will hardly leave him.

10:3 Go your way; behold, I send you out as lambs in the midst of wolves.

10:19 Behold, I have given you authority to tread upon serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing shall hurt you.

10:25 And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?"

11:31 The queen of the South will arise at the judgment with the men of this generation and condemn them; for she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon, and behold, something greater than Solomon is here.

11:32 The men of Nin'evah will arise at the judgment with this generation and condemn it; for they repented at the preaching of Jonah, and behold, something greater than Jonah is here.

11:41 But give for alms those things which are within; and behold, everything is clean for you.

13:7 And he said to the vinedresser, Lo, these three years I have come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and I find none. Cut it down; why should it use up the ground?'

13:11 And there was a woman who had had a spirit of infirmity for eighteen years; she was bent over and could not fully straighten herself.

13:16 And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day?'

13:30 And behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."

13:32 And he said to them, "Go and tell that fox, Behold, I cast out demons and perform cures today and tomorrow, and the third day I finish my course.

13:35 Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'"

14:2 And behold, there was a man before him who had dropsy.

15:29 but he answered his father, Lo, these many years I have served you, and I never disobeyed your command; yet you never gave me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends.

17:21 nor will they say, Lo, here it is!' or There!' for behold, the kingdom of God is in the midst of you."

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18:28 And Peter said, "Lo, we have left our homes and followed you."

18:31 And taking the twelve, he said to them, "Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and everything that is written of the Son of man by the prophets will be accomplished.

19:2 And there was a man named Zacchae'us; he was a chief tax collector, and rich.

19:8 And Zacchae'us stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have defrauded any one of anything, I restore it fourfold."

19:20 Then another came, saying, Lord, here is your pound, which I kept laid away in a napkin;

22:10 He said to them, "Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you; follow him into the house which he enters,

22:21 But behold the hand of him who betrays me is with me on the table.

22:31

"Simon, Simon, behold, Satan demanded to have you, that he might sift you like wheat,

22:38 And they said, "Look, Lord, here are two swords." And he said to them, "It is enough."  
 22:47 While he was still speaking, there came a crowd, and the man called Judas, one of the twelve, was leading them. He drew near to Jesus to kiss him;  
 23:14 and said to them, "You brought me this man as one who was perverting the people; and after examining him before you, behold, I did not find this man guilty of any of your charges against him;  
 23:15 neither did Herod, for he sent him back to us. Behold, nothing deserving death has been done by him;  
 23:29 For behold, the days are coming when they will say, Blessed are the barren, and the wombs that never bore, and the breasts that never gave suck!"  
 23:50 Now there was a man named Joseph from the Jewish town of Arimathea. He was a member of the council, a good and righteous man,  
 24:4 While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel;  
 24:13 That very day two of them were going to a village named Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem,  
 24:49 And behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you; but stay in the city, until you are clothed with power from on high."

### ὥς ἐγένετο – 3x in Luke –

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.  
 4:25 But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when there came a great famine over all the land;  
 22:66 When day came, the assembly of the elders of the people gathered together, both chief priests and scribes; and they led him away to their council, and they said,

### φωνη – 14x in Luke –

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.  
 3:4 As it is written in the book of the words of Isaiah the prophet, "The voice of one crying in the wilderness: Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight.  
 3:22 and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form, as a dove, and a voice came from heaven, "Thou art my beloved Son; with thee I am well pleased."  
 4:33 And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon; and he cried out with a loud voice,  
 8:28 When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell down before him, and said with a loud voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beseech you, do not torment me."  
 9:35 And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!"  
 9:36 And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silence and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.  
 11:27 As he said this, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him, "Blessed is the womb that bore you, and the breasts that you sucked!"  
 17:13 and lifted up their voices and said, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us."  
 17:15 Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice;  
 19:37 As he was now drawing near, at the descent of the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen,  
 23:23 But they were urgent, demanding with loud cries that he should be crucified. And their voices prevailed.  
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 23:46 Then Jesus, crying with a loud voice, said, "Father, into thy hands I commit my spirit!" And having said this he breathed his last.

### ἀσπασμου – 5x in Luke, see 1.41 above –

### εἰς τὰ ὠτά μου – NT Hapax –

### ὠτα – 7x in Luke –

1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.  
 4:21 And he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."  
 8:8 And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundredfold." As he said this, he called out, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."  
 9:44 "Let these words sink into your ears; for the Son of man is to be delivered into the hands of men."  
 12:3 Therefore whatever you have said in the dark shall be heard in the light, and what you have whispered in private rooms shall be proclaimed upon the housetops.  
 14:35 It is fit neither for the land nor for the dunghill; men throw it away. He who has ears to hear, let him hear."  
 22:50 And one of them struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his right ear.

### ἐσκήρτησεν – 3x in Luke, aorist active indicative, see 1.41 above –

### ἀγαλλιάσει – 5x in NT –

Luke 1:14 And you will have joy and gladness, and many will rejoice at his birth;  
Luke 1:44 For behold, when the voice of your greeting came to my ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy.  
Acts 2:46 And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they partook of food with glad and generous hearts,  
Heb 1:9 Thou hast loved righteousness and hated lawlessness; therefore God, thy God, has anointed thee with the oil of gladness beyond thy comrades."  
Jude 1:24 Now to him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you without blemish before the presence of his glory with rejoicing,

τὸ βρέφος ἐν τῇ κοιλίᾳ - 2x in NT, see 1.41 above -

## 1:45

καὶ μακαρία ἡ πιστεύουσα ὅτι ἔσται τελείωσις τοῖς λελαλημένοις αὐτῇ παρὰ κυρίου.

And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her by the Lord."

### Allusion to Hebrews 11:11

Πίστει καὶ αὐτῇ Σάρρα στεῖρα δύναμιν εἰς καταβολὴν σπέρματος ἔλαβεν καὶ παρὰ καιρὸν ἡλικίας, ἐπεὶ πιστὸν ἠγήσατο τὸν ἐπαγγειλάμενον.

By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old--and Sarah herself was barren--because he considered him faithful who had promised.

### μακαρία – 15x in Luke –

1:45 And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

6:20 And he lifted up his eyes on his disciples, and said: "Blessed are you poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

6:21 "Blessed are you that hunger now, for you shall be satisfied. "Blessed are you that weep now, for you shall laugh.

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6:22 "Blessed are you when men hate you, and when they exclude you and revile you, and cast out your name as evil, on account of the Son of man!

7:23 And blessed is he who takes no offense at me."

10:23 Then turning to the disciples he said privately, "Blessed are the eyes which see what you see!

11:27 As he said this, a woman in the crowd raised her voice and said to him, "Blessed is the womb that bore you, and the breasts that you sucked!"

11:28 But he said, "Blessed rather are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"

12:37 Blessed are those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes; truly, I say to you, he will gird himself and have them sit at table, and he will come and serve them.

12:38 If he comes in the second watch, or in the third, and finds them so, blessed are those servants!

12:43 Blessed is that servant whom his master when he comes will find so doing.

14:14 and you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you. You will be repaid at the resurrection of the just."

14:15 When one of those who sat at table with him heard this, he said to him, "Blessed is he who shall eat bread in the kingdom of God!"

23:29 For behold, the days are coming when they will say, Blessed are the barren, and the wombs that never bore, and the breasts that never gave suck!"

### πιστεύουσα – 9x in Luke, aorist active participle, 2x \* –

1:20 And behold, you will be silent and unable to speak until the day that these things come to pass, because you did not believe my words, which will be fulfilled in their time."

\*1:45 And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

\*8:12 The ones along the path are those who have heard; then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, that they may not believe and be saved.

8:13 And the ones on the rock are those who, when they hear the word, receive it with joy; but these have no root, they believe for a while and in time of temptation fall away.

8:50 But Jesus on hearing this answered him, "Do not fear; only believe, and she shall be well."

16:11 If then you have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will entrust to you the true riches?

20:5 And they discussed it with one another, saying, "If we say, 'From heaven,' he will say, 'Why did you not believe him?'

22:67 "If you are the Christ, tell us." But he said to them, "If I tell you, you will not believe;

24:25 And he said to them, "O foolish men, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken!"

### ἔσται τελείωσις – NT Hapax, 1x in LXX –

Exod 29:22 καὶ λήμψη ἀπὸ τοῦ κριοῦ τὸ στέαρ αὐτοῦ καὶ τὸ στέαρ τὸ κατακαλύπτον τὴν κοιλίαν καὶ τὸν λοβὸν τοῦ ἥπατος καὶ τοὺς δύο νεφροὺς καὶ τὸ στέαρ τὸ ἐπ' αὐτῶν καὶ τὸν βραχίονα τὸν δεξιὸν ἔστιν γὰρ τελείωσις αὕτη

"You shall also take the fat of the ram, and the fat tail, and the fat that covers the entrails, and the appendage of the liver, and the two kidneys with the fat that is on them, and the right thigh (for it is a ram of ordination),

*τελείωσις – 2x in NT, 17x in LXX – to make perfect in the moral sense - to cause to happen for some end result -*

Luke 1:45 And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfilment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

Heb 7:11 Now if perfection had been attainable through the Levitical priesthood (for under it the people received the law), what further need would there have been for another priest to arise after the order of Melchizedek, rather than one named after the order of Aaron?

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Exod 29:26 καὶ λήμψη τὸ στηθύνιον ἀπὸ τοῦ κριοῦ τῆς τελειώσεως ὃ ἔστιν Ααρων καὶ ἀφοριεῖς αὐτὸ ἀφόρισμα ἔναντι κυρίου καὶ ἔσται σοι ἐν μερίδι

"And you shall take the breast of the ram of Aaron's ordination and wave it for a wave offering before the LORD; and it shall be your portion.

Exod 29:27 καὶ ἀγιάσεις τὸ στηθύνιον ἀφόρισμα καὶ τὸν βραχίονα τοῦ ἀφαιρέματος ὃς ἀφώρισται καὶ ὃς ἀφήρηται ἀπὸ τοῦ κριοῦ τῆς τελειώσεως ἀπὸ τοῦ Ααρων καὶ ἀπὸ τῶν υἱῶν αὐτοῦ

And you shall consecrate the breast of the wave offering, and the thigh of the priests' portion, which is waved, and which is offered from the ram of ordination, since it is for Aaron and for his sons.

Exod 29:31 καὶ τὸν κριὸν τῆς τελειώσεως λήμψη καὶ ἐψησεις τὰ κρέα ἐν τόπῳ ἁγίῳ

"You shall take the ram of ordination, and boil its flesh in a holy place;

Exod 29:34 ἐὰν δὲ καταλειφθῇ ἀπὸ τῶν κρεῶν τῆς θυσίας τῆς τελειώσεως καὶ τῶν ἄρτων ἕως πρωῆ κατακαύσεις τὰ λοιπὰ πυρὶ οὐ βρωθήσεται ἁγίασμα γὰρ ἔστιν

And if any of the flesh for the ordination, or of the bread, remain until the morning, then you shall burn the remainder with fire; it shall not be eaten, because it is holy.

Lev 7:37 οὗτος ὁ νόμος τῶν ὀλοκαυτωμάτων καὶ θυσίας καὶ περὶ ἁμαρτίας καὶ τῆς πλημμελείας καὶ τῆς τελειώσεως καὶ τῆς θυσίας τοῦ σωτηρίου

This is the law of the burnt offering, of the cereal offering, of the sin offering, of the guilt offering, of the consecration, and of the peace offerings,

Lev 8:22 καὶ προσήγαγεν Μωυσῆς τὸν κριὸν τὸν δεύτερον κριὸν τελειώσεως καὶ ἐπέθηκεν Ααρων καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ αὐτοῦ τὰς χεῖρας αὐτῶν ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν τοῦ κριοῦ

Then he presented the other ram, the ram of ordination; and Aaron and his sons laid their hands on the head of the ram.

Lev 8:26 καὶ ἀπὸ τοῦ κανοῦ τῆς τελειώσεως τοῦ ὄντος ἔναντι κυρίου ἔλαβεν ἄρτον ἕνα ἄζυμον καὶ ἄρτον ἐξ ἐλαίου ἕνα καὶ λάγανον ἕν καὶ ἐπέθηκεν ἐπὶ τὸ στέαρ καὶ τὸν βραχίονα τὸν δεξιὸν

and out of the basket of unleavened bread which was before the LORD he took one unleavened cake, and one cake of bread with oil, and one wafer, and placed them on the fat and on the right thigh;

Lev 8:28 καὶ ἔλαβεν Μωυσῆς ἀπὸ τῶν χειρῶν αὐτῶν καὶ ἀνήνεγκεν αὐτὰ Μωυσῆς ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριον ἐπὶ τὸ ὀλοκαύτωμα τῆς τελειώσεως ὃ ἔστιν ὄσμὴ εὐωδίας κάρπωμά ἐστιν τῷ κυρίῳ

Then Moses took them from their hands, and burned them on the altar with the burnt offering, as an ordination offering, a pleasing odor, an offering by fire to the LORD.

Lev 8:29 καὶ λαβὼν Μωυσῆς τὸ στηθύνιον ἀφέιλεν αὐτὸ ἐπίθεμα ἔναντι κυρίου ἀπὸ τοῦ κριοῦ τῆς τελειώσεως καὶ ἐγένετο Μωυσῆ ἐν μερίδι καθὰ ἐνετείλατο κύριος τῷ Μωυσῆ

And Moses took the breast, and waved it for a wave offering before the LORD; it was Moses' portion of the ram of ordination, as the LORD commanded Moses.

Lev 8:31 καὶ εἶπεν Μωυσῆς πρὸς Ααρων καὶ τοὺς υἱοὺς αὐτοῦ ἐψησατε τὰ κρέα ἐν τῇ αὐλῇ τῆς σκηνῆς τοῦ μαρτυρίου ἐν τόπῳ ἁγίῳ καὶ ἐκεῖ φάγεσθε αὐτὰ καὶ τοὺς ἄρτους τοὺς ἐν τῷ κανῷ τῆς τελειώσεως ὃν τρόπον συντέτακται μοι λέγων Ααρων καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ αὐτοῦ φάγονται αὐτὰ

And Moses said to Aaron and his sons, "Boil the flesh at the door of the tent of meeting, and there eat it and the bread that is in the basket of ordination offerings, as I commanded, saying, Aaron and his sons shall eat it";

Lev 8:33 καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς θύρας τῆς σκηνῆς τοῦ μαρτυρίου οὐκ ἐξελεύσεσθε ἑπτὰ ἡμέρας ἕως ἡμέρα πληρωθῇ ἡμέρα τελειώσεως ὑμῶν ἑπτὰ γὰρ ἡμέρας τελειώσει τὰς χεῖρας ὑμῶν

And you shall not go out from the door of the tent of meeting for seven days, until the days of your ordination are completed, for it will take seven days to ordain you.

2Chr 29:35 καὶ ἡ ὀλοκαύτωσις πολλὴ ἐν τοῖς στέασι τῆς τελειώσεως τοῦ σωτηρίου καὶ τῶν σπονδῶν τῆς ὀλοκαυτώσεως καὶ καταρωθῶθη τὸ ἔργον ἐν οἴκῳ κυρίου

Besides the great number of burnt offerings there was the fat of the peace offerings, and there were the libations for the burnt offerings. Thus the service of the house of the LORD was restored.

Jer 2:2 καὶ εἶπεν τάδε λέγει κύριος ἐμνήσθητι ἐλέους νεότητός σου καὶ ἀγάπης τελειώσεώς σου τοῦ ἐξακολουθήσαι σε τῷ ἁγίῳ Ἰσραὴλ λέγει κύριος

"Go and proclaim in the hearing of Jerusalem, Thus says the LORD, I remember the devotion of your youth, your love as a bride, how you followed me in the wilderness, in a land not sown.

Jdt 10:9 καὶ προσεκύνησεν τῷ θεῷ καὶ εἶπεν πρὸς αὐτούς ἐπιτάξατε ἀνοιξαί μοι τὴν πύλην τῆς πόλεως καὶ ἐξελεύσομαι εἰς τελείωσιν τῶν λόγων ὧν ἐλάλησατε μετ' ἐμοῦ καὶ συνέταξαν τοῖς νεανίσκοις ἀνοίξαι αὐτῇ καθότι ἐλάλησεν

When Judith heard the wicked words spoken by the people against the ruler, because they were faint for lack of water, and when she heard all that Uzziah said to them, and how he promised them under oath to surrender the city to the Assyrians after five days,

2Mac 2:9 διεσαφεῖτο δὲ καὶ ὡς σοφίαν ἔχων ἀνήνεγκεν θυσίαν ἐγκαινισμοῦ καὶ τῆς τελειώσεως τοῦ ἱεροῦ

It was also made clear that being possessed of wisdom Solomon offered sacrifice for the dedication and completion of the temple.

Sir 34:8 ἀνευ ψεύδους συντελεσθήσεται νόμος καὶ σοφία στόματι πιστῷ τελείωσις

Without such deceptions the law will be fulfilled, and wisdom is made perfect in truthful lips.

### λελαλημένοις – 31x in Luke, perfect passive participle, 1x –

1:19, 1:20, 1:22, 1:45, 1:55, 1:64, 1:70, 2:15, 2:17, 2:18, 2:20, 2:33, 2:38, 2:50, 4:41, 5:4, 5:21, 6:45, 7:15, 8:49, 9:11, 11:14, 11:37, 12:3, 22:47, 22:60, 24:6, 24:25, 24:32, 24:36, 24:44

### παρὰ κυρίου – 7x in NT –

Matt 21:42 Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the scriptures: The very stone which the builders rejected has become the head of the corner; this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes'?"

Mark 12:11 this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes'?"

Luke 1:45 And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfilment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

Eph 6:8 knowing that whatever good any one does, he will receive the same again from the Lord, whether he is a slave or free.

2Tim 1:18 may the Lord grant him to find mercy from the Lord on that Day -- and you well know all the service he rendered at Ephesus.

2Peter 2:11 whereas angels, though greater in might and power, do not pronounce a reviling judgment upon them before the Lord.

