

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

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John 9:1-12

How To Use This Study Help:

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

Blind - John 9:1; **τυφλός** (tuphlos): blind. See Matthew 9:27; 15:14; 23:16, 26; Mark 8:22; Luke 4:18; John 5:3.

Birth - John 9:1; **γενετή** (genetay): Ionic for γενεά (genea): birth; only here. See Leviticus 25:47. Normally used in the phrase 'from birth' (ἐκ γενετής) in Classical Greek.

His Disciples - John 9:2; **οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ** (hoi mathytai autou): here it was the disciples of Jesus who thought that the man was blind because of his or his parents' sin. One would expect the Pharisees to say this, not the disciples.

Sinned - John 9:2; **ἁμαρτάνω** (hamartano) : to miss the mark, to err, do wrong. In the LXX (Septuagint, Greek translation of the Old Testament around 300 BC) and in the Greek New Testament, to violate God's law, to sin. Matthew 18:25; Luke 17:3; Romans 3:23; Ephesians 4:26; Hebrews 10:26. In John, 5:14; 8:11; 9:2, 3. In I John, 1:10; 2:1; 3:6, 8, 9; 5:16, 18.

The works of God – John 9:3; **τὰ ἔργα τοῦ θεοῦ** (ta erga tou theou) – the works of God. In John 6:28 the people asked 'What should we do that we might work the works of God?' In 6:29 Jesus answers, 'This is the work of God, that you might believe on the one whom He sent'. 9:4 'I must work the works of the one who sent me while it is day'. 10:37; 14:10.

Go - John 9:7; **ὑπάγε** (upage): go. Go slowly away, withdraw oneself, depart. In John, 4:16; 6:67; 7:3, 33; 8:14, 21, 22; 9:7, 11:8, 31, 44; 12:11, 35; 13:3, 33, 36; 14:4, 5, 28; 15:16; 16:5, 10, 17; 18:8; 21:3

Wash – John 9:7; **νίψαι** (nipsai) from **νίπτω** (nipto): to wash, usually a part of the body. Can mean to wash oneself. Matthew 6:17; 15:2; Mark 7:3; John 9:7, 11, 15; 13:5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14; I Timothy 5:10. Note 13 of the 17 times in the Greek New Testament are in John.

* All References in the Greek New Testament

Then they were saying to him, How were your eyes opened? That one answered and said, A man called Jesus made clay and anointed my eyes, and they told me, Go into the pool of Siloam and wash. And after I went away and washed, I saw again. **Gospel According to John 9:10-11**

ἔλεγον οὖν αὐτῷ· Πῶς ἀνεώχθησάν σου οἱ ὀφθαλμοί; ἀπεκρίθη ἐκεῖνος καὶ εἶπεν· Ἄνθρωπος λεγόμενος Ἰησοῦς πηλὸν ἐποίησε καὶ ἐπέχρισε μου τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς καὶ εἶπέ μοι· ὕπαγε εἰς τὴν κολυμβήθραν τοῦ Σιλωάμ καὶ νίψαι· ἀπελθὼν δὲ καὶ νιψάμενος ἀνέβλεψα. **ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΝ ΚΑΤΑ ΙΩΑΝΝΗΝ 9:10-11**
