

Select Bibliography of Resources for Greek NT Exegesis

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<i>New Testament Texts</i>	
	Nestle, Erwin, Barbara Aland, Kurt Aland, et al. eds. <i>Novum Testamentum Graece</i> . 27 th ed. Stuttgart: Deutsche Bibelgesellschaft, 1993. (Nestle-Aland or NA ²⁷)
	<p>Aland, Barbara, Kurt Aland, J. Karavidopoulos, C. M. Martini, Bruce M. Metzger, eds. <i>The Greek New Testament</i>. 4th ed. Stuttgart: Deutsche Bibelgesellschaft, 1994. (UBS⁴)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The text of the New Testament in the UBS⁴ is identical to that in the NA²⁷ as well as to the text of the previous UBS edition (UBS³). The big differences are in the critical apparatus. The UBS apparatus is designed specifically for translators while the NA apparatus is designed for more general scholarly purposes. There were also substantial changes to the apparatus from the UBS³ to the UBS⁴.
<i>New Testament Surveys/Introductions</i>	
	Achtemeier, Paul J., Joel B. Green, and Marianne Meye Thompson. <i>Introducing the New Testament: Its Literature and Theology</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Eerdmans, 2001. **
	Johnson, Luke Timothy, Assisted by Todd C. Penner. <i>The Writings of the New Testament: An Interpretation</i> . Rev. ed. Minneapolis: Fortress, 1999. **
	Brown, Raymond E. <i>An Introduction to the New Testament</i> . New York: Doubleday, 1997. **
	Carson, D. A., and Douglas J. Moo. <i>An Introduction to the New Testament</i> . 2 nd Edition. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2005.
<i>Exegesis and Methods</i>	
<i>General handbooks</i>	
	Bock, Darrell L., and Buist M. Fanning. <i>Interpreting the New Testament Text: Introduction to the Art and Science of Exegesis</i> . Wheaton, Ill.: Crossway, 2006.
	<p>Fee, Gordon D. <i>New Testament Exegesis</i>. 3d edition. Louisville: Westminster John Knox, 2002.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The classic text. An excellent resource, though sometimes too detailed for beginning students.
	Duvall, J. Scott, and George H. Guthrie. <i>Biblical Greek Exegesis: A Graded Approach to Learning Intermediate and Advanced Greek</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1998.
	Black, David Alan. <i>Using New Testament Greek in Ministry: A Practical Guide for Students and Pastors</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1993.
	Fee, Gordon D. and Douglas Stuart. <i>How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth</i> . 2d. ed. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1993.
	<p>Erickson, Richard J. <i>A Beginner's Guide to New Testament Exegesis: Taking the Fear Out of Critical Method</i>. Downers Grove: InterVarsity, 2005.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A more user-friendly equivalent to Fee's <i>New Testament Exegesis</i>.
	<p>Gorman, Michael J. <i>Elements of Biblical Exegesis: A Basic Guide for Students and Ministers</i>. Rev. ed. Peabody, Mass.: Hendrickson, 2001.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A more user-friendly equivalent to Fee's <i>New Testament Exegesis</i>.
<i>Critical methods and interpretive theory (hermeneutics)</i>	
	<p>Green, Joel B., ed. <i>Hearing the New Testament: Strategies for Interpretation</i>. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1995.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An excellent introduction to the range of interpretive methods used by biblical scholars. A bit weak on the traditional "historical-critical" methods (source, form, and redaction criticism).
	Osborne, Grant R. <i>The Hermeneutical Spiral: A Comprehensive Introduction to Biblical Interpretation</i> . Downers Grove, Ill.: InterVarsity, 1991.**
<i>Word studies, semantics, and lexicography</i>	
	<p>Aitken, James. "Greek Lexicography." Online: http://www.personal.rdg.ac.uk/~7Elks00jka/lex.html.</p>
	Silva, Moisés. <i>Biblical Words and Their Meaning: An Introduction to Lexical Semantics</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1994.

	Nida, Eugene A., and Johannes P. Louw. <i>Lexical Semantics of the Greek New Testament: A Supplement to the Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Based on Semantic Domains</i> . Resources for Biblical Study 25. Atlanta, Ga.: Scholars Press, 1992.
	Decker, Rodney. "Semantics, Exegetical Method, Translation, etc." Online: www.NTResources.com . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes articles on semantics, including a brief discussion of gender issues in translation.