2Peter 3:8 But do not ignore this one fact, beloved, that with the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

## 1:46

Καὶ εἶπεν Μαριάμ, Μεγαλύνει ἡ ψυχὴ μου τὸν κύριον,

And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord,

### Allusion to 1 Samuel 2:1-10

καὶ εἶπεν ἑστερεώθη ἡ καρδία μου ἐν κυρίῳ ὑψώθη κέρασ μου ἐν θεῷ μου ἐπλατύνη ἐπὶ ἐχθρούς τὸ στόμα μου εὐφράνθη ἐν σωτηρίᾳ σου ὅτι οὐκ ἔστιν ἅγιος ὡς κύριος καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν δίκαιος ὡς ὁ θεὸς ἡμῶν οὐκ ἔστιν ἅγιος πλὴν σου μὴ καυχᾶσθε καὶ μὴ λαλεῖτε ὑψηλὰ μὴ ἐξεληθάτω μεγαλορρημοσύνη ἐκ τοῦ στόματος ὑμῶν ὅτι θεὸς γνώσεως κύριος καὶ θεὸς ἐτοιμάζων ἐπιτηδεύματα αὐτοῦ τόξον δυνατῶν ἠσθένησεν καὶ ἀσθενούντες περιεζώσαντο δύναμιν πλήρεις ἄρτων ἠλαττώθησαν καὶ οἱ πεινῶντες παρήκαν γῆν ὅτι στείρα ἔτεκεν ἑπτὰ καὶ ἡ πολλὴ ἐν τέκνοις ἠσθένησεν κύριος θανατοῖ καὶ ζωογονεῖ κατάγει εἰς ἄδου καὶ ἀνάγει κύριος πτωχίζει καὶ πλουτίζει ταπεινοὶ καὶ ἀνυψοὶ ἀνιστᾶ ἀπὸ γῆς πένητα καὶ ἀπὸ κοπρίας ἐγείρει πτωχὸν καθίσει μετὰ δυναστῶν λαῶν καὶ θρόνον δόξης κατακληρονομῶν αὐτοῖς διδοὺς εὐχὴν τῷ εὐχομένῳ καὶ εὐλόγησεν ἔτη δικαίου ὅτι οὐκ ἐν ἰσχύϊ δυνατὸς ἀνὴρ κύριος ἀσθενῆ ποιήσει ἀντίδικον αὐτοῦ κύριος ἅγιος μὴ καυχᾶσθω ὁ φρόνιμος ἐν τῇ φρονήσει αὐτοῦ καὶ μὴ καυχᾶσθω ὁ δυνατὸς ἐν τῇ δυνάμει αὐτοῦ καὶ μὴ καυχᾶσθω ὁ πλούσιος ἐν τῷ πλούτῳ αὐτοῦ ἀλλ' ἡ ἐν τούτῳ καυχᾶσθω ὁ καυχώμενος συνίειν καὶ γινώσκειν τὸν κύριον καὶ ποιεῖν κρίμα καὶ δικαιοσύνην ἐν μέσῳ τῆς γῆς κύριος ἀνέβη εἰς οὐρανὸς καὶ ἐβρόντησεν αὐτὸς κρινεῖ ἄκρα γῆς καὶ δίδωσιν ἰσχυρὸν τοῖς βασιλεῦσιν ἡμῶν καὶ ὑψώσει κέρασ χριστοῦ αὐτοῦ

Hannah prayed and said, "My heart exults in the LORD; my strength is exalted in my God. My mouth derides my enemies, because I rejoice in my victory. "There is no Holy One like the LORD, no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God. Talk no more so very proudly, let not arrogance come from your mouth; for the LORD is a God of knowledge, and by him actions are weighed. The bows of the mighty are broken, but the feeble gird on strength. Those who were full have hired themselves out for bread, but those who were hungry are fat with spoil. The barren has borne seven, but she who has many children is forlorn. The LORD kills and brings to life; he brings down to Sheol and raises up. The LORD makes poor and makes rich; he

brings low, he also exalts. He raises up the poor from the dust; he lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes and inherit a seat of honor. For the pillars of the earth are the Lord's, and on them he has set the world. "He will guard the feet of his faithful ones, but the wicked shall be cut off in darkness; for not by might does one prevail. The LORD! His adversaries shall be shattered; the Most High will thunder in heaven. The LORD will judge the ends of the earth; he will give strength to his king, and exalt the power of his anointed."

#### Allusion to Psalm 33:4

μεγαλύνετε τὸν κύριον σὺν ἐμοί καὶ ὑψώσωμεν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτό

34:3 O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.

#### Allusion to Psalm 34:9

ἡ δὲ ψυχὴ μου ἀγαλλιάσεται ἐπὶ τῷ κυρίῳ τερφθήσεται ἐπὶ τῷ σωτηρίῳ αὐτοῦ

35:9 Then my soul shall rejoice in the LORD, exulting in his deliverance.

### εἶπεν Μαριάμ – NT Hapax –

*Μεγαλύνει - 8x in NT, 87x in LXX – to cause to be large - to praise a person in terms of that individual's greatness - to show respect to a person on the basis of the importance of such an individual -*

Matt 23:5 They do all their deeds to be seen by men; for they make their phylacteries broad and their fringes long,

Luke 1:46 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Luke 1:58 And her neighbors and kinsfolk heard that the Lord had shown great mercy to her, and they rejoiced with her.

Acts 5:13 None of the rest dared join them, but the people held them in high honor.

Acts 10:46 For they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter declared,

Acts 19:17 And this became known to all residents of Ephesus, both Jews and Greeks; and fear fell upon them all; and the name of the Lord Jesus was extolled.

2Cor 10:15 We do not boast beyond limit, in other men's labors; but our hope is that as your faith increases, our field among you may be greatly enlarged,

Phil 1:20 as it is my eager expectation and hope that I shall not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death.

Ps 11:5 τοὺς εἰπόντας τὴν γλῶσσαν ἡμῶν μεγαλυνοῦμεν τὰ χεῖλη ἡμῶν παρ' ἡμῶν ἐστὶν τίς ἡμῶν κύριός ἐστιν those who say, "With our tongue we will prevail, our lips are with us; who is our master?"

Ps 17:51 μεγαλύνων τὰς σωτηρίας τοῦ βασιλέως αὐτοῦ καὶ ποιῶν ἔλεος τῷ χριστῷ αὐτοῦ τῷ Δαυιδ καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ ἕως αἰῶνος

Great triumphs he gives to his king, and shows steadfast love to his anointed, to David and his descendants for ever.

Ps 19:6 ἀγαλλιασόμεθα ἐν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου καὶ ἐν ὀνόματι θεοῦ ἡμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα πληρώσαι κύριος πάντα τὰ αἰτήματά σου

May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of our God set up our banners! May the LORD fulfil all your petitions!

Ps 19:8 οὔτοι ἐν ἄρμασιν καὶ οὔτοι ἐν ἵπποις ἡμεῖς δὲ ἐν ὀνόματι κυρίου θεοῦ ἡμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα

Some boast of chariots, and some of horses; but we **boast of the name of the LORD our God.**

Ps 33:4 μεγαλύνετε τὸν κύριον σὺν ἐμοί καὶ ὑψώσωμεν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτό

**O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together!**

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Let those who desire my vindication shout for joy and be glad, and say evermore, "**Great is the LORD**, who delights in the welfare of his servant!"

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But may all who seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee; may those who love thy salvation say continually, "**Great is the LORD!**"

Ps 40:10 καὶ γὰρ ὁ ἄνθρωπος τῆς εἰρήνης μου ἐφ' ὃν ἠλπισα ὁ ἐσθίων ἄρτους μου ἐμεγάλυνεν ἐπ' ἐμὲ πτερνισμὸν Even my bosom friend in whom I trusted, who ate of my bread, has lifted his heel against me.

Ps 56:11 ὅτι ἐμεγαλύνθη ἕως τῶν οὐρανῶν τὸ ἔλεός σου καὶ ἕως τῶν νεφελῶν ἡ ἀλήθειά σου

For thy steadfast love is great to the heavens, thy faithfulness to the clouds.

Ps 68:31 αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ θεοῦ μετ' ὧδης μεγαλυνῶ αὐτὸν ἐν αἰνέσει

I will praise the name of God with a song; **I will magnify him with thanksgiving.**

Ps 69:5 ἀγαλλιάσθωσαν καὶ εὐφρανθήησαν ἐπὶ σοὶ πάντες οἱ ζητοῦντές σε καὶ λεγέτωσαν διὰ παντός μεγαλυνθήτω ὁ θεός οἱ ἀγαπῶντες τὸ σωτήριόν σου

May all who seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee! May those who love thy salvation say evermore, "God is great!"

Ps 91:6 ὡς ἐμεγαλύνθη τὰ ἔργα σου κύριε σφόδρα ἐβαθύνθησαν οἱ διαλογισμοί σου

How **great are thy works**, O LORD! Thy thoughts are very deep!

Ps 125:2 τότε ἐπλήσθη χαρὰς τὸ στόμα ἡμῶν καὶ ἡ γλῶσσα ἡμῶν ἀγαλλιάσεως τότε ἐροῦσιν ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἐμεγάλυνεν κύριος τοῦ ποιῆσαι μετ' αὐτῶν

Then our mouth was filled with laughter, and our tongue with shouts of joy; then they said among the nations, "The LORD has done great things for them."

Ps 125:3 ἐμεγάλυνεν κύριος τοῦ ποιῆσαι μεθ' ἡμῶν ἐγενηθήμεν εὐφραϊνόμενοι

The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad.

Ps 137:2 προσκυνήσω πρὸς ναὸν ἅγιόν σου καὶ ἐξομολογήσομαι τῷ ὀνόματί σου ἐπὶ τῷ ἔλεει σου καὶ τῇ ἀληθείᾳ σου ὅτι ἐμεγάλυνας ἐπὶ πάντων ὀνόματα τὸ λόγιόν σου

I bow down toward thy holy temple and give thanks to thy name for thy steadfast love and thy faithfulness; for thou hast exalted above everything thy name and thy word.

Gen 12:2, Gen 19:19, Gen 43:34, Num 15:3, Num 15:8, JudgA 5:13, 1Sam/K 2:21, 1Sam/K 2:26, 1Sam/K 3:19, 1Sam/K 12:24, 1Sam/K 26:24, 2Sam/K 5:10, 2Sam/K 7:22, 2Sam/K 7:26, 2Sam/K 22:51, 1/3Kgs 1:37, 1/3Kgs 1:47, 1/3Kgs 10:23, 1Chr 11:9, 1Chr 29:12, 1Chr 29:25, 2Chr 1:1, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 9:6, Job 7:17, Job 19:5, Ps 11:5, Ps 17:51, Ps 19:6, Ps 19:8, Ps 33:4, Ps 34:27, Ps 39:17, Ps 40:10, Ps 56:11, Ps 68:31, Ps 69:5, Ps 91:6, Ps 125:2, Ps 125:3, Ps 137:2, Prov 8:16, Qoh 1:16, Qoh 2:4, Qoh 2:9, Isa 42:21, Jer 5:27, Jer 31:26, Jer 31:42, Jer 38:14, Lam 1:9, Lam 2:13, Lam 4:6, Ezek 9:9, Ezek 16:7, Ezek 24:9, Ezek 38:23, Dan 2:48, DanTh 2:48, DanTh 4:11, DanTh 4:20, DanTh 4:22, DanTh 4:22, DanTh 4:33, DanTh 8:4, DanTh 8:8, DanTh 8:9, DanTh 8:10, DanTh 8:25, DanTh 11:36, DanTh 11:37, Joel 2:20, Joel 2:21, Amos 8:5, Mic 1:10, Mic 5:3, Zeph 2:8, Zeph 2:10, Zech 12:7, Zech 12:11, Mal 1:5, Jdt 12:18, 1Mac 10:3, Sir 36:3, Sir 43:31, Sir 45:2, Sir 49:11, Wis 19:22

## ψυχὴ - 14x in Luke –

1:47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

2:35 (and a sword will pierce through your own soul also), that thoughts out of many hearts may be revealed."

6:9 And Jesus said to them, "I ask you, is it lawful on the sabbath to do good or to do harm, to save life or to destroy it?"

9:24 For whoever would save his life will lose it; and whoever loses his life for my sake, he will save it.

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10:27 And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself."

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12:20 But God said to him, Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be?'

12:22

And he said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you shall eat, nor about your body, what you shall put on.

12:23 For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing.

14:26 "If any one comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple.

17:33 Whoever seeks to gain his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life will preserve it.

21:19 By your endurance you will gain your lives.

## Μεγαλύνει . . . τὸν κύριον – NT Hapax, 9x in LXX –

2Sam/K 7:22 ἔνεκεν τοῦ μεγαλῦναί σε κύριέ μου κύριε ὅτι οὐκ ἔστιν ὡς σὺ καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν θεὸς πλὴν σοῦ ἐν πάσιν οἷς ἠκούσαμεν ἐν τοῖς ὠσίν ἡμῶν

Therefore thou art great, O LORD God; for there is none like thee, and there is no God besides thee, according to all that we have heard with our ears.

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Joel 2:21 θάρσει γῆ χαῖρε καὶ εὐφραίνου ὅτι ἐμεγάλυνεν κύριος τοῦ ποιῆσαι

"Fear not, O land; be glad and rejoice, for the LORD has done great things!

Zeph 2:10 αὕτη αὐτοῖς ἀντὶ τῆς ὑβρεως αὐτῶν διότι ὠνείδισαν καὶ ἐμεγαλύνθησαν ἐπὶ τὸν κύριον τὸν παντοκράτορα

This shall be their lot in return for their pride, because they scoffed and boasted against the people of the LORD of hosts.  
Mal 1:5 καὶ οἱ ὀφθαλμοὶ ὑμῶν ὄψονταὶ καὶ ὑμεῖς ἐρεῖτε ἐμεγαλύνθη κύριος ὑπεράνω τῶν ὁρίων τοῦ Ἰσραηλ.  
Your own eyes shall see this, and you shall say, "Great is the LORD, beyond the border of Israel!"

## 1:47

καὶ ἠγαλλίασεν τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου,  
and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

### Allusion to Habakkuk 3:18

ἐγὼ δὲ ἐν τῷ κυρίῳ ἀγαλλιάσομαι χαρήσομαι ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου  
yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will exult in the God of my salvation.

### Allusion to Isaiah 61:10

καὶ εὐφροσύνη εὐφρανθήσονται ἐπὶ κύριον ἀγαλλιάσθω ἡ ψυχὴ μου ἐπὶ τῷ κυρίῳ ἐνέδυσεν γάρ με ἱμάτιον  
σωτηρίου καὶ χιτῶνα εὐφροσύνης ὡς νυμφίῳ περιέθηκέν μοι μίτραν καὶ ὡς νύμφην κατεκόσμησέν με κόσμῳ  
I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of  
salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride  
adorns herself with her jewels.

### Allusion to Isaiah 17:10

διότι κατέλιπες τὸν θεὸν τὸν σωτῆρά σου καὶ κυρίου τοῦ βοηθοῦ σου οὐκ ἐμνήσθης διὰ τοῦτο φυτεύσεις φύτευμα  
ἄπιστον καὶ σπέρμα ἄπιστον  
For you have forgotten the God of your salvation, and have not remembered the Rock of your refuge; therefore, though you  
plant pleasant plants and set out slips of an alien god,

## ἠγαλλίασεν – 11x in NT, 74x in LXX – aorist active indicative, NT Hapax -

Matt 5:12 Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so men persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Luke 1:47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Luke 10:21 In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank thee, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that  
thou hast hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to babes; yea, Father, for such was thy  
gracious will.

John 5:35 He was a burning and shining lamp, and you were willing to rejoice for a while in his light.

John 8:56 Your father Abraham rejoiced that he was to see my day; he saw it and was glad."

Acts 2:26 therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover my flesh will dwell in hope.

Acts 16:34 Then he brought them up into his house, and set food before them; and he rejoiced with all his household that he  
had believed in God.

1Peter 1:6 In this you rejoice, though now for a little while you may have to suffer various trials,

1Peter 1:8 Without having seen him you love him; though you do not now see him you believe in him and rejoice with  
unutterable and exalted joy.

1Peter 4:13 But rejoice in so far as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is  
revealed.

Rev 19:7 Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and his Bride has made  
herself ready;

2Sam/K 1:20, 1Chr 16:31, Ps 2:11, Ps 5:12, Ps 9:3, Ps 9:15, Ps 12:5, Ps 12:6, Ps 13:7, Ps 15:9, Ps 18:6, Ps 19:6, Ps 20:2, Ps 30:8, Ps  
31:11, Ps 32:1, Ps 34:9, Ps 34:27, Ps 39:17, Ps 47:12, Ps 50:10, Ps 50:16, Ps 52:7, Ps 58:17, Ps 59:8, Ps 62:8, Ps 66:5, Ps 67:4, Ps 67:5,  
Ps 69:5, Ps 70:23, Ps 74:10, Ps 80:2, Ps 83:3, Ps 88:13, Ps 88:17, Ps 89:14, Ps 91:5, Ps 94:1, Ps 95:11, Ps 95:12, Ps 96:1, Ps 96:8, Ps  
97:4, Ps 97:8, Ps 117:24, Ps 118:162, Ps 125:6, Ps 131:9, Ps 131:16, Ps 144:7, Ps 149:2, Ps 149:5, Cant 1:4, Isa 12:6, Isa 25:9, Isa  
29:19, Isa 35:1, Isa 35:2, Isa 41:16, Isa 49:13, Isa 61:10, Isa 65:14, Isa 65:19, Jer 30:20, Lam 2:19, Hab 3:18, TobBA 13:9, TobBA  
13:15, TobS 13:15, 3Mac 2:17, Od 4:18, Od 9:47, Sir 30:3

## πνεῦμά - 36x in Luke –

1:15, 1:17, 1:35, 1:41, 1:47, 1:67, 1:80, 2:25, 2:26, 2:27, 3:16, 3:22, 4:1, 4:1, 4:14, 4:18, 4:33, 4:36, 6:18, 7:21, 8:2, 8:29, 8:55, 9:39, 9:42,  
10:20, 10:21, 11:13, 11:24, 11:26, 12:10, 12:12, 13:11, 23:46, 24:37, 24:39

## πνεῦμά μου – 2x in Luke

Luke 1:47 καὶ ἠγαλλίασεν τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου,  
and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Luke 23:46 καὶ φωνήσας φωνῇ μεγάλῃ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν, Πάτερ, εἰς χεῖράς σου παρατίθεμαι τὸ πνεῦμά μου. τοῦτο δὲ  
εἰπὼν ἐξέπνευσεν.

Then Jesus, crying with a loud voice, said, "Father, into thy hands I commit my spirit!" And having said this he breathed his  
last.

## ἡγαλλίασεν . . . πνεῦμά - 2x in NT, 1 x in LXX –

Luke 1:47 καὶ ἡγαλλίασεν τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου,

and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Luke 10:21 Ἐν αὐτῇ τῇ ὥρᾳ ἡγαλλιάσατο [ἐν] τῷ πνεύματι τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ εἶπεν, Ἐξομολογοῦμαι σοι, πάτερ, κύριε τοῦ οὐρανοῦ καὶ τῆς γῆς, ὅτι ἀπέκρυψας ταῦτα ἀπὸ σοφῶν καὶ συνετῶν καὶ ἀπεκάλυψας αὐτὰ νηπίοις· ναὶ ὁ πατήρ, ὅτι οὕτως εὐδοκία ἐγένετο ἔμπροσθέν σου.

In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank thee, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that thou hast hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to babes; yea, Father, for such was thy gracious will.

