

Monotheletism or Miaphyletism

According to the second agreed statement and recommendations between the Orthodox churches and the Oriental Orthodox churches in Geneva 1990, we quote the following:

3. Both families agree that the Hypostasis of the Logos became composite (σύνθετος) by uniting to His divine uncreated nature with its natural will and energy, which He has in common with the Father and the Holy Spirit, created human nature, which He assumed at the Incarnation and made His own, with its natural will and energy.

4. Both families agree that the natures with their proper energies and wills are united hypostatically and naturally without confusion, without change, without division and without separation, and that they are distinguished in thought alone (τῇ θεωρίᾳ μόνη).

5. Both families agree that He who wills and acts is always the one Hypostasis of the Logos incarnate.

To explain the above mentioned statements we say that,

- The natural will mentioned in point 3, means the desire.
- In point 4, "the natures with their proper...and wills", "wills" here also means the desires.
- In point 5, "wills" here means decides, the one Hypostasis and consequently the single person (the μόνο πρόσωπον [person] of the Logos) is the one who decides.

❖ Saint James the apostle said: "a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways" (Jam 1 : 8). This means that a well balanced person never makes two decisions (contrary to each other) but he may have two desires one of which is subject to the other. Concerning the Lord Jesus Christ, His human desires were always subject to His divine wills according to the words of Saint Paul: "Though He was a Son, [yet] He learned obedience by the things which He suffered (Heb 5:8).

❖ The word (<θελημα) sometimes means desire and in other cases means decision [result or product of will, act of willing, object of an act of willing]. See enclosed photocopied Greek- English Lexicons of the N.T. and Patristics.

In the Incarnate Logos:

- The single person [the mono prosopon (μονο προσόπον)] is μονοθέλητος -monothelitos [Mono - θελημα] (decision) personal will →→→ one single personal decision.
- The united nature (μίαφύσισ) out of two is μιαθελητος - miathelitos [Mia - θελημα], two united natural wills (desires) →→→ two united natural desires. And this applies to the formula of "one incarnate nature of God the Word" (μίαφύσισ Του Θεου Λογου σεσαρκωμένη).

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ἀγνωστος... δ πατήρ ἀν τὸν θεόλησαν γνωσθῆναι τοῖς αἰώνιοι, καὶ διὰ τῆς ἐνθυμήσεως τῆς ἑαυτοῦ... προέβαλε τὸν Μ. ... καὶ δὲ μὲν μείνας 'μ. νίδιος εἰς τὸν κόλπον τοῦ πατρός' τὴν ἐνθύμησιν διὰ τῆς γνώσεως ἔξηγεῖται τοῖς αἰώνιοι... δὲ δὲ ἐνταῦθα δόθεις οὐκέτι μ., διλλά ως μ. πρὸς τὸν ἀποστόλον προσαγορεύεται, δόξαν ως μ. ... εἰκόνα δὲ τοῦ Μ. τὸν Δημιουργὸν λέγουσιν ίδιον. *Thdol.* 6.7 (p.107.19ff.; M.9.657A-C); *Epiph.haer.* 31.2 (p.386.5; M.41.477B); κατὰ τὸν Βαλεντίνον μάθους... ἀλλοι τὸν μ., κοιτῶν τὸν λόγον *Thdt.haer.* 5.2(4.382); 11. *Manichean* εἴθε... μὴ τὸν μ. τὸν τῶν κόλπων τοῦ πατρός καταβάντος. *Xριστόν*, *Maplas* τούτος γυναικός ἔλεγον [sc. Christians] εἶναι υἱός Hegem. *Arch.* 5(p.7.9; M.10.1436A).

*μονογλωσσέω, s.v.l., *sound separately*; *intrans.*, *Iren.haer.* 1.14 (M.7.597A).

*μονόγραμμον, τό, *monogram*, CCP(681)act.12(H.3.1308C).

*μονόδανδρος, *having one tree*; of a town, *Apol.Dan.C*(p.118).

*μονόδιστος, *under a single head*, *Leont.H.Nest.* 2.13 (M.86.156C).

*μονοδιαιτησία, ή, *living alone*, *Clem.str.* 2.23 (p.191.10; M.8.1092B).

μονοειδής, 1. *one in kind* μ. σχῆμα *A.Jo.* 100(p.201.1); *simple*; of the deity, *Eus.e.th.2.14*(p.115.15; M.24.928C); *Gr.Nyss.hom.5 in Canti*(M.44.873D); of Son, *Eus.d.e.4.4*(p.155.1; M.22.257D); of H. Ghost, *Amamon.Jo.4.14*(M.85.1421A); of Trin., *Max.ambig.*(M.91.1196B); of Christ's body, *Epiph.exp.fid.* 17(p.519.4; M.42.817B); 2. *unique* τέλειον τὸ θεῖον... μ. καὶ δούλωτον *Apoll.quod un.Chri.9* (p.300.12; M.28.129A); *Mac.Mgn.apocr.3.27*(p.117.18).

μονοειδής, 1. *as simple*, *Dion.Ar.d.n.9.4*(M.3.912C) cit. s. *ταυτοειδῶν*; *simply, uniformly* πῶς... δινατῶν μ., πάντα μετέχειν τοῦ ἀγαθοῦ, μὴ πάντα ὄντα ταῦτα εἰς τὴν ὀλικὴν αὐτὸν μεθέξειν ἐπιτήδεια; *ib.4.20* (720); πάντες οἱ λόγοι τῶν ἐντολῶν... μπὸ ταύτης [sc. τῆς ἀγάπης] μ. περιέχονται *Schol.* in *Max.ep.2*(M.91.408B); *simply, only* ἐκ μητρὸς μ. ἔλαβε τὴν σάρκα *Epiph.haer.* 69.25(p.175.25; M.42.244B); *Χριστόν*... καὶ οὐ μ. τὸν λόγον χρέες τε καὶ σήμερον τὸν αὐτὸν εἶναι φῆσι *Cyr.inc.unigen.*(5¹.710C); 2. *uniquely* τὸ... πνεῦμα... μ. ἔχον τὸ ἐξ αὐτοῦ [sc. τοῦ θεοῦ] ἔξαλπεται *Epiph.haer.* 76.24(p.371.14; M.42.564B); *Didasc.Patr.* 2(p.13.4); 3. *in the singular*, *Epiph.anec.10*(p.18.7; M.43.36A); *ib.22*(p.31.23; 57D).

