

# Romans 9

Interlinear Bible — King James Version

Greek text with English translation and Strong's numbers

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**1** I say the truth in Christ, I lie not, my conscience also bearing me witness in the Holy Ghost,

Ἀλήθειαν λέγω ἐν Χριστῷ οὐ ψεύδομαι  
**the truth** **I say** **in** **Christ** **not** **I lie**  
G225 G3004 G1722 G5547 G3756 G5574

συμμαρτυρούσης μοι τῆς συνειδήσεώς μου ἐν  
**also bearing** **me** **conscience** **my** **in**  
G4828 G3427 G3588 G4893 G3450 G1722

πνεύματι ἁγίῳ  
**Ghost** **the Holy**  
G4151 G40

**2** That I have great heaviness and continual sorrow in my heart.

ὅτι λύπη μοί ἐστιν μεγάλη καὶ ἀδιάλειπτος  
**That** **heaviness** **I** **have** **great** **and** **continual**  
G3754 G3077 G3427 G2076 G3173 G2532 G88

ὀδύνη τῇ καρδίᾳ μου  
**sorrow in** **heart** **my**  
G3601 G3588 G2588 G3450

3 For I could wish that myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh:

ἡὕχόμην γὰρ αὐτὸς ἐγὼ ἀνάθεμα εἶναι ἀπὸ  
could wish For that myself I accursed were from  
G2172 G1063 G846 G1473 G331 G1511 G575  
τοῦ Χριστοῦ ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀδελφῶν μου τῶν  
G3588 Christ G5547 for G3588 brethren G80 my G3450 G3588  
συγγενῶν μου κατὰ σάρκα  
kinsmen my according to the flesh  
G4773 G3450 G2596 G4561

4 Who are Israelites; to whom pertaineth the adoption, and the glory, and the covenants, and the giving of the law, and the service of God, and the promises;

οἵτινές εἰσιν Ἰσραηλῖται ὧν ἡ υἱοθεσία  
Who are Israelites to whom G3588 pertaineth the adoption  
G3748 G1526 G2475 G3739 G5206  
καὶ ἡ δόξα καὶ αἱ διαθήκαι καὶ ἡ  
and G3588 the glory and G3588 the covenants and G3588  
G2532 G1391 G2532 G1242 G2532  
νομοθεσία καὶ ἡ λατρεία καὶ αἱ ἐπαγγελίαι  
the giving of the law and G3588 the service and G3588 the promises  
G3548 G2532 G2999 G2532 G1860

5 Whose are the fathers, and of whom as concerning the flesh Christ came, who is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.

ὧν οἱ πατέρες καὶ ἐξ ὧν ὁ Χριστὸς τὸ  
Whose G3588 are the fathers and of Whose G3588 Christ G5547 G3588  
G3739 G3962 G2532 G1537 G3739  
κατὰ σάρκα· ὁ ὢν ἐπὶ πάντων θεὸς  
as concerning the flesh G3588 came who is over all God  
G2596 G4561 G5607 G1909 G3956 G2316  
εὐλογητὸς εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας ἀμήν  
blessed for G3588 ever Amen  
G2128 G1519 G165 G281

6 Not as though the word of God hath taken none effect. For they are not all Israel, which are of Israel:

οὐ οἶον δὲ ὅτι ἐκπέπτωκεν οἱ λόγος οἱ  
Not as though hath taken none effect which the word which  
G3756 G3634 G1161 G3754 G1601 G3588 G3056 G3588  
θεοῦ οὐ γὰρ πάντες οἱ ἐξ Ἰσραήλ· οὗτοι  
of God Not For all which Israel  
G2316 G3756 G1063 G3956 G3588 G1537 G2474 G3778  
Ἰσραήλ·  
Israel  
G2474

7 Neither, because they are the seed of Abraham, are they all children: but, In Isaac shall thy seed be called.

οὐδ' ὅτι εἰσὶν σπέρμα Ἀβραάμ πάντες τέκνα  
Neither because they are seed of Abraham are they all children  
G3761 G3754 G1526 G4690 G11 G3956 G5043  
ἀλλ' Ἐν Ἰσαὰκ κληθήσεται σοι σπέρμα  
but In Isaac be called thy seed  
G235 G1722 G2464 G2564 G4671 G4690

8 That is, They which are the children of the flesh, these are not the children of God: but the children of the promise are counted for the seed.