	Barr, James. <i>The Semantics of Biblical Language</i> . Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1961. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A ground-breaking work which was instrumental in introducing many biblical scholars to a linguistic approach to the meaning of words. Now dated in some of its specific arguments.
	Cruse, D. A. <i>Lexical Semantics</i> . Cambridge University Press, 1986.
	Hurford, James R., and Brendan Heasley. <i>Semantics: A Coursebook</i> . Cambridge University Press, 1983.
	Louw, J. P. <i>Semantics of New Testament Greek</i> . Atlanta: Scholars Press, 1982.
	Lyons, John. <i>Semantics</i> . Cambridge University Press, 1977.
	Nida, Eugene A. <i>Componential Analysis of Meaning: An Introduction to Semantic Structures</i> . The Hague: Mouton, 1975.
	Steinberg, D. D., and L. A. Jacobovitz, eds. <i>Semantics: An Interdisciplinary Reader in Philosophy, Linguistics, and Psychology</i> . Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 1971.
	Ulmann, Stephen. <i>Semantics: An Introduction to the Science of Meaning</i> . New York: Barnes and Noble, 1978.
	Van Bekkum, Wout, et al. <i>The Emergence of Semantics in Four Linguistic Traditions: Hebrew, Sanskrit, Greek, Arabic</i> . Philadelphia: John Benjamins, 1997.
Linguistics and interpretation	
	Black, David Alan. <i>Linguistics for Students of New Testament Greek: A Survey of Basic Concepts and Applications</i> . 2d ed. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker, 2000.
	Kerstens, Johan, Eddy Ruys, Joost Zwarts. <i>Lexicon of Linguistics</i> . Utrecht Institute of Linguistics OTS, Utrecht University, 1996-2001. Online: http://www2.let.uu.nl/UiL-OTS/Lexicon/ . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A searchable dictionary of linguistic terms.
	Cotterell, Peter, and Max Turner. <i>Linguistics and Biblical Interpretation</i> . London: SPCK, 1989.
	Farb, Peter. <i>Word Play: What Happens When People Talk</i> . New York: Bantam, 1975.
	Farb, Peter. <i>Language and Linguistics</i> . Cambridge University Press, 1982.
	Turner, Max. "Modern Linguistics and the New Testament." Pages 146-74 in <i>Hearing the New Testament: Strategies for Interpretation</i> . Edited by Joel B. Green. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1995.
	Callow, Kathleen. <i>Man and Message: A Guide to Meaning-Based Text Analysis</i> . Dallas: Summer Institute of Linguistics, 1998.
Translation	
	Barnwell, Katharine. <i>Introduction to Semantics and Translation</i> . Dallas: Summer Institute of Linguistics, 1984.
Other	
	Carson, D. A. <i>Exegetical Fallacies</i> . 2d ed. Carlisle, UK/Grand Rapids, Mich.: Paternoster/Baker, 1996.
	Silva, Moisés. <i>Explorations in Exegetical Method: Galatians as a Test Case</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Eerdmans, 1996.
Reading Guides	
	Goodrich, Richard J., and Albert L. Lukaszewski, eds. <i>A Reader's Greek New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 2004. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Greek text behind the NIV version with definitions provided in footnotes for all words which occur 30 times or less.

	Kubo, Sakae. <i>A Reader's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1975.
	Reinecker, Fritz, and Cleon Rogers. <i>A New Linguistic and Exegetical Key to the Greek New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1998.
	Zerwick, Max, and Mary Grosvenor. <i>A Grammatical Analysis of the Greek New Testament</i> . Loyola Press, 1996.** <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keyed to Zerwick's <i>Biblical Greek Illustrated by Examples</i> (see below).
	Hubert, Zack. www.zhubert.com . <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mouse-over parsing and English glosses for the Greek New Testament and the Septuagint. Cost: Free. If used too much this can be a hindrance in learning to read Greek properly, but it can be useful as a last resort.
<i>Lexica</i>	
	Bauer, Walter. <i>A Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature</i> . 3d. Edition. Revised and edited by Frederick William Danker. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2000. (BDAG) ** <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The standard lexicon of NT Greek.