μονοείμων, *with only one garment*, *Ast.Am.hom.3*(M.40.213B).

μονόλυκη, *yoked alone*, hence *solitary*; s.v.l., *? fighting a lone battle*, *Chrys.pan.Laz.*(2.649A).

μονόλυκας, δ, *wearing a belt only* (and not full uniform) i.e., *light-armed soldier*; also, *wearing a special, unique, belt*, i.e. *member of a corps d'élite*, ref. *Job 29:25* οἱ μ. τὰ στρατιωτικά τάγματα μητρίουν ἡ βαρβαρικὴ στίφη ἡ ληστρικὰ συγκροτήματα *Isid.Pel.epp.3.78*(M.78.785B); μ. εἰσιν οἱ τίμιοι τῶν στρατιωτῶν, οἱ μὴ τὸν αὐτὸν τοῖς ἀλλας ἴωσητα φοροῦντες· ἡ οἱ ἀσύντακτοι, καὶ ὥσαιει λησταὶ *Ουραν. Job 20:25*(M.93.308B); *Dial.Tim.es Aquil.* 83 v°.

*μονοθεῖα, ή, *single divinity*, *Pers.(p.13.17; M.10.101C)*.

*μονοθελτός, *of one will* μ., μᾶλλον δὲ κακοθελτὸς βούλησιν *Taras.epr.1*(M.98.1432B); μ. δόγμα *Thphn.chron.p.274*(M.108.680B).

*μονόθρονος, *enthroned alone*; of a bishop, *Gr.Naz.carm.2.1.11.1586*(M.37.1139A).

*μονοκέλλιον, τό, *solitary cell*, *Apophth.Patr.*(M.65.152B).

μονόκερος, δ, *unicorn*, 1. in gen. ὁ μ. ... τὴν μὲν κεφαλὴν δράκοντος φέρων,... τὸ δὲ ἀλλο σῶμα ἀλόφῳ προσέσκεψε μᾶλλον, τὸς δὲ πόδας λέντων ἔχει *Philost.h.e.3.11*(M.65.496B); ἥνικα δόξῃ παρὰ πολλῶν διάκεσθαι [sc. μ.]... εἰς κρητικὸν ἐφάλλεται καὶ ῥίπτει ἔαντον ἐκ τοῦ ὕψους καὶ... τὸ κέρας δέχεται τὴν δόην δρμῆν, καὶ ἀβλαβὲς διαμετεῖ *Cosm.Ind.top.11*(M.88.444B); δ. μ. ὃν δὴ Αἰκατὰς βωκάρωτα ἔφη *Olymp.Job 39:9*(M.93.413A); 2. as type of Christ, ref. *Ps.21:22* ὃ τὸν θεόν μ., αὐτὸς ὁ κύριος ἡμῶν, μόνον τὸν πατέρα κέρας ἔχων *Eus.d.e.10.8*(p.493.9; M.22.785B); ref. *Ps.28:6* διτὸν ἀμύνασθαι δέηται καὶ καθελεῖν τὴν δινατίστειν τὴν ἐπιφυσμένην τῷ γένει τῶν ἀνθρώπων... τότε νίδιος μονοκέρωτων ὄνομάζεται [sc. δ μονογενῆς] *Bas.hom.in Ps.28*(1.120B; M.29.296C); μ. ζῶν ἀρχικόν, ἀνύπτακτον ἀνθρώπων, τὴν ισχὺν ἀκαταμάχητον ἐρημαῖς διαιτώμενον, ἐν κερατὶ πεπαύθες. διὰ τοῦτο ἡ ἀκαταγόμοτος τοῦ κύρου φύσις μονοκέρωμα [v.l. -ωτι] παρεκάσθη, διά τε τὴν κατὰ πάντων ἀρχήν, καὶ διὰ τὸ μίαν ἔχειν ἔαντον ἀρχήν, τὸν πατέρα *†Bas.hom.in Ps.28*(1.361A; M.30.80B); αἱ τῶν προφήτων καὶ ἀποστόλων σάλπυγες, δε κερατίνας ὁ νόμος φῆσι διὰ τὸ εἶναι αὐτῶν τὴν κατασκευὴν ἐκ τοῦ ἀληθινοῦ μ. *Gr.Nyss.nativ.*(M.46.1129A); περὶ τοῦ μ. ... πῶς οὖν ἀγρέεται; παρένοντας ἀγνῆν... μίτρουν εἶμποροθεν αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐλλειπεῖ εἰς τὸ κόλπον αὐτῆς, καὶ ἡ παρθένος θηλάξει τὸ ζῶον καὶ αὔρει αὐτὸν εἰς τὸ παλάτιον τῶν βασιλεῶν *Phys.A* 22 (p.78.6); 3. type of believer in one God, ref. *Ps.28:6* ἔσικε... τὸν οὖν μονοκέρωτων τὴν *'Ιερουσαλὴμ* λέγειν,... ἐπεὶ πατέρων γεγύνασιν ἀγίων,

οἵτες ἀλέγοντο μ., διὰ τὸ μόνον θεῷ κέρατο κεχρῆσθαι *Eus.ad loc.* (M.23.256C); *Thdt.ad loc.*(1.783); *ib.91:11*(1267); δ. μ. ἐστιν ὁ ἄγιος, ὅτι πρὸς θεὸν μόνον ὄρε καὶ ἐπ' αὐτῷ πίποιθε *Olymp.Job 39:9*(M.93.413B); cf. οἱ θεῶν μόνον ἡγνωκότες πατέρα... οἱ κεράτων μονοκέρωτων ἐραστοί *Clem.paed.1.5*(p.100.4; M.8.269A); 4. type of Cross, ref. *Ps.21:22* ὃ ἀντὶ τοῦ ἀμυνῆ πάντας θεοῦ... ὁ ὑψωθεὶς ἐπὶ κεράτων μονοκέρωτος *Claud.fr.pasch.(M.5.1297A)*; ref. *Dt.33:17*, *Just.dial.91.2*(M.6.692C); 5. type of Devil λέοντα καλεῖ... καὶ μ. τὸν τὸ κράτος ἔχοντα τοῦ θανάτου *Thdt.Ps.21:21*(1.741).

*μονοκιτωνία, ή, v. *μονοχιτωνία.

*μονοκρατία, ή, *sole rule*, *Gr.Naz.carm.1.1.3.79*(M.37.414C).

*μονοκρατόρεω, *be sole ruler*, *Thphn.chron.p.39*(M.108.153B).