Od 9:47 καὶ ἡγαλλίασεν τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου

Isa 61:10 καὶ εὐφροσύνη εὐφρανθήσονται ἐπὶ κύριον ἀγαλλιάσθω ἡ ψυχὴ μου ἐπὶ τῷ κυρίῳ ἐνέδυσεν γάρ με ἱμάτιον σωτηρίου καὶ χιτῶνα εὐφροσύνης ὡς νυμφίῳ περιέθηκέν μοι μίτραν καὶ ὡς νύμφῃν κατεκόσμησέν με κόσμῳ

I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.

## ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ - 6x in NT –

Matt 27:43 He trusts in God; let God deliver him now, if he desires him; for he said, I am the Son of God."

Luke 1:47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

Acts 15:19 Therefore my judgment is that we should not trouble those of the Gentiles who turn to God,

Acts 26:18 to open their eyes, that they may turn from darkness to light and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and a place among those who are sanctified by faith in me.'

Acts 26:20 but declared first to those at Damascus, then at Jerusalem and throughout all the country of Judea, and also to the Gentiles, that they should repent and turn to God and perform deeds worthy of their repentance.

2Cor 1:9 Why, we felt that we had received the sentence of death; but that was to make us rely not on ourselves but on God who raises the dead;

## τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρι – NT Harax, 18x in LXX –

Deut 32:15 καὶ ἔφαγεν Ἰακωβ καὶ ἐνεπλήσθη καὶ ἀπελάκτισεν ὁ ἡγαπημένος ἐλιπάνθη ἐπαχύνθη ἐπλατύνθη καὶ ἐγκατέλιπεν θεὸν τὸν ποιήσαντα αὐτὸν καὶ ἀπέστη ἀπὸ θεοῦ σωτῆρος αὐτοῦ

"But Jesh'urun waxed fat, and kicked; you waxed fat, you grew thick, you became sleek; then he forsook God who made him, and scoffed at the Rock of his salvation.

Esth 5:1 καὶ γενηθεῖσα ἐπιφανῆς ἐπικαλεσαμένη τὸν πάντων ἐπόπτην θεὸν καὶ σωτήρα παρέλαβεν τὰς δύο ἄβρας καὶ τῇ μὲν μιᾷ ἐπηρέιδετο ὡς τρυφερευομένη ἡ δὲ ἑτέρα ἐπηκολούθει κουφίζουσα τὴν ἐνδυσιν αὐτῆς

Ps 23:5 οὗτος λήμψεται εὐλογίαν παρὰ κυρίου καὶ ἐλεημοσύνην παρὰ θεοῦ σωτῆρος αὐτοῦ

He will receive blessing from the LORD, and vindication from the God of his salvation.

Ps 24:5 ὁδήγησόν με ἐπὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου καὶ διδάξόν με ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτὴρ μου καὶ σὲ ὑπέμεινα ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν

Lead me in thy truth, and teach me, for thou art the God of my salvation; for thee I wait all the day long.

Ps 26:9 μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ μὴ ἐκκλίνῃς ἐν ὀργῇ ἀπὸ τοῦ δούλου σου βοηθός μου γενοῦ μὴ ἀποσκορακίσῃς με καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτὴρ μου

Hide not thy face from me. Turn not thy servant away in anger, thou who hast been my help. Cast me not off, forsake me not, O God of my salvation!

Ps 61:3 καὶ γὰρ αὐτὸς θεὸς μου καὶ σωτὴρ μου ἀντιλήμπτω μου οὐ μὴ σαλευθῶ ἐπὶ πλεῖον

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly moved.

Ps 61:7 ὅτι αὐτὸς θεὸς μου καὶ σωτὴρ μου ἀντιλήμπτω μου οὐ μὴ μεταναστεύσω

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.

Ps 64:6 ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτὴρ ἡμῶν ἡ ἐλπίς πάντων τῶν περάτων τῆς γῆς καὶ ἐν θαλάσῃ μακρᾶν

By dread deeds thou dost answer us with deliverance, O God of our salvation, who art the hope of all the ends of the earth, and of the farthest seas;

Ps 78:9 βοήθησον ἡμῖν ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτὴρ ἡμῶν ἕνεκα τῆς δόξης τοῦ ὀνόματός σου κύριε ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς καὶ ἰλάσθητι ταῖς ἁμαρτίαις ἡμῶν ἕνεκα τοῦ ὀνόματός σου

Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of thy name; deliver us, and forgive our sins, for thy name's sake!

Ps 94:1 αἶνος ᾠδῆς τῷ Δαυιδ δευτε ἀγαλλιασώμεθα τῷ κυρίῳ ἀλαλάξωμεν τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρι ἡμῶν

O come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Isa 12:2 ἰδοὺ ὁ θεὸς μου σωτὴρ μου κύριος πεποιθώς ἔσομαι ἐπ' αὐτῷ καὶ σωθήσομαι ἐν αὐτῷ καὶ οὐ φοβηθήσομαι διότι ἡ δόξα μου καὶ ἡ αἶνεσίς μου κύριος καὶ ἐγένετό μοι εἰς σωτηρίαν

"Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation."

Isa 17:10 διότι κατέλιπες τὸν θεὸν τὸν σωτῆρά σου καὶ κυρίου τοῦ βοηθοῦ σου οὐκ ἐμνήσθης διὰ τοῦτο φυτεύσεις  
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For you have forgotten the God of your salvation, and have not remembered the Rock of your refuge; therefore, though you  
plant pleasant plants and set out slips of an alien god,

Isa 45:15 σὺ γὰρ εἶ θεὸς καὶ οὐκ ἤδειμεν ὁ θεὸς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ σωτῆρ

Truly, thou art a God who hidest thyself, O God of Israel, the Savior.

Mic 7:7 ἐγὼ δὲ ἐπὶ τὸν κύριον ἐπιβλέψομαι ὑπομενῶ ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου εἰσακούσεται μου ὁ θεὸς μου

But as for me, I will look to the LORD, I will wait for the God of my salvation; my God will hear me.

Hab 3:18 ἐγὼ δὲ ἐν τῷ κυρίῳ ἀγαλλιάσομαι χαρήσομαι ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου

yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation.

Sir 51:1 ἐξομολογήσομαι σοι κύριε βασιλεῦ καὶ αἰνέσω σε θεὸν τὸν σωτῆρά μου ἐξομολογῶμαι τῷ ὀνόματί σου

I will give thanks to thee, O Lord and King, and will praise thee as God my Savior. I give thanks to thy name,

PsSol 3:6 ἀλήθεια τῶν δικαίων παρὰ θεοῦ σωτῆρος αὐτῶν οὐκ ἀλύγεται ἐν οἴκῳ δικαίου ἀμαρτία ἐφ' ἀμαρτίαν

PsSol 17:3 ἡμεῖς δὲ ἐλπίζομεν ἐπὶ τὸν θεὸν σωτῆρα ἡμῶν ὅτι τὸ κράτος τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μετ' ἐλεύσεως  
καὶ ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ἐπὶ τὰ ἔθνη ἐν κρίσει

## σωτῆρι μου – 11x in NT, 16x in LXX (although elsewhere in NT always in plural) –

Luke 1:47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

1Tim 1:1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by command of God our Savior and of Christ Jesus our hope,

1Tim 2:3 This is good, and it is acceptable in the sight of God our Savior,

2Tim 1:10 and now has manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life  
and immortality to light through the gospel.

Titus 1:3 and at the proper time manifested in his word through the preaching with which I have been entrusted by  
command of God our Savior;

Titus 1:4 To Titus, my true child in a common faith: Grace and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Savior.

Titus 2:10 nor to pilfer, but to show entire and true fidelity, so that in everything they may adorn the doctrine of God our  
Savior.

Titus 2:13 awaiting our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

Titus 3:4 but when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared,

Titus 3:6 which he poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,

Jude 1:25 to the only God, our Savior through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all  
time and now and for ever. Amen.

Ps 24:5 ὁδήγησόν με ἐπὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου καὶ δίδαξόν με ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτῆρ μου καὶ σὲ ὑπέμεινα ὅλην τὴν  
ἡμέραν

Lead me in thy truth, and teach me, for thou art the God of my salvation; for thee I wait all the day long.

Ps 26:1 τοῦ Δαυιδ πρὸ τοῦ χρισθῆναι κύριος φωτισμός μου καὶ σωτῆρ μου τίνα φοβηθήσομαι κύριος ὑπερασπιστῆς  
τῆς ζωῆς μου ἀπὸ τίνος δειλιάσω

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

Ps 26:9 μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ μὴ ἐκκλίνης ἐν ὀργῇ ἀπὸ τοῦ δούλου σου βοηθός μου γενοῦ μὴ  
ἀποσκορακίσῃς με καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτῆρ μου

Hide not thy face from me. Turn not thy servant away in anger, thou who hast been my help. Cast me not off, forsake me  
not, O God of my salvation!

Ps 61:3 καὶ γὰρ αὐτὸς θεὸς μου καὶ σωτῆρ μου ἀντιλήπτωρ μου οὐ μὴ σαλευθῶ ἐπὶ πλεῖον

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly moved.

Ps 61:7 ὅτι αὐτὸς θεὸς μου καὶ σωτῆρ μου ἀντιλήπτωρ μου οὐ μὴ μεταναστεύσω

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken.

Ps 64:6 ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτῆρ ἡμῶν ἡ ἐλπὶς πάντων τῶν περάτων τῆς γῆς καὶ ἐν θαλάσῃ μακρὰν

By dread deeds thou dost answer us with deliverance, O God of our salvation, who art the hope of all the ends of the earth,  
and of the farthest seas;

Ps 78:9 βοήθησον ἡμῖν ὁ θεὸς ὁ σωτῆρ ἡμῶν ἕνεκα τῆς δόξης τοῦ ὀνόματός σου κύριε ῥύσαι ἡμᾶς καὶ ἰλάσθητι  
ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις ἡμῶν ἕνεκα τοῦ ὀνόματός σου

Help us, O God of our salvation, for the glory of thy name; deliver us, and forgive our sins, for thy name's sake!

Ps 94:1 αἶνος ὠδῆς τῷ Δαυιδ δεῦτε ἀγαλλιασώμεθα τῷ κυρίῳ ἀλαλάξωμεν τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρι ἡμῶν

O come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Isa 12:2 ἰδοὺ ὁ θεὸς μου σωτῆρ μου κύριος πεποιθώς ἔσομαι ἐπ' αὐτῷ καὶ σωθήσομαι ἐν αὐτῷ καὶ οὐ φοβηθήσομαι  
διότι ἡ δόξα μου καὶ ἡ αἴνεσίς μου κύριος καὶ ἐγένετό μοι εἰς σωτηρίαν

"Behold, God is my salvation; I will trust, and will not be afraid; for the LORD GOD is my strength and my song, and he has  
become my salvation."

Mic 7:7 ἐγὼ δὲ ἐπὶ τὸν κύριον ἐπιβλέψομαι ὑπομενῶ ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου εἰσακούσεται μου ὁ θεὸς μου

But as for me, I will look to the LORD, I will wait for the God of my salvation; my God will hear me.

Hab 3:18 ἐγὼ δὲ ἐν τῷ κυρίῳ ἀγαλλιάσομαι χαρήσομαι ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου

yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation.

Od 4:18 ἐγὼ δὲ ἐν τῷ κυρίῳ ἀγαλλιάσομαι χαρήσομαι ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτήρι μου

Od 9:47 καὶ ἠγαλλίασεν τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ θεῷ τῷ σωτήρι μου

Sir 51:1 ἐξομολογήσομαί σοι κύριε βασιλεῦ καὶ αἰνέσω σε θεὸν τὸν σωτήρά μου ἐξομολογούμαι τῷ ὀνόματί σου

I will give thanks to thee, O Lord and King, and will praise thee as God my Savior. I give thanks to thy name,

PsSol 8:33 ἡμῖν καὶ τοῖς τέκνοις ἡμῶν ἡ εὐδοκία εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα κύριε σωτὴρ ἡμῶν οὐ σαλευθισόμεθα ἔτι τὸν αἰῶνα χρόνον

PsSol 17:3 ἡμεῖς δὲ ἐλπιούμεν ἐπὶ τὸν θεὸν σωτὴρα ἡμῶν ὅτι τὸ κράτος τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μετ' ἐλέους καὶ ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ἐπὶ τὰ ἔθνη ἐν κρίσει

## σωτήρι – 2x in Luke –

1:47 and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior,

2:11 for to you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord.

## 1:48

ὅτι ἐπέβλεψεν ἐπὶ τὴν ταπείνωσιν τῆς δούλης αὐτοῦ. ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν μακαριοῦσίν με πᾶσαι αἱ γενεαί,

for he has looked with favor on the lowliness of his servant. Surely, from now on all generations will call me blessed;

### Allusion to 1 Samuel 1:11

καὶ ἠῤῥατο εὐχὴν κυρίῳ λέγουσα Ἀδωναι κύριε ελωαι σαβαωθ εἰάν ἐπιβλέπων ἐπιβλέψης ἐπὶ τὴν ταπείνωσιν τῆς δούλης σου καὶ μνησθῆς μου καὶ δῶς τῇ δούλῃ σου σπέρμα ἀνδρῶν καὶ δώσω αὐτὸν ἐνώπιόν σου δοτὸν ἕως ἡμέρας θανάτου αὐτοῦ καὶ οἶνον καὶ μέθυσμα οὐ πίεται καὶ σιδηρὸς οὐκ ἀναβήσεται ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ  
She made this vow: "O LORD of hosts, if only you will look on the misery of your servant, and remember me, and not forget your servant, but will give to your servant a male child, then I will set him before you as a nazirite until the day of his death. He shall drink neither wine nor intoxicants, and no razor shall touch his head."

### Allusion to 1 Samuel 9:16

ὡς ὁ καιρὸς αὐριον ἀποστελῶ πρὸς σὲ ἄνδρα ἐκ γῆς Βενιαμιν καὶ χρίσεις αὐτὸν εἰς ἄρχοντα ἐπὶ τὸν λαόν μου Ἰσραηλ καὶ σώσει τὸν λαόν μου ἐκ χειρὸς ἄλλοφύλων ὅτι ἐπέβλεψα ἐπὶ τὴν ταπείνωσιν τοῦ λαοῦ μου ὅτι ἦλθεν βοή αὐτῶν πρὸς με

"Tomorrow about this time I will send to you a man from the land of Benjamin, and you shall anoint him to be ruler over my people Israel. He shall save my people from the hand of the Philistines; for I have seen the suffering of my people, because their outcry has come to me."

### Allusion to Genesis 29:32

καὶ συνέλαβεν Λεῖα καὶ ἔτεκεν υἱὸν τῷ Ἰακωβ ἐκάλεσεν δὲ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ Ρουβην λέγουσα διότι εἶδέν μου κύριος τὴν ταπείνωσιν νῦν με ἀγαπήσει ὁ ἀνὴρ μου

Leah conceived and bore a son, and she named him Reuben; for she said, "Because the LORD has looked on my affliction; surely now my husband will love me."

### Allusion to Genesis 30:13

καὶ εἶπεν Λεῖα μακαρία ἐγὼ ὅτι μακαρίζουσίν με αἱ γυναῖκες καὶ ἐκάλεσεν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ Ἀσηρ  
And Leah said, "Happy am I! For the women will call me happy"; so she named him Asher.

### Allusion to Psalm 71:17

ἔστω τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ εὐλογημένον εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας πρὸ τοῦ ἡλίου διαμνεῖ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ καὶ εὐλογηθήσονται ἐν αὐτῷ πᾶσαι αἱ φυλαὶ τῆς γῆς πάντα τὰ ἔθνη μακαριοῦσιν αὐτόν

72:17 May his name endure forever, his fame continue as long as the sun. May all nations be blessed in him; may they pronounce him happy.

### Allusion to Malachi 3:12

καὶ μακαριοῦσιν ὑμᾶς πάντα τὰ ἔθνη διότι ἔσεσθε ὑμεῖς γῆ θελητὴ λέγει κύριος παντοκράτωρ

Then all nations will count you happy, for you will be a land of delight, says the LORD of hosts.

## ἐπέβλεψεν – 2x in Luke – here aorist active indicative -

1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed;

9:38 And behold, a man from the crowd cried, "Teacher, I beg you to look upon my son, for he is my only child;

*ταπείνωσιν – 4x in NT, 44x in LXX – the quality of unpretentious behavior, suggesting a total lack of arrogance or pride - the state of low status, with the probable implication of humility -*

Luke 1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed;

Acts 8:33 In his humiliation justice was denied him. Who can describe his generation? For his life is taken up from the earth."

Phil 3:21 who will change our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power which enables him even to subject all things to himself.

James 1:10 and the rich in his humiliation, because like the flower of the grass he will pass away.

Gen 16:11, Gen 29:32, Gen 31:42, Gen 41:52, Deut 26:7, 1Sam/K 1:11, 1Sam/K 9:16, 2Sam/K 16:12, 2/4Kgs 14:26, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 9:5, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 19:9, Esth 4:8, Ps 9:14, Ps 9:31, Ps 21:22, Ps 24:18, Ps 30:8, Ps 71:4, Ps 89:3, Ps 118:50, Ps 118:92, Ps 118:153, Ps 135:23, Prov 16:19, Isa 40:2, Isa 53:8, Jer 2:24, Lam 1:3, Lam 1:7, Lam 1:9, DanTh 3:39, Jdt 6:19, Jdt 7:32, Jdt 13:20, 1Mac 3:51, 3Mac 2:12, Od 7:39, Od 9:48, Sir 2:4, Sir 2:5, Sir 11:12, Sir 20:11, PsSol 2:35, PsSol 3:8

Ps 9:14 that I may recount all thy praises, that in the gates of the daughter of Zion I may rejoice in thy deliverance.

Ps 9:31 The hapless is crushed, sinks down, and falls by his might.

Ps 21:22 Save me from the mouth of the lion, my afflicted soul from the horns of the wild oxen!

Ps 24:18 Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

Ps 30:8 I will rejoice and be glad for thy steadfast love, because thou hast seen my affliction, thou hast taken heed of my adversities,

Ps 71:4 May he defend the cause of the poor of the people, give deliverance to the needy, and crush the oppressor!

Ps 89:3 Thou turnest man back to the dust, and sayest, "Turn back, O children of men!"

Ps 118:50 This is my comfort in my affliction that thy promise gives me life.

Ps 118:92 If thy law had not been my delight, I should have perished in my affliction.

Ps 118:153 Look on my affliction and deliver me, for I do not forget thy law.

Ps 135:23 It is he who remembered us in our low estate, for his steadfast love endures for ever;

Isa 40:2 Speak tenderly to Jerusalem, and cry to her that her warfare is ended, that her iniquity is pardoned, that she has received from the LORD's hand double for all her sins.