	Liddell, H. G., and R. Scott. <i>A Greek-English Lexicon</i> . 9th ed. Revised by Henry Stuart Jones. Oxford: Clarendon, 1996. (LSJ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The standard lexicon of Classical and other Greek. The 1940 edition is available at no charge online as part of the Perseus Project at: http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/cgi-bin/ptext?doc=Perseus%3Atext%3A1999.04.0057
	Louw, Johannes P., and Eugene A. Nida, eds. <i>Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Based on Semantic Domains</i> . New York: United Bible Societies, 1988. (L–N) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A useful complement to BDAG and LSJ. Groups words which have similar meanings so that one can see more clearly a) the nuances of each term; and b) the range of terms used in the NT for a given idea.
	Moulton, James H., and G. Milligan. <i>The Vocabulary of the Greek New Testament: Illustrated from the Papyri and Other Non-Literary Sources</i> . London: Hodder & Stoughton, 1914–30. (M–M) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Useful discussions of the use of many NT words in non-literary papyri. Much of this information has now been integrated into BDAG.
	Thayer, Joseph H. <i>Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament</i> . 4th ed. Edinburgh: T. & T. Clark, 1896. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thayer's lexicon has been re-printed many times, most recently by Hendrickson in 1996, and has often been recommended to students. Unfortunately, the lexicon is badly out of date – it was written just before the discovery of the mass of papyri which have since transformed our understanding of many NT words.
<i>Analytical Lexica</i>	
	Friberg, Barbara, Timothy Friberg, and Neva F. Miller. <i>Analytical Concordance of the Greek New Testament: Lexical Focus</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker, 2000. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> An analytical lexicon parses and gives the lexical form for every inflected form of a word in the NT. This is a life-saver for those times when you just can't figure out what that word is. Some list words in their order of appearance in the NT (verse by verse), while others list them alphabetically.
	Mounce, William D. <i>The Analytical Lexicon to the New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1993.
	Perschbacher, Wesley J. <i>The New Analytical Greek Lexicon</i> . Peabody, Mass.: Hendrickson, 1990.
<i>Grammars</i>	
<i>Advanced (reference) grammars</i>	
	Wallace, Daniel B. <i>Greek Grammar Beyond the Basics: An Exegetical Syntax of the New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1996.**
	Blass, Friedrich, and Albert Debrunner. <i>A Greek Grammar of the New Testament and Other Early Christian Literature</i> . Revised by Robert W. Funk. Chicago: University of Chicago, 1961.**
	Moulton, James H., W. F. Howard, and Nigel Turner. <i>A Grammar of New Testament Greek</i> . 4 vols. Edinburgh: T. & T. Clark, 1908–76.

	<p>Robertson, A. T. <i>A Grammar of the Greek New Testament in the Light of Historical Research</i>. 4th ed. Nashville: Broadman, 1934.</p> <p>Smyth, Herbert Weir. <i>Greek Grammar</i>. Edited by Gordon M. Messing. Revised ed. 1956. Repr. Harvard, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 1984.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The standard classical Greek grammar. • Available online at http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/cgi-bin/ptext?doc=Perseus%3Atext%3A1999.04.0007. Note that this electronic edition contains some errors in the Greek characters (particularly older Greek characters) and some diagrams are missing.
	<i>Intermediate grammars</i>
	<p>Wallace, Daniel B. <i>The Basics of New Testament Syntax: An Intermediate Greek Grammar</i>. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2000.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A summary of Wallace's big grammar. <p>Black, David Alan. <i>It's Still Greek to Me: An Easy-to-Understand Guide to Intermediate Greek</i>. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker Academic, 1998. **</p> <p>Brooks, James A., and Carlton L. Winbery. <i>Syntax of New Testament Greek</i>. Lanham, Md.: University Press of America, 1979.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An old favourite of students. <p>Funk, Robert W. <i>A Beginning-Intermediate Grammar of Hellenistic Greek</i>. 2d ed. 3 vols. Missoula, Mont.: Scholars, 1973.</p> <p>Dana, H. E., and J. R. Mantey. <i>A Manual Grammar of the New Testament</i>. New York: Macmillan, 1927.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Long the standard but marred by incompleteness, some poor examples, and the use of the 8-case system instead of the (standard) 5-case system. <p>Young, Richard A. <i>Intermediate New Testament Greek: A Linguistic and Exegetical Approach</i>. Nashville: Broadman and Holman, 1994.</p> <p>Adam, A. K. M. <i>A Grammar for New Testament Greek</i>. Nashville: Abingdon, 1999.</p> <p>Porter, Stanley E. <i>Idioms of the Greek New Testament</i>. 2d ed. Sheffield: Sheffield Academic, 1995.**</p> <p>Moule, C. F. D. <i>An Idiom Book of New Testament Greek</i>. 2d ed. Cambridge: Cambridge University, 1963.</p> <p>Zerwick, Max. <i>Biblical Greek Illustrated by Examples</i>. Rome: Biblical Institute, 1963.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helpful for specific idioms and unusual constructions. • Keyed to Zerwick/Grosvenor's <i>Grammatical Analysis</i> (see above).
