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Greek Exegesis

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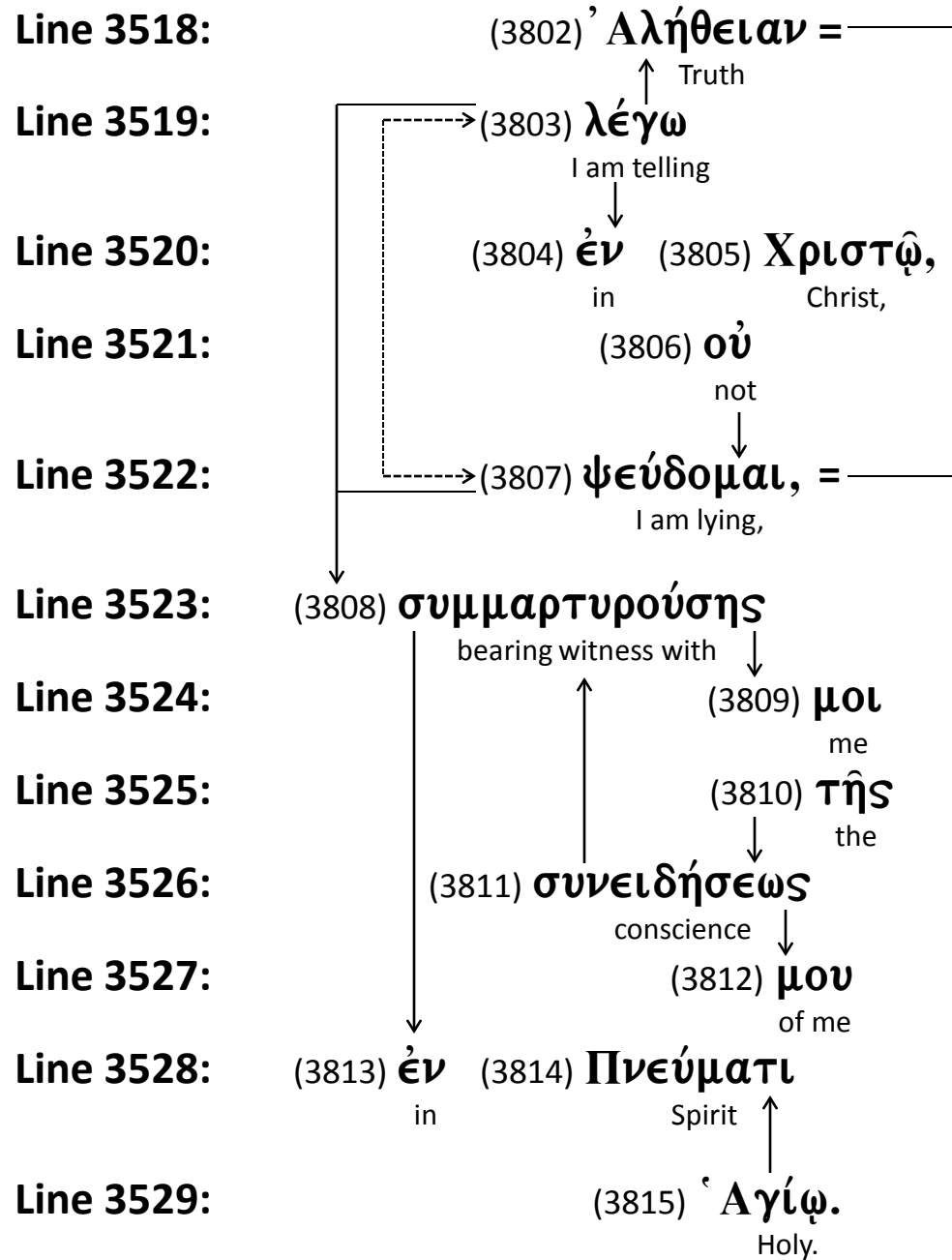
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Verse 1-3

The Concern for Israel

Verse 4-5

The Commission for Israel



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= (3816) ὅτι

that

Line 3531:

(3817) λύπη

grief

Line 3532:

(3818) μοί

to me

Line 3533:

(3819) ἐστὶ

is

((3819) ἐστίν)

(is)

Line 3534:

(3820) μεγάλη,

great,

Line 3535:

(3821) καὶ

and

Line 3536:

(3822) ἀδιάλειπτος

unceasing

Line 3537:

(3823) ὀδύνη

pain

Line 3538:

(3824) τῇ

the

Line 3539:

(3825) καρδία

heart

Line 3540:

(3826) μου.

of me.



