

Judges 14:20

	וְהָיָה plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigוְהָיָה hebrew The word וְהָיָה 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. * It is used in the creation narrative of Genesis 1, represented by the English words Genesis 1:3Exodus 3:12Ruth 1:1Isaiah 2:2 לוֹ אִשֶּׁת שְׂמִשּׁוֹן לְמַרְעֵהוּ אֲשֶׁר רָעָה
ESV	And Samson's wife was given to his companion, who had been his best man.
NIV	And Samson's wife was given to the friend who had attended him at his wedding.
NLT	So his wife was given in marriage to the man who had been Samson's best man at the wedding.

	καὶplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigκαί greek Meaning * And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So Is a conjunction that connects single words or terms or sentences. IT is most frequently translated as “and” συνῶκησεν ἡplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ greek The definite article γυνῇ Σαμψων τῷplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὸ greek The definite article συμφαγωγῷ 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. Core uses Function English Equivalent Typical Translation Example (Greek) Example (English) ὃς ἦνplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigεἰμί 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. ἑταῖρος 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. Core uses Function English Equivalent Typical Translation Example (Greek) Example (English)
KJV	But Samson's wife was given to his companion, whom he had used as his friend.

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