

1 Corinthians 3:19

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The definite article γὰρ σοφία τοῦplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ

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The definite article κόσμου τούτουplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigοὔτος / αὕτη / τοῦτο

greek

Meaning:

* These or this * This one, this person, this thing * They or he or she or it

Demonstrative pronoun.

οὔτος usually refers to something close to the speaker — “this” as opposed to ἐκεῖνος (John 9:161 John 5:111 Corinthians 15:501 John 4:9John 5:1Matthew 3:17John 7:26Luke 22:19 μωρία παρὰ τῷplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ

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The definite article θεῶplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigθεὸς

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Masculine noun meaning:

* A god or goddess * God ἐστιν·plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigεἰμί

Greek greek

εἰμί is the first person singular verb for “to be” (εἶναι [the infinitive form] = “to be”).

It an irregular verb, and, like English, changes significantly between person and tense. For example εἰμί is the word for am and ἦν is the word for was, e.g. γέγραπται γάρ, ὅplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ

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The definite article δρασσόμενος τοὺςplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ

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The definite article σοφοὺς ἐνplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigέν

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Preposition meaning “in”. τῇplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ

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The definite article πανουργία αὐτῶν·plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigαὐτός

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Meaning

* He, she, it * Himself, herself, itself * Same

Personal pronoun (reflexive). Occurs more than 5,000 times in the New Testament.

Core uses Function English Equivalent Typical Translation Example (Greek) Example (English)

ESV	For the wisdom of this world is folly with God. For it is written, "He catches the wise in their craftiness,"
NIV	For the wisdom of this world is foolishness in God's sight. As it is written: "He catches the wise in their craftiness";
NLT	For the wisdom of this world is foolishness to God. As the Scriptures say, "He traps the wise in the snare of their own cleverness."
KJV	For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God. For it is written, He taketh the wise in their own craftiness.

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