Isa 53:8 By oppression and judgment he was taken away; and as for his generation, who considered that he was cut off out of the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people?

### δοῦλος – 2x in Luke – the 3<sup>rd</sup> time this is used in the NT is Acts 2:18 -

1:38 And Mary said, "Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her.

1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed;

### ἰδοὺ - 57x in Luke, see above 1.44 – (also used at 1.38)

### ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν – 8x in NT –

Luke 1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed; Luke 5:10 and so also were James and John, sons of Zeb'edee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; henceforth you will be catching men."

Luke 12:52 for henceforth in one house there will be five divided, three against two and two against three;

Luke 22:18 for I tell you that from now on I shall not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes."

Luke 22:69 But from now on the Son of man shall be seated at the right hand of the power of God."

John 8:11 She said, "No one, Lord." And Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you; go, and do not sin again."

Acts 18:6 And when they opposed and reviled him, he shook out his garments and said to them, "Your blood be upon your heads! I am innocent. From now on I will go to the Gentiles."

2Cor 5:16 From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once regarded Christ from a human point of view, we regard him thus no longer.

### μακαριοῦσίν – 2x in NT, 24x in LXX –

Luke 1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed; James 5:11 Behold, we call those happy who were steadfast. You have heard of the steadfastness of Job, and you have seen the purpose of the Lord, how the Lord is compassionate and merciful.

Gen 30:13, Num 24:17, Job 29:10, Job 29:11, Ps 40:3, Ps 71:17, Ps 143:15, Cant 6:9, Isa 3:12, Isa 9:15, Mal 3:12, Mal 3:15, 4Mac 1:10, 4Mac 16:9, 4Mac 18:13, Od 9:48, Sir 11:28, Sir 25:7, Sir 25:23, Sir 31:9, Sir 37:24, Sir 45:7, Wis 2:16, Wis 18:1

Gen 30:13 And Leah said, "Happy am I! For the women will call me happy"; so she called his name Asher.

Ps 40:3 the LORD protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land; thou dost not give him up to the will of his enemies.

Ps 71:17 May his name endure for ever, his fame continue as long as the sun! May men bless themselves by him, all nations call him blessed!

Ps 143:15 Happy the people to whom such blessings fall!

Isa 3:12 My people -- children are their oppressors, and women rule over them. O my people, your leaders mislead you, and confuse the course of your paths.

Isa 9:15 the elder and honored man is the head, and the prophet who teaches lies is the tail;

Mal 3:12 Then all nations will call you blessed, for you will be a land of delight, says the LORD of hosts.

## πάσαι αἱ γενεαὶ – 2x in NT, 12x in LXX –

Luke 1:48 for he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed; Eph 3:21 to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

Exod 1:6 ἐτελεύτησεν δὲ Ἰωσήφ καὶ πάντες οἱ ἀδελφοὶ αὐτοῦ καὶ πᾶσα ἡ γενεὰ ἐκείνη

Then Joseph died, and all his brothers, and all that generation.

Exod 12:14 καὶ ἔσται ἡ ἡμέρα ὑμῖν αὕτη μνημόσυνον καὶ εορτάσετε αὐτήν εορτὴν κυρίῳ εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς ὑμῶν νόμιμον αἰώνιον εορτάσετε αὐτήν

"This day shall be for you a memorial day, and you shall keep it as a feast to the LORD; throughout your generations you shall observe it as an ordinance for ever.

Num 32:13 καὶ ὠργίσθη θυμῷ κύριος ἐπὶ τὸν Ἰσραὴλ καὶ κατερρόμβευσεν αὐτούς ἐν τῇ ἐρήμῳ τεσσαράκοντα ἔτη ἕως ἐξανηλώθη πᾶσα ἡ γενεὰ οἱ ποιῶντες τὰ πονηρὰ ἐναντι κυρίου

And the LORD's anger was kindled against Israel, and he made them wander in the wilderness forty years, until all the generation that had done evil in the sight of the LORD was consumed.

JudgB 2:10 καὶ γε πᾶσα ἡ γενεὰ ἐκείνη προσετέθησαν πρὸς τοὺς πατέρας αὐτῶν καὶ ἀνέστη γενεὰ ἕτέρα μετ' αὐτοῦ οἱ οὐκ ἔγνωσαν τὸν κύριον καὶ γε τὸ ἔργον ὃ ἐποίησεν ἐν τῷ Ἰσραὴλ

And all that generation also were gathered to their fathers; and there arose another generation after them, who did not know the LORD or the work which he had done for Israel.

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And all that generation also were gathered to their fathers; and there arose another generation after them, who did not know the LORD or the work which he had done for Israel.

Ps 70:18 καὶ ἕως γήρους καὶ πρεσβείου ὁ θεὸς μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με ἕως ἂν ἀπαγγείλω τὸν βραχίονά σου πάσῃ τῇ γενεᾷ τῇ ἐρχομένη τὴν δυναστείαν σου καὶ τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου

So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, till I proclaim thy might to all the generations to come. Thy power

TobBA 1:4 καὶ ὅτε ἤμην ἐν τῇ χώρᾳ μου ἐν τῇ γῇ Ἰσραὴλ νεωτέρου μου ὄντος πᾶσα φυλὴ τοῦ Νεφθαλιμ τοῦ πατρός μου ἀπέστη ἀπὸ τοῦ οἴκου Ἱεροσολύμων τῆς ἐκλογίης ἀπὸ πασῶν τῶν φυλῶν Ἰσραὴλ εἰς τὸ θυσιάζειν πάσας τὰς φυλάς καὶ ἡγιάσθη ὁ ναὸς τῆς κατασκηνώσεως τοῦ ὑψίστου καὶ ὠκοδομήθη εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς τοῦ αἰῶνος

Now when I was in my own country, in the land of Israel, while I was still a young man, the whole tribe of Naphtali my forefather deserted the house of Jerusalem. This was the place which had been chosen from among all the tribes of Israel, where all the tribes should sacrifice and where the temple of the dwelling of the Most High was consecrated and established for all generations for ever.

TobBA 13:12 καὶ εὐφράναι ἐν σοὶ τοὺς αἰχμαλώτους καὶ ἀγαπήσαι ἐν σοὶ τοὺς ταλαιπώρους εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς τοῦ αἰῶνος

Cursed are all who hate you; blessed for ever will be all who love you.

TobBA 14:5 καὶ πάλιν ἐλεήσει αὐτούς ὁ θεὸς καὶ ἐπιστρέψει αὐτούς εἰς τὴν γῆν καὶ οἰκοδομήσουσιν τὸν οἶκον οὐχ οἶος ὁ πρότερος ἕως πληρωθῶσιν καιροὶ τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα ἐπιστρέψουσιν ἐκ τῶν αἰχμαλωσιῶν καὶ οἰκοδομήσουσιν Ἱεροσόλημ ἐντίμως καὶ ὁ οἶκος τοῦ θεοῦ ἐν αὐτῇ οἰκοδομηθήσεται εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς τοῦ αἰῶνος οἰκοδομῆ ἐνδόξῳ καθὼς ἐλάλησαν περὶ αὐτῆς οἱ προφῆται

But God will again have mercy on them, and bring them back into their land; and they will rebuild the house of God, though it will not be like the former one until the times of the age are completed. After this they will return from the places of their captivity, and will rebuild Jerusalem in splendor. And the house of God will be rebuilt there with a glorious building for all generations for ever, just as the prophets said of it.

TobS 1:4 καὶ ὅτε ἤμην ἐν τῇ χώρᾳ μου ἐν γῇ Ἰσραὴλ καὶ ὅτε ἤμην νέος πᾶσα ἡ φυλὴ Νεφθαλιμ τοῦ πατρός μου ἀπέστησαν ἀπὸ τοῦ οἴκου Δαυὶδ τοῦ πατρός μου καὶ ἀπὸ Ἱεροσολῶν πόλεως τῆς ἐκλογίης ἐκ πασῶν φυλῶν Ἰσραὴλ εἰς τὸ θυσιάζειν πάσαις φυλαῖς Ἰσραὴλ καὶ ἡγιάσθη ὁ ναὸς τῆς κατασκηνώσεως τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ ὠκοδομήθη ἐν αὐτῇ εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς τοῦ αἰῶνος

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Cursed are all who hate you; blessed for ever will be all who love you.

Od 9:48 ὅτι ἐπέβλεψεν ἐπὶ τὴν ταπεινωσιν τῆς δουλῆς αὐτοῦ ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν μακαριοῦσίν με πᾶσαι αἱ γενεαί

## 1:49

ὅτι ἐποίησέν μοι μεγάλα ὁ δυνατός. καὶ ἅγιον τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ,

for the Mighty One has done great things for me, and holy is his name.

### Allusion to Deuteronomy 10:21

οὗτος καύχημά σου καὶ οὗτος θεός σου ὅστις ἐποίησεν ἐν σοὶ τὰ μεγάλα καὶ τὰ ἐνδοξα ταῦτα ἃ εἶδον οἱ ὀφθαλμοί σου

He is your praise; he is your God, who has done for you these great and awesome things that your own eyes have seen.

### Allusion to Psalm 70:19

ὁ θεός ἕως ὑψίστων ἃ ἐποίησας μεγαλεῖα ὁ θεός τίς ὅμοιός σοι

71:19 and your righteousness, O God, reach the high heavens. You who have done great things, O God, who is like you?

### Allusion to Psalm 43:5

σύ εἶ αὐτός ὁ βασιλεὺς μου καὶ ὁ θεός μου ὁ ἐντελλόμενος τὰς σωτηρίας Ἰακωβ

44:4 You are my King and my God; you command victories for Jacob.

### Allusion to Psalm 110:9

λύτρωσιν ἀπέστειλεν τῷ λαῷ αὐτοῦ ἐνετείλατο εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα διαθήκην αὐτοῦ ἅγιον καὶ φοβερὸν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ

111:9 He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name.

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### μεγάλα – pronominal adjective, 3x in Luke –

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12:18 And he said, I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods.

22:26 But not so with you; rather let the greatest among you become as the youngest, and the leader as one who serves.

### ὁ δυνατός – pronominal adjective w/article, 3x in NT –

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Romans 9:22 What if God, desiring to show his wrath and to make known his power, has endured with much patience the vessels of wrath made for destruction,

Romans 15:1 We who are strong ought to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves;

### ἅγιον τὸ ὄνομα – NT Hapax, 1x in LXX -

Od 9:49 ὅτι ἐποίησέν μοι μεγαλεῖα ὁ δυνατός καὶ ἅγιον τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ

### ἅγιον – 20x in Luke –

1:15 for he will be great before the Lord, and he shall drink no wine nor strong drink, and he will be filled with the Holy Spirit, even from his mother's womb.  
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1:41 And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit  
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1:67 And his father Zechari'ah was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying,  
1:70 as he spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets from of old,  
1:72 to perform the mercy promised to our fathers, and to remember his holy covenant,  
2:23 (as it is written in the law of the Lord, "Every male that opens the womb shall be called holy to the Lord")  
2:25 Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him.  
2:26 And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ.  
3:16 John answered them all, "I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming, the thong of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie; he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.  
3:22 and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form, as a dove, and a voice came from heaven, "Thou art my beloved Son; with thee I am well pleased."  
4:1 And Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan, and was led by the Spirit  
4:34 "Ah! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are, the Holy One of God."  
9:26 For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words, of him will the Son of man be ashamed when he comes in his glory and the glory of the Father and of the holy angels.  
10:21 In that same hour he rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, "I thank thee, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that thou hast hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to babes; yea, Father, for such was thy gracious will.  
11:13 If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"  
12:10 And every one who speaks a word against the Son of man will be forgiven; but he who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven.  
12:12 for the Holy Spirit will teach you in that very hour what you ought to say."

## ὄνομα – 34x in Luke –

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1:26 In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth,  
1:27 to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin's name was Mary.  
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1:31 And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus.  
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1:59 And on the eighth day they came to circumcise the child; and they would have named him Zechari'ah after his father,  
1:61 And they said to her, "None of your kindred is called by this name."  
1:63 And he asked for a writing tablet, and wrote, "His name is John." And they all marveled.  
2:21 And at the end of eight days, when he was circumcised, he was called Jesus, the name given by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.  
2:25 Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him.  
5:27 After this he went out, and saw a tax collector, named Levi, sitting at the tax office; and he said to him, "Follow me."  
6:22 "Blessed are you when men hate you, and when they exclude you and revile you, and cast out your name as evil, on account of the Son of man!  
8:30 Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him.  
8:41 And there came a man named Ja'irus, who was a ruler of the synagogue; and falling at Jesus' feet he besought him to come to his house,  
9:48 and said to them, "Whoever receives this child in my name receives me,  
9:49 John answered, "Master, we saw a man casting out demons in your name, and we forbade him, because he does not follow with us."  
10:17 The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, even the demons are subject to us in your name!"  
10:20 Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you; but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."  
10:38 Now as they went on their way, he entered a village; and a woman named Martha received him into her house.  
11:2 And he said to them, "When you pray, say: "Father, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come."

13:35 Behold, your house is forsaken. And I tell you, you will not see me until you say, Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

16:20 And at his gate lay a poor man named Laz'arus, full of sores,

19:2 And there was a man named Zacchae'us; he was a chief tax collector, and rich.

19:38 saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

21:8 And he said, "Take heed that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name, saying, I am he!" and, The time is at hand! Do not go after them.

21:12 But before all this they will lay their hands on you and persecute you, delivering you up to the synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors for my name's sake.

21:17 you will be hated by all for my name's sake.

23:50 Now there was a man named Joseph from the Jewish town of Arimathe'a. He was a member of the council, a good and righteous man,

24:13 That very day two of them were going to a village named Emma'us, about seven miles from Jerusalem,

24:18 Then one of them, named Cle'opas, answered him, "Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?"

24:47 and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem.

## 1:50

καὶ τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεὰς καὶ γενεὰς τοῖς φοβουμένοις αὐτόν.

His mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation.

### Allusion to Psalm 102:11

ὅτι κατὰ τὸ ὕψος τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς ἐκραταίωσεν κύριος τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν

103:11 For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;

### Allusion to Psalm 102:13

καθὼς οἰκτῖρει πατὴρ υἱοὺς οἰκτίρησεν κύριος τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν

103:13 As a father has compassion for his children, so the LORD has compassion for those who fear him.

### Allusion to Psalm 102:17

τὸ δὲ ἔλεος τοῦ κυρίου ἀπὸ τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος ἐπὶ τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν καὶ ἡ δικαιοσύνη αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ υἱοὺς υἱῶν

103:17 1 But the steadfast love of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on those who fear him, and his righteousness to children's children,

### Allusion to Psalm 99:5

ὅτι χρηστὸς κύριος εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ καὶ ἕως γενεὰς καὶ γενεὰς ἡ ἀλήθεια αὐτοῦ

100:5 For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

### Allusion to Psalm 88:2

τὰ ἔλεη σου κύριε εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ἄσσομαι εἰς γενεὰν καὶ γενεὰν ἀπαγγελῶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου ἐν τῷ στόματί μου

89:2 I declare that your steadfast love is established forever; your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens.

## ἔλεος – 6x in Luke -

1:50 And his mercy is on those who fear him from generation to generation.

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

1:58 And her neighbors and kinsfolk heard that the Lord had shown great mercy to her, and they rejoiced with her.

1:72 to perform the mercy promised to our fathers, and to remember his holy covenant,

1:78 through the tender mercy of our God, when the day shall dawn upon us from on high

10:37 He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

## ἔλεος αὐτοῦ - 2x in NT –

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## εἰς γενεὰς καὶ γενεὰς – NT Hapax, 14x in LXX –

Ps 32:11 ἡ δὲ βουλή τοῦ κυρίου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μένει λογισμοὶ τῆς καρδίας αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεὰν καὶ γενεὰν

The counsel of the LORD stands for ever, the thoughts of his heart to all generations.

Ps 48:12 καὶ οἱ τάφοι αὐτῶν οἰκίαι αὐτῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα σκηνώματα αὐτῶν εἰς γενεὰν καὶ γενεὰν ἐπεκαλέσαντο τὰ ὄνόματα αὐτῶν ἐπὶ τῶν γαιῶν αὐτῶν

Their graves are their homes for ever, their dwelling places to all generations, though they named lands their own.

Ps 78:13 ἡμεῖς δὲ λαὸς σου καὶ πρόβατα τῆς νομῆς σου ἀνθομολογησόμεθά σοι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα εἰς γενεὰν καὶ γενεὰν ἐξαγγελοῦμεν τὴν αἰνεσίαν σου

Then we thy people, the flock of thy pasture, will give thanks to thee for ever; from generation to generation we will recount thy praise.

Ps 88:2 τὰ ἐλέη σου κύριε εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ἄσομαι εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν ἀπαγγελῶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου ἐν τῷ στόματί μου

I will sing of thy steadfast love, O LORD, for ever; with my mouth I will proclaim thy faithfulness to all generations.

Ps 88:5 ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος ἐτοιμάσω τὸ σπέρμα σου καὶ οἰκοδομήσω εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν τὸν θρόνον σου διάψαλμα

I will establish your descendants for ever, and build your throne for all generations." [Selah]

Ps 101:13 σὺ δὲ κύριε εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μένεις καὶ τὸ μνημόσυνόν σου εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

But thou, O LORD, art enthroned for ever; thy name endures to all generations.

Ps 105:31 καὶ ἐλογίσθη αὐτῷ εἰς δικαιοσύνην εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος

And that has been reckoned to him as righteousness from generation to generation for ever.

Ps 118:90 εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν ἡ ἀλήθειά σου ἔθεμελίωσας τὴν γῆν καὶ διαμένει

Thy faithfulness endures to all generations; thou hast established the earth, and it stands fast.

Ps 134:13 κύριε τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα κύριε τὸ μνημόσυνόν σου εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

Thy name, O LORD, endures for ever, thy renown, O LORD, throughout all ages.

Ps 145:10 βασιλεύσει κύριος εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ὁ θεός σου Σιων εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

The LORD will reign for ever, thy God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the LORD!

Lam 5:19 σὺ δὲ κύριε εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα κατοικήσεις ὁ θρόνος σου εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

But thou, O LORD, dost reign for ever; thy throne endures to all generations.

DanTh 4:3 ὡς μεγάλα καὶ ἰσχυρά ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ βασιλεία αἰώνιος καὶ ἡ ἐξουσία αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

How great are his signs, how mighty his wonders! His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and his dominion is from generation to generation.