*μονοκράτωρ, δ, *sole ruler*, *Hom.Clem.5.23*; *Chron.Pasch.p.278*(M.92.692C); *Thphn.chron.p.12*(M.108.85C).

*μονοκτήτωρ, δ, *sole possessor*; of Godhead, *Didym.Trin.1.27*(M.39.408A).

*μονόκτιστος, *only-created*, *Bas.Eun.2.21*(1.256E; M.29.617A); μ. κυριώτερον ἀν λέγοντο, κτίσμα μὲν ἀληθῶς κατ' Εύνομον ἦν, γένημα δὲ φευδωνύμως καλούμενος *Didym.(†Bas.)Eun.4*(1.287C; M.29.689C); *Isid.Pel.epp.3.31*(M.78.752C).

*μονοκώλως, *as one clause*, *Epiph.haer.57.2*(p.347.3; M.41.997C).

*μονολογία, ή, *single utterance* πολυλογία... ἐν προσευχῇ τὸν ιοῦν... δέχεσθαι μ. δὲ πολλάκις τὸν ιοῦν συνάγειν πέφυκε *Jo.Clim.scal.28*(M.88.1132B).

*μονολόγιστος, 1. *of single thought*, μ. ἔλπις ὑπονευτερία, *Marc.Er.opusc.1.10*(M.65.905C); *ib.2.140*(952C); esp. μ. Ἰησοῦς εὐχῆς *Jo.Clim.scal.15*(M.88.889D); ὧντὴ μ. κτίσμεν τε καὶ ἐκτεφροὶ τὰς αὐτῶν [sc. δαιμόνων] ἀράτας *Hesych.S.temp.2.72*(M.93.153B); ἔκ τοῦ πρώτου καταπεπάσματος ἰσταται ὁ ἐν εὐχῇ ψευθόμενος ἐνδοθεὶς γίνεται δ. μονολόγιστον ἔξανάν αὐτῇ *†Max.cap.al.102*(M.90.1424A); 2. *in thought alone* ἀμαρτία τοῦ πρώτου θεάματος ἀδάμ... ἐστὶ μ. ἐμφάνεια πράγματος πονηροῦ *Marc.Er.opusc.4*(M.65.1016Aff.).

*μονολόγισται, 1. *by single thought* ἀρχὴ μὲν προσευχῆς προσβολαὶ μ. διωκόμεναι εἰς προσιώπων αὐτῶν *Jo.Clim.scal.28*(M.88.1132D); 2. *in thought alone*, *Marc.Er.opusc.4*(M.65.1016B).

μονόλοτος, *with one layer of bark*, *Bas.hex.5.7*(1.46D; M.29.109C).

μονομάχεω, 1. *fight in single combat*; of the partridge, *Or.hom.17.1 in Jer.*(p.144.2; M.13.453A); 2. *fight as a gladiator* ὑπὲρ οἰκείου θεοῦ τῆς κοιλίας μ. *Cyr.H.catech.19.6*.

μονομάχος, δ = μονομάχος, gladiator, *Clem.paed.2.1*(p.158.15; M.8.389A).

μονομαχία, ή, 1. *single combat*; of a martyr, *M.Perp.18*(p.89.3); 2. plur., *gladiatorial show*, *Ep.Lugd.ap.Eus.h.e.5.1.53*(M.20.428C); *Thdt.h.e.5.26.1*(3.1067).

μονομάχιον, μονομαχίον, τό, 1. *single combat*; of Passion, *Chrys.hom.2.3 in Col.*(1.369B); 2. plur., *gladiatorial show*, *Ep.Lugd.ap.Eus.h.e.5.1.40*(M.20.424B); 3. *gladiatorial school*, *Jo.Mal.chron.9* p.217(M.97.336C); *ib.13* p.339(505C).

*μονομέρης, ή, *one sidedness, hearing only one party to a dispute κατὰ μονομέρεων ex parte*, *Jul.Papa ep.Dian.ap.Ath.apol.sec.27* (p.107.15; M.25.293B); *CSard.ep.Alex.ap.Ath.apol.sec.37*(p.116.13; 313A); *Thphn.chron.p.25*(M.108.121C).

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*μονονουχί, *all but, well nigh* δ ἐλατών τὸν ἐπὶ νεφέλης ἀναβάντα τοῖς τῶν πιστῶν ὄφελοις μ. δεικνύων μέχρι σήμερον καὶ τὴν οὐράνιον τῆς ἀνδρου πύλην *Cyr.H.catech.14.23*; esp. with verbs of saying, as *if, as much as to say*, ref. *Jo.18:6* ἔαντος παραδίσωτι, μ. λέγων... τὴν διναμιν ἔξεκαλυψα τὴν οὐράνιον *Chrys.prod.Jud.1.3*(2.381A); *id.coemet.2.(2.91A,B)*; ἐράκα, φῆσιν, ἐν τοῖς νιαῖς Ιεσαῖτι ἐμαι τις