Line 3541:

(3827) ἤυχόμεν

I was wishing

Line 3542:

(3828) γὰρ

for

Line 3543:

(3829) αὐτὸς

myself

Line 3544:

(3830) ἐγὼ

I

Line 3545:

(3831) ἀνάθεμα

accursed

Line 3546:

(3832) εἶναι

to be

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(3833) (αὐτὸς)

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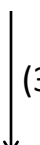
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Christ





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on behalf of

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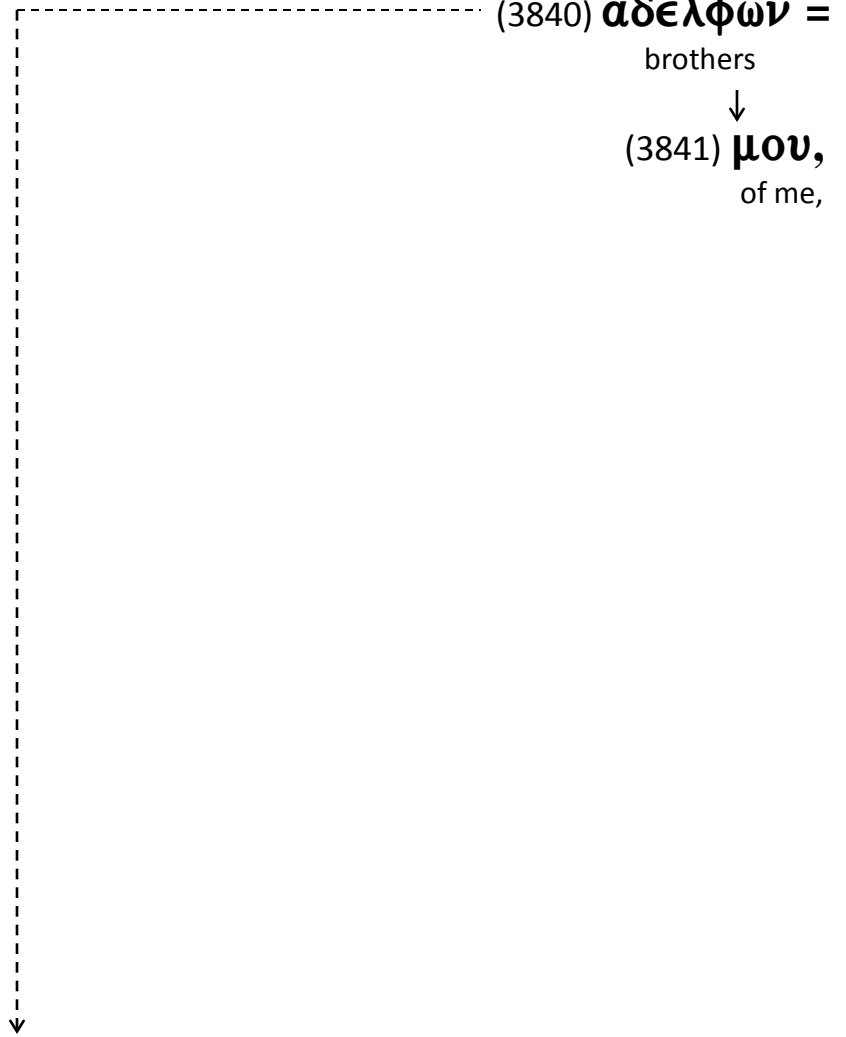
(3841) μου,  
of me,

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the

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according to flesh;



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(3847) οἵτινες

who



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## **Glory**

**The Greek word for "glory" comes from the meaning of the Hebrew word from the Old Testament. The Hebrew word for glory literally means "heavy."**

**The Hebrew word is used for "substance" and refers to the substance and nature of a person.**

**Here the word "glory" refers to God's Divine presence particularly at the time of the Exodus as well as the wilderness journey and in the tabernacle and temple.**

## Examples:

### **Exodus 16:10**

And it happened as Aaron was speaking to all the congregation of *the* sons of Israel, that they turned toward the wilderness. And, behold! The glory of Yahweh had appeared in the cloud!

