1 Samuel 17:34

ָהָיָהplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigוְיָאׁמֶּר דְּוִד' אֶל שָׁאוּל רֹעֶה הָיֶה

hehrew

The word הַיָּה means "to exist" or "to be" or "to become" or "to come into being" and occurs 3561 times in the Old Testament.

This is the foundational verb of existence, identity, becoming and occurrence.

Hebrew * It is used in the creation narrative of Genesis 1, represented by the English words Genesis 1:3Exodus 3:12Ruth 1:1Isaiah 2:2 עַבְדָּדֶּ לָאָבֶיוּ בַּצְאוֹ וְבֵא הָאָרִיּ

hebrev

The Hebrew אַת word does not have a corresponding word in English. In Hebrew, it is a marker of the accusative, i.e. the word following it is the object of the sentence.

For example, in Genesis 1:1 the word is preceded by בָּרֶא אֱלֹהֵים (הַדֹּוֹב וְנָשֵׂא שֵׂה מֵהָעֵדֵר

ESV But David said to Saul, "Your servant used to keep sheep for his father. And when there came a lion, or a bear, and took a lamb from the flock,

NIV But David said to Saul, "Your servant has been keeping his father's sheep. When a lion or a bear came and carried off a sheep from the flock,

NLT But David persisted. "I have been taking care of my father's sheep and goats," he said. "When a lion or a bear comes to steal a lamb from the flock,

καὶplugin-autotooltip default plugin-autotooltip bigκαί

greek

Meaning

* And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So

ls a conjunction that connects single words or terms or sentences. IT is most frequently translated as "and" εἶπεν Δαυιδ πρὸςplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigπρός

greek

Meaning

* To or towards * Pertaining to (genitive case) * Near to (dative case) * According to * About

Preposition. Occurs 703 times in the New Testament.

πρός is a common preposition in Koine Greek that carries different meanings. It most frequently takes the accusative case, but at times it takes the genitive or dative cases, giving it a different meaning again. At its core, it usually describes movement or relationship toward someone or something, whether physical, s... Σαουλ ποιμαίνων ἦνρlugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigεἰμί

greek

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

lt 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. oplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigo

greek

The definite article δοῦλός σου τῷplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigò

greek

The definite article πατρὶ αὐτοῦplugin-autotooltip default plugin-autotooltip bigαὐτός

greek

Meaning

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

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

LXX Core uses Function English Equivalent Typical Translation Example (Greek) Example (English) évplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigév

greek

Preposition meaning "in". τῷplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigò

greek

The definite article ποιμνίω καὶplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigκαί

greek

Meaning

* And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So

ls a conjunction that connects single words or terms or sentences. IT is most frequently translated as "and" ὅταν ἤρχετο ὀplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigó

greek

The definite article λέων καὶplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigκαί

greek

Meaning

* And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So

ls a conjunction that connects single words or terms or sentences. IT is most frequently translated as "and" ἡplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigò

greek

The definite article ἄρκος καὶplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigκαί

greek

Meaning

* And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So

ls a conjunction that connects single words or terms or sentences. IT is most frequently translated as "and" ἐλάμβανεν πρόβατον ἐκ τῆςpluginautotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigò

greek

The definite article ἀγέλης

KJV And David said unto Saul, Thy servant kept his father's sheep, and there came a lion, and a bear, and took a lamb out of the flock:

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