Niceph.Ur.v.Sym.proem.2(M.86.2988C); of Christian conduct in gen. δύων ἡ θ. Clem.paed.1.7(p.122.25; M.8.313C); of partic. virtues, Herm.vis.3.8.7; Ath.genit.19(M.25.40A); Isid.Pel.epp.3.117 (M.78.821B); of ascetical exercises θ. γυμνάσματα Jo.Climscal.4(M.88.685B); 11. of men; a. saints, in gen.; prophets and apostles, Or.Cels.7.49(p.200.7; M.11.1492C); ascetics, Thdt.h.rel.3(3.1138); Cosm.Ind.top.2(M.88.73A); Eustrat.v.Eutych.proem.1(M.86.2276B); of partic. saints Αθανάσιος Philost.h.e.2.11(M.65.473A); Βασιλείος Leont.B.cap.Sev.5(M.86.1904A); Γοργόποτος Max.opusc.(M.91.65B); Σωκράτης Niceph.Ur.v.Sym.proem.1(M.86.2988A); Διονύσιος Jo.D.f.o.1.12(M.94.844C); of OT saints Μωάρης Const.App.6.24.5; Cyr.dial.Trin.5¹.579E); of θεοτάτων προφήται Ign.Magn.8.2; θ. Ηρακλείου Thdt.jer.22:7(2.509); †Gregent.disp.2(M.86.673B); Δαβίδ Cyr.dial.Trin.3¹.477E); Thdt.haer.5.1(M.94.808A); θεοτάτων...Ιώβ Const.App.5.7.21; Ιωάννης Anast.S.hod.19(M.89.269A); esp. of apostles, Jo.D.carm.dorm.BMV.107(p.231; M.96.1365B); S. Paul θ. ἀπόστολος Οι. fr.106 in Lam.(p.276.10; M.13.657D); Eus. Marcell.1.1(p.5.21; M.24.721A); Παῦλος Cyr.dial.Trin.15¹.407C); Thdt.haer.146(4.1249); Παῦλος δι θεοτάτων Jo.D.haer.Nest.34(M.95.205A); Ιωάννης Thdt.Eph.proem.(3.400); δι θ. εὐαγγελιστής Leont.B. Apoll.(M.86.1956A); Jo.D.haer.Nest.32(204C); Πέτρος Thdt.Gal.5:1 (3.387); of the fathers, Thdt.ap.cat.Mt.24:15(p.197.2); Max.opusc. (M.91.80B); b. man in image of God τῇ λογοκή φυχῇ τῷ θ. ἐξεικονίζοντες Isid.Pel.epp.3.95(M.78.800C); θ. ... ἡγούμενα είναι τὴν φυχήν, οὐ μὴν τῆς θεοτάτης καὶ βασιλικότης φύσεως μοίραν ib.5.187 (1444C); ref. 1Cor.11:7 of soul of the male εἰκόνα θ. ib.3.95(801B); through grace; ref. the converted ai θεοτάτη φύσης Οι.Cels.6.23 (p.93.24; M.11.1325C); id.hom.16.1 in Jer.(p.133.3; M.13.440A); ref. an ascetic θ. ... φυχή Thdt.h.rel.3(3.1139); ref. Christian souls ἁγάλματα θ. Dion.Ar.c.h.3.2(M.3.165A); of the perfect οἱ θ. id.e.h.1.5(M.3.377B); c. of emperor Κωνσταντίνου τοῦ θ. Thdr.Lect.h.e.1.4 (M.86.168B); τοῖς θεοτάτοις...δεσπόταις Thds.Imp.ep.Diosc.(p.69.35; H.2.72B); δι θ. Chron.Pasch.p.278(M.92.693A); hence *imperial* θ. γράμμα Marc.Diac.v.Porph.26; Thds.Imp.ep.Cyr.(p.114.26; H.2.1344A); id.sacr.3(p.71.1; H.2.76A); θ. νόμος Chron.Pasch.323(825B); 12. of angels θ. ἀγγελος Or.Cels.1.66(p.119.24; M.11.784B); δι θεοτάτος Γαβριήλ Dion.Ar.c.h.4.4(M.3.181B); θεοτάτος σεραφίμ id.e.h.4.3.9(M.3.481C); θ. ζώων Or.Jo.1.39(42; p.51.20; M.14.104A); τῶν θ. δυνάμεων Procl.CP.annunt.2(M.85.429A); Dion.Ar.c.h.8.1(M.3.237B); Areth. Apoc.10(M.106.572A); 13. eccl.; a. of feasts, Easter ή...θ. ἑορτή Cyr.hom.pasch.1(5¹.1A); unspecified, Thdt.ep.41(4.109); Presentation, Leont.N.serm.1(M.93.1565A); of BMV, Jo.Eub.concept.BMV 22(M.96.1497B); Jo.D.carm.dorm.BMV.13(p.229; M.96.1364A); b. of churches and altars, Thdr.Lect.h.e.1.35(M.86.181C); Dion.Ar.c.h.3.2 (M.3.425B); Niceph.Ur.v.Sym.1(M.86.2989); c. of eccl. legislation θ. ... διατάξεις Const.App.8.4.1; θ. κανόνων CChale.can.26; ref. CNic. (325) δι θ. ... τῶν ἀρχερέων ὅμιλος Thdt.h.e.1.9.14(3.768).

C. in objective sense, of God i.e. directed to God ή θ. ἐπίγνωσις Thdt.Ezech.28:25f.(2.920); θ. γνῶσις id.Ps.92:1(1.1272); Dion.Ar.c.h.7.3(M.3.209D); Tim.CP.haer.(M.86.138); Max.qu.dub.27(M.90.808B); δι θ. ἔρως Dion.Ar.c.h.15.8(M.3.337B); id.e.h.4.13(M.3.712A); ἀγάπη θ. Jo.Clim.scal.1(M.88.637A); Leont.N.serm.1(M.93.1577B); of fear of God, Clem.paed.2.4(p.183.13; M.8.444A); Dor.docl.4 tit.(M.88.1657B); ref. prayer θ. ἐπίληπτος Thdt.Ps.77:31(1.1072); id.h.rel.8 (3.1138); representing God θ. εἰκόνες Or.Cels.7.66(p.216.3; M.11.1513D).

D. of things created by God τὰ θ. δημιουργήματα Clem.paed.3.12 (p.290.17; M.8.680A); of communion with God ή θ. κοινωνία Gr. Nyss.or.cotech.6(p.31.3; M.45.25D); of hope in God ή θ. ἐλπίς Thdt.Ps.90:6(1.1259).

Θειότης, ή, διάνοια; 1. ref. God in gen. ἐναντίου...εστον αὐτοῦ τῇ θ. καὶ τῇ κατ' αὐτὴν πάσῃ δυνάμει ή τοῦ ἀδικεῖν δύναμις Οι.Cels.3.70 (p.262.32; M.11.1012D); as omnipresent, ib.4.5(p.277.31; 1033D); to be confessed even at price of martyrdom, id.Jo.6.54(36; p.163.10; M.14.293C); in valediction ή θ. ὑμᾶς τοῦ μεγάλου θεοῦ διαφυλάξει πολλοῖς ἔτεσι Const.ap.Eus.h.e.10.5.20(M.20.888B); ib.10.6.5(893A); οὐ γάρ ἐστι δυνατὸν ἐν τῇ ἀπλότητι τῆς θ. τὸ ποικίλον τε καὶ πολωνέδες τῇ ἀντιληπτικῆς ἐνεργείας κατανοήσαι Gr.Nyss.hom.opif.6.1(M.44.137D); 2. Trin.; (Arian) exeg. Rom.1:20 τὴν εἰρημένην ἐνταῦθα θ. οὐκ ἀν τὸ φαίνη Χριστὸν είναι, ἀλλ' αὐτὸν ὑπάρχει τὸν πατέρα· οὐτως οἷμα καὶ η ἄδιος αὐτοῦ δύναμις καὶ θ. οὐχ δι μονογενῆς μίσης, ἀλλὰ δι γενήσας ὑπάρχει πατέρα Ast.Soph.fr.1 ap.Ath.Ar.2.37(M.26.225C); νοῦς καὶ λόγος ή θ. ἐστίν Gr.Nyss.hom.opif.5.2(M.44.137B); 3. of Father τὸ δι ἀγνοεῖν τὸν πατέρα θάνατός ἐστι...καὶ τὸ μὲν μὴ φεύγεσθαι θειότητος μετέχειν ἐστί Clem.str.5.10(p.369.2; M.9.97A); 4. of Christ, reported by the gospels, Or.Cels.1.63(p.115.17; M.11.777B); attested by