τοῦτ' ἔστιν οὐ τὰ τέκνα τῆς σαρκὸς  
G5124 G2076 are not G3588 is They which are the children G3588 of the flesh  
G3756 G5043 G4561  
ταῦτα τέκνα τοῦ θεοῦ ἀλλὰ τὰ  
these is They which are the children G3588 of God but G3588  
G5023 G5043 G2316 G235  
τέκνα τῆς ἐπαγγελίας λογίζεται εἰς  
is They which are the children G3588 of the promise are counted for  
G5043 G1860 G3049 G1519  
σπέρμα  
the seed  
G4690

9 For this is the word of promise, At this time will I come, and Sara shall have a son.

ἐπαγγελίας γὰρ ὁ λόγος οὗτος Κατὰ τὸν  
of promise G1860 For G1063 G3588 is the word G3056 this G3778 At G2596 G3588  
καιρὸν τοῦτον ἐλεύσομαι καὶ ἔσται τῇ Σάρρα  
time G2540 this G5126 will I come G2064 and G2532 shall have G2071 G3588 Sara G4564  
υἱός  
a son G5207

10 And not only this; but when Rebecca also had conceived by one, even by our father Isaac;

οὐ μόνον δέ ἀλλὰ καὶ Ῥεβέκκα ἐξ ἑνὸς  
not G3756 only G3440 And G1161 this but G235 also G2532 when Rebecca G4479 by G1537 one G1520  
κοίτην ἔχουσα Ἰσαὰκ τοῦ πατρὸς ἡμῶν·  
had conceived G2845 G2192 Isaac G2464 G3588 father G3962 even by our G2257

11 (For the children being not yet born, neither having done any good or evil, that the purpose of God according to election might stand, not of works, but of him that calleth;)

μήπω γὰρ γεννηθέντων μηδὲ πραξάντων τι  
not yet G3380 (For G1063 born G1080 neither G3366 having done G4238 any G5100  
ἀγαθὸν ἢ κακόν, ἵνα ἡ κατ' ἐκλογὴν τοῦ  
good G18 or G2228 evil G2556 that G2443 G3588 according G2596 to election G1589 G3588  
θεοῦ πρόθεσις μένη οὐκ ἐκ ἔργων ἀλλ' ἐκ  
of God G2316 the purpose G4286 might stand G3306 not G3756 of G1537 works G2041 but G235 of G1537  
τοῦ καλοῦντος  
G3588 him that calleth G2564

12 It was said unto her, The elder shall serve the younger.

ἐρρήθη αὐτῇ ὅτι Ὁ μείζων δουλεύσει τῷ  
It was said unto her G3754 G3588 The elder shall serve G3588  
G4483 G846 G3187 G1398  
ἐλάσσονι  
the younger  
G1640

13 As it is written, Jacob have I loved, but Esau have I hated.

καθὼς γέγραπται Τὸν Ἰακώβ ἠγάπησα τὸν δὲ  
As it is written G3588 Jacob have I loved G3588 but  
G2531 G1125 G2384 G25 G1161  
Ἑσαῦ ἐμίσησα  
Esau have I hated  
G2269 G3404

14 What shall we say then? Is there unrighteousness with God? God forbid.

Τί οὖν ἐροῦμεν μὴ ἀδικία παρὰ τῷ  
What then shall we say God forbid Is there unrighteousness with G3588  
G5101 G3767 G2046 G3361 G93 G3844  
θεῷ μὴ γένοιτο.  
God God forbid G1096  
G2316 G3361