	<i>Grammatical Outlines</i>
	<p>Rydberg-Cox, Jeffrey A. Overview of Greek Syntax. 2000. Online: http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/cgi-bin/ptext?doc=Perseus%3Atext%3A1999.04.0052;layout=;loc=nom;query=toc</p>
	<i>Specialized grammars and grammatical discussions</i>
	<i>Alphabet and Pronunciation</i>
	<p>"The Greek Alphabet." Online: http://greek-language.com/alphabet/.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An excellent guide which includes audio recordings of proper (Erasmian) pronunciation (note, though, the atypical pronunciation of ζ). <p>Huys, Marc. "Greek Grammar on the Web: The Alphabet, Accentuation, Pronunciation and Numerals." Online: http://perswww.kuleuven.be/~u0013314/greekg/alphabet.htm.</p> <p>Mastronarde, Donald J. "Ancient Greek Tutorials." Online: http://socrates.berkeley.edu/~ancgreek/.</p> <p>Buth, Randall. "Notes on the Pronunciation System of Koine Greek, Imperial Koine Pronunciation." Online: http://www.biblicalulpan.org/PDF%20Files/PRONSYS1%202005.pdf.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This article outlines an alternative to the standard (Erasmian) pronunciation of Ancient Greek which may more accurately reflect the way Greek was spoken in the first century.

	<i>Morphology</i>
	Mounce, William D. <i>The Morphology of Biblical Greek</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1994.
	“Perseus Morphological Analysis Tool.” Online: http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/cgi-bin/morphindex .
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides possible parsings for a word entered by the user.
	Mastronarde, Donald J. “Ancient Greek Tutorials.” Online: http://socrates.berkeley.edu/~ancgreek/ .
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Includes full paradigm charts as well as a tool to drill the principal parts of common and difficult verbs.
	<i>Verbal Tenses and Aspect</i>
	Porter, Stanley E. <i>Verbal Aspect in the Greek of the New Testament: With Reference to Tense and Mood</i> . New York: Peter Lang, 1993.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One position in an ongoing debate about the nature of Greek “tenses” (cf. Fanning).
	Fanning, Buist M. <i>Verbal Aspect in New Testament Greek</i> . Oxford: Clarendon, 1990.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One position in an ongoing debate about the nature of Greek “tenses” (cf. Porter).
	McKay, K. L. <i>A New Syntax of the Verb in New Testament Greek: An Aspectual Approach</i> . New York: Peter Lang, 1994.
	Stagg, Frank. “The Abused Aorist.” <i>JBL</i> 91 (1972): 222-31.
	Decker, Rodney. “The Verb and Verbal Aspect.” Online: www.NTResources.com .
	Burton, Ernest D. <i>Syntax of the Moods and Tenses in New Testament Greek</i> . 3d ed. Edinbrugh: T. & T. Clark, 1898.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Burton’s <i>Syntax</i> is available free online at: http://www.dabar.org/BurtonMoodsTenses/Main-Burton.html • Very helpful for analysis of verbs.
	<i>Verbal Voices</i>
	Conrad, Carl W. “Active, Middle, and Passive: Understanding Ancient Greek Voice.” Online: http://www.ioa.com/~cwconrad/Docs/UndAncGrkVc.pdf .
	Conrad, Carl W. “New Observations on Voice in the Ancient Greek Verb.” Online: http://www.ioa.com/~cwconrad/Docs/NewObsAncGrkVc.pdf .
	<i>Accents</i>
	Carson, D. A. <i>Greek Accents: A Student’s Manual</i> . Grand Rapids: Mich.: Baker, 1984.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May be unnecessarily complicated
	Probert, Philomen. <i>A New Short Guide to the Accentuation of Ancient Greek</i> . London: Bristol Classical Press, 2003.
