

# Calvary Chapel of Greene – Greek New Testament (GNT) Study Helps

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James 5:13-18

## How To Use This Study Help:

See December 30, 2007 GNTSH or <http://www.calvaryofgreene.com>

**Pray** - James 5:13; **προσεύχομαι** (proseuchomai): pray. See GNTSH October 21, 2007. 85 times in the GNT. *Not used in John, I, II, III John or Revelation, nor II Corinthians, Galatians, II Timothy, Philemon, I Peter, II Peter.* **James 5:14-15** is the only place this word is used relating to physical healing in the New Testament.

**Sing psalms** - James 5:13; **ψάλλω** (psallo): to pluck a stringed instrument (e.g. harp) with the fingers; later, to sing along with that stringed instrument. **Romans 15:9** (quote from LXX), 'for this reason I will confess to you among the Gentiles, and sing to your name'; **I Corinthians 14:15**, 'I will pray with the spirit and I will also pray with the understanding. I will sing with the spirit and I will also sing with the understanding'; **Ephesians 5:19**, 'speaking to one another in psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your hearts to the Lord'; **James 5:13**, 'Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing psalms'.\*

**Anointing** - James 5:14; **ἀλείφω** (alaypho): to anoint with oil. **Matthew 6:17**, 'but you, when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face'; **Mark 6:13** see under 'Oil' below; **Mark 16:1**, 'Salome brought spices that they might come and anoint him'; **Luke 7:38**, 'and she kissed his feet and anointed them with the fragrant oil', **46**, see under 'Oil' below; **John 11:2**, 'It was that Mary who anointed the Lord with fragrant oil and wiped his feet with her hair, whose brother Lazarus was sick'; **James 5:14**, see under 'Oil' below.\*

**Oil** - James 5:14; **ἔλαιον** (elaion):olive-oil. **Luke 16:6**, 'And he said, A hundred measures of olive-oil'; **Revelation 6:6**, 'and do not harm the olive-oil and the wine'; **18:13**, 'cinnamon and spice, incense and ointment, wine and olive-oil'; for oil lamps, **Matthew 25:3**, 'those who were foolish took their lamps and took no olive-oil with them', **4**, 'but the wise took olive-oil in their vessels with their lamps', **8**, 'and the foolish said to the wise, Give us some of your olive-oil, for our lamps are going out'; for healing purposes, **Mark 6:13**, 'and they cast out many demons, and anointed with olive-oil many who were sick and healed them'; **Luke 10:34**, 'and went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on olive-oil and wine'; **James 5:14**, 'anointing him with olive-oil in the name of the Lord'; used at feasts, **Luke 7:46**, 'you did not anoint my head with olive-oil, but this woman has anointed my feet with ointment'; **Hebrews 1:9**, 'God has anointed you with the olive-oil of gladness'.\*

\* All References in the Greek New Testament

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Elijah was a man of like experiences as we, and he prayed with prayer for there to be no rain, and it did not rain on the land for three years and 6 months. And again he prayed and the heaven gave rain and the land produced its fruit. **General Epistle of James 5:17-18**

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Ἠλίας ἄνθρωπος ἦν ὁμοιοπαθῆς ἡμῖν, καὶ προσευχῆ προσηύξατο τοῦ μὴ βρέξει, καὶ οὐκ ἔβρεξεν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ἑνιαυτοὺς τρεῖς καὶ μῆνας ἕξ· καὶ πάλιν προσηύξατο, καὶ ὁ οὐρανὸς ὑπέτων ἔδωκε καὶ ἡ γῆ ἐβλάστησε τὸν καρπὸν αὐτῆς. **ΚΑΘΟΛΙΚΗ ΕΠΙΣΤΟΛΗ ΙΑΚΩΒΟΥ 5:17-18**

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