DanTh 4:34 καὶ μετὰ τὸ τέλος τῶν ἡμερῶν ἐγὼ Ναβουχοδονοσορ τοὺς ὀφθαλμούς μου εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνέλαβον

καὶ αἱ φρένες μου ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐπεστράφησαν καὶ τῷ ὑψίστῳ εὐλόγησα καὶ τῷ ζῶντι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ἤνεσα καὶ ἐδόξασα ὅτι ἡ ἐξουσία αὐτοῦ ἐξουσία αἰώνιος καὶ ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν

At the end of the days I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted my eyes to heaven, and my reason returned to me, and I blessed the Most High, and praised and honored him who lives for ever; for his dominion is an everlasting dominion, and his kingdom endures from generation to generation;

Od 9:50 καὶ τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεάν καὶ γενεάν τοῖς φοβουμένοις αὐτόν

## γενεὰς καὶ γενεὰς – NT Hapax, 24x in LXX -

### φοβουμένοις – 23x in Luke – present passive deponent participle 2x \* -

1:13 But the angel said to him, "Do not be afraid, Zechari'ah, for your prayer is heard, and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name John.

1:30 And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God.

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2:9 And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with fear.

2:10 And the angel said to them, "Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good news of a great joy which will come to all the people;

5:10 and so also were James and John, sons of Zeb'edee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; henceforth you will be catching men."

8:25 He said to them, "Where is your faith?" And they were afraid, and they marveled, saying to one another, "Who then is this, that he commands even wind and water, and they obey him?"

8:35 Then people went out to see what had happened, and they came to Jesus, and found the man from whom the demons had gone, sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind; and they were afraid.

8:50 But Jesus on hearing this answered him, "Do not fear; only believe, and she shall be well."

9:34 As he said this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were afraid as they entered the cloud.

9:45 But they did not understand this saying, and it was concealed from them, that they should not perceive it; and they were afraid to ask him about this saying.

12:4 "I tell you, my friends, do not fear those who kill the body, and after that have no more that they can do.

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12:7 Why, even the hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear not; you are of more value than many sparrows.

12:32 "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

\*18:2 He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor regarded man;

18:4 For a while he refused; but afterward he said to himself, Though I neither fear God nor regard man,

19:21 for I was afraid of you, because you are a severe man; you take up what you did not lay down, and reap what you did not sow.'

20:19 The scribes and the chief priests tried to lay hands on him at that very hour, but they feared the people; for they perceived that he had told this parable against them.

22:2 And the chief priests and the scribes were seeking how to put him to death; for they feared the people.  
23:40 But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?"

## 1:51

Ἐποίησεν κράτος ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, διεσκόρπισεν ὑπερηφάνους διανοία καρδίας αὐτῶν·

He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts.

### Allusion to Psalm 117:15

φωνὴ ἀγαλλιᾶσεως καὶ σωτηρίας ἐν σκηναῖς δικαίων δεξιὰ κυρίου ἐποίησεν δύναμιν

118:15 There are glad songs of victory in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the LORD does valiantly;

### Allusion to Psalm 88:12

σοὶ εἰσιν οἱ οὐρανοὶ καὶ σὴ ἐστὶν ἡ γῆ τὴν οἰκουμένην καὶ τὸ πλήρωμα αὐτῆς σὺ ἐθεμελίωσας

89:11 The heavens are yours, the earth also is yours; the world and all that is in it--you have founded them.

### Allusion to Proverbs 3:34

κύριος ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται ταπεινοῖς δὲ δίδωσιν χάριν

Toward the scorers he is scornful, but to the humble he shows favor.

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κράτος . . . βραχίονι -

Wis 11:21 τὸ γὰρ μεγάλως ἰσχύειν σοὶ παρέστιν πάντοτε καὶ κράτει βραχίονός σου τίς ἀντιστήσεται

For it is always in thy power to show great strength, and who can withstand the might of thy arm?

κράτος – 12x in NT, 53x in LXX (33x in Apocrypha)– *the power to rule or control -a deed manifesting great power, with the implication of some supernatural force – in the NT never of humans!*

Luke 1:51 He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts,

Acts 19:20 So the word of the Lord grew and prevailed mightily.

Eph 1:19 and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power in us who believe, according to the working of his great might

Eph 6:10 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might.

Col 1:11 May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy,

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1Tim 6:16 who alone has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no man has ever seen or can see. To him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

Heb 2:14 Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same nature, that through death he might destroy him who has the power of death, that is, the devil,

1Peter 4:11 whoever speaks, as one who utters oracles of God; whoever renders service, as one who renders it by the strength which God supplies; in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

1Peter 5:11 To him be the dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Jude 1:25 to the only God, our Savior through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and for ever. Amen.

Rev 1:6 and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Rev 5:13 And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all therein, saying, "To him who sits upon the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might for ever and ever!"

Gen 49:24 καὶ συνετρίβη μετὰ κράτους τὰ τόξα αὐτῶν καὶ ἐξελύθη τὰ νεύρα βραχιόνων χειρῶν αὐτῶν διὰ χεῖρα δυνάστου Ιακωβ ἐκείθεν ὁ κατισχύσας Ισραηλ

yet his bow remained unmoved, his arms were made agile by the hands of the Mighty One of Jacob (by the name of the Shepherd, the Rock of Israel),

Deut 8:17 μὴ εἴπῃς ἐν τῇ καρδίᾳ σου ἡ ἰσχὺς μου καὶ τὸ κράτος τῆς χειρὸς μου ἐποίησέν μοι τὴν δύναμιν τὴν μεγάλην ταύτην

Beware lest you say in your heart, My power and the might of my hand have gotten me this wealth.'

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Job 12:16 παρ' αὐτῷ κράτος καὶ ἰσχὺς αὐτῷ ἐπιστήμη καὶ σύνεσις

With him are strength and wisdom; the deceived and the deceiver are his.

Job 21:23 οὗτος ἀποθανεῖται ἐν κράτει ἀπλοσύνης αὐτοῦ ὄλος δὲ εὐπαθῶν καὶ εὐθηνῶν

One dies in full prosperity, being wholly at ease and secure,

Ps 58:10 τὸ κράτος μου πρὸς σὲ φυλάξω ὅτι ὁ θεὸς ἀντιλήμπτωρ μου εἶ

O my Strength, I will sing praises to thee; for thou, O God, art my fortress.

Ps 61:13 ὅτι τὸ κράτος τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ σοὶ κύριε τὸ ἔλεος ὅτι σὺ ἀποδώσεις ἐκάστῳ κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ and that to thee, O Lord, belongs steadfast love. For thou dost requite a man according to his work.

Ps 75:4 ἐκεῖ συνέτριψεν τὰ κράτη τῶν τόξων ὄπλον καὶ ῥομφαίαν καὶ πόλεμον διάψαλμα

There he broke the flashing arrows, the shield, and the sword, and the weapons of war. [Selah]

Ps 85:16 ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμὲ καὶ ἐλέησόν με δὸς τὸ κράτος σου τῷ παιδί σου καὶ σῶσον τὸν υἱὸν τῆς παιδίσκης σου

Turn to me and take pity on me; give thy strength to thy servant, and save the son of thy handmaid.

Ps 88:10 σὺ δεσπόζεις τοῦ κράτους τῆς θαλάσσης τὸν δὲ σάλον τῶν κυμάτων αὐτῆς σὺ καταπραΰνεις

Thou dost rule the raging of the sea; when its waves rise, thou stillest them.

Ps 89:11 τίς γινώσκει τὸ κράτος τῆς ὀργῆς σου καὶ ἀπὸ τοῦ φόβου σου τὸν θυμὸν σου

Who considers the power of thy anger, and thy wrath according to the fear of thee?

Prov 27:24 ὅτι οὐ τὸν αἰῶνα ἀνδρὶ κράτος καὶ ἰσχὺς οὐδὲ παραδίδωσιν ἐκ γενεᾶς εἰς γενεάν

for riches do not last for ever; and does a crown endure to all generations?

Isa 22:21 καὶ ἐνδύσω αὐτὸν τὴν στολὴν σου καὶ τὸν στέφανόν σου δώσω αὐτῷ καὶ τὸ κράτος καὶ τὴν οἰκονομίαν σου δώσω εἰς τὰς χεῖρας αὐτοῦ καὶ ἔσται ὡς πατὴρ τοῖς ἐνοικοῦσιν ἐν Ἱερουσαλημ καὶ τοῖς ἐνοικοῦσιν ἐν Ἰουδα and I will clothe him with your robe, and will bind your girdle on him, and will commit your authority to his hand; and he shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem and to the house of Judah.

Isa 40:26 ἀναβλέψατε εἰς ὕψος τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς ὑμῶν καὶ ἴδετε τίς κατέδειξεν πάντα ταῦτα ὁ ἐκφέρων κατὰ ἀριθμὸν τὸν κόσμον αὐτοῦ πάντας ἐπ' ὄνοματι καλέσει ἀπὸ πολλῆς δόξης καὶ ἐν κράτει ἰσχύος οὐδὲν σε ἔλαθεν Lift up your eyes on high and see: who created these? He who brings out their host by number, calling them all by name; by the greatness of his might, and because he is strong in power, not one is missing.

Isa 41:13 ὅτι ἐγὼ ὁ θεὸς σου ὁ κρατῶν τῆς δεξιᾶς σου ὁ λέγων σοὶ μὴ φοβοῦ

For I, the LORD your God, hold your right hand; it is I who say to you, "Fear not, I will help you."

Dan 4:30 καὶ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν αὕτη ἐστὶ Βαβυλῶν ἡ μεγάλη ἣν ἐγὼ ὤκοδόμησα καὶ οἶκος βασιλείας μου ἐν ἰσχύι κράτους μου κληθήσεται εἰς τιμὴν τῆς δόξης μου

and the king said, "Is not this great Babylon, which I have built by my mighty power as a royal residence and for the glory of my majesty?"

DanTh 4:30 ἀπεκρίθη ὁ βασιλεὺς καὶ εἶπεν οὐχ αὕτη ἐστὶν Βαβυλῶν ἡ μεγάλη ἣν ἐγὼ ὤκοδόμησα εἰς οἶκον βασιλείας ἐν τῷ κράτει τῆς ἰσχύος μου εἰς τιμὴν τῆς δόξης μου

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DanTh 11:1 καὶ ἐγὼ ἐν ἔτει πρώτῳ Κύρου ἔστην εἰς κράτος καὶ ἰσχύν

And as for me, in the first year of Darius the Mede, I stood up to confirm and strengthen him.

ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ – NT Hapax, 2x in LXX –

Deut 26:8 καὶ ἐξήγαγεν ἡμᾶς κύριος ἐξ Αἰγύπτου αὐτὸς ἐν ἰσχύι μεγάλη καὶ ἐν χειρὶ κραταιᾷ καὶ ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ τῷ ὑψηλῷ καὶ ἐν ὀράμασιν μεγάλαις καὶ ἐν σημείοις καὶ ἐν τέρασιν

and the LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with great terror, with signs and wonders;

Sir 38:30 ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ τυπώσει πηλὸν καὶ πρὸ ποδῶν κάμψει ἰσχὺν αὐτοῦ καρδίαν ἐπιδώσει συντελέσαι τὸ χρῆσμα καὶ ἡ ἀγρυπνία αὐτοῦ καθαρίσαι κάμινον

He moulds the clay with his arm and makes it pliable with his feet; he sets his heart to finish the glazing, and he is careful to clean the furnace.

διεσκόρπισεν – 9x in NT – *to cause a group or gathering to disperse or scatter, with possible emphasis on the distributive nature of the scattering (that is to say, each going in a different direction) - (a figurative extension of διασκορπίζω) to spend foolishly and to no purpose -*

Matt 25:24 He also who had received the one talent came forward, saying, Master, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not winnow;

Matt 25:26 But his master answered him, You wicked and slothful servant! You knew that I reap where I have not sowed, and gather where I have not winnowed?

Matt 26:31 Then Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away because of me this night; for it is written, I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock will be scattered."

Mark 14:27 And Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away; for it is written, I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered."

Luke 1:51 He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts,

Luke 15:13 Not many days later, the younger son gathered all he had and took his journey into a far country, and there he squandered his property in loose living.

Luke 16:1 He also said to the disciples, "There was a rich man who had a steward, and charges were brought to him that this man was wasting his goods.

John 11:52 and not for the nation only, but to gather into one the children of God who are scattered abroad.

Acts 5:37 After him Judas the Galilean arose in the days of the census and drew away some of the people after him; he also perished, and all who followed him were scattered.

ὑπερηφάνους – 5x in NT, 40x in LXX (19x in Apocrypha) – *pertaining to being ostentatiously proud -*

Luke 1:51 He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts,

Romans 1:30 slanderers, haters of God, insolent, haughty, boastful, inventors of evil, disobedient to parents,

2Tim 3:2 For men will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy,

James 4:6 But he gives more grace; therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."

1Peter 5:5 Likewise you that are younger be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."

Esth 4:20 σὺ πάντα γινώσκεις σὺ οἶδας κύριε ὅτι οὐκ ἐν ὕβρει οὐδὲ ἐν ὑπερηφανίᾳ οὐδὲ ἐν φιλοδοξίᾳ ἐποίησα τοῦτο τὸ μὴ προσκυνεῖν τὸν ὑπερήφανον Ἀμαν ὅτι ἠυδόκουν φιλεῖν πέλαματα ποδῶν αὐτοῦ πρὸς σωτηρίαν Ἰσραὴλ

Esth 4:17 καὶ Εσθηρ ἡ βασίλισσα κατέφυγεν ἐπὶ τὸν κύριον ἐν ἀγῶνι θανάτου κατελημμένη καὶ ἀφελομένη τὰ ἰμάτια τῆς δόξης αὐτῆς ἐνεδύσατο ἰμάτια στενοχωρίας καὶ πένθους καὶ ἀντὶ τῶν ὑπερηφάνων ἡδυσμάτων σποδοῦ καὶ κοπριῶν ἐπλησεν τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτῆς καὶ τὸ σῶμα αὐτῆς ἐταπείνωσεν σφόδρα καὶ πάντα τὸπον κόσμου ἀγαλλιάματος αὐτῆς ἐπλησε στρεπῶν τριχῶν αὐτῆς καὶ ἑδεῖτο κυρίου θεοῦ Ἰσραὴλ καὶ εἶπεν

Mor'decai then went away and did everything as Esther had ordered him.

Job 38:15 ἀφείλας δὲ ἀπὸ ἀσεβῶν τὸ φῶς βραχίονα δὲ ὑπερηφάνων συνέτριψας

From the wicked their light is withheld, and their uplifted arm is broken.

Job 40:12 ὑπερήφανον δὲ σβέσον σῆψον δὲ ἀσεβεῖς παραχρήμα

Look on every one that is proud, and bring him low; and tread down the wicked where they stand.

Psalms 17:28 ὅτι σὺ λαὸν ταπεινὸν σώσεις καὶ ὀφθαλμοὺς ὑπερηφάνων ταπεινώσεις

For thou dost deliver a humble people; but the haughty eyes thou dost bring down.

Psalms 88:11 σὺ ἔταπεινώσας ὡς τραυματίαν ὑπερήφανον καὶ ἐν τῷ βραχίονι τῆς δυνάμεώς σου διεσκόρπισας τοὺς ἐχθρούς σου

Thou didst crush Rahab like a carcass, thou didst scatter thy enemies with thy mighty arm.

Psalms 93:2 ὑψώθητι ὁ κρίνων τὴν γῆν ἀπόδος ἀνταπόδοσιν τοῖς ὑπερηφάνοις

Rise up, O judge of the earth; render to the proud their deserts!

Psalms 100:5 τὸν καταλαλοῦντα λάθρα τοῦ πλησίον αὐτοῦ τοῦτον ἐξεδίωκον ὑπερηφάνω ὀφθαλμῶ καὶ ἀπλήστῳ καρδίᾳ τοῦτω οὐ συνήσθιον

Him who slanders his neighbor secretly I will destroy. The man of haughty looks and arrogant heart I will not endure.

Psalms 118:21 ἐπετίμησας ὑπερηφάνοις ἐπικατάρατοι οἱ ἐκκλίνοντες ἀπὸ τῶν ἐντολῶν σου

Thou dost rebuke the insolent, accursed ones, who wander from thy commandments;

Psalms 118:51 ὑπερήφανοι παρηγόμουν ἕως σφόδρα ἀπὸ δὲ τοῦ νόμου σου οὐκ ἐξέκλινα

Godless men utterly deride me, but I do not turn away from thy law.

Psalms 118:69 ἐπληθύνθη ἐπ' ἐμέ ἀδικία ὑπερηφάνων ἐγὼ δὲ ἐν ὅλῃ καρδίᾳ μου ἐξερευνήσω τὰς ἐντολάς σου

The godless besmear me with lies, but with my whole heart I keep thy precepts;

Psalms 118:78 αἰσχυνθήτωσαν ὑπερήφανοι ὅτι ἀδίκως ἠνόμησαν εἰς ἐμέ ἐγὼ δὲ ἀδολεσχῆσω ἐν ταῖς ἐντολαῖς σου

Let the godless be put to shame, because they have subverted me with guile; as for me, I will meditate on thy precepts.

Psalms 118:122 ἐκδεξαι τὸν δοῦλόν σου εἰς ἀγαθόν μὴ συκοφανησάτωσάν με ὑπερήφανοι

Be surety for thy servant for good; let not the godless oppress me.

Psalms 122:4 ἐπὶ πλείον ἐπλήσθη ἡ ψυχὴ ἡμῶν τὸ ὄνειδος τοῖς εὐθινοῦσιν καὶ ἡ ἐξουδένωσις τοῖς ὑπερηφάνοις

Too long our soul has been sated with the scorn of those who are at ease, the contempt of the proud.

Psalms 139:6 ἐκρυψαν ὑπερήφανοι παγίδα μοι καὶ σχοινία διέτειναν παγίδας τοῖς ποσίν μου ἐχόμενα τρίβου σκάνδαλον ἔθεντό μοι διάψαλμα

Arrogant men have hidden a trap for me, and with cords they have spread a net, by the wayside they have set snares for me. [Selah]

Proverbs 3:34 κύριος ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται ταπεινοῖς δὲ δίδωσιν χάριν

Toward the scorers he is scornful, but to the humble he shows favor.

Isaiah 1:25 καὶ ἐπάξω τὴν χειρὰ μου ἐπὶ σὲ καὶ πυρώσω σε εἰς καθαρόν τοὺς δὲ ἀπειθοῦντας ἀπολέσω καὶ ἀφελῶ πάντα ἀνόμους ἀπὸ σοῦ καὶ πάντα ὑπερηφάνους ταπεινώσω

I will turn my hand against you and will smelt away your dross as with lye and remove all your alloy.

Isaiah 2:12 ἡμέρα γὰρ κυρίου σαβαωθ ἐπὶ πάντα ὕβριστήν καὶ ὑπερήφανον καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα ὑψηλὸν καὶ μετέωρον καὶ ταπεινωθήσονται

For the LORD of hosts has a day against all that is proud and lofty, against all that is lifted up and high;

Isaiah 13:11 καὶ ἐντελοῦμαι τῇ οἰκουμένη ὅλη κακὰ καὶ τοῖς ἀσεβέσιν τὰς ἀμαρτίας αὐτῶν καὶ ἀπολώ ὕβριν ἀνόμων καὶ ὕβριν ὑπερηφάνων ταπεινώσω

I will punish the world for its evil, and the wicked for their iniquity; I will put an end to the pride of the arrogant, and lay low the haughtiness of the ruthless.