## Examples:

### II Chronicles 7:1-3

- 1) And when Solomon finished praying, that the fire had come down from the heavens and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices; and *the* glory of Yahweh had filled the Temple;
- 2) and the priests had not been able to enter into the Temple of Yahweh, because *the* glory of Yahweh had filled the Temple of Yahweh.
- 3) And all the sons of Israel while looking, when the fire came down, and *the* glory of Yahweh *was* over the Temple that they bowed *their* noses to *the* ground, upon the pavement, and worshiped, and praised Yahweh: because *He is* good, because His covenant love *is* forever.

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**A covenant of God in the Old Testament is made by Divine initiative rather than mutual agreement.**



**In Ephesians 2:11-12 Paul mentions that there is more than one covenant.**

**Ephesians 2:11-12 LET**

11) On account of which, remember that you once *were* the nations in *the* flesh (the ones being called Uncircumcision by the one being called Circumcision in *the* flesh made by hand),

12) that you were in that time without Christ, having been alienated from the citizenship of Israel and strangers of the covenants of the promise, not having hope and without God in the world.

**There are four major covenants in the Old Testament.**

## 1) The Abrahamic Covenant recorded in Genesis 15:1-30

### Genesis 15:4-6 LET

4) And behold the Word of Yahweh to him saying, "This one shall not be inheriting, but rather he that will go out of your loins he himself will be your heir."

5) And He brought him out to the outside and said, "Look now to the heavens and count the stars, if you are able to count them." And He said to him, "This way will your seed be."

6) And he had believed in Yahweh. And He counted it to him *for* righteousness.

## The Abrahamic Covenant renewed in Genesis 28:1-5

### Genesis 28:3-4 LET

3) And God Almighty will bless you and He will make you fruitful, and He will multiply you and you will have become *a* company of peoples.

4) And He will give to you the blessing of Abraham to you and to your seed with you, for taking possession of *the* land of your journeying, which God has given to Abraham.

## **2) The Mosaic Covenant recorded in Exodus Chapters 19-31**

### 3) The Davidic Covenant concerning the Kingdom of the Messiah as recorded in II Samuel 7:8-16

#### II Samuel 7:13-16 LET

13) He Himself will build *a* house for My Name, and I will have established the throne of his kingdom forever.

14) I Myself will be to him for *a* father, and he himself will be to Me for *a* son. When he commits sins, then I will have chastised him with *a* rod of men, and with wounds of *the* sons of man.

15) And My covenant-mercies will not turn aside from him, as when I removed *it* from Saul, whom I removed from before you.

16) And your household will have become established, and your kingdom before you forever. Your throne will be established forever.

#### 4) The New Covenant recorded in Jeremiah 31:31-34

##### Jeremiah 31:31-34 LET

31) Behold, the days *are* coming, *a* declaration of Yahweh, that I will have cut *a* new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah,  
32) not according to the covenant which I cut with their fathers in *the* day I took them by their hand to lead them out from the land of Egypt, where they themselves had broken My covenant, and I Myself had been *a* master among them, *a* declaration of Yahweh.

**Jeremiah 31:31-34 LET** (continued)

33) But this *is* the covenant which I will cut with the house of Israel after those days, *a* declaration of Yahweh, I will have given My Law in their inward part, and upon their hearts I will write it; and I will have been to them for God, and they themselves will be to Me for *a* people.

34) And they will no longer each one teach his neighbor, and each one his brother, saying, "Know Yahweh." Because all of them will know Me, from their least even to their greatest, *a* declaration of Yahweh. Because I will forgive their iniquity, and I will not remember their sins any more.

## The New Covenant confirmed in Hebrews 8:6

### Hebrews 8:6 LET

But now He has obtained *a* more excellent ministry, by so much as also He is of a Mediator of *a* better covenant, which has been established upon better promises.