saints, ib.1.47(p.97.16; 748B); ib.7.35(p.186.10; 1469D); by Jo. Bapt. in the womb, id.Jo.2.37(30; p.96.7; M.14.181B); exhibited in miracles τὰ ὑπ' αὐτοῦ γενόμενα παράδοξα οὐ μαγγανεῖ...ἀλλὰ θ. id. Cels.8.9(p.227.24; 1532A); τοσαῦτα σημεῖα ποιῆσας, οὐ μικρὸν τοῦτο φῆσιν αὐτοῦ τῆς θ. εἶναι σημεῖον Chrys.hom.32.1 in ICor.(10.286B); in Inc. συγκαταβαίνων...ἔσοθ' ὅτε τῷ μή δυναμένῳ αὐτοῦ τὰ μαρμαρύγας καὶ τὴν λαμπρότητα τῆς θ. βλέπειν οἰονεὶ σάρκα γίνεται Or.Cels.4.15(p.285.19; 1048A); divinity known everywhere in consequence of Inc., Ath.inc.45.1(M.25.176C); in relation to his humanity τὸ...θητὸν αὐτοῦ σῶμα καὶ τὴν ἀνθρωπίνην ἐν οὐτῷ φυχήν...ἐνώσει...τὰ μεγιστά φαμεν προσεληφένας καὶ τῆς ἑκενού θ. κεκοινωνηκότε εἰς θεὸν μεταβελθίσαντα Οι.Cels.3.41(p.237.7; 973A); as participated in by Christians ἕγω κύριος τοὺς δύτας αὐτοῦ ἀνακραβεῖς αὐτοῖς καὶ μεταδοκώντες αὐτοῖς τῆς ἑστοῦ θ. id.Jo.19.4(1; p.303.5; M.14.532B); Christ's divinity signified by fact that Isaac, as his type, was not sacrificed, Clem.paed.1.5(p.104.3; M.8.277B); 5. ref. H. Ghost διὰ τὴν ἐν αὐτῷ [sc. prophet] τοῦ πνεύματος θ. Hom.Clem.2.10; ib.8.10; Gr.Nyss.Maced.14(M.45.1317D); ib.6(1309A); 6. claimed by Simon Magus, Hom.Clem.2.7; 7. as title of address: imperial, Ep.ap. Ath.apol.sec.85(p.164.8; M.25.401B); Pulch.ep.Boss.(p.135.19; H.2.680E); Sabinius.suppli.1(p.65.9; H.2.573A); †Gregent.leg.hom.29 (M.86.597A); 8. of a bishop τὴν σὴν θ. Thdt.ep.2(4.1061); 9. as synonymous with God, (Gnost.) λέγοντες τὴν τοῦ παντὸς οὐσίαν καὶ δύναμιν καὶ πατρικὴν θ. ἀπὸ τῆς τοῦ ἐγκεφάλου διαθέσεως διδάσκεσθαι Hipp.haer.4.51(p.76.7; M.16.3122B); τὴν θεραπείας τῆς θ. ὀφειλομένης Const.ap.Bhs.h.e.10.7.2(M.20.893B); ὑπὲρ...εἰρήνης, ἥν ή θ. εἰς τὸ διηγέρεις σοι χαριεῖται ΑΞΙΩΝ.ep.Cons.1(p.238.29; M.26.700B); Const.Appl.2.52.1; 9. sacred character, of doctrine τῆς τούτου [sc. θεωρία] θ. Just.dial.3.5(M.6.481B); Or.hom.20.6 in Jer.(p.186.8; M.13.513B); ref. Lc.14:18 οἱ...ἄγρον ἀγοράσαντες εἰσιν..., οἱ παραλαβόντες δόγματα ἔτερα τῆς θ. id.fr.69 in Le.(p.267); ή τῆς γραφῆς θ. id.princ.4.1.7(p.303.14; M.11.353C); ή θ. τῆς δυνάμεως τῶν τῆς προσκυνήσης τριῶν ἐπικλήσεων id.Jo.6.33(17; p.142.30; M.14.251A).

*Θειόφαρος, 1. inspired; ref. authors of scripture, or perh. of theologians, Gr.Naz.carm.1.1.3.55(M.37.412A); 2. in possession of God; of the blessed in heaven, ib.1.1.4.94(423A).

Θειόδης, godlike τῷ θ. Just.dial.134.2(M.6.785A); of the bearing of the good in man, Clem.fr.44(p.221.26); of angels θειωδεστέρας ὄντες οὐσίας Hom.Clem.8.12; in gen., †Just.qu.Chr.11.11(M.6.1481A).

Θειόδως, divinely; 1. ref. scripture τῷ θ. προστεταγμένα Adam. dial.1.25(p.50.8; M.11.1753C); Dion.Ar.c.h.4.4(M.3.181B); †Cyr.Trin.1(6¹.2A; M.77.1121A); †Jo.D.B.J.19(M.96.1029A); and divine laws, Max.ambig.(M.91.161D); 2. imperially, by the emperor τῷ θ. προσταχθέντα Ath.apol.sec.85(p.164.11; M.25.401B).