Isaiah 29:20 ἐξέλπειν ἄνομος καὶ ἀπώλετο ὑπερήφανος καὶ ἐξωλεθρεύθησαν οἱ ἀνομοῦντες ἐπὶ κακία

For the ruthless shall come to nought and the scoffer cease, and all who watch to do evil shall be cut off,

Zephaniah 3:6 ἐν διαφθορᾷ κατέσπασα ὑπερηφάνους ἠφάνισθησαν γωνίαι αὐτῶν ἐξερημώσω τὰς ὁδοὺς αὐτῶν τὸ παράπαν τοῦ μὴ διοδεῦν ἐξέλιπον αἱ πόλεις αὐτῶν παρὰ τὸ μηδένα ὑπάρχειν μηδὲ κατοικεῖν

"I have cut off nations; their battlements are in ruins; I have laid waste their streets so that none walks in them; their cities have been made desolate, without a man, without an inhabitant.

**διανοία** - 12x in NT – *the psychological faculty of understanding, reasoning, thinking, and deciding - a particular manner or way of thinking - the content of thinking and reasoning* -

Matt 22:37 And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.

Mark 12:30 and you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.'

Luke 1:51 He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts,

Luke 10:27 And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself."

Eph 2:3 Among these we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, following the desires of body and mind, and so we were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of mankind.

Eph 4:18 they are darkened in their understanding, alienated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them, due to their hardness of heart;

Col 1:21 And you, who once were estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds,

Heb 8:10 This is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put my laws into their minds, and write them on their hearts, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people.

Heb 10:16 "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds,"

1Peter 1:13 Therefore gird up your minds, be sober, set your hope fully upon the grace that is coming to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

2Peter 3:1 This is now the second letter that I have written to you, beloved, and in both of them I have aroused your sincere mind by way of reminder;

1John 5:20 And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us understanding, to know him who is true; and we are in him who is true, in his Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life.

### διανοία καρδίας – NT Hapax, 3x in LXX –

1Chr 29:18 κύριε ὁ θεὸς Ἀβραάμ καὶ Ἰσαακ καὶ Ἰσραὴλ τῶν πατέρων ἡμῶν φύλαξον ταῦτα ἐν διανοίᾳ καρδίας λαοῦ σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ κατεύθυνον τὰς καρδίας αὐτῶν πρὸς σέ

O LORD, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, our fathers, keep for ever such purposes and thoughts in the hearts of thy people, and direct their hearts toward thee.

Sir 3:24 πολλοὺς γὰρ ἐπλάνησεν ἡ ὑπόληψις αὐτῶν καὶ ὑπόνοια πονηρὰ ὠλίσθησεν διανοίας αὐτῶν

For their hasty judgment has led many astray, and wrong opinion has caused their thoughts to slip.

Bar 1:22 καὶ ὠχόμεθα ἕκαστος ἐν διανοίᾳ καρδίας αὐτοῦ τῆς πονηρᾶς ἐργάζεσθαι θεοῖς ἑτέροις ποιῆσαι τὰ κακὰ κατ' ὀφθαλμοῦς κυρίου θεοῦ ἡμῶν

### καρδίας – 22x in Luke – *(a figurative extension of καρδία) the causative source of a person's psychological life in its various aspects, but with special emphasis upon thoughts - a location deep within a larger area -*

1:17 and he will go before him in the spirit and power of Eli'jah, to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, to make ready for the Lord a people prepared."

1:51 He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts,

1:66 and all who heard them laid them up in their hearts, saying, "What then will this child be?" For the hand of the Lord was with him.

2:19 But Mary kept all these things, pondering them in her heart.

2:35 (and a sword will pierce through your own soul also), that thoughts out of many hearts may be revealed."

2:51 And he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them; and his mother kept all these things in her heart.

3:15 As the people were in expectation, and all men questioned in their hearts concerning John, whether perhaps he were the Christ,

5:22 When Jesus perceived their questionings, he answered them, "Why do you question in your hearts?"

6:45 The good man out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil man out of his evil treasure produces evil; for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.

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8:12 The ones along the path are those who have heard; then the devil comes and takes away the word from their hearts, that they may not believe and be saved.

8:15 And as for that in the good soil, they are those who, hearing the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience.

9:47 But when Jesus perceived the thought of their hearts, he took a child and put him by his side,

10:27 And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself."

12:34 For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

12:45 But if that servant says to himself, My master is delayed in coming,' and begins to beat the menservants and the maidservants, and to eat and drink and get drunk,

16:15 But he said to them, "You are those who justify yourselves before men, but God knows your hearts; for what is exalted among men is an abomination in the sight of God.

21:14 Settle it therefore in your minds, not to meditate beforehand how to answer;

21:34 "But take heed to yourselves lest your hearts be weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and cares of this life, and that day come

24:25 And he said to them, "O foolish men, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken!

24:32 They said to each other, "Did not our hearts burn within us while he

24:38 And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do questionings rise in your hearts?"

## 1:52

καθεῖλεν δυνάστας ἀπὸ θρόνων καὶ ὑψωσεν ταπεινοὺς,

He has brought down the powerful from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly;

Allusion to Sirach 10:14

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θρόνους ἀρχόντων καθεῖλεν ὁ κύριος καὶ ἐκάθισεν πραεῖς ἀντ' αὐτῶν  
The Lord has cast down the thrones of rulers, and has seated the lowly in their place.

### Allusion to Job 12:19

ἐξαποστέλλων ἱερεῖς αἰχμαλώτους δυνάστας δὲ γῆς κατέστρεψεν  
He leads priests away stripped, and overthrows the mighty.

### Allusion to Job 5:11

τὸν ποιῶντα ταπεινὸς εἰς ὕψος καὶ ἀπολωλότας ἐξεγείροντα  
he sets on high those who are lowly, and those who mourn are lifted to safety.

### Allusion to Ezekiel 21:31

τάδε λέγει κύριος ἀφείλου τὴν κίδαριν καὶ ἐπέθου τὸν στέφανον αὐτῆ οὐ τοιαύτη ἔσται ἑταπεινώσας τὸ ὑψηλὸν  
καὶ τὸ ταπεινὸν ὕψωσας  
I will pour out my indignation upon you, with the fire of my wrath I will blow upon you. I will deliver you into brutish hands,  
those skillful to destroy.

*καθεῖλεν* – 9x in NT, 94x in LXX – *to cause something or someone to be lowered or brought down - to bring something down from one point to another -to destroy completely by tearing down and dismantling - to destroy by conquering and overpowering - to cause a state to cease -*  
Mark 15:36 And one ran and, filling a sponge full of vinegar, put it on a reed and gave it to him to drink, saying, "Wait, let us see whether Eli'jah will come to take him down."

Mark 15:46 And he bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb.

Luke 1:52 he has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree;

Luke 12:18 And he said, I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods.

Luke 23:53 Then he took it down and wrapped it in a linen shroud, and laid him in a rock-hewn tomb, where no one had ever yet been laid.

Acts 13:19 And when he had destroyed seven nations in the land of Canaan, he gave them their land as an inheritance, for about four hundred and fifty years.

Acts 13:29 And when they had fulfilled all that was written of him, they took him down from the tree, and laid him in a tomb.

Acts 19:27 And there is danger not only that this trade of ours may come into disrepute but also that the temple of the great goddess Ar'temis may count for nothing, and that she may even be deposed from her magnificence, she whom all Asia and the world worship."

2Cor 10:4 for the weapons of our warfare are not worldly but have divine power to destroy strongholds.

Gen 24:18, Gen 24:46, Gen 27:40, Gen 44:11, Exod 23:24, Exod 34:13, Lev 11:35, Lev 14:45, Num 1:51, Num 4:5, Num 10:17, Deut 7:5, Deut 28:52, JoshB 8:29, JoshB 10:27, JudgB 2:2, JudgB 6:25, JudgB 6:28, JudgB 6:30, JudgB 6:31, JudgB 6:32, JudgB 9:45, JudgA 6:25, JudgA 9:45, 1/3Kgs 19:14, 2/4Kgs 3:25, 2/4Kgs 3:25, 2/4Kgs 10:27, 2/4Kgs 14:13, 2/4Kgs 16:17, 2/4Kgs 23:7, 2/4Kgs 23:8, 2/4Kgs 23:12, 2Chr 30:14, 1Esdr 6:15, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 6:11, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 11:3, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 12:13, 2Esdr(Ez-Neh) 13:35, Job 19:2, Ps 9:7, Ps 10:3, Ps 27:5, Ps 51:7, Ps 59:3, Ps 79:13, Ps 88:41, Prov 21:22, Qoh 3:3, Qoh 10:8, Isa 5:5, Isa 14:17, Isa 22:10, Isa 49:17, Jer 4:7, Jer 13:18, Jer 24:6, Jer 30:10, Jer 38:28, Jer 38:40, Jer 40:4, Jer 49:10, Jer 51:34, Jer 52:14, Lam 2:2, Lam 2:17, Ezek 16:39, Ezek 26:12, Ezek 36:36, Zech 9:6, Jdt 13:6, TobS 13:14, 1Mac 1:31, 1Mac 2:25, 1Mac 2:45, 1Mac 4:38, 1Mac 4:45, 1Mac 4:45, 1Mac 5:65, 1Mac 5:68, 1Mac 6:7, 1Mac 6:62, 1Mac 8:10, 1Mac 9:54, 1Mac 9:54, 1Mac 9:62, 1Mac 11:4, 2Mac 10:2, 2Mac 12:35, Od 9:52, Od 10:5, Sir 10:14, Sir 28:14, Sir 34:23

*δυνάστας* – 3x in NT, 74x in LXX – *one who is in a position of authority to command others -*

Luke 1:52 he has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree;

Acts 8:27 And he rose and went. And behold, an Ethiopian, a eunuch, a minister of the Can'dace, queen of the Ethiopians, in charge of all her treasure, had come to Jerusalem to worship

1Tim 6:15 and this will be made manifest at the proper time by the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords,

Gen 49:24, Gen 50:4, Lev 19:15, JudgA 5:9, 1Sam/K 2:8, 1Chr 28:1, 1Chr 29:24, Job 5:15, Job 6:23, Job 9:22, Job 12:19, Job 13:15, Job 15:5, Job 15:20, Job 27:13, Job 29:12, Job 36:22, Ps 71:12, Prov 1:21, Prov 8:3, Prov 8:15, Prov 14:28, Prov 17:26, Prov 18:16, Prov 18:18, Prov 23:1, Prov 31:4, Prov 25:6, Prov 25:7, Isa 5:22, Jer 41:19, Dan 2:10, Dan 8:24, Dan 9:6, Dan 9:8, Dan 11:5, Dan 11:15, DanTh 3:94, Amos 6:7, Nah 3:18, Hab 3:14, Jdt 2:14, Jdt 9:3, Jdt 9:3, 2Mac 3:24, 2Mac 9:25, 2Mac 12:15, 2Mac 12:28, 2Mac 15:3, 2Mac 15:4, 2Mac 15:5, 2Mac 15:23, 2Mac 15:29, 3Mac 2:3, 3Mac 5:51, 3Mac 6:4, 3Mac 6:39, Od 3:8, Od 4:14, Od 9:52, Sir 4:27, Sir 7:6, Sir 8:1, Sir 10:3, Sir 10:24, Sir 11:6, Sir 13:9, Sir 16:11, Sir 41:17, Sir 46:5, Sir 46:7, Sir 46:16, Wis 5:23, Wis 8:11

*θρόνων* – 62x in NT, 3x in Luke –

1:32 He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David,

1:52 he has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree;  
22:30 that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

*ὑψωσεν* – 20x in NT – *to cause something to become high -to cause someone to have high status* -

Matt 11:23 And you, Caper'na-um, will you be exalted to heaven? You shall be brought down to Hades. For if the mighty works done in you had been done in Sodom, it would have remained until this day.  
Matt 23:12 whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted.  
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Luke 1:52 he has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree;  
Luke 10:15 And you, Caper'na-um, will you be exalted to heaven? You shall be brought down to Hades.  
Luke 14:11 For every one who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."  
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Luke 18:14 I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other; for every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but he who  
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John 3:14 And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of man be lifted up,  
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John 8:28 So Jesus said, "When you have lifted up the Son of man, then you will know that I am he, and that I do nothing on my own authority but speak thus as the Father taught me.  
John 12:32 and I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself."  
John 12:34 The crowd answered him, "We have heard from the law that the Christ remains for ever. How can you say that the Son of man must be lifted up? Who is this Son of man?"  
Acts 2:33 Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this which you see and hear.  
Acts 5:31 God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Savior, to give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins.  
Acts 13:17 The God of this people Israel chose our fathers and made the people great during their stay in the land of Egypt, and with uplifted arm he led them out of it.  
2Cor 11:7 Did I commit a sin in abasing myself so that you might be exalted, because I preached God's gospel without cost to you?  
James 4:10 Humble yourselves before the Lord and he will exalt you.  
1Peter 5:6 Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that in due time he may exalt you.

*ταπεινός* – 8x in NT, 70x in LXX – *pertaining to being discouraged and lacking in hope, with the possible implication of some association with low social status - pertaining to being unpretentious in one's behavior - pertaining to having low and humble status - pertaining to being meek, with the implication of low status* -

Matt 11:29 Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.  
Luke 1:52 he has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree;  
Romans 12:16 Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; never be conceited.  
2Cor 7:6 But God, who comforts the downcast, comforted us by the coming of Titus,  
2Cor 10:1 I, Paul, myself entreat you, by the meekness and gentleness of Christ -- I who am humble when face to face with you, but bold to you when I am away! --  
James 1:9 Let the lowly brother boast in his exaltation,  
James 4:6 But he gives more grace; therefore it says, "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."  
1Peter 5:5 Likewise you that are younger be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for "God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble."  
Lev 13:3, Lev 13:4, Lev 13:20, Lev 13:21, Lev 13:25, Lev 13:26, Lev 14:37, Lev 27:8, JoshB 11:16, JudgB 1:15, JudgA 1:15, JudgA 6:15, 1Sam/K 18:23, Esth 1:1, Job 5:11, Job 12:21, Ps 9:39, Ps 17:28, Ps 33:19, Ps 81:3, Ps 101:18, Ps 112:6, Ps 137:6, Prov 3:34, Prov 11:2, Prov 16:2, Prov 30:14, Qoh 10:6, Isa 2:11, Isa 11:4, Isa 11:4, Isa 14:32, Isa 25:4, Isa 26:6, Isa 32:7, Isa 32:7, Isa 49:13, Isa 54:11, Isa 58:4, Isa 66:2, Jer 22:16, Ezek 17:24, Ezek 21:31, Ezek 29:14, Dan 3:37, Dan 3:87, DanTh 3:37, DanTh 3:87, Amos 2:7, Amos 8:6, Zeph 2:3, Zeph 3:12, Jdt 9:11, Jdt 16:11, 1Mac 6:40, 1Mac 14:14, Od 7:37, Od 8:87, Od 9:52, Sir 3:18, Sir 3:20, Sir 10:15, Sir 11:1, Sir 12:5, Sir 13:21, Sir 13:22, Sir 25:23, Sir 29:8, Sir 35:17, PsSol 5:12  
Isa 11:4 but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.  
Zeph 2:3 Seek the LORD, all you humble of the land, who do his commands; seek righteousness, seek humility; perhaps you may be hidden on the day of the Lord's wrath.

*ὑψωσεν ταπεινός* – NT Hapax, 1x in LXX –

Ezek 17:24 καὶ γνώσονται πάντα τὰ ξύλα τοῦ πεδίου διότι ἐγὼ κύριος ὁ ταπεινῶν ξύλον ὑψηλὸν καὶ ὑψῶν ξύλον ταπεινὸν καὶ ξηραίνων ξύλον χλωρὸν καὶ ἀναθάλλων ξύλον ξηρὸν ἐγὼ κύριος λελάληκα καὶ ποιήσω

And all the trees of the field shall know that I the LORD bring low the high tree, and make high the low tree, dry up the green tree, and make the dry tree flourish. I the LORD have spoken, and I will do it."

## 1:53

πεινῶντας ἐνέπλησεν ἀγαθῶν καὶ πλουτοῦντας ἐξαπέστειλεν κενούς.  
he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty.

### Allusion to Psalm 106:9

ὅτι ἐχόρτασεν ψυχὴν κενὴν καὶ ψυχὴν πεινῶσαν ἐνέπλησεν ἀγαθῶν  
107:9 For he satisfies the thirsty, and the hungry he fills with good things.

### Allusion to Job 22:9

χήρας δὲ ἐξαπέστειλας κενὰς ὀρφανούς δὲ ἐκάκωσα  
You have sent widows away empty-handed, and the arms of the orphans you have crushed.

### πεινῶντας ἐνέπλησεν – NT Hapax, 2x in LXX –

Ps 106:9 ὅτι ἐχόρτασεν ψυχὴν κενὴν καὶ ψυχὴν πεινῶσαν ἐνέπλησεν ἀγαθῶν  
For he satisfies him who is thirsty, and the hungry he fills with good things.  
Jer 38:25 ὅτι ἐμέθυσσα πάσαν ψυχὴν διψῶσαν καὶ πᾶσαν ψυχὴν πεινῶσαν ἐνέπλησα  
For I will satisfy the weary soul, and every languishing soul I will replenish."

### πεινῶντας – 23x in NT, 5x in Luke – *to be in a state of hunger, without any implications of particular contributing circumstances* -

1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.  
4:2 for forty days in the wilderness, tempted by the devil. And he ate nothing in those days; and when they were ended, he was hungry.  
6:3 And Jesus answered, "Have you not read what David did when he was hungry, he and those who were with him:  
6:21 "Blessed are you that hunger now, for you shall be satisfied. "Blessed are you that weep now, for you shall laugh.  
6:25 "Woe to you that are full now, for you shall hunger. "Woe to you that laugh now, for you shall mourn and weep.

