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Hebrew	אַל הַּתְאָו לְמַסְעַמּוֹתָיו וְהוּא לֶחֶם כְּזָבִים אַל הָּתְאָו לְמַסְעַמּוֹתָיו וְהוּא לֶחֶם כְּזָבִים
ESV	Do not desire his delicacies, for they are deceptive food.
NIV	Do not crave his delicacies, for that food is deceptive.
NLT	don't desire all the delicacies, for he might be trying to trick you.

εί δὲplugin-autotooltip default plugin-autotooltip bigδέ

greek

δέ is a conjunction that can mean "but" or "and" or "also" or "moreover". It is a word that is used very frequently in the New Testament, and is often unexpressed and not translated in English. ἀπληστότερος εἶplugin-autotooltip_default plugin-autotooltip_bigεἰμί

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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. μὴ ἐπιθύμει τῶνpluginautotooltip default plugin-autotooltip bigò, ἡ, τό

greek

Meaning:

* The

The definite article.

Forms

LXX

Singular Case Masculine Feminine Neuter Nominative ὁ ἡ τό Genitive τοῦ τῆς τοῦ Dative τῷ τῆ ἐδεσμάτων 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) ταῦταρlugin-autotooltip default plugin-autotooltip bigοὖτος / αὕτη /τοῦτο

greek

Meaning:

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

Demonstrative pronoun.

οὖτος 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 γὰρ ἔχεται ζωῆς ψευδοῦς

KJV Be not desirous of his dainties: for they are deceitful meat.

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