Θειός, 1. divinely, ref. scripture θ. λέκτειν Clem.str.2.7(p.131.29; M.8.972A); θ. δύναμις ή τῷ Ἐρμῆ κατὰ ἀποκάλυψιν ib.1.28(p.111.1; 102A); ref. divinization by grace τῆς θ. ἵερας ἀγαπήσεως ή πρὸς τὴν ἱερουργίαν τῶν θεῶν ἐντολῶν ἀρχικωτάτη πρόσοδος ή τοῦ εἶναι θ. ἀρροτοτάτη δημιουργία Dion.Ar.c.h.2.1(M.3.392H); τὸ εἶναι θ. ἐστὶν ή θεῖα γένησις ib.; ή...ἀγία τριάς, ή...πάντων κτιστῶν...θ. δεσπόζοντα Sophr.H.or.3.2(M.87.3217C); 2. in a godlike way ὥστε τὰς...θείας [sc. δυνάμεις] θειότερως κινεῖσθαι Ath.genit.44(M.25.880); 3. excellently; of Christian opp. pagan teachers λέγομεν...μειζόνως καὶ θ. Just.xapol.20.3(M.6.357C); ref. BMV ἐν...τῇ ταῦτης τηδεις ὁ λόγος έστιν τὸν οἰκου διεπάσαστο, δι τρόπον ἐξ ἀρχῆς τὸν Αδάμ ἐκ τῆς γῆς μᾶλλον δὲ θειότερος †Ath.Ar.4.34(p.83.2; M.26.520B).

Θέλημα, τό, charm, attraction, Mac.Mgn.apocr.4.11(p.171.34). []Θέλγηστρον, τό, prob. f.l. for θέλγητρον, Nil.spir.mal.4(M.79.1149B).

Θέλγητρον, τό, charm τὰ τῆς ἀμυρίας...θ. Meth.Porph.1(p.504.9; M.18.400B).

→ Θέλημα, τό. 1. etym. θ... λέγεται κατὰ τὸ 'θέειν λίαν' ή 'τοῦ θειοτοῦ λῆμμα' ή ὡς κράτημα †Ath.def.2(M.28.540D) = Anast.S.hod.2(M.89.61D); and def.;

A. various senses; 1. properly, that which is willed, object of an act of willing; 2. faculty of will, or act of willing τῷ θ.. ποτὲ μὲν σημαίνει τὴν θέλησιν, τούτεστι τὴν θελητικὴν δύναμιν· ποτὲ δὲ τὸ θελητόν, τούτεστι τὸ πρόγμα ὅπερ θέλομεν Jo.I.volunt.24(M.95.153C); 3. result or product of will τῷ θ. αὐτοῦ ἔργον ἐστὶ καὶ τοῦτο κόσμος δύομάζεται Clem.paed.1.6(p.106.9; M.8.281B); id.str.4.26(p.325.1; M.8.1381A); Max.ambig.(M.91.1085B).

B. in sense of faculty of will; 1. defined; a. οὐδίας ναρές καὶ λογικῆς ἔφεος πρὸς τὸ καταβύνον †Ath.def.2(M.28.540D) reproduced by Anast.S.hod.2(M.89.61C); b. δρέξις λογική καὶ ζωτική Max.opusc. (M.91.13A); 2. divided into three types of will corresponding to the three orders of beings capable of willing [sc. θ.] θεϊκόν, άγγελικόν

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2. of persons who stand in close relation to the divinity (Diog. L. 7, 119: the Stoia says of the *σοφοί*: *θεῖοις εἰναι· ἔχειν γάρ ἐν ἑαυτοῖς οἰονεὶ θεόν*.—Cf. on ἀνθρώποι θεῖοι Rtzst., Mysterienrel.³ 25f; 237ff; 298; HWindisch, Pls u. Christus '34, 1-114; LBieler, Θεῖος '35; II '36) in the superl. (Oenomaus in Euseb., Pr. Ev. 5, 28, 2 Lycurgus *ἀσθειότατος ἀνθρώπων*; Iambl., Vi. Pyth. 29, 161 ὁ θειότατος Πύθαγόρας; used of the emperors in inscr. [Dit., Syll.³ index p. 378a] and pap. [PLond. 1007, 1; 1012, 4]) *οἱ θειότατοι προφῆται the prophets, those men so very near to God* IMG 8: 2 (cf. Philo, Mos. 2, 188; Jos., Ant. 10, 35 ὁ προφήτης θεῖος, C. Ap. 1, 279 [Moses]). Of angels Papias 4.

3. gener., of that which exceeds the bounds of human or earthly possibility, *supernatural* (Lucian, Alex. 12 θεῖόν τι καὶ φοβερόν) of a monster *ὑπενόησα εἶναι τι θεῖον* *I suspected that it was something supernatural* Hv 4, 1, 6. M-M.*

Θειότης, τητος, ἡ (of a divinity: Plut., Mor. 398A; 665A; Lucian, Calumn. 17; Herm. Wr. 9, 1c; Dit., Syll.³ 867, 31 of Artemis, who made Ephesus famous διὰ τῆς ιδίας θειότητος; POxy. 1381, 165 πληρωθεῖς τ. σῆς [Imouthes-Asclepius] θειότητος; PGM 7, 691; Wsd 18: 9; Ep. Arist. 95; Philo, Op. M. 172 v.l.—Of persons who stand in close relation to a divinity: Heraclit. Sto. 76 p. 102, 4 Homer; Jos., Ant. 10, 268 Daniel; inscr., pap., princes and emperors) *divinity, divine nature* Ro 1: 20.—HSNash, θειότης-θεότης Ro 1: 20, Col 2: 9; JBL 18, 1899, 1-34. M-M.*

Θειώδης, ες (Diad. S. 2, 12, 2; Strabo 1, 3, 18; Hero Alex. I p. 12, 8; III 214, 7; Aretaeus 170, 12; Galen; CMG V 4, 2 p. 107, 33; 186, 5 al.) *sulphurous* Rv 9: 17.*

Θέκλα, της, ἡ *Thecla* (so far found only as a Christian name: CIG 8683; 9138; 9139; PBodl. Uncatal.: Journ. Egypt. Arch. 23, '37, 10f [gen. Θέκλας]; Acts of Paul) 2 Ti 3: 11 v.l.*

→ **θέλημα, ατος, τό** (Antipho Soph. 58; Aristot., De Plant. 1, 1 p. 815b, 21; Aeneas Tact. 2, 8; 18, 19; POxy. 924, 8 [IV AD]; LXX) *will*.

