

Gordon College  
 BL 201 Greek I (4)  
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 MWF: 3:20-4:35

Office hours: Usually 1:30-2:30 MWF;  
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**1. Course Description:** Greek I will provide students with a foundational understanding of New Testament (Koine) Greek phonology, morphology, syntax and vocabulary. Basic grammatical building blocks of the language will be learned including the morphology and syntax of verbs, nouns, pronouns, prepositions, etc. The goal is to develop the students' abilities in the language so that they may begin reading simple exercises built from the text of the Greek New Testament.

**2. Objectives: the student will be able to**

- 1) recognize and recite the basic morphology of nouns, adjectives, pronouns, prepositions and verbs (27 chants);
- 2) analyze and evaluate how the morphological tags transform meaning (noun cases, verb tenses and moods);
- 3) identify and evaluate elementary syntactic structures (subject, verb, object and modifiers);
- 4) master the vocabulary of the most frequently used words in the New Testament;
- 5) identify, distinguish, and discuss options in translating simple sentences;
- 6) develop regular disciplined study habits that will facilitate learning of any discipline; and
- 7) enjoy the study of Greek having seen its usefulness for deepening one's understanding of the New Testament and for personal spiritual formation.

**3. Course Textbooks**

Required:

Hildebrandt, Ted. *Mastering NT Greek* CD-ROM (\$49; Baker, 2003) was the original version of what you have now available online. You will be required to pay for the use of the materials specifically designed for this class which are to be download from my web site (\$20, payment due before Friday Sept. 13 after which time the cost will go up to \$40). The point is to save you money and it should be noted I don't make a dime on this. All the monies received are poured back into course development. This must be paid before the first exam can be taken and after which no course work will be received or graded. The textbook, workbook and an interactive program that teaches, drills and speaks to you in Greek is available at:

<http://biblicalelearning.org/introductory-languages/mastering-new-testament-greek/>

I have taken the 500 page textbook from Mastering NT Greek and making it speak Greek in the Acrobat \*.pdf file that you can download. The click on Greek words in the first ten chapters and it will pronounce the Greek word from the Acrobat pdf document. I purposely put them online to save you money and provide ease of access. If you want you

can print the whole set of books (textbook 500 pgs./workbook 500 pgs.). I just completed an interactive online computer program that can teach, drill, speak and evaluate your answers instantaneously. Embedded in that interactive program is an animated Greek Avatar video series which goes over the things we do in class. This Avatar named “Ted” who teaches each of the 28 chapters of the textbook. Some people like him better than me because he flies around better than I do. He’s a great way to supplement what you get in class or use him for review.

Optional: Second Semester you may want to purchase a Greek NT **Critical Editions of the Greek NT** (different manuscript readings given):  
Nestle-Aland. *Novum Testamentum Graece* (28<sup>th</sup> ed. Revised)  
(German Bible Society, 2012). \$40 at Amazon.  
United Bible Society Greek Text [Aland, Karavidopoulos, Martini 5<sup>th</sup> ed.  
(German Bible Society, 2014) -- \$40-48.

**Readers Greek NT** (supplies hard words making it easier to read):  
Both Zondervan and United Bible Societies have "reading" Greek New Testaments that are very handy in that they give you all the hard words used 50 times and under.  
Check out the “Wav Bible” or Bible [YouVersion] app for your phone. Very helpful.

#### 4. Course Process

##### Daily Reading

We will travel through the grammar at the rate of about one or two chapters per week. You will be expected to read and master the content of those chapters progressively for each class period. There will be a non-comprehensive quiz for every 1-3 chapters we finish. Please take the daily assignments seriously as once one gets behind it becomes a major challenge and may easily become impossible to catch-up. Greek is a lot like Mathematics if you miss a step it is extremely difficult to proceed—don’t miss a step or fall behind it can be fatal. Old proverb: “Inch by inch it’s a cinch, yard by yard too hard.”

**Gordon workload statement:** For each semester hour of credit, students should expect to spend a minimum of 2-3 hours per week outside of class in engaged academic time. This time includes reading, writing, studying, completing assignments, lab work, or group projects, among other activities.

##### Daily Workbook and Assignments

The exercises from the workbook will be collected during each class period. You should be ready to translate, discuss or ask questions about your responses to the exercises during each class period. The workbook is assigned and one may use the interactive program to learn and drill over the chapter content.

