

Ephesians 5:30

	ὅτι μέλη ἐσμὲν 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. τοῦ greek Meaning: * The GreekThe definite article. Forms Singular Case Masculine Feminine Neuter Nominative ὁ ἡ τό Genitive τοῦ τῆς τοῦ Dative τῷ τῇ σώματος αὐτοῦ. greek 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	because we are members of his body.
NIV	for we are members of his body.
NLT	And we are members of his body.
KJV	For we are members of his body, of his flesh, and of his bones.

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