15 For he saith to Moses, I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion.

τῷ γὰρ Μωσῇ λέγει ἐλεῶ ὃν ἂν  
G3588 For to Moses he saith I will have mercy on whom G302  
G1063 G3475 G3004 G1653 G3739  
ἐλεῶ καὶ οἰκτείρω ὃν ἂν οἰκτείρω  
I will have mercy and I will have compassion on whom G302 I will have compassion  
G1653 G2532 G3627 G3739 G3627

**16** So then it is not of him that willeth, nor of him that runneth, but of God that sheweth mercy.

ἄρα οὖν οὐ τοῦ θέλοντος οὐδὲ τοῦ  
So then it is not of him that willeth nor  
τρέχοντος ἀλλὰ τοῦ ἐλεοῦντος θεοῦ  
of him that runneth but that sheweth mercy of God

**17** For the scripture saith unto Pharaoh, Even for this same purpose have I raised thee up, that I might shew my power in thee, and that my name might be declared throughout all the earth.

λέγει γὰρ ἡ γραφή τῷ Φαραὼ ὅτι Εἰς  
saith For the scripture unto Pharaoh Even for  
αὐτὸ τοῦτο ἐξήγειρά σε ὅπως ἐνδείξωμαι ἐν  
same purpose this have I raised thee that I might shew in  
σοὶ τὴν δύναμίν μου καὶ ὅπως διαγγελῇ τὸ  
thee power my and that might be declared  
ὄνομά μου ἐν πάσῃ τῇ γῇ  
name my in all the earth

**18** Therefore hath he mercy on whom he will have mercy, and whom he will he hardeneth.

ἄρα οὖν ὃν θέλει ἐλεεῖ ὃν δὲ  
Therefore on whom he will hath he mercy on whom have mercy and  
θέλει σκληρύνει  
he will he hardeneth

**19** Thou wilt say then unto me, Why doth he yet find fault? For who hath resisted his will?

Ἐρεῖς οὖν μοι τίς ἔτι μέμφεται τῷ γὰρ  
Thou wilt say then unto me Why doth he yet find fault G3588 For  
G2046 G3767 G3427 G5101 G2089 G3201 G1063  
βουλήματι αὐτοῦ τίς ἀνθέστηκεν  
will his Why hath resisted  
G1013 G846 G5101 G436

**20** Nay but, O man, who art thou that repliest against God? Shall the thing formed say to him that formed it, Why hast thou made me thus?

μενοῦνγε ὦ ἄνθρωπε σὺ Τί εἶ ὁ  
Nay but O man thou it Why art G3588  
G3304 G5599 G444 G4771 G5101 G1488  
ἀνταποκρινόμενος τῷ θεῷ μὴ ἐρεῖ τὸ πλάσμα  
that repliest against G3588 God G3361 Shall G3588 the thing formed  
G470 G2316 G2046 G4110  
τῷ πλάσαντι Τί με ἐποίησας οὕτως  
G3588 to him that formed it Why me hast thou made thus  
G4111 G5101 G3165 G4160 G3779

**21** Hath not the potter power over the clay, of the same lump to make one vessel unto honour, and another unto dishonour?

ἢ οὐκ ἔχει ἐξουσίαν ὁ κεραμεὺς τοῦ πηλοῦ  
G2228 not Hath power G3588 the potter G3588 over the clay  
G3756 G2192 G1849 G2763 G4081  
ἐκ τοῦ αὐτοῦ φυράματος ποιῆσαι ὁ μὲν εἰς  
of G3588 the same lump make another G3303 unto  
G1537 G846 G5445 G4160 G3739 G1519  
τιμὴν σκεῦος ὁ δὲ εἰς ἀτιμίαν  
honour one vessel another and unto dishonour  
G5092 G4632 G3739 G1161 G1519 G819

**22** What if God, willing to shew his wrath, and to make his power known, endured with much longsuffering the vessels of wrath fitted to destruction:

