

For the Love of an Imperative Verb Ephesians 5

awaken, to Bauer, pp. 213f.; TDNT, II, 333-337; Strong's G1453

ἐγείρε, **égeire**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers sg* from ἐγείρω:

Eph. 5:14: **awake** [NAB, NKJV, NRSV89], **arise** [NRSV90], also **wake up** [NIV11, NJB]

be, to do Bauer, pp. 157-159; TDNT, I, 681f.; Strong's G1096

γίνεσθε, **gínesthe**; *vb: pres mid / pass imperative 2nd pers pl* from γίνομαι:

Eph. 5:7: **do . . . be** [NIV11, NKJV, NRSV89], **be** [NRSV90], not translated in NJB

Eph. 5:17: **do . . . be** [NIV11, NKJV, NRSV89, NRSV90], also **do . . . continue** [NAB],
must be [NJB]

careful, to be Bauer, pp. 142f.; TDNT, V, 315-367; Strong's G991

βλέπετε, **blépete**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers pl* from βλέπω:

Eph. 5:15: **be careful** [NRSV89], **be very careful** [NIV11, NJB], **watch carefully**
[NAB], also **see** [NKJV, NRSV90]

deceive, to let Bauer, p. 81; TDNT, I, 384f.; Strong's G538

ἀπατάω, **apatátō**; *vb: pres act imperative 3rd pers sg* from ἀπατάω:

Eph. 5:6: **let . . . deceive** [NAB, NIV11, NJB, NKJV, NRSV89], **let deceive** [NRSV90]

Crossett: Just one single spud, but don't let me mislead you.

drunk, to get Bauer, p. 500; TDNT, IV, 545-548; Strong's G3182

μεθύσκεσθε, **methýkesthe**; *vb: pres pass imperative 2nd pers pl* from μεθύσκω:

Eph. 5:18: **do . . . become drunk** [NRSV90], **do . . . be drunk** [NKJV], **do . . . get
drunk** [NAB, NIV11, NJB, NRSV89]

expose, to Bauer, pp. 248f.; TDNT, II, 473-475; Strong's G1651

ἐλέγχετε, **elégchete**; *vb: pres act imperative 3rd pers pl* from ἐλέγχω:

Eph. 5:11: **expose** [NAB, NIV11, NKJV, NRSV89, NRSV90], **show up** [NJB]

filled, to be Bauer, pp. 676-678; TDNT, VI, 286-298; Strong's G4137

πληροῦσθε, **plērousthe**; *vb: pres pass imperative 2nd pers pl* from πληρόω:

Eph. 5:18: **be filled** [NAB, NIV11, NJB, NKJV, NRSV89, NRSV90]

live, to Bauer, pp. 654f.; TDNT, V, 940-945; Strong's G4043

περιπατεῖτε, **peripateíte**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers pl* from περιπατέω:

Eph. 5:2: **live** [NAB, NRSV89], also **follow** [NJB], **walk** [NIV11, NKJV, NRSV90]

Eph. 5:8: **live** [NAB, NIV11, NRSV89], also **behave** [NJB], **walk** [NKJV, NRSV90];
love, to Bauer, pp. 4f.; TDNT, I, 21-55; Strong's G25

ἀγαπάτε, **agapâte**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers pl* from ἀγαπάω:

Eph. 5:25: **love** [NAB, NIV11, NJB, NKJV, NRSV89, NRSV90];

love, should Bauer, pp. 4f.; TDNT, I, 21-55; Strong's G25

ἀγαπάτω, **agapâtō**; *vb: pres act imperative 3rd pers sg* from ἀγαπάω:

Eph. 5:33: **let love** [NRSV90], **let . . . love** [NKJV], **must love** [NIV11, NJB], **should love** [NAB, NRSV89]

mentioned, to be Bauer, p. 577; TDNT, V, 282; Strong's G3687

ὀνομαζέσθω, **onomazésthō**; *vb: pres pass imperative 3rd pers pl* from ὀνομάζω:

Eph. 5:3: **must . . . be mentioned** [NAB, NJB, NRSV89], also **must . . . be . . . a hint** [NIV11], **let . . . be named** [NKJV, NRSV90]

rise, to Bauer, p. 69; TDNT, I, 368-371; Strong's G450

ἀνάστα, **anásta**; *vb: 2nd aor act imperative 2nd pers sg* from ἀνίστημι:

Eph. 5:14: **arise** [NAB, NKJV], **rise** [NIV11, NJB, NRSV89], **rise up** [NRSV90]

sure, to be Bauer, pp. 219f.; TDNT, V, 315-367; Strong's G1492

ἴστε, **ístē**; *vb: perf act imperative 2nd pers pl* from εἶδον:

Eph. 5:5: **be sure** [NIV11], **be sure of** [NAB, NRSV89], also **be quite certain** [NJB], **know** [NKJV, NRSV90]

take part, to Bauer, p. 781; TDNT, III, 797-809; Strong's G4790

συγκοινωνεῖτε, **sygkoinōneíte**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers pl* from συγκοινωνέω:

Eph. 5:11: **take . . . part** [NJB, NRSV89], also **do . . . be associated** [NAB], **have . . . fellowship** [NKJV], **do . . . participate** [NRSV90], **have . . . to do** [NIV11]

understand, to Bauer, pp. 797f.; TDNT, VII, 888-896; Strong's G4920

συνίετε, **syníete**; *vb: pres act imperative 2nd pers pl* from συνίημι:

Eph. 5:17: **understand** [NAB, NIV11, NKJV, NRSV89, NRSV90], also **recognize** [NJB]

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