1. objective, *what is willed*, what one wishes to happen —a. gener. ἐὰν θ. ἢ if it is his (God's or Christ's) *will* IEph 20: 1; IRo 1: 1 (*θέλημα abs.* = *God's will* also ISm 11: 1; IPol 8: 1 and in Paul Ro 2: 18; cf. also b below). γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου Mt 6: 10; 26: 42; Lk 11: 2 v.l. τοῦτό ἐστιν τὸ θ. τ. πέμψαντός με J 6: 39f. μὴ τὸ θ. μου ἀλλὰ τὸ σὸν γινέσθω Lk 22: 42. Cf Ac 21: 14; Col 4: 12; Hb 10: 10 (only here in the NT w. *εν*; cf. Third Corinthians 3: 26). οὖτως οὐκ ἔστιν θέλημα ἐμπροσθεν τοῦ πατρὸς *ἴνα* so it is not the Father's *will* that Mt 18: 14 (οὐκ ἔστιν θ. as Mal 1: 10; Eccl 5: 3; 12: 1).

→ b. *what one wishes to bring about by one's own action*, since one has undertaken to do what he has willed οὐκ ἔγρα τὸ θ. τὸ ἐμὸν I do not aspire (to do) my own will J 5: 30a; 6: 38. τὸ μυστήριον τοῦ θέληματος αὐτοῦ the secret purpose of his will, i.e. the carrying out of his plan of salvation Eph 1: 9. οὐκ ἦν θ. *ἴνα* ἔλθῃ he was not willing to come 1 Cor 16: 12 (but this passage could also belong under the abs. use of θελ. 1a).

c. *what one wishes to bring about by the activity of others, to whom one assigns a task.*

a. of persons ὁ δοῦλος ὁ γνοὺς τὸ θ. τοῦ κυρίου αὐτοῦ what his master wants Lk 12: 47 (in a parable). τὸ θ. τοῦ πατρός Mt 21: 31.—β. of the devil εἰς τὸ ἐκείνου θ. to do his will 2 Ti 2: 26.

γ. predom. of God (or Christ) τὸ θέλημα τοῦ θεοῦ (cf.

Herm. Wr. 5, 7; 13, 2; Philo, Leg. All. 3, 197; Test. Iss. 4: 3, Napht. 3: 1) Ro 12: 2; Eph 5: 17; 1 Th 4: 3; 5: 18; 1 Pt 2: 15; 4: 2; cf. J 5: 30b, γινώσκειν τὸ θέλημα know the will Ro 2: 18; Ac 22: 14. ἡ ἐπίγνωσις τοῦ θ. αὐτοῦ Col 1: 9; ποιεῖν τὸ θ. (1 Esdr 9: 9; 4 Macc 18: 16) Mt 7: 21; 12: 50; Mk 3: 35; J 4: 34; 6: 38b; 7: 17; 9: 31; Eph 6: 6; Hb 10: 7, 9 (both Ps 39: 9), 36; 13: 21; 1 J 2: 17; Pol 2: 2. Also ποιεῖν τὰ θελήματα (Ps 102: 21; Is 44: 28; 2 Macc 1: 3) GEB 4; Mk 3: 35 v.l.; Ac 13: 22.

δ. ποιεῖν τὰ θελήματα τ. σαρκός do what the flesh desires Eph 2: 3.

→ 2. subjective, *will*, the act of willing or desiring—a. of the human will (Ps 1: 2) *θελήματι ἀνθρώπου by an act of the human will* 2 Pt 1: 21; ἔξουσιαν ἔχειν περὶ τ. ίδιον θ. have control over one's desire 1 Cor 7: 37; here θ. acc. to many has the connotation of sexual desire, as J 1: 13 (θ. σαρκός, θ. ἄνδρος. Cf. PGM 4, 1430; 1521; 1533). Of the will of the Jews, directed toward the death of Jesus Lk 23: 25.

b. as a rule of the will of God (or Christ) ἡ βούλη τοῦ θ. Eph 1: 11; ἡ εὐδοκία τοῦ θ. vs. 5 (cf. CD 3, 15). εἰ θέλοι τὸ θ. τοῦ θεοῦ if the will of God should so decree 1 Pt 3: 17. θελήματι θεοῦ by God's will ITr 1: 1; Pol 1: 3. Also διὰ θελήματος θεοῦ Ro 15: 32; 1 Cor 1: 1; 2 Cor 1: 1; 8: 5; Eph 1: 1; Col 1: 1; 2 Ti 1: 1, and διὰ τὸ θέλημα Rv 4: 11 or ἐν τ. θελήματι τ. θεοῦ Ro 1: 10; cf. 1 Cl inscr.; IEph inscr., or ἐκ θελήματος θεοῦ (cf. Ps 27: 7) 1 Cl 42: 2; πρὸς τὸ θ. according to his will Hs 9, 5, 2. Also κατὰ τὸ θ. (1 Esdr 8: 16) Gal 1: 4; 1 J 5: 14; 1 Pt 4: 19; ISm 1: 1. M-M.**

θέλησις, εως, ἡ (acc. to Pollux 5, 47 an *ἰδιωτικόν* 'vulgar word'; cf. Phryn. p. 353 L. But also found Stoic. III 41; Philod., Rhet. II 297 Sudh.; PGM 4, 1429 θέλησις τῶν θελημάτων; Ezk 18: 23; 2 Ch 15: 15; Pr 8: 35 al. The Doric pl θελήσιες='wishes': Melissa, Epist. ad Char. p. 62 Orelli) *will*, the act of willing, of God (Herm. Wr. 4, 1a; 10, 2; Iambl., Myst. 2, 11 p. 97, 15 Parthey ἡ θελα θ.) κατὰ τὴν αὐτοῦ θ. according to his will Hb 2: 4; τῇ αὐτοῦ θ. by his will (Tob 12: 18; 2 Macc 12: 16) 2 Cl 1: 6.*

→ **θέλω** (on its relation to the Attic *έθέλω*, which is not found in NT, LXX, or En., s. Kühner-Bl. I 187f; II 408f; Bl-D. §101 p. 45; Mlt.-H. 88; 189; Rob. 205f. θέλω is found since 250 BC in the Attic inscr. [Meisterhans-Schw. p. 178], likew. quite predom. in the pap. [Mayser I² 2, '38, 119]; Jos., Ant. 18, 144, C. Ap. 2, 192] impf. ἥθελον; fut. θελήσω (Rv 11: 5 v.l.); 1 aor. ἥθελησα (on the augment s. Bl-D. §66, 3; Mlt.-H. 188); 1 aor. pass. subj. θελήθω IRo 8: 1.