##### Memorization

While memorization has received a bad reputation in our more visual and informationally overloaded society, it is still one of the

key building blocks of language learning. Memory work is essential for the mastery of beginning levels of a language. You will be expected to learn the basic paradigms/chants and vocabulary items in a cumulative manner. You should set up patterns of study that include a review of previously learned vocabulary and paradigms. We will learn to chant the most salient features of the language (27 chants and you will have the basic structure of the language down). Master those chants and a good part of the course will be under your belt. The weekly quizzes may include any previously learned paradigms or vocabulary.

### Quizzes/Exam

There will be weekly or bi-weekly quizzes with one final exam. The final will be cumulative over the semester material from the textbook many of the translation questions taken straight out of the workbook.

### Late work

If a quiz is missed, there will be a make-up only if there is a valid excuse. You have one week to make up quizzes. Late workbook exercises will also be automatically counted down if not handed in on time with no make up depending on whether it was excused or unexcused. If a workbook assignment, quiz or exam is over a week late it will not be accepted.

### Cheating/Plagiarizing

Any cheating or plagiarizing of material will result in an automatic failure of the entire course. It is expected that those studying the New Testament in Greek embrace standards of integrity fitting a disciple of Christ.

**Pairing:** Studying Greek in groups of 2-3 is very useful both for accountability and also for understanding. While you will need some time to master the paradigms which is usually best done alone, conceptual understanding and translations are often best done in small groups.

### Course Grading

Percentage:

Written workbook exercises	10%
Class attendance and participation	10%
Quizzes	60%
Final Exam	20%

**Tentative Grading Scale** (the class will be graded on a curve using the following as a ball-park starting set of figures)

100-92	A	79-77	C+	62-60	D-
91-90	A-	76-72	C	59-0	F
89-87	B+	71-70	C-		
86-82	B	67-65	D+		
81-80	B-	65-63	D		

**Presence and Participation:** It is assumed that you will attend class and participate. Attendance/Participation is 10% of your grade. Attendance will be taken daily. "Being there" is not just a philosophical abstraction in this class. You need to be in class to stay

up with the work. There is a high correlation of those skipping class and those not surviving the course. So if you want to be successful, please come. You get 3 freebies after that it will substantially reduce the 10% with each extra cut.

5. **Academic Accommodations:** Our academic community is committed to providing access to a Gordon education for students with disabilities. A student with a disability who intends to request academic accommodations should follow this procedure:
- 1) Meet with a staff person from the Academic Success Center (ASC) and provide them with current documentation of the disability;
  - 2) Obtain a Faculty Notification Form from the Academic Success Center, listing appropriate accommodations; and
  - 3) Submit this form to professors and discuss those accommodations with them, ideally within the first two weeks of classes. Some accommodations need more time to arrange so communicating early in the semester is important. For more information consult the Academic Success Center webpage: <http://www.gordon.edu/academicaccessibility> or email [asc@gordon.edu](mailto:asc@gordon.edu)
6. **Tentative Course Assignment Schedule:** The instructor will try to gauge the progress of the class and adjust the speed of the learning accordingly. **The syllabus and assignment schedule will undoubtedly flex according to the progress of this particular class cohort.** Such changes will be announced and negotiated in class. Be there. The student is responsible to stay up with all adjustments made during the progress of the class. The rhythm of the class will be largely:
- 1) presentation of a chapter's content, 2) the completion of the workbook for the next class period and 3) a quiz. Every three-four weeks there will be an exam.

- Aug. 28 W Introduction to the Course. Alphabet and diphthongs  
Prof's introduction to the Alphabet and pronunciation: ch. 1
- Aug. 30 F Syllables, accents and English grammar  
Prof's introduction to the syllables, accents, English grammar: ch. 2  
Read: textbook Ch. 2 Accents, Syllables and English Grammar (focus here)  
Read: textbook Ch. 1 Beginning the Journey -- Alphabet (focus here)  
Hand in: Workbook Ch. 1 Alphabet (do the exercises in the workbook)  
Master the vocabulary for Ch. 1 (focus here)  
Spend ½ hour on the Interactive Greek program online.
- Sept. 4 W Ch. 3 Present Active Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook Ch. 2 Accents and Syllables  
Master the vocabulary for Ch. 2  
Learn chant for PAI Verbs  
Spend ½ hour on the Interactive Greek program online.
- Sept. 6 F **Quiz on:** Alphabet, Punctuation, Accents, Syllables, Present Active Verbs  
Play with: Mastering NT Greek interactive: Ch. 3: Present Active Verbs, Letter-to-Name Exercise, Pronounce, Letters Exercise  
Review Chapters 1-3  
Hand-in: Workbook Ch. 3  
Mastery – Alphabet (i.e. names of letters in order, how

to write Greek letters (upper and lower case), and the sounds associated with the letters and diphthongs. Also learn the Greek punctuation marks and names of the accents and their rules. The syllabification rules should also be mastered. Present Active Indicative verbs. Vocabulary items for all three lessons and the workbook English-like freebies. It is suggested that you view: "My Big Fat Greek Wedding" to gain insight into modern Greek culture.