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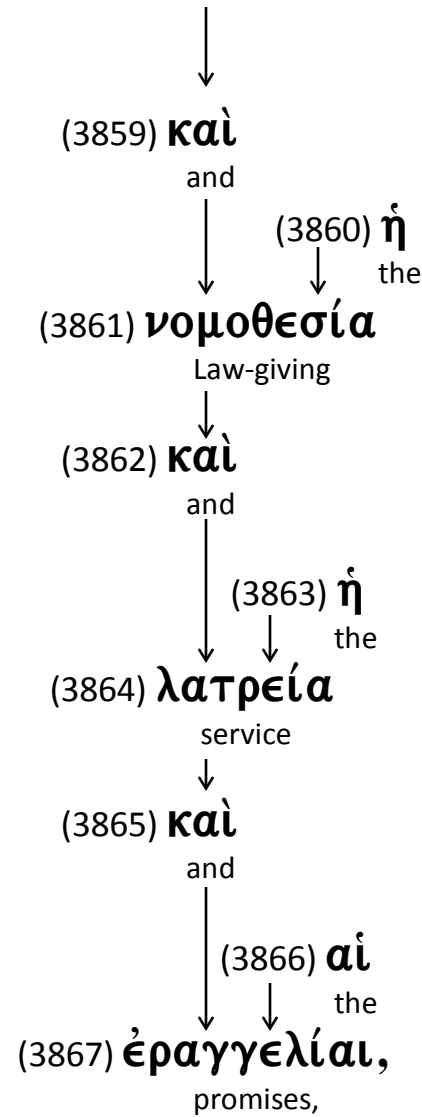
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**νομοθεσία**  
**Law-giving**

**Only here in the New Testament**

**A phrase representing the act of the giving of the  
law through Moses**

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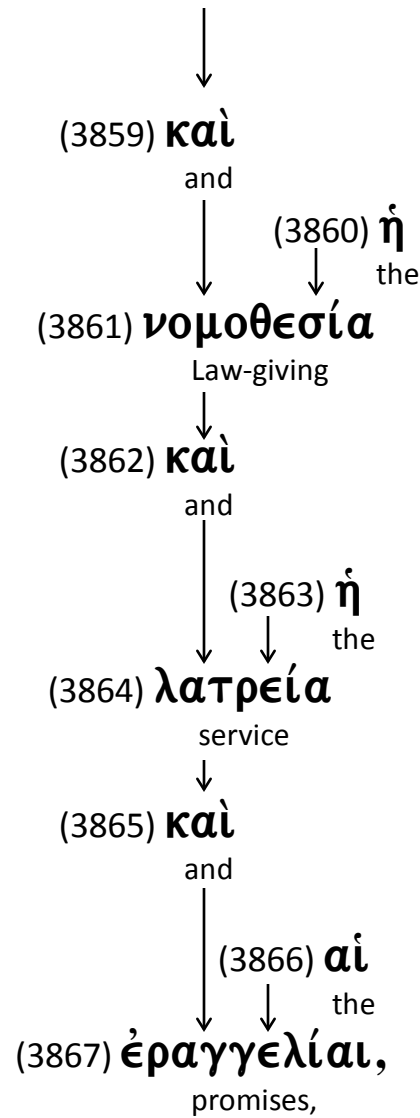
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**λατρεία**

**Temple service**

**This word represents the performance of  
religious rites in the tabernacle and temple**

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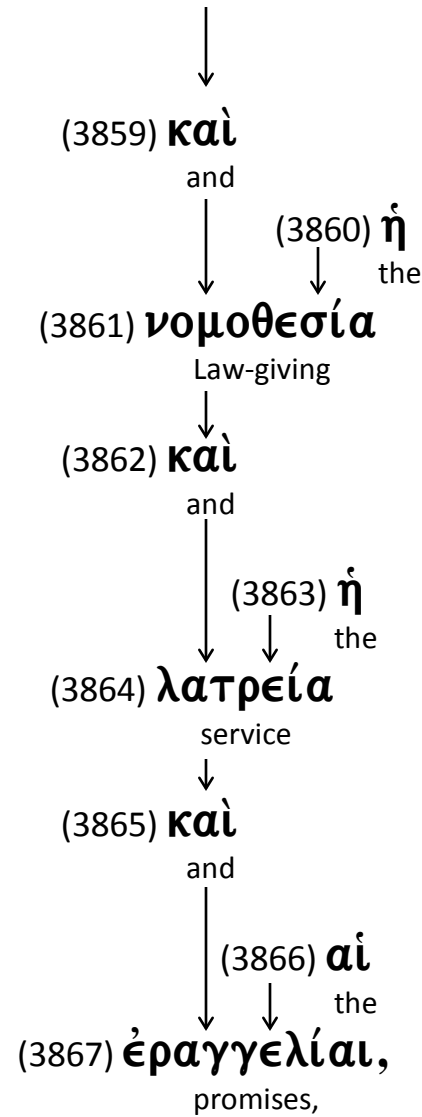
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## Promises: Examples

