

Orientation to Reference Works and Further Greek Study

The following resource list is far from exhaustive and is inevitably always in the process of going out of date. Nevertheless, you will find many key resources here for your further Greek study.

INTERMEDIATE GRAMMARS AND HELPS

Blass, F., Debrunner, A., and Funk, R. *A Greek Grammar of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature*. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1962.)

McKay, K. L. *A New Syntax of the Verb in New Testament Greek: An Aspectual Approach* (New York: Peter Lang, 1994)

Moulton, James Hope; W F Howard, N Turner, *Grammar of New Testament Greek*. 4 Vols. (T&T Clark)

Vol 1 – Prolegomena

Vol 2 – Accidence and Word Formation

Vol 3 – Syntax

Vol 4 – Style

Robertson, A. T. *A Grammar of the New Testament in the Light of Historical Research*. (Broadman-Holmann, 1934)

Smyth, H. W. *Greek Grammar*, revised by Gordon M. Messing. (Harvard University Press, 1984)

Wallace, Daniel B. *Greek Grammar Beyond the Basics*. (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1996)

Young, Richard A. *Intermediate New Testament Greek: A Linguistic and Exegetical Approach* (Broadman & Holman, 1994)

Zerwick, SJ, Max and Mary Grosvenor. *A Grammatical Analysis of the Greek New Testament*. 5th ed. (Rome: Pontifical Biblical Institute, 1996)

Linguistically-Related

Black, D. A. and Moises Silva, *Linguistics for Students of New Testament Greek: A Survey of Basic Concepts and Applications*, Baker, 1995. *****

Silva, Moisés. *Biblical Words and Their Meaning: An Introduction to Lexical Semantics*. Revised and Expanded Edition (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1994)

Porter, Stanley E. and D. A. Carson (eds.), *Linguistics and the New Testament: Critical Junctures* (Sheffield Academic Press, 1999)

_____. *Biblical Greek Language and Linguistics: Open Questions in Current Research* (Sheffield Academic Press, 1993)

_____ *Discourse Analysis & Other Topics in Biblical Greek* (Sheffield Academic, 1995)

Porter, Stanley E. *Verbal Aspect in the Greek of the New Testament, with Reference to Tense & Mood* (Peter Lang, 1993)

_____ *Studies in the Greek New Testament: Theory and Practice* (Peter Lang, 1996)

LEXICONS AND VOCABULARY HELPS

BDAG: Bauer, W. (with Arndt/Gingrich/Danker). *A Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature*. 3rd edition, revised and edited by Frederick William Danker. (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2000)

Goodrich, Richard, and Albert Lukaszewski. *A Reader's Greek New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2004)

Kubo, Sakae *A Reader's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament* (Brill Academic, 1997)

LSJ: Liddell, H. G. and R. Scott. *A Greek-English Lexicon*. 9th ed. (Oxford: Clarendon, 1925-40; repr. 1996)

Louw, J. P. and E. A. Nida. *A Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament, Based on Semantic Domains*. 2 vols. 2nd ed. (New York: United Bible Societies, 1989)

Lust, J., E. Eynikel and K. Hauspie, comp. *A Greek-English Lexicon of the Septuagint*. (Stuttgart: Deutsche Bibelgesellschaft, 1992)

Pennington, Jonathan T. *New Testament Greek Vocabulary* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2001)

Pennington, Jonathan T. *Readings in the Greek New Testament* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2004)

Perschbacher, Wesley J., ed. *The New Analytical Greek Lexicon*. (Peabody, MA: Hendrickson Publishers, 1990)

Trenchard, Warren C. *A Concise Dictionary of New Testament Greek* (Cambridge Univ Press, 2003)

Trenchard, Warren C. *The Student's Complete Vocabulary Guide to the Greek New Testament: Complete Frequency Lists, Cognate Groupings & Principal Parts* (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1992)

Wilson, Mark. *Mastering New Testament Greek Vocabulary Through Semantic Domains*. Grand Rapids: Kregel, 2003.

THEOLOGICAL DICTIONARIES

EDNT: Balz, H. and G. Schneider, eds. *Exegetical Dictionary of the New Testament*. 3 vols. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1990-93.

TDNT: Kittel, Gerhard, and G. Friedrich, eds. *Theological Dictionary of the New Testament*. 10 vols. Trans. by G. W. Bromiley. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1964-76.

NIDNTT: Brown, Colin, ed. *New International Dictionary of New Testament Theology*, 4 vols. (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1979)

Mounce, William, ed. *Mounce's Complete Expository Dictionary of Old and New Testament Words*. (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2006)

Spicq, Ceslas, *Theological Lexicon of the New Testament*, (Hendrickson, 1995)

SOFTWARE

NB: Several of the resources given above are now available in software format, including Wallace's grammar, *NIDNTT* and others.

The two best options for Bible software are BibleWorks (now in version 7) and Logos (recently significantly updated as well). SEE Plummer review (attached).

INTERNET RESOURCES

The internet now contains some incredible resources for studying the Greek NT. This will only increase and I would recommend that you familiarize yourself with some of the many resources available. There are also several good Greek fonts available on the web, findable in various places. I list some key websites on general study of the GNT below:

- www.ntgateway.com -- One-stop shop for all things NT on the internet. For Greek resources, see especially www.ntgateway.com/greek/.
- http://faculty.bbc.edu/RDecker/nt_gram.htm – Incredible amount of resources available through the work of Rodney Decker. See also the many resources at this page: http://faculty.bbc.edu/RDecker/rd_rsrc.htm.
- www.tlg.uci.edu -- TLG (Thesaurus Lingua Graeca). A simply staggering project, freely available on the web. They have digitized nearly every piece of Greek text from the time of Homer up until the fall of Byzantium in 1453 – completely searchable and worth spending some time to get familiar with.
- www.perseus.tufts.edu -- The Perseus Project. Another astonishing resource, containing digitized versions of most extant Greek and Latin literature, plus a wide assortment of other resources related to ancient Greek and Latin, including LSJ, as well as the papyri found in the Duke Databank of Documentary Papyri.