	Lee, John A.L. <i>Greek Accents in Eight Lessons</i> . Macquarie University: Ancient History Documentary Research Centre, 2005.
	Huys, Marc. “Greek Grammar on the Web: The Alphabet, Accentuation, Pronunciation and Numerals.” Online: http://perswww.kuleuven.be/~u0013314/greekg/alphabet.htm .
	Mastronarde, Donald J. “Ancient Greek Tutorials.” Online: http://socrates.berkeley.edu/~ancgreek/ .
	<i>Prepositions</i>
	Harris, Murray J. “Appendix: Prepositions and Theology in the Greek New Testament.” Pp. 1171–1215 in <i>The New International Dictionary of New Testament Theology</i> , vol. 3. Edited by Colin Brown. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1978.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Useful discussion of prepositions.
	<i>Cases</i>
	Beekman, John, and John Callow. <i>Translating the Word of God</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1974.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A helpful section on the analysis of genitives from the perspective of modern linguistics (pp. 249-266).
	<i>Participles</i>
	Culy, Martin M. “The Clue Is in the Case: Distinguishing Adjectival and Adverbial Participles.” <i>Perspectives in Religious Studies</i> 30, no. 4 (2004): 441-53.

	<p>Decker, Rodney. "Other Grammar, Morphology, etc." Online: www.NTResources.com.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> includes a flow-chart for sorting out the possible uses of a participle
	<i>Discourse analysis</i>
	Levinsohn, Stephen H. <i>Discourse Features of New Testament Greek</i> . Dallas: SIL, 1992.
	<i>Other</i>
	Decker, Rodney. "Other Grammar, Morphology, etc." Online: www.NTResources.com .
	Treat, Jay C. "Differences Between Classical and Hellenistic Greek: A Quick Introduction." Online: http://ccat.sas.upenn.edu/~jtreat/koine/classical.html .
	"Let's Review Greek." Cornell College Department of Classics. Online: http://www.cornellcollege.edu/classical_studies/reviewgreek/index.shtml
Greek Concordances	
<i>Print NT concordances</i>	
	Goodrick, Edward W., John R Kohlenberger, and James A. Swanson. <i>The Exhaustive Concordance to the Greek New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1995.
	Aland, Kurt, ed. <i>Vollständige Konkordanz Zum Griechischen Neuen Testament</i> . Berlin: De Gruyter, 1983.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The most complete, but prohibitively expensive to buy.
	Bachmann, H., and H. Slaby, eds. <i>Computer-Konkordanz Zum Novum Testamentum Graece von Nestle-Aland, 26. Auflage</i> . 3d ed. Berlin: De Gruyter, 1980.
	Moulton, William F., and A. S. Geden. <i>A Concordance to the Greek Testament According to the Texts of Westcott and Hort, Tischendorf and the English Revisers</i> . 5th ed. Revised by H. K. Moulton. Edinbrugh: T. & T. Clark, 1978.
<i>Computer NT concordances</i>	
	<p>Accordance (http://www.accordancebible.com) **</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the premier software at present; powerful, user-friendly, inexpensive, with many add-on modules available for Mac (may be run on PC with Mac emulator) bundles including Greek concordance capabilities: Basic Program + Greek New Testament NA27 [tagged]; Scholar's Collection; Library 6 Premier \$89.00 to \$269.00 (USD)
	<p>Gramcord (http://www.gramcord.org)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> also powerful and inexpensive, but with an old interface and few add-on modules for PC only \$99.00 to \$235.00 (USD)
	<p>Logos (http://www.logos.com)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> powerful, with many add-on modules available, but very expensive and not user-friendly for advanced grammatical searching for PC only bundles including Greek concordance capabilities: Original Languages Library; Scholar's Library; Scholar's Library: Silver; Scholar's Library: Gold \$415.95 to \$1379.95 (USD)
	<p>BibleWorks (http://www.bibleworks.com/) **</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> powerful, with several add-on modules available, less expensive than Logos takes some time to learn the more advanced features, but worth the investment for PC users who cannot run Accordance for PC only \$349.00 (USD)
<i>Concordances of Other Greek Literature</i>	
** Note that much of this information is also now available in add-on modules to the various computer concordances listed above. Some of these modules allow for complex grammatical searching.	