- Sept. 9 M Prof's introduction to ch. 4: The Second Declension  
Introduction to the Noun, a case for case  
Memorization – John 1:1 from the UBS Greek text (be able to say it or write it (with accents)).
- Sept. 11 W Review and master of the case structure  
Hand in: Workbook – Chapter 4 Second Declension Nouns  
Master the vocabulary for chapter 4  
Read textbook ch. 4: Second Declension Nouns
- Sept. 13 F Prof's intro: Ch. 5: First Declension Nouns  
Play with: Mastering NT Greek interactive: Ch. 4: Second Declension Nouns  
Memorization – John 1:2 from the UBS Greek text (be able to say it or write it (with accents)).
- Sept. 16 M Review PAI (present active indicative) verbs and first and second declension nouns -- Yom Kippur today.  
Play with: eGreek Ch. 5 First Declension Nouns  
Read textbook ch. 5: First Declension Nouns  
Hand in: Workbook – Chapter 5 First Declension Nouns  
Memorization – know the paradigms for the first and second declensions and PAI verbs  
Master – Chapter 5 vocabulary list
- Sept. 18 W **Quiz** on chs. 3-5 paradigms (PAI verbs, First and second declension nouns, definite article), grammar of noun cases and verbs  
All the vocabulary to date (chs. 1-5)  
Hand in: Workbook -- Review Exercise # chs. 3-5
- Sept. 20 F Intro: Chapter 6: Prepositions -- its the little words that are difficult in Greek. Spend extra time learning the prepositions for each case.  
Vocabulary Review
- Sept. 23 M Intro Ch. 7: Adjectives  
Play with: eGreek Ch. 6 Prepositions  
Read: Textbook ch. 6: Prepositions  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 6: Prepositions  
Master: Chapter 6 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – John 1:3 from the UBS Greek text (be able to Say it or write it (with accents))

- Sept. 25 W Major Quiz – anything from the Grammar (chs. 1-6 including parsing, paradigms, vocab, understanding noun cases, preps, adjective usage, definite article, PAI verbs), Workbook (chs. 1-7), or memory work (John 1:1-3): See summary sheet  
Much of the test will be taken straight out of the workbook
- Sept. 27 F Review for quiz/test -- catch up  
Review – Review all grammar, vocab and memory work (Jn 1:1-3)  
Hand in: Workbook -- Ch. 7: Adjectives
- Sept. 30 M **Quiz on** Chs. 6-7  
Review vocab and grammar  
Play with: eGreek Ch. 7 Adjectives  
Read: Textbook ch. 7 Adjectives  
Hand in: -- Review Exercise #3
- Oct. 2 W Prof's introduction ch. 8 Personal Pronouns  
(no homework day-- relax!!! The hardest part is behind you. Endurance and dogged persistence is the key to the rest.)
- Oct. 4 F Intro. Ch. 9: Present Middle/Passive Verbs  
Play with: eGreek Ch. 8 Personal pronouns  
Read: Textbook ch. 8: Personal Pronouns  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 8: Personal Pronouns  
Master: Chapter 8 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – Mat 6:9bc (the Lord's prayer rap)  
be able to say it or write it (without accents)
- Oct. 7 M Consolidation day: pulling it together  
Review Vocab chs. 1-9  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 9 Present Middle/Passive Verbs  
Read: Textbook ch. 9: Present Middle/Passive Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 9: Present Middle/Passive Verbs  
Master: Chapter 9 vocabulary list.  
Memorization: Matthew 6:10 (the Lord's prayer)
- Oct. 9 W **Quiz: Chs. 8-10**  
Review vocab and grammar  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 10 Future Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Review chs. 3-9
- Oct. 11 F Intro: Chapter 10 Future Verbs  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 10 Future Verbs  
Read: Textbook ch. 10: Future Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 10: Future Verbs  
Master: Chapter 10 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – Mat 6:11 (the Lord's prayer)  
be able to say it or write it (with accents)