εἰ δὲ θέλων ὁ θεὸς ἐνδείξασθαι τὴν ὀργῆς  
**What if** G1487 **G1161** **willing** G2309 **G3588** **God** G2316 **to shew** G1731 **G3588** **his wrath** G3709  
καὶ γνωρίσαι τὸ δυνατόν αὐτοῦ ἥνεγκεν ἐν  
**and** G2532 **known** G1107 **G3588** **power** G1415 **G846** **endured** G5342 **with** G1722  
πολλῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σκεύη ὀργῆς κατηρτισμένα  
**much** G4183 **longsuffering** G3115 **the vessels** G4632 **his wrath** G3709 **fitted** G2675  
εἰς ἀπώλειαν  
**to** G1519 **destruction** G684

**23** And that he might make known the riches of his glory on the vessels of mercy, which he had afore prepared unto glory,

καὶ ἵνα γνωρίσῃ τὸν πλοῦτον τῆς δόξης  
**And** G2532 **that** G2443 **he might make known** G1107 **G3588** **the riches** G4149 **G3588** **glory** G1391  
αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ σκεύη ἐλέους ἃ προητοίμασεν εἰς  
**G846** **on** G1909 **the vessels** G4632 **of mercy** G1656 **which** G3739 **he had afore prepared** G4282 **unto** G1519  
δόξαν  
**glory** G1391

**24** Even us, whom he hath called, not of the Jews only, but also of the Gentiles?

οὓς καὶ ἐκάλεσεν ἡμᾶς οὐ μόνον ἐξ Ἰουδαίων  
**whom** G3739 **Even** G2532 **he hath called** G2564 **us** G2248 **not** G3756 **only** G3440 **of** G1537 **the Jews** G2453  
ἀλλὰ καὶ ἐξ ἐθνῶν  
**but** G235 **Even** G2532 **of** G1537 **the Gentiles** G1484

**25** As he saith also in Osee, I will call them my people, which were not my people; and her beloved, which was not beloved.

ὥς καὶ ἐν τῷ Ὡσηὲ λέγει Καλέσω τὸν  
G5613 also G1722 G3588 Osee As he saith I will call G3588  
G2532 G1722 G5617 G3004 G2564  
οὐκ λαόν μου λαόν μου καὶ τὴν οὐκ  
which was not people my people my also G3588 which was not  
G3756 G2992 G3450 G2992 G3450 G2532 G3756  
ἡγαπημένην· ἡγαπημένην·  
beloved beloved  
G25 G25

**26** And it shall come to pass, that in the place where it was said unto them, Ye are not my people; there shall they be called the children of the living God.

καὶ ἔσται ἐν τῷ τόπῳ οὗ ἐρρήθη αὐτοῖς  
And it shall come to pass that in G3588 the place G3739 it was said unto them  
G2532 G2071 G1722 G5117 G4483 G846  
Οὐ λαός μου ὑμεῖς ἐκεῖ κληθήσονται υἱοὶ  
are not people my Ye there shall they be called the children  
G3756 G2992 G3450 G5210 G1563 G2564 G5207  
θεοῦ ζῶντος  
God of the living  
G2316 G2198

**27** Esaias also crieth concerning Israel, Though the number of the children of Israel be as the sand of the sea, a remnant shall be saved:

Ἡσαΐας δὲ κράζει ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ Ἐὰν ἦ  
Esaias also crieth concerning G3588 Israel Though be  
G2268 G1161 G2896 G5228 G2474 G1437 G5600  
ὁ ἀριθμὸς τῶν υἱῶν Ἰσραὴλ ὡς ἡ ἄμμος  
G3588 the number G3588 of the children Israel as G3588 the sand  
G706 G5207 G2474 G5613 G285  
τῆς θαλάσσης τὸ κατάλειμμα σωθήσεται·  
G3588 of the sea G3588 a remnant shall be saved  
G2281 G2640 G4982

**28** For he will finish the work, and cut it short in righteousness: because a short work will the Lord make upon the earth.

