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Greek	ἀλλὰ εἰπόμεν· ἐξ ἀνθρώπων; ἐφοβοῦντο τὸν
	greek
	The definite article λαόν· ἅπαντες γὰρ εἶχον τὸν
	greek
	The definite article Ἰωάννην ὁντως ὅτι προφήτης ἦν.
Greek	εἰμί
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	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.
ESV	But shall we say, 'From man?'- they were afraid of the people, for they all held that John really was a prophet.
NIV	But if we say, 'From men'...." (They feared the people, for everyone held that John really was a prophet.)
NLT	But do we dare say it was merely human?" For they were afraid of what the people would do, because everyone believed that John was a prophet.
KJV	But if we shall say, Of men; they feared the people: for all men counted John, that he was a prophet indeed.

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