- Oct. 14 M Intro: Chapter 11 -- Demonstrative/Relative/Reflexive Pronouns
- Oct. 16 W Prof's intro to chs. 12 (Imperfect Verbs)  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 11 Demonstrative Pronouns  
Read: Textbook ch. 11: Demonstrative Pronouns  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 11: Demonstrative Pronouns  
Master: Chapter 11 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer
- Oct. 18 F **No Class: Quad exams** (no assignment, focus on quads) -- Relax and catch you pneu?ma
- Oct. 21 M Prof's introduction of ch. 13 (Second Aorist Verbs)  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 13 Third Declension Nouns  
Read: Textbook ch. 13: Third Declension Nouns  
Master: Chapter 13 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer
- Oct 23 W **Quiz (ch. 10-12 Grammar/Vocab[all]) and the Lord's prayer**  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 12 Imperfect Verbs  
Read: Textbook ch. 12: Imperfect Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 12: Imperfect Verbs  
Master: Chapter 12 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer
- Oct. 25 F Intro: Chapter 13 Third Declension Nouns  
Hand in: Workbook ch. 13  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer
- Oct. 28 M Hand in: Workbook Handout -- Review Exercise Chs. 3-13
- Oct. 30 W **Review Vocab Quiz:** All Vocab up to this point Chs. 1-14 and chs. 13-14 Grammar  
Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 14 Second Aorist Verbs  
Read: Textbook ch. 14: Second Aorist Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 14: Second Aorist Verbs  
Master: Chapter 14 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer hip-hop
- Nov. 1 F Prof's introduction of ch. 15 (First Aorist Verbs)  
Review readings and exercises
- Nov. 4 M Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 15 First Aorist Verbs  
Read: Textbook ch. 15: First Aorist Verbs  
Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 15: First Aorist Verbs  
Master: Chapter 15 vocabulary list.  
Memorization – review the Lord's prayer hip-hop  
**Review Grammar chs. 1-15**

- Nov. 6 W      **Quiz:** chs. 1-15 Grammar and vocabulary, Lord's prayer
- Nov. 8 F      Intro: Ch. 16 (Aorist and Future Passive Verbs)
- Nov. 11 M     Intro: Ch. 17 (Contract Verbs)  
 Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 16 First Aorist Verbs  
 Read: Textbook ch. 16: First Aorist Verbs  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 16: First Aorist Verbs  
 Master: Chapter 16 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the Lord's prayer hip-hop
- Nov. 13 W     Review and consolidation
- Nov. 15 F     Intro: ch. 18 Perfect Verbs  
 Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 17 Contract Verbs  
 Read: Textbook ch. 17: Contract Verbs  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 17: Contract Verbs  
 Master: Chapter 17 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the John 1:1-3
- Nov. 18 M     Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 18 Perfect Verbs  
 Read: Textbook ch. 18: Perfect Verbs  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 18: Perfect Verbs  
 Master: Chapter 18 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the John 1:1-3
- Nov. 20 W     Intro: Ch. 19 (Present Participles) -- Participles are one of the most  
 difficult syntactical elements left in the course. Make some major  
 investment in mastering their form and manifold function.  
 [Workbook Handout – Exercise Review #5]
- Nov. 22 F     **Quiz** -- Chs. 16-18; All Vocab up to this point Chs. 1-18  
 and chs. 16-18 Grammar  
 Hand in: Review chs. 3-18 workbook  
 Memorization – review the John 1:1-3
- Nov. 25 M     Intro: Ch. 20 (Aorist Participles)  
 Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 19 Present Participles  
 Read: Textbook ch. 19: Present Participles  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 19: Present participles  
 Master: Chapter 19 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the John 1:1-3
- Nov. 27 – Dec 1      Thanksgiving Recess --euxaristw
- Dec. 2 M      Intro: Ch. 21 (Perfect Participles)  
 Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 20 Aorist Participles  
 Read: Textbook ch. 20: Aorist Participles  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 20: Aorist participles  
 Master: Chapter 20 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the Lord's prayer

- Dec. 4 W      Play with: MNTG Interactive Ch. 21 Perf. Participles  
 Read: Textbook ch. 21: Perf. Participles  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 21: Perf. participles  
 Master: Chapter 21 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the Lord's prayer
- Dec. 6 F      Read 1 John 1:1-10 Play with: eGreek Ch. 21 Perfect Participles
- Dec. 9 M      Review  
 Read: Textbook ch. 21: Perfect Participles  
 Hand in: Workbook – Ch. 21: Perfect participles  
 Master: Chapter 21 vocabulary list.  
 Memorization – review the John 1:1-3
- Dec. 11 W     **Final Exam A: Vocabulary** (chs. 1-21)
- Dec. 19 W     **Final Exam B: Morphology, grammar, translation** from workbook  
 and chs. 1-21 and 1 John 1:1-10 (Dec. 19 Thurs. 9:00 AM). All  
 final exams must be taken when the registrar has listed. Make your flight  
 plans accordingly.

