

Classical Greek Assignment 22

- Here is a good quotation for you to memorize: πάθει μάθος, which means *There is learning in suffering*. If you have not suffered, you have not learned to of the greatest things in life to learn: 1) the fact that you are mortal 2) sympathy for your fellow man. The quotation is from the first great writer of tragedy, Aeschylus from his work *Agamemnon*. Do you remember the other two later great writers of tragedy?
- Last week we went over the first declension *masculine* with the word προφήτης. We noticed how it is declined like φωνή—a first declension feminine word with the *eta* ending. We will go over another first declension noun that ends in an ή, νεανίας (youth), which is declined like καρδιά.

	Singular
Nominative Case (Subjects and P.N.s)	καρδιά / νεανίας
Accusative Case (Direct Objects)	τὴν καρδίαν / νεανίαν
Genitive Case (Possessive)	τῆς καρδίας / νεανίας
Dative Case (Indirect Objects)	τῇ καρδίᾳ / νεανίᾳ

- Here again is a list of declension paradigms we have gone over so far, with examples:

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| * second declension masculine
λόγος | * first declension feminine η
φωνή |
| * second declension neuter
ἔργον | * first declension εα, ια, ρα
καρδιά |
| | * first declension <i>not</i> εα, ια, ρα
γλῶσσα |
| | * first declension masculine ης
προφήτης |
| | * first declension masculine ας
νεανίας |

- Again, do a comprehensive review of **all of the vocabulary** that we have gone over thus far. Please spend some time on memorizing them!
- Memorize the following vocabulary:

ἀγαθός, *good*
ἀγαπητός, *beloved*
ἔσχατος, *last*
κακός,, *evil, bad*

καλός, *good, beautiful*
πιστός, *faithful*
πρῶτος, *first*

- Translate the following sentences:

1. ἔχετε χαρὰν καὶ εἰρήνην ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις. 2. οἱ μαθηταὶ ἔλεγον παραβολὰς ἐν τῇ συναγωγῇ. 3. ἐν τῇ γῆ καὶ ἐν τῇ θαλάσῃ ἐδοξάζετο ὁ κύριος. 4. ἀπὸ τῆς ἀρχῆς ἠκούομεν τοὺς προφήτας. 5. λαμβάνετε τὰς ἐπαγγελίας ἀπὸ τοῦ κυρίου. 6. ἦγον τὸν νεανίαν ἐκ τῆς οἰκίας.

- What in the world is a *postpositive*? I know that has been a burning question in your mind ever since you started studying Greek. You may have noticed that there are certain words such as δέ (*but or and then*), γάρ (*for or because*), and γέ (*indeed*) never ever ever appear as the first word in a sentence. When translating a sentence using this word, you cannot, of course, translate it in the order that the words appear. I hope you are excited about these peculiar words and tell everyone that you know about them!
- Remember that adjectives take on the case of the nouns that they modify; e.g., ἀγαθῶν ἀνθρώπων.
- Be ready to take the NGE exam this week (tomorrow) at 10:30 on Friday, March 8th.