### ἐνέπλησεν – 5x in NT, 2x in LXX – *to be satisfied with food on the basis of having eaten enough*

– *A strictly literal rendering of ἐμπίμπλημι or ἐμπιπλάω in the sense of 'to fill with food' might carry the wrong implication, namely, 'to stuff with food' to the point of making someone extremely uncomfortable. It may therefore be important to divide somewhat the complex semantic components of meaning and to translate 'to cause to eat much and to become happy' or 'to cause to eat enough and as a result to be content.'*

Luke 1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.  
Luke 6:25 "Woe to you that are full now, for you shall hunger. "Woe to you that laugh now, for you shall mourn and weep.  
John 6:12 And when they had eaten their fill, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, that nothing may be lost."  
Acts 14:17 yet he did not leave himself without witness, for he did good and gave you from heaven rains and fruitful seasons, satisfying your hearts with food and gladness."  
Romans 15:24 I hope to see you in passing as I go to Spain, and to be sped on my journey there by you, once I have enjoyed your company for a little.  
Prov 13:25 δίκαιος ἔσθων ἐμπιπλά τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ ψυχᾷ δὲ ἀσεβῶν ἐνδεεῖς  
The righteous has enough to satisfy his appetite, but the belly of the wicked suffers want.  
3Mac 4:3 τίς νομὸς ἢ πόλις ἢ τίς τὸ σύνολον οἰκητὸς τόπος ἢ τίνες ἀγυαὶ κοπετοῦ καὶ γόων ἐπ' αὐτοῖς οὐκ ἐνεπιπλῶντο  
What district or city, or what habitable place at all, or what streets were not filled with mourning and wailing for them?

### ἀγαθῶν – 16x in Luke –

1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.  
6:45 The good man out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil man out of his evil treasure produces evil; for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.  
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6:45 The good man out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil man out of his evil treasure produces evil; for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks.  
8:8 And some fell into good soil and grew, and yielded a hundredfold." As he said this, he called out, "He who has ears to hear, let him hear."

8:15 And as for that in the good soil, they are those who, hearing the word, hold it fast in an honest and good heart, and bring forth fruit with patience.

10:42 one thing is needful. Mary has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her."

11:13 If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

12:18 And he said, I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones; and there I will store all my grain and my goods.

12:19 And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.'

16:25 But Abraham said, Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Laz'arus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish.

18:18 And a ruler asked him, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?"

18:19 And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone.

18:19 And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone.

19:17 And he said to him, Well done, good servant! Because you have been faithful in a very little, you shall have authority over ten cities.'

23:50 Now there was a man named Joseph from the Jewish town of Arimathe'a. He was a member of the council, a good and righteous man,

*πλουτοῦντας – 12x in NT, 14x in LXX – to have considerably more than what would be regarded as the norm in a society - to prosper to the point of being rich - to give generously of one's wealth - to have a large amount of something which has value -*

Luke 1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.

Luke 12:21 So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

Romans 10:12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and bestows his riches upon all who call upon him.

1Cor 4:8 Already you are filled! Already you have become rich! Without us you have become kings! And would that you did reign, so that we might share the rule with you!

2Cor 8:9 For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.

1Tim 6:9 But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and hurtful desires that plunge men into ruin and destruction.

1Tim 6:18 They are to do good, to be rich in good deeds, liberal and generous,

Rev 3:17 For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing; not knowing that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked.

Rev 3:18 Therefore I counsel you to buy from me gold refined by fire, that you may be rich, and white garments to clothe you and to keep the shame of your nakedness from being seen, and salve to anoint your eyes, that you may see.

Rev 18:3 for all nations have drunk the wine of her impure passion, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth have grown rich with the wealth of her wantonness."

Rev 18:15 The merchants of these wares, who gained wealth from her, will stand far off, in fear of her torment, weeping and mourning aloud,

Rev 18:19 And they threw dust on their heads, as they wept and mourned, crying out, "Alas, alas, for the great city where all who had ships at sea grew rich by her wealth! In one hour she has been laid waste.

Gen 30:43 καὶ ἐπλούτησεν ὁ ἄνθρωπος σφόδρα σφόδρα καὶ ἐγένετο αὐτῷ κτήνη πολλὰ καὶ βόες καὶ παῖδες καὶ παιδίσκαι καὶ κάμηλοι καὶ ὄνοι

Thus the man grew exceedingly rich, and had large flocks, maidservants and menservants, and camels and asses.

Exod 30:15 ὁ πλουτῶν οὐ προσθήσει καὶ ὁ πενόμενος οὐκ ἐλαττονήσει ἀπὸ τοῦ ἡμίσεως τοῦ διδράχμου ἐν τῷ δίδοναι τὴν εἰσφορὰν κυρίῳ ἐξιλάσασθαι περὶ τῶν ψυχῶν ὑμῶν

The rich shall not give more, and the poor shall not give less, than the half shekel, when you give the LORD's offering to make atonement for yourselves.

Ps 48:17 μὴ φοβοῦ ὅταν πλουτήσῃ ἄνθρωπος καὶ ὅταν πληθυνθῇ ἡ δόξα τοῦ οἴκου αὐτοῦ

Be not afraid when one becomes rich, when the glory of his house increases.

Prov 28:22 σπεύδει πλουτεῖν ἄνθρωπος βᾶσκανος καὶ οὐκ οἶδεν ὅτι ἐλεήμων κρατήσει αὐτοῦ

A miserly man hastens after wealth, and does not know that what will come upon him.

Prov 31:28 τὸ στόμα δὲ ἀνοίγει σοφῶς καὶ νομοθέσμως ἡ δὲ ἐλεημοσύνη αὐτῆς ἀνέστησεν τὰ τέκνα αὐτῆς καὶ ἐπλούτησαν καὶ ὁ ἄνθρωπος αὐτῆς ἤνεσεν αὐτήν

Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her:

Qoh 5:11 γλυκὺς ὕπνος τοῦ δούλου εἰ ὀλίγον καὶ εἰ πολὺ φάγεται καὶ τῷ ἐμπλησθῆντι τοῦ πλουτῆσαι οὐκ ἔστιν ἀφίῳ αὐτὸν τοῦ ὑπνώσαι

When goods increase, they increase who eat them; and what gain has their owner but to see them with his eyes?

Jer 5:27 ὡς παγίς ἐφεσταμένη πλήρης πετεινῶν οὕτως οἱ οἴκοι αὐτῶν πλήρεις δόλου διὰ τοῦτο ἐμεγαλύνθησαν καὶ ἐπλούτησαν

Like a basket full of birds, their houses are full of treachery; therefore they have become great and rich,

Dan 11:2 και νυν ἦλθον τὴν ἀλήθειαν ὑποδείξαι σοι ἰδοὺ τρεῖς βασιλεῖς ἀνθεστήκασιν ἐν τῇ Περσίδι καὶ ὁ τέταρτος πλουτήσῃ πλοῦτον μέγαν παρὰ πάντας καὶ ἐν τῷ κατισχύσει αὐτὸν ἐν τῷ πλούτῳ αὐτοῦ ἐπαναστήσεται παντὶ βασιλεῖ Ἑλλήνων

"And now I will show you the truth. Behold, three more kings shall arise in Persia; and a fourth shall be far richer than all of them; and when he has become strong through his riches, he shall stir up all against the kingdom of Greece.

DanTh 11:2 και νυν ἀλήθειαν ἀναγγελῶ σοι ἰδοὺ ἔτι τρεῖς βασιλεῖς ἀναστήσονται ἐν τῇ Περσίδι καὶ ὁ τέταρτος πλουτήσῃ πλοῦτον μέγαν παρὰ πάντας καὶ μετὰ τὸ κρατῆσαι αὐτὸν τοῦ πλούτου αὐτοῦ ἐπαναστήσεται πάσαις βασιλείαις Ἑλλήνων

"And now I will show you the truth. Behold, three more kings shall arise in Persia; and a fourth shall be far richer than all of them; and when he has become strong through his riches, he shall stir up all against the kingdom of Greece.

Hos 12:9 και εἶπεν Εφραιμ πλην πεπλούτηκα εὐρηκα ἀναυυχὴν ἐμαντῶ πάντες οἱ πόνοι αὐτοῦ οὐχ εὐρεθήσονται αὐτῷ δι' ἀδικίας ὡς ἤμαρτεν

I am the LORD your God from the land of Egypt; I will again make you dwell in tents, as in the days of the appointed feast. Zech 11:5 ἃ οἱ κτησάμενοι κατέσφαζον καὶ οὐ μετεμέλοντο καὶ οἱ πωλοῦντες αὐτὰ ἔλεγον εὐλογητὸς κύριος καὶ πεπλούτηκαμεν καὶ οἱ ποιμένες αὐτῶν οὐκ ἐπασχον οὐδὲν ἐπ' αὐτοῖς

Those who buy them slay them and go unpunished; and those who sell them say, Blessed be the LORD, I have become rich'; and their own shepherds have no pity on them.

Jdt 15:6 οἱ δὲ λοιποὶ οἱ κατοικοῦντες Βαιτυλουα ἐπέπεσαν τῇ παρεμβολῇ Ἀσσουρ καὶ ἐπρονόμεισαν αὐτοὺς καὶ ἐπλούτησαν σφόδρα

He was joined by all the people of the hill country and all those who lived along the Euphrates and the Tigris and the Hydaspes and in the plain where Arioch ruled the Elymaeans. Many nations joined the forces of the Chaldeans.

Sir 11:18 ἔστιν πλουτῶν ἀπὸ προσοχῆς καὶ σφιγγίας αὐτοῦ καὶ αὕτη ἡ μερὶς τοῦ μισθοῦ αὐτοῦ

There is a man who is rich through his diligence and self-denial, and this is the reward allotted to him:

**ἐξαπέστειλεν – 13x in NT – to send out or away from, presumably for some purpose - to send a message, presumably by someone – Do not miss the point, which is found in the parable of the wicked tenants!**

Mark 16:9 Now when he rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, from whom he had cast out seven demons.

Luke 1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.

Luke 20:10 When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, that they should give him some of the fruit of the vineyard; but the tenants beat him, and sent him away empty-handed.

Luke 20:11 And he sent another servant; him also they beat and treated shamefully, and sent him away empty-handed.

Acts 7:12 But when Jacob heard that there was grain in Egypt, he sent forth our fathers the first time.

Acts 9:30 And when the brethren knew it, they brought him down to Caesare'a, and sent him off to Tarsus.

Acts 11:22 News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch.

Acts 12:11 And Peter came to himself, and said, "Now I am sure that the Lord has sent his angel and rescued me from the hand of Herod and from all that the Jewish people were expecting."

Acts 13:26 "Brethren, sons of the family of Abraham, and those among you that fear God, to us has been sent the message of this salvation.

Acts 17:14 Then the brethren immediately sent Paul off on his way to the sea, but Silas and Timothy remained there.

Acts 22:21 And he said to me, Depart; for I will send you far away to the Gentiles."

Gal 4:4 But when the time had fully come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law,

Gal 4:6 And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, "Abba! Father!"

**κενούς – 3x in Luke –**

1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.

20:10 When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, that they should give him some of the fruit of the vineyard; but the tenants beat him, and sent him away empty-handed.

20:11 And he sent another servant; him also they beat and treated shamefully, and sent him away empty-handed.

**ἐξαπέστειλεν κενούς – 3x in NT, 3x in LXX –**

Luke 1:53 he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away.

Luke 20:10 When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, that they should give him some of the fruit of the vineyard; but the tenants beat him, and sent him away empty-handed.

Luke 20:11 And he sent another servant; him also they beat and treated shamefully, and sent him away empty-handed.

Deut 15:13 ὅταν δὲ ἐξαποστέλλῃς αὐτὸν ἐλεύτερον ἀπὸ σοῦ οὐκ ἐξαποστελεῖς αὐτὸν κενόν

And when you let him go free from you, you shall not let him go empty-handed;

1Sam/K 6:3 και εἶπαν εἰ ἐξαπεστελλετε ὑμεῖς τὴν κιβωτὸν διαθήκης κυρίου θεοῦ Ἰσραηλ μὴ δὴ ἐξαποστείλητε αὐτὴν κενὴν ἀλλὰ ἀποδιδόντες ἀπόδοτε αὐτῇ τῆς βασάνου καὶ τότε ἰαθήσεσθε καὶ ἐξιλασθήσεται ὑμῖν μὴ οὐκ ἀποστῆ ἡ χεὶρ αὐτοῦ ἀφ' ὑμῶν

They said, "If you send away the ark of the God of Israel, do not send it empty, but by all means return him a guilt offering. Then you will be healed, and it will be known to you why his hand does not turn away from you."

Job 22:9 χήρας δὲ ἐξαπέστειλας κενὰς ὀρφανούς δὲ ἐκάκωσα

You have sent widows away empty, and the arms of the fatherless were crushed.

## 1:54

ἀντελάβετο Ἰσραὴλ παῖδός αὐτοῦ, μνησθῆναι ἐλέους,

He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

### Allusion to Isaiah 41:8

σύ δὲ Ἰσραὴλ παῖς μου Ἰακωβ ὃν ἐξελεξάμην σπέρμα Ἀβραὰμ ὃν ἠγάπησα

But you, Israel, my servant, Jacob, whom I have chosen, the offspring of Abraham, my friend;

### Allusion to Psalm 97:3

ἐμνήσθη τοῦ ἐλέους αὐτοῦ τῷ Ἰακωβ καὶ τῆς ἀληθείας αὐτοῦ τῷ οἴκῳ Ἰσραὴλ εἶδοσαν πάντα τὰ πέρατα τῆς γῆς τὸ σωτήριον τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν

98:3 He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

ἀντελάβετο – 3x in NT, 54x in LXX –

Luke 1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

Acts 20:35 In all things I have shown you that by so toiling one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, It is more

1Tim 6:2 Those who have believing masters must not be disrespectful on the

Ps 3:6 ἐγὼ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὑπνώσα ἐξηγέρθην ὅτι κύριος ἀντιλήμμεται μου

I lie down and sleep; I wake again, for the LORD sustains me.

Ps 17:36 καὶ ἔδωκάς μοι ὑπερασπισμὸν σωτηρίας μου καὶ ἡ δεξιὰ σου ἀντελάβετό μου καὶ ἡ παιδεία σου

ἀνώρθωσέν με εἰς τέλος καὶ ἡ παιδεία σου αὐτὴ με διδάξει

Thou hast given me the shield of thy salvation, and thy right hand supported me, and thy help made me great.

Ps 19:3 ἐξαποστείλαι σοὶ βοήθειαν ἐξ ἁγίου καὶ ἐκ Σιων ἀντιλάβοιτό σου

May he send you help from the sanctuary, and give you support from Zion!

Ps 39:12 σύ δὲ κύριε μὴ μακρύνῃς τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ τὸ ἐλεός σου καὶ ἡ ἀλήθειά σου διὰ παντός ἀντελάβοντό μου

Do not thou, O LORD, withhold thy mercy from me, let thy steadfast love and thy faithfulness ever preserve me!

Ps 40:13 ἐμοῦ δὲ διὰ τὴν ἀκακίαν ἀντελάβου καὶ ἐβεβαίωσάς με ἐνώπιόν σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα

But thou hast upheld me because of my integrity, and set me in thy presence for ever.

Ps 47:4 ὁ θεὸς ἐν ταῖς βάρεσιν αὐτῆς γινώσκειται ὅταν ἀντιλαμβάνηται αὐτῆς

Within her citadels God has shown himself a sure defense.

Ps 62:9 ἐκολλήθη ἡ ψυχὴ μου ὀπίσω σου ἐμοῦ ἀντελάβετο ἡ δεξιὰ σου

My soul clings to thee; thy right hand upholds me.

Ps 68:30 πτωχὸς καὶ ἀλγῶν εἰμι ἐγὼ καὶ ἡ σωτηρία τοῦ προσώπου σου ὁ θεὸς ἀντελάβετό μου

But I am afflicted and in pain; let thy salvation, O God, set me on high!

Ps 88:44 ἀπέστρεψας τὴν βοήθειαν τῆς ῥομφαίας αὐτοῦ καὶ οὐκ ἀντελάβου αὐτοῦ ἐν τῷ πολέμῳ

Yea, thou hast turned back the edge of his sword, and thou hast not made him stand in battle.

Ps 106:17 ἀντελάβετο αὐτῶν ἐξ ὁδοῦ ἀνομίας αὐτῶν διὰ γὰρ τὰς ἀνομίας αὐτῶν ἐταπεινώθησαν

Some were sick through their sinful ways, and because of their iniquities suffered affliction;

Ps 117:13 ὡσθεὶς ἀνετράπην τοῦ πεσεῖν καὶ ὁ κύριος ἀντελάβετό μου

I was pushed hard, so that I was falling, but the LORD helped me.

Ps 118:116 ἀντιλαβοῦ μου κατὰ τὸ λόγιόν σου καὶ ζήσομαι καὶ μὴ καταισχύνης με ἀπὸ τῆς προσδοκίας μου

Uphold me according to thy promise, that I may live, and let me not be put to shame in my hope!

Ps 138:13 ὅτι σύ ἐκτίσω τοὺς νεφρούς μου κύριε ἀντελάβου μου ἐκ γαστροῦ μητροῦ μου

For thou didst form my inward parts, thou didst knit me together in my mother's womb.

Gen 48:17, Lev 25:35, 1/3Kgs 9:9, 1/3Kgs 9:11, 1Chr 22:17, 2Chr 7:22, 2Chr 28:15, 2Chr 28:15, 2Chr 28:23, 2Chr 29:34, Ps 3:6, Ps

17:36, Ps 19:3, Ps 39:12, Ps 40:13, Ps 47:4, Ps 62:9, Ps 68:30, Ps 88:44, Ps 106:17, Ps 117:13, Ps 118:116, Ps 138:13, Prov 11:28, Isa

9:6, Isa 26:3, Isa 41:9, Isa 42:1, Isa 49:26, Isa 51:18, Isa 59:16, Isa 63:5, Isa 64:6, Jer 23:14, Ezek 12:14, Ezek 16:49, Ezek 20:5,

Ezek 20:6, DanTh 6:28, Mic 6:6, Jdt 13:5, 1Mac 2:48, 2Mac 14:15, Od 9:54, Sir 2:6, Sir 3:12, Sir 12:4, Sir 12:7, Sir 29:9, Sir 29:20,

PsSol 16:3, PsSol 16:5, Wis 2:18, Bar 3:21

Ἰσραὴλ – 12x in Luke –

1:16 And he will turn many of the sons of Israel to the Lord their God,

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,  
 1:68 "Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, for he has visited and redeemed his people,  
 1:80 And the child grew and became strong in spirit, and he was in the wilderness till the day of his manifestation to Israel.  
 2:25 Now there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon, and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit was upon him.  
 2:32 a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and for glory to thy people Israel."  
 2:34 and Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, "Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising of many in Israel, and for a sign that is spoken against  
 4:25 But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Eli'jah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when there came a great famine over all the land;  
 4:27 And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Eli'sha; and none of them was cleansed, but only Na'aman the Syrian."  
 7:9 When Jesus heard this he marveled at him, and turned and said to the multitude that followed him, "I tell you, not even in Israel have I found such faith."  
 22:30 that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.  
 24:21 But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since this happened.