	Denis, Albert-Marie. <i>Concordance Grecque Des Pseudépigraphes d'Ancien Testament</i> . Louvain: Université Catholique de Louvain, 1987.
	Hatch, Edwin, and Henry A. Redpath. <i>Concordance to the Septuagint and the Other Greek Versions of the Old Testament (Including the Apocryphal Books)</i> . 2d ed. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker, 1998.

	<p>Rengstorf, K. H., ed. <i>A Complete Concordance to Flavius Josephus</i>. 4 vols. Leiden: Brill, 1973-1983. (study edition published 2002)</p> <p>Borgen, Peder, Kare Fuglseth, and Roald Skarsten. <i>Philo Index: A Complete Greek Word Index to the Writings of Philo of Alexandria</i>. Grand Rapids/Leiden: Eerdmans/Brill, 1999.</p> <p>Mayer, G. <i>Index Philoneus</i>. Berlin: de Gruyter, 1974.</p> <p>Thesaurus Linguae Graecae (http://www.tlg.uci.edu/)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A complete computerized concordance of all Greek literature up to the Byzantine period. • On-line access for individual users is \$100.00 (USD) per year, \$400.00 for 5 years, or \$50.00 for 20 hours of timed use. <p>The Perseus Project (http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A large, searchable body of representative Greek texts available online. • Includes all of the papyri in the Duke Databank of Documentary Papyri. • No charge for access.
Vocabulary Aids	
	<p>Penner, Ken. <i>Flash! Pro Vocabulary Memorization Software</i>. 2001. ** (http://s91279732.onlinehome.us/flash/)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A very flexible and powerful flash-card program. It allows many drill types, including drills by frequency of occurrence in the NT, drills of vocabulary in a specific NT passage, etc. It also includes vocabulary databases for the Hebrew OT, Qumran Aramaic, German, French, etc. and the ability to create new user-defined databases. <p>Trenchard, Warren C. <i>Complete Vocabulary Guide to the Greek New Testament</i>. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1998.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides several lists and groups of words, including groupings of related words, and a complete list of words ordered by their frequency of use in the NT. <p>Metzger, Bruce M. <i>Lexical Aids for Students of New Testament Greek</i>. 3d ed. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker, 1998.</p> <p>Scott, Bernard Brandon, Margaret Dean, Kristen Sparks, and Frances LaZar. <i>Reading New Testament Greek</i>. Peabody, MA: Hendrickson, 1993.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combines a Metzger-like list with a reader's vocabulary list of words occurring 9 times or less in the NT.
Textual Criticism	
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Introductions and handbooks</i></p> <p>Aland, Kurt, and Barbara Aland. <i>Text of the New Testament: An Introduction to the Critical Editions and to the Theory and Practice of Modern Textual Criticism</i>. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Eerdmans, 1995.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One standard introduction to the subject, by an editor of the NA and UBS texts. <p>Ehrman, Bart D. "Textual Criticism of the New Testament." Pages 127-45 in <i>Hearing the New Testament: Strategies for Interpretation</i>. Edited by Joel B. Green. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1995.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A well-written, very engaging introduction. <p>Fee, Gordon D. "Textual Criticism of the New Testament." Pp. 419-33 in <i>The Expositor's Bible Commentary</i>, vol. 1. Edited by Frank E. Gaebelin. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan, 1979.</p> <p>Metzger, Bruce M., and Bart D. Ehrman. <i>The Text of the New Testament: Its Transmission, Corruption, and Restoration</i>. 4th ed. Oxford: Oxford University, 2005.**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The standard introduction. Excellent for advanced students, but too detailed oriented for some beginning students. <p>Black, David Alan. <i>New Testament Textual Criticism: A Concise Guide</i>. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Baker, 1994.</p> <p>Birdsall, J. Neville. "The New Testament Text." Pages 308-77 in <i>The Cambridge History of the Bible</i>, vol. 1: <i>From the Beginnings to Jerome</i>. Edited by P. R. Ackroyd and C. F. Evans. Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 1970.</p> <p>Epp, Eldon J. "Textual Criticism." Pages 75-126 in <i>The New Testament and Its Modern Interpreters</i>. Edited by Eldon J. Epp and George W. MacRae. Philadelphia: Fortress, 1989.</p>

	Finegan, Jack. <i>Encountering New Testament Manuscripts: A Working Introduction to Textual Criticism</i> . Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1974.
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