## 5. Bibliography: taken from the textbook

### Introductory Grammars:

- Eleftheriades, Olga. *Modern Greek: A Contemporary Grammar* (Palo Alto, CA: Pacific Books, 1985). Modern Greek grammar.
- Hanson, Hardy and Gerald Quinn. *Greek: An Intensive Course* (New York: Fordham University Press, 1992). Excellent classical Greek textbook.
- \* Hildebrandt, Ted. *Mastering NT Greek* (2003). This is a revision of my old Greek Tutor program published by Parsons Technology and then Baker Book House. An etextbook, eWorkbook, elexicon and an eVocabulary builder list are online in Acrobat format (\*.pdf).
- \* Machen, J. Gresham. *New Testament Greek for Beginners* (Toronto: The Macmillan Company, 1923). It is pedagogically superb and has been used effectively to teach many generations of students Greek. Somewhat dated now. I believe this is on the [www.ccel.org](http://www.ccel.org) web site in full text.
- Mounce, William D. *Basics of Biblical Greek* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan 1993). It is well researched. The introductions of each chapter stress the significance of the chapter. It carefully motivates students. Stresses nouns first and leaves the verb until chapter 15 unfortunately. This is what Gordon-Conwell Seminary has used.
- Summers, Ray. *Essentials of New Testament Greek* (Nashville: Broadman & Holman Publishers, 1995). A concise introduction to first year Greek. Easy to use with clear brief descriptions of grammatical features.
- Wenham, J. W. *The Elements of New Testament Greek* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1970). Easy to use but does not teach accents.

**Lexicons:**

- \* Bauer, Walter; William Arndt; F. Wilbur Gingrich and F. E. Danker. *A Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature* (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1957). \$142. This is a wonderful foundational resource. One should look at electronic resources like Logos (the best); Bible Works or Accordance if you're thinking of buying this. ESword is free online as is Bible Hub (very nice): [<http://biblehub.com/interlinear/study/matthew/2.htm>]
- Hildebrandt, Ted. eLexicon (online) a complete simple definition lexicon of every word in the NT. -- got Lexicon
- Louw, Johannes and Nida, Eugene eds. *Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Based on Semantic Domains*. 2 vols. 2d ed. (New York: United Bible Societies, 1989).
- Pring, J. T. *The Oxford Dictionary of Modern Greek* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1982). Modern Greek dictionary.

**New Testament Texts:**

- Aland, Kurt et al., eds. *The Greek New Testament* (4rd ed) (Stuttgart: United Bible Societies, 1993).
- Nestle, Eberhard and Nestle, Erwin. *Novum Testamentum Graece*. 27<sup>th</sup> ed. (Stuttgart: Deutsche Biblestiftung, 1994). This is the one we will use. \$27
- The Wescott/Hort/Robinson text of the New Testament in Greek is freely available on the web site in Word (\*.doc) and Acrobat (\*.pdf) formats.

**Reading Aids:**

- Alsop, J. R. *An Index to the Revised Bauer-Arndt-Gingrich Lexicon* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1981).
- Bushell, Michael. *Bible Works 4.0* CD-ROM (Hermeneutica, 1996).
- Kubo, Sakae. *A Reader's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1975).
- Rienecker, Fritz. *A Linguistic Key to the Greek New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1976).
- The best is using Bible Works software to read along. We will be introducing this incredible software second semester.

**Vocabulary Building Word Lists:**

- Metzger, Bruce. *Lexical Aids for Students of New Testament Greek* (Princeton, NJ: published by author, 1972).
- Hildebrandt, Ted. *Vocabulary Builder* -- online interactive and in printable \*.pdf on your CD-ROM. Has all the words used 9x or more in the NT in groups of 10 for learning. Got vocab builder.
- Trenchard, Warren. *Complete Vocabulary Guide to the Greek New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1992).
- Robinson, T. A. *Mastering Greek Vocabulary* (Massachusetts: Henrickson, 1990).
- Van Voorst, R.E. *Building Your New Testament Greek Vocabulary* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1990).