### παιδὸς αὐτοῦ – 2x in Luke –

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,  
 1:69 and has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David,

*παιδὸς– 9x in Luke - a young person, normally below the age of puberty and without distinction as to sex - one's immediate offspring, but without specific reference to sex or age - a slave, possibly serving as a personal servant and thus with the implication of kindly regard -*

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,  
 1:69 and has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David,  
 2:43 and when the feast was ended, as they were returning, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem. His parents did not know it,  
 7:7 therefore I did not presume to come to you. But say the word, and let my servant be healed.  
 8:51 And when he came to the house, he permitted no one to enter with him, except Peter and John and James, and the father and mother of the child.  
 8:54 But taking her by the hand he called, saying, "Child, arise."  
 9:42 While he was coming, the demon tore him and convulsed him. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, and healed the boy, and gave him back to his father.  
 12:45 But if that servant says to himself, My master is delayed in coming,' and begins to beat the menservants and the maidservants, and to eat and drink and get drunk,  
 15:26 And he called one of the servants and asked what this meant.

### μνησθῆναι – 6x in Luke –

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,  
 1:72 to perform the mercy promised to our fathers, and to remember his holy covenant,  
 16:25 But Abraham said, Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Laz'arus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish.  
 23:42 And he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom."  
 24:6 Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee,  
 24:8 And they remembered his words,

### μνησθῆναι ἐλέους – NT Hapax, 7x in LXX –

2Chr 6:42 κύριε ὁ θεός μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπον τοῦ χριστοῦ σου μνησθητι τὰ ἐλέη Δαυιδ τοῦ δούλου σου  
 O LORD God, do not turn away the face of thy anointed one! Remember thy steadfast love for David thy servant."  
 2Chr 24:22 καὶ οὐκ ἐμνήσθη Ἰωας τοῦ ἐλέους οὗ ἐποίησεν μετ' αὐτοῦ Ἰωδαε ὁ πατὴρ αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐθανάτωσεν τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ καὶ ὡς ἀπέθνησκεν εἶπεν ἴδοι κύριος καὶ κρινάτω  
 Thus Jo'ash the king did not remember the kindness which Jehoi'ada, Zechari'ah's father, had shown him, but killed his son. And when he was dying, he said, "May the LORD see and avenge!"  
 Ps 24:7 ἀμαρτίας νεότητός μου καὶ ἀγνοίας μου μὴ μνησθῆς κατὰ τὸ ἐλεός σου μνήσθητί μου σὺ ἕνεκα τῆς χρηστότητός σου κύριε  
 Remember not the sins of my youth, or my transgressions; according to thy steadfast love remember me, for thy goodness' sake, O LORD!  
 Ps 97:3 ἐμνήσθη τοῦ ἐλέους αὐτοῦ τῷ Ἰακωβ καὶ τῆς ἀληθείας αὐτοῦ τῷ οἴκῳ Ἰσραηλ εἶδον πάντα τὰ πέρατα τῆς γῆς τὸ σωτήριον τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν  
 He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

Pss 108:16 ἀνθ' ὧν οὐκ ἐμνήσθη τοῦ ποιῆσαι ἔλεος καὶ κατεδίωξεν ἄνθρωπον πένητα καὶ πτωχὸν καὶ κατανευγμένον τῇ καρδίᾳ τοῦ θανατώσαι

For he did not remember to show kindness, but pursued the poor and needy and the brokenhearted to their death.

Jer 2:2 καὶ εἶπεν τάδε λέγει κύριος ἐμνήσθη ἐλέους νεότητός σου καὶ ἀγάπης τελειώσεώς σου τοῦ ἐξακολουθῆσαι σε τῷ ἁγίῳ Ἰσραὴλ λέγει κύριος

"Go and proclaim in the hearing of Jerusalem, Thus says the LORD, I remember the devotion of your youth, your love as a bride, how you followed me in the wilderness, in a land not sown.

Sir 51:8 καὶ ἐμνήσθη τοῦ ἐλέους σου κύριε καὶ τῆς ἐργασίας σου τῆς ἀπ' αἰῶνος ὅτι ἐξαιρῆ τοὺς ὑπομένοντάς σε καὶ σώζεις αὐτοὺς ἐκ χειρὸς ἐχθρῶν

Then I remembered thy mercy, O Lord, and thy work from of old, that thou dost deliver those who wait for thee and dost save them from the hand of their enemies.

**ἐλέους – 6x in Luke – mercy - note that this usage has its climax in the Good Samaritan's "go and do likewise!"**

1:50 And his mercy is on those who fear him from generation to generation.

1:54 He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy,

1:58 And her neighbors and kinsfolk heard that the Lord had shown great mercy to her, and they rejoiced with her.

1:72 to perform the mercy promised to our fathers, and to remember his holy covenant,

1:78 through the tender mercy of our God, when the day shall dawn upon us from on high

10:37 He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

## 1:55

καθὼς ἐλάλησεν πρὸς τοὺς πατέρας ἡμῶν, τῷ Ἀβραάμ καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

according to the promise he made to our ancestors, to Abraham and to his descendants forever."

### Allusion to Micah 7:20

δώσεις ἀλήθειαν τῷ Ἰακώβ ἔλεον τῷ Ἀβραάμ καθότι ὤμοσας τοῖς πατράσιν ἡμῶν κατὰ τὰς ἡμέρας τὰς ἐμπροσθεν  
You will show faithfulness to Jacob and unswerving loyalty to Abraham, as you have sworn to our ancestors from the days of old.

### Allusion to 2 Samuel 22:51

μεγαλύνων σωτηρίας βασιλέως αὐτοῦ καὶ ποιῶν ἔλεος τῷ χριστῷ αὐτοῦ τῷ Δαυιδ καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ ἕως αἰῶνος

He is a tower of salvation for his king, and shows steadfast love to his anointed, to David and his descendants forever.

καθὼς ἐλάλησεν – 3x in NT, 24x in LXX –

Luke 1:55 as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever."

Luke 1:70 as he spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets from of old,

Luke 2:20 And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, as it had been told them.

Deut 26:19 καὶ εἶναί σε ὑπεράνω πάντων τῶν ἐθνῶν ὡς ἐποίησέν σε ὄνομαστόν καὶ καύχημα καὶ δόξαστόν εἶναί σε λαὸν ἅγιον κυρίῳ τῷ θεῷ σου καθὼς ἐλάλησεν

that he will set you high above all nations that he has made, in praise and in fame and in honor, and that you shall be a people holy to the LORD your God, as he has spoken."

JudgB 1:20 καὶ ἔδωκαν τῷ Χαλεβ τὴν Χεβρων καθὼς ἐλάλησεν Μωυσῆς καὶ ἐκληρονόμησεν ἐκεῖθεν τὰς τρεῖς πόλεις τῶν υἱῶν Εὐακ

And Hebron was given to Caleb, as Moses had said; and he drove out from it the three sons of Anak.

JudgB 2:15 ἐν πάσιν οἷς ἐξεπορεύοντο καὶ χεὶρ κυρίου ἦν ἐπ' αὐτοὺς εἰς κακὰ καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος καὶ καθὼς ὤμοσεν κύριος αὐτοῖς καὶ ἐξέθλιψεν αὐτοὺς σφόδρα

Whenever they marched out, the hand of the LORD was against them for evil, as the LORD had warned, and as the LORD had sworn to them; and they were in sore straits.

JudgB 6:36 καὶ εἶπεν Γεδεων πρὸς τὸν θεόν εἰ σὺ σώζεις ἐν χειρὶ μου τὸν Ἰσραὴλ καθὼς ἐλάλησας

Then Gideon said to God, "If thou wilt deliver Israel by my hand, as thou hast said,

JudgB 6:37 ἰδοὺ ἐγὼ τίθημι τὸν πόκον τοῦ ἐρίου ἐν τῇ ἄλωνι ἐὰν δρόσος γένηται ἐπὶ τὸν πόκον μόνον καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ξηρασία γνώσομαι ὅτι σώσεις ἐν χειρὶ μου τὸν Ἰσραὴλ καθὼς ἐλάλησας

behold, I am laying a fleece of wool on the threshing floor; if there is dew on the fleece alone, and it is dry on all the ground, then I shall know that thou wilt deliver Israel by my hand, as thou hast said."

JudgA 2:15 ἐν πάσιν οἷς ἐπόρνευον καὶ χεὶρ κυρίου ἦν αὐτοῖς εἰς κακὰ καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος καὶ καθὼς ὤμοσεν κύριος καὶ ἐξέθλιψεν αὐτοὺς σφόδρα

*Exegetical Notes on Luke 1:39-55*

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1Sam/K 28:17 καὶ πεποίηκεν κύριός σοι καθὼς ἐλάλησεν ἐν χειρὶ μου καὶ διαρρήξει κύριος τὴν βασιλείαν σου ἐκ χειρὸς σου καὶ δώσει αὐτὴν τῷ πλησίον σου τῷ Δαυιδ

The LORD has done to you as he spoke by me; for the LORD has torn the kingdom out of your hand, and given it to your neighbor, David.

2Sam/K 7:25 καὶ νῦν κύριέ μου κύριε τὸ ῥῆμα ὃ ἐλάλησας περὶ τοῦ δούλου σου καὶ τοῦ οἴκου αὐτοῦ πίστωσον ἕως αἰῶνος κύριε παντοκράτωρ θεὸς τοῦ Ἰσραηλ καὶ νῦν καθὼς ἐλάλησας

And now, O LORD God, confirm for ever the word which thou hast spoken concerning thy servant and concerning his house, and do as thou hast spoken;

1/3Kgs 2:24 καὶ νῦν ζῆ κύριος ὃς ἠτοίμασέν με καὶ ἔθετό με ἐπὶ τὸν θρόνον Δαυιδ τοῦ πατρός μου καὶ αὐτὸς ἐποίησέν μοι οἶκον καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος ὅτι σήμερον θανατωθήσεται Ἀδωνιας

Now therefore as the LORD lives, who has established me, and placed me on the throne of David my father, and who has made me a house, as he promised, Adoni'jah shall be put to death this day."

1/3Kgs 5:19 καὶ ἰδού ἐγὼ λέγω οἰκοδομηῆσαι οἶκον τῷ ὀνόματι κυρίου θεοῦ μου καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος ὁ θεὸς πρὸς Δαυιδ τὸν πατέρα μου λέγων ὁ υἱός σου ὃν δώσω ἀντὶ σοῦ ἐπὶ τὸν θρόνον σου οὗτος οἰκοδομήσει τὸν οἶκον τῷ ὀνόματί μου

1/3Kgs 5:26 καὶ κύριος ἔδωκεν σοφίαν τῷ Σαλωμων καθὼς ἐλάλησεν αὐτῷ καὶ ἦν εἰρήνη ἀνά μέσον Χιραμ καὶ ἀνά μέσον Σαλωμων καὶ διέθεντο διαθήκην ἀνά μέσον ἑαυτῶν

1/3Kgs 8:20 καὶ ἀνέστησεν κύριος τὸ ῥῆμα αὐτοῦ ὃ ἐλάλησεν καὶ ἀνέστην ἀντὶ Δαυιδ τοῦ πατρός μου καὶ ἐκάθισα ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου Ἰσραηλ καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος καὶ ᾠκοδόμησα τὸν οἶκον τῷ ὀνόματι κυρίου θεοῦ Ἰσραηλ

Now the LORD has fulfilled his promise which he made; for I have risen in the place of David my father, and sit on the throne of Israel, as the LORD promised, and I have built the house for the name of the LORD, the God of Israel.

1/3Kgs 8:53 ὅτι σὺ διέστειλας αὐτοὺς σαυτῷ εἰς κληρονομίαν ἐκ πάντων τῶν λαῶν τῆς γῆς καθὼς ἐλάλησας ἐν χειρὶ δούλου σου Μωυσῆ ἐν τῷ ἔξαγαγεῖν σε τοὺς πατέρας ἡμῶν ἐκ γῆς Αἰγύπτου κύριε κύριε

For thou didst separate them from among all the peoples of the earth, to be thy heritage, as thou didst declare through Moses, thy servant, when thou didst bring our fathers out of Egypt, O Lord GOD."

1/3Kgs 9:5 καὶ ἀναστήσω τὸν θρόνον τῆς βασιλείας σου ἐπὶ Ἰσραηλ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καθὼς ἐλάλησα τῷ Δαυιδ πατρί σου λέγων οὐκ ἔξαρθήσεται σοι ἀνὴρ ἠγούμενος ἐν Ἰσραηλ

then I will establish your royal throne over Israel for ever, as I promised David your father, saying, There shall not fail you a man upon the throne of Israel.'

1/3Kgs 21:4 καὶ ἀπεκρίθη ὁ βασιλεὺς Ἰσραηλ καὶ εἶπεν καθὼς ἐλάλησας κύριε βασιλεῦ σὸς ἐγὼ εἰμι καὶ πάντα τὰ ἐμά

And Ahab went into his house vexed and sullen because of what Naboth the Jezreelite had said to him; for he had said, "I will not give you the inheritance of my fathers." And he lay down on his bed, and turned away his face, and would eat no food.

2/4Kgs 17:23 ἕως οὗ μετέστησεν κύριος τὸν Ἰσραηλ ἀπὸ προσώπου αὐτοῦ καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος ἐν χειρὶ πάντων τῶν δούλων αὐτοῦ τῶν προφητῶν καὶ ἀπακρίσθη Ἰσραηλ ἐπάνωθεν τῆς γῆς αὐτοῦ εἰς Ἀσσυρίους ἕως τῆς ἡμέρας ταύτης

until the LORD removed Israel out of his sight, as he had spoken by all his servants the prophets. So Israel was exiled from their own land to Assyria until this day.

2Chr 6:10 καὶ ἀνέστησεν κύριος τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ ὃν ἐλάλησεν καὶ ἐγενήθην ἀντὶ Δαυιδ πατρός μου καὶ ἐκάθισα ἐπὶ τὸν θρόνον Ἰσραηλ καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος καὶ ᾠκοδόμησα τὸν οἶκον τῷ ὀνόματι κυρίου θεοῦ Ἰσραηλ

Now the LORD has fulfilled his promise which he made; for I have risen in the place of David my father, and sit on the throne of Israel, as the LORD promised, and I have built the house for the name of the LORD, the God of Israel.

2Chr 23:3 καὶ διέθεντο πᾶσα ἐκκλησία Ἰουδα διαθήκην ἐν οἴκῳ τοῦ θεοῦ μετὰ τοῦ βασιλέως καὶ ἔδειξεν αὐτοῖς τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ βασιλέως καὶ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς ἰδού ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ βασιλέως βασιλευσάτω καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος ἐπὶ τὸν οἶκον Δαυιδ

And all the assembly made a covenant with the king in the house of God. And Jehoi'ada said to them, "Behold, the king's son! Let him reign, as the LORD spoke concerning the sons of David.

Esth 6:10 εἶπεν δὲ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῷ Ἄμαν καθὼς ἐλάλησας οὕτως ποίησον τῷ Μαρδοχαίῳ τῷ Ἰουδαίῳ τῷ θεραπεύοντι ἐν τῇ ἀλύτῃ καὶ μὴ παραπεσάτω σου λόγος ὧν ἐλάλησας

Then the king said to Haman, "Make haste, take the robes and the horse, as you have said, and do so to Mor'decai the Jew who sits at the king's gate. Leave out nothing that you have mentioned."

Qoh 8:4 καθὼς λαλεῖ βασιλεὺς ἐξουσιάζων καὶ τίς ἐρεῖ αὐτῷ τί ποιήσεις

For the word of the king is supreme, and who may say to him, "What are you doing?"

Jonah 3:3 καὶ ἀνέστη Ἰωνας καὶ ἐπορεύθη εἰς Νινευη καθὼς ἐλάλησεν κύριος ἡ δὲ Νινευη ἦν πόλις μεγάλη τῷ θεῷ ὥσει πορείας ὁδοῦ ἡμερῶν τριῶν

So Jonah arose and went to Nin'evah, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nin'evah was an exceedingly great city, three days' journey in breadth.

Jdt 2:1 καὶ ἐν τῷ ἔτει τῷ ὀκτωκαιδεκάτῳ δευτέρῳ καὶ εἰκάδι τοῦ πρώτου μηνὸς ἐγένετο λόγος ἐν οἴκῳ Ναβουχοδοноσορ βασιλέως Ἀσσυρίων ἐκδικῆσαι πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν καθὼς ἐλάλησεν

In the twelfth year of the reign of Nebuchadnezzar, who ruled over the Assyrians in the great city of Nineveh, in the days of Arphaxad, who ruled over the Medes in Ecbatana --

TobBA 14:5 καὶ πάλιν ἐλεήσει αὐτούς ὁ θεὸς καὶ ἐπιστρέψει αὐτούς εἰς τὴν γῆν καὶ οἰκοδομήσουσιν τὸν οἶκον οὐχ οἶος ὁ πρότερος ἕως πληρωθῶσιν καιροὶ τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα ἐπιστρέψουσιν ἐκ τῶν αἰχμαλωσιῶν καὶ οἰκοδομήσουσιν Ἱερουσαλὴμ ἐντίμως καὶ ὁ οἶκος τοῦ θεοῦ ἐν αὐτῇ οἰκοδομηθήσεται εἰς πάσας τὰς γενεὰς τοῦ αἰῶνος οἰκοδομῆ ἐνδόξω καθὼς ἐλάλησαν περὶ αὐτῆς οἱ προφῆται

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### πρὸς τοὺς πατέρας – 21x in NT, 3x in Luke –

1:55 as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever."

15:18 I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you;

15:20 And he arose and came to his father. But while he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him.

### Ἀβραάμ – 15x in Luke –

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1:73 the oath which he swore to our father Abraham,

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3:34 the son of Jacob, the son of Isaac, the son of Abraham, the son of Terah, the son of Nahor,

13:16 And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day?"

13:28 There you will weep and gnash your teeth, when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God and you yourselves thrust out.

16:22 The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried;

16:23 and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Laz'arus in his bosom.

16:24 And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Laz'arus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.'

16:25 But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Laz'arus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish.'

16:29 But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.'

16:30 And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if some one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.'

19:9 And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham.

20:37 But that the dead are raised, even Moses showed, in the passage about the bush, where he calls the Lord the God of Abraham and the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob.

### Ἀβραάμ . . . σπέρματι – 4x in NT –

Luke 1:55 as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever."

Acts 3:25 You are the sons of the prophets and of the covenant which God gave to your fathers, saying to Abraham, 'And in your posterity shall all the families of the earth be blessed.'

Romans 4:13 The promise to Abraham and his descendants, that they should inherit the world, did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith.

Gal 3:29 And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

### σπέρματι – 2x in Luke –

1:55 as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever."

20:28 and they asked him a question, saying, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, having a wife but no children, the man must take the wife and raise up children for his brother.

### εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα – 54x in NT, 2x in Luke, 466x in LXX –

1:33 and he will reign over the house of Jacob for ever;  
1:55 as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever."