

John 1:2

οὗτος plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big οὗτος / αὕτη / τοῦτο

greek

Meaning:

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

Demonstrative pronoun.

οὗτος 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 ἦν plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big εἰμί

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. ἔν plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big ἐν

greek

Preposition meaning “in”. ἀρχή plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big ἀρχή

greek

Meaning:

Greek * Beginning * First * Elementary * Rulers, rule, domain

Noun, feminine (first declension)

Occurs 56 times in the New Testament, consistently conveying the idea of primacy - whether temporal (i.e. the start, e.g. John 1:1) or causal (i.e. the source) or governmental (i.e. the ruler, e.g. Ephesians 6:12 πρὸς plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big πρὸς

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... τὸν plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big τὸν

greek

The definite article θεόν.plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big θεός

greek

Masculine noun meaning:

* A god or goddess * God

ESV	He was in the beginning with God.
NIV	He was with God in the beginning.
NLT	He existed in the beginning with God.
KJV	The same was in the beginning with God.

[John 1:1](#) ← [John 1:2](#) → [John 1:3](#)Return to: [Home Page](#) → [Christianity](#) → [Bible](#) → [New Testament](#) → [John](#) → [John 1](#)

From:

<https://groveserver.com/bible/> - **BibleWiki**

Permanent link:

https://groveserver.com/bible/doku.php?id=john_1:2Last update: **2025/10/23 00:28**