

Romans 13:1

Πᾶσα plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big πᾶς

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Meaning

* All * Every * The whole

Adjective.

Usage in the New Testament

The sense of πᾶς depends on whether it modifies a singular or plural noun, and whether that noun is countable or uncountable.

With singular countable nouns → "every" John 1:9 John 3:16 Romans 5:12 Matthew 28:19 Colossians 1:16 Romans 3:23 John 3:16 Colossians 1:17 [ψυχὴ ἐξουσίαις ὑπερεχούσαις ὑποταστέσθω. οὐ γὰρ ἔστιν](#) plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big εἰμί

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Masculine noun meaning:

Greek * A god or goddess * God [αἱ](#) plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big ὁ

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The definite article [ὁ](#) plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big δέ

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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. [οὐσα](#) plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_big εἰμί

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ESV	Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those that exist have been instituted by God.
NIV	Everyone must submit himself to the governing authorities, for there is no authority except that which God has established. The authorities that exist have been established by God.
NLT	Everyone must submit to governing authorities. For all authority comes from God, and those in positions of authority have been placed there by God.
KJV	Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God.

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