### Genesis 12:1-3 LET

- 1) And Yahweh said to Abram, "Go out for yourself from your land and from your relatives, and from *the* house of your father, to the land which I will show you.
- 2) "And I will make of you for *a* great nation. And I will bless you and I will make your name great; and you will become *a* blessing.
- 3) "And I will bless *the ones* blessing you, and *the ones* cursing you I will curse. And in you all the families of the earth with have been blessed."

## Genesis 12:1-3 confirmed in Genesis 22:15-18

### Genesis 22:15-18 LET

15) And the Angel of Yahweh called to Abraham *a* second *time* from the heavens.

16) And He said, "By Myself I have sworn, *a* declaration of Yahweh, because on account of which this thing you have done, and you have not withheld your only son,

17) "that blessing I will bless you, and multiplying I will multiply your seed like *the* stars of the heavens, and like *the* sand which *is* upon the shore of the sea. And your Seed will take possession of the gate of His enemies.

18) "And in your Seed all *the* nations of the earth will have been blessed because you have listened to My voice."



## **Genesis 12:1-3 confirmed in Genesis 28:13-14**

### **Genesis 28:13-14 LET**

13) And, behold, Yahweh *is* standing above it and said, "I Myself *am* Yahweh *the* God of your father Abraham, and *the* God of Isaac; the land upon which is lying under you, I will give it to you and to your seed.

14) And your seed will have been like *the* dust of the earth, and you will have spread westward and eastward and northward and southward; and all *the* families of the earth will have been blessed in you and in your Seed.

## The promise of the return of Israel to their land

### Deuteronomy 30:2-3 LET

2) and you will have turned back to Yahweh your God and you will have listened to His voice, according to all which I myself *am* commanding you today, you and your sons in all your heart, and in all your soul;

3) and Yahweh your God will have turned your captivity, and He will have had compassion on you, and He will have returned and will have gathered you from all the peoples where Yahweh your God has scattered you to there.

## The promise of the Spirit of Messiah to Israel

### Acts 2:38-39 LET

38) Now Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized, each one of you upon the name of Jesus Christ for remission of sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

39) "For to you is the promise and to your children, and to all the ones at *a* distance, as many as *the* Lord our God should call to Himself."

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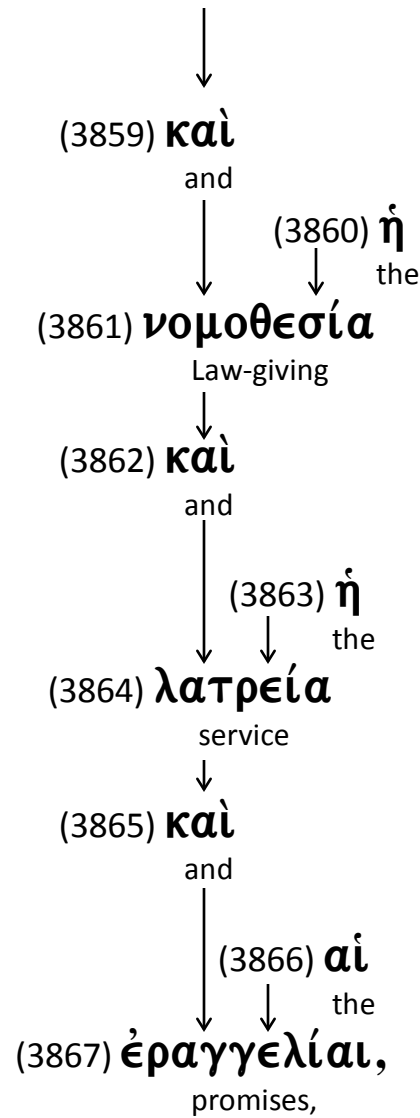
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