λόγον γὰρ συντελῶν καὶ συντετμημένον ἐν  
**the work** **For** **he will finish** **and** **a short** **in**  
G3056 G1063 G4931 G2532 G4932 G1722  
δικαιοσυνῇ ὅτι λόγον συντετμημένον ποιήσει  
**righteousness** **because** **the work** **a short** **make**  
G1343 G3754 G3056 G4932 G4160  
κύριος ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς  
**the Lord** **upon** **the earth**  
G2962 G1909 G1093

**29** And as Esaias said before, Except the Lord of Sabaoth had left us a seed, we had been as Sodoma, and been made like unto Gomorrha.

καὶ καθὼς προείρηκεν Ἡσαΐας Εἰ μὴ κύριος  
**And** **as** **said before** **Esaias** **the Lord**  
G2532 G2531 G4280 G2268 G2962  
Σαβαὼθ ἐγκατέλιπεν ἡμῖν σπέρμα ὡς Σόδομα  
**of Sabaoth** **had left** **us** **a seed** **as** **Sodoma**  
G4519 G1459 G2254 G4690 G5613 G4670  
ἂν ἐγενήθημεν καὶ ὡς Γόμορρα ἂν  
**been made like** **And** **as** **Gomorrha** **been made like**  
G302 G1096 G2532 G5613 G1116 G302  
ὡμοιώθημεν  
G3666

**30** What shall we say then? That the Gentiles, which followed not after righteousness, have attained to righteousness, even the righteousness which is of faith.

Τί οὖν ἐροῦμεν ὅτι ἔθνη τὴν μὴ διώκοντα  
**What** **then** **shall we say** **That** **the Gentiles** **which** **not** **followed**  
G5101 G3767 G2046 G3754 G1484 G3588 G3361 G1377

δικαιοσύνην κατέλαβεν δικαιοσύνην  
**after righteousness** **have attained** **after righteousness**  
G1343 G2638 G1343

δικαιοσύνην δὲ τὴν ἐκ πίστεως  
**after righteousness** **even** **which** **is of** **faith**  
G1343 G1161 G3588 G1537 G4102

**31** But Israel, which followed after the law of righteousness, hath not attained to the law of righteousness.

Ἰσραὴλ δὲ διώκων νόμον δικαιοσύνης, εἰς  
**Israel** **But** **which followed** **after the law** **of righteousness** **to**  
G2474 G1161 G1377 G3551 G1343 G1519

νόμον δικαιοσύνης, οὐκ ἔφθασεν  
**after the law** **of righteousness** **not** **attained**  
G3551 G1343 G3756 G5348

**32** Wherefore? Because they sought it not by faith, but as it were by the works of the law. For they stumbled at that stumblingstone;

διατί; ὅτι οὐκ ἐξ πίστεως, ἀλλ' ὡς ἐξ  
**Wherefore** **Because** **they sought it not** **by** **faith** **but** **as** **by**  
G1302 G3754 G3756 G1537 G4102 G235 G5613 G1537

ἔργων νόμου· προσέκοψαν γὰρ τῷ λίθῳ  
**the works** **of the law** **they stumbled** **For** **at that stumblingstone**  
G2041 G3551 G4350 G1063 G3588 G3037

τοῦ προσκόμματος,  
G3588 G4348

**33** As it is written, Behold, I lay in Sion a stumblingstone and rock of offence: and whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed.

καθὼς γέγραπται Ἰδού, τίθημι ἐν Σιών

**As**  
G2531

**it is written**  
G1125

**Behold**  
G2400

**I lay**  
G5087

**in**  
G1722

**Sion**  
G4622

λίθον προσκόμματος καὶ πέτραν σκανδάλου

**a stumblingstone**  
G3037

G4348

**and**  
G2532

**rock**  
G4073

**of offence**  
G4625

καὶ πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων ἐπ' αὐτῷ οὐ

**and**  
G2532

**whosoever**  
G3956

G3588

**believeth**  
G4100

**on**  
G1909

**him**  
G846

**not**  
G3756

καταισχυνθήσεται

**be ashamed**  
G2617

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