**Intermediate Grammars: 2<sup>nd</sup> year grammars**

- Black, David A. *It's Still Greek to Me* (Grand Rapids: Baker, 1998).
- Campbell, Constantine. *Advances in the Study of Greek: New Insights for Reading the New Testament* (Zondervan, 2015).
- Dana, Harvey Eugene, and Julius R. Mantey. *A Manual Grammar of the Greek New Testament* (NY: Macmillan, 1957). The older tradition of Machen for beginning Greek and Dana/Mantey for Intermediate has been updated to Mounce for beginning Greek (Greek Tutor if you're into computers) and Wallace for Intermediate.
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- Greenlee, J. Harold. *A Concise Exegetical Grammar of the New Testament Greek* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1963).
- \*Kostenberger, Merkle, and Plummer. *Going Deeper with New Testament Greek* (B & H Academic, 2016)
- \*\*\*Mathewson, David and Elodie Emig. *Intermediate Greek Grammar* (Baker, 2016).
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- Moule, C.F. D. *An Idiom Book of New Testament Greek* (Cambridge: University Press, 1959).
- Perschbacher, Wesley. *New Testament Greek Syntax* (Chicago: Moody Press, 1995).
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- Robertson, A.T., and W. Hersey Davis. *A New Short Grammar of the Greek Testament* (NY: Harper, 1933).
- Robertson, A.T. *Grammar of the Greek New Testament in the Light of Historical Research* (London: Hodder & Stoughton, 1919) (1527 pgs)  
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- \*\* \_\_\_\_\_ . *The Basics of New Testament Syntax: An Intermediate Greek Grammar*. (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2000).
- Young, Richard A. *Intermediate New Testament Greek: A Linguistic and Exegetical Approach* (Nashville: Broadman & Holman, 1994).

**Concordances: digital ones are quicker and more powerful now (Logos, Bible Works, Accordance; Bible Hub; eSword).**

- Moulton, W. F. and Geden, A.S. *A Concordance to the Greek Testament* (Greenwood, S.C.: The Attic Press, Inc., 1978).
- The Englishman's Greek Concordance* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1970 reprint).
- The Bible Works (Hermeneutica) software is a superb electronic concordance. See the language lab for demos second semester.

**Word Study Books:**

- Balz, Horst and Schneider, G. *Exegetical Dictionary of the New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1993).
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- Friedrich, Gerhard (ed.) and Bromiley, Geoffrey. *Theological Dictionary of the New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1974).

## 6. Basic Greek Library: (in usual order of purchase)

Mastering NT Greek Interactive CD-ROM (Baker, 2003).

A vocabulary builder and Easy Reader for 1 John may be found for free on the Gordon web site (or at [www.gordon.edu](http://www.gordon.edu), Biblical Studies Department -- Class sites).

- \* Nestle-Aland. *Novum Testamentum Graece*. 28<sup>th</sup> ed. (German Bible Society, 2012).

Bauer, Walter; Wiliam Arndt; F. Wilbur Gingrich and F. E. Danker. *A Greek- English Lexicon of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature* (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1957). – Do not buy this it is usually included in Accordance or Logos eSword is free (see prof.) I'll be giving you this for free early in the spring. Bible Hub, YouBible free options

\*Accordance – Scholars Greek/Hebrew Software (see Dr. Darko for best price (ca \$200) Accordance is easier to do Greek/Hebrew searches. Logos Software: Personally I am switching from Logos to Accordance. as it is hard to use and not intuitive for me. Logos is expensive. Logos will last you a lifetime and the library of books available in Logos is huge and comprehensive.

Zerwick, Max and Mary Grosvenor. *A Grammatical Analysis of the Greek New Testament* (Rome: Editrice Pontificio Istituto Biblico, 1996). This is the best and most useful reader's aid I've seen and its under \$30! It will help you take the next step into second year Greek.

\*Wallace, Daniel B. *Exegetical Syntax of the Greek New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1995). – 2 year Grammar

Brown, Collin. *The New International Dictionary of New Testament Theology* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1978). –This is the one to own.

iPhone app. “Wav Bible” (free) is really helpful if it is not used as a crutch. Bible [YouVersion]

And for a heavy finale: (get it at CBD on sale):

Friedrich, Gerhard (ed.) and Bromiley, Geoffrey. *Theological Dictionary of the New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1974).