1. *wish of desire* (on the difference betw. θ. and βούλομαι s. the latter), *wish to have, desire, want τὶ someth.* (Diogenes the Cynic, fgm. 2: Trag. Gr. p. 809 Nauck¹; Sotades [280 BC: not the comic poet] in Stob. 3, 1, 66 t. III p. 27, 5 H.; Theocr. 14, 11 πάντα) Mt 20: 21; Mk 14: 36 (DDaube, A Prayer Pattern in Judaism, TU 73, '59, 539-45); Lk 5: 39; J 15: 7; 1 Cor 4: 21; 2 Cor 11: 12. W. pres. inf. foll. τι πάλιν θέλετε ἀκούειν; why do you want to hear (it) again? J 9: 27a. εἰ θέλεις τέλεος εἶναι Mt 19: 21 (Lucian, Dial. Deor. 2, 2 εἰ θέλεις ἐπέραστος εἶναι). ἥθελεν ἀπολογεῖσθαι wished to make a defense Ac 19: 33. ἥθελον παρεῖναι πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἄρτι I wish I were with you now Gal 4: 20. ἥθελον I would like w. aor. inf. (Epict. 1, 29, 38; PLond. 897, 20 [84 AD]) Hv 3, 8, 6; 3, 11, 4 (cf. Bl-D. §359, 2 w. app.; cf. Rob. 923). θέλω w. aor. inf. foll. also occurs Mt 5: 40; 12: 38; 16: 25; 19: 17; Mk 10: 43; Lk 8: 20; 23: 8; J 12: 21 (Diog. L. 6, 31 ξένων δέ ποτε θεάσασθαι θελόντων Δημοσθένη); Ac 25:

9b; Gal 3: 2; Js 2: 20 (cf. Seneca, Ep. 47, 10: vis tu cogitare); 1 Pt 3: 10; B 7: 11. Abs., though the inf. is to be supplied fr. the context: Mt 17: 12 (sc. ποιήσαι); 27: 15; Mk 9: 13; J 21: 18. Foll. by acc. w. inf. Mk 7: 24; Lk 1: 62; J 21: 22f; Ac 16: 3; Ro 16: 19; 1 Cor 7: 7, 32; 14: 5; Gal 6: 13. Negative οὐθέλω (other moods take μή as neg.) *I do not wish, I am not willing, I will not foll.* by (acc. and) aor. inf. Mt 23: 4; Lk 19: 14, 27; 1 Cor 10: 20; IRo 2: 1. οὐθέλω (θέλομεν) ὑμᾶς ἀγνοεῖν *I do not wish you to be ignorant=I want you to know* (BGU 27, 5 and PGiess. 11, 4 [118 AD] γινώσκειν σε θέλω ὅτι) Ro 1: 13; 11: 25; 1 Cor 10: 1; 12: 1; 2 Cor 1: 8; 1 Th 4: 13. W. ίπα foll. (Epict. 1, 18, 14; 2, 7, 8) Mt 7: 12; Mk 6: 25; 9: 30; 10: 35; Lk 6: 31; J 17: 24 (on Mt 7: 12=Lk 6: 31 cf. LPhilippidis, D. 'Goldene Regel' religionsgesch. untersucht '29, Religionswissenschaft. Forschungsberichte über die 'goldene Regel' '33; GBKing, The 'Negative' Golden Rule, Journ. of Religion 8, '28, 268–79; ADihle, D. Goldene Regel, '62). Foll. by aor. subj. (deliberative subj.; cf. Kühner-G. I 221f; Bl-D. §366, 3; 465, 2; Rob. 935; Epict. 3, 2, 14 θέλεις σοι εἴπω; =do you wish me to tell you?; Wilcken, Chrest. 14 III, 6 καὶ σοι [=σύ] λέγε τίνος θέλεις κατηγορήσω) θέλεις συλλέξωμεν αὐτά; *do you want us to gather them?* Mt 13: 28. τί θέλετε ποιήσω ὑμῖν; *what do you want me to do for you?* 20: 32 (cf. Plautus, Merc. 1, 2, 49 [l. 159]: quid vis faciam?); cf. 26: 17; 27: 17, 21; Mk 10: 36 (AJBHiggins, ET 52, '41, 317f), 51; 14: 12; 15: 9, 12 v.l.; Lk 9: 54; 18: 41; 22: 9. W. ή foll.: *I would rather . . . than . . . or instead of* (Trypho Alex. [I bc], fgm. 23 [AvVelsen 1853] περιπατεῖν θέλω ή περ ἐστάναι; Epict. 3, 22, 53; BGU 846, 15 [II AD] θέλω πηρὸς γενέσθαι, ή γνῶναι, δύτως ἀνθρώπω ἔτι οφείλω ὀβολόν; 2 Macc 14: 42) 1 Cor 14: 19. W. εἰ foll. (Is 9: 4f; Sir 23: 14) τί θέλω εἰ ήδη ἀνήφθη *how I wish it were already kindled!* Lk 12: 49.

→ 2. *wish, will*, of purpose, resolve *wish, want, be ready* (cf. Pla., Ap. 41A) *to do τί someth.* Ro 7: 15f, 19f (Epict. 2, 26, 1 and 2 δὲ μὲν θέλεις οὐ ποιεῖ . . . θέλει πρᾶξαι οὐκ δὲ μὲν θέλει ποιεῖ; 2, 26, 4 [s. on ποιέω I 1be]; 1 Cor 7: 36; Gal 5: 17. W. aor. inf. foll. (Judg 20: 5) Mt 20: 14; 23: 37; 26: 15. ήθελεν παρελθεῖν αὐτούς *he was ready to pass by them* Mk 6: 48. Ήρώδης θέλει σε ἀποκτεῖναι *Herod wants to kill you* Lk 13: 31. Cf. J 1: 43. υμεῖς δὲ ήθελήσατε ἀγαλλιασθῆναι *you were minded to rejoice* 5: 35; 6: 21; 7: 44; Ac 25: 9a; Gal 4: 9; Col 1: 27; 1 Th 2: 18; Rv 11: 5. Also pres. inf. (2 Esdr 11 [Neh 1]: 11) J 6: 67; 7: 17; 8: 44; Ac 14: 13; 17: 18; Ro 7: 21; 2 Cl 6: 1; B 4: 9. Abs., but w. the inf. supplied fr. the context Mt 8: 2 (cf. what was said to the physician in Epict. 3, 10, 15 έαυ σὺ θέλης, κύριε, καλῶς ξέω); εἰ θέλετε δέξασθαι *if you are prepared to accept (it)* 11: 14; Mk 3: 13; 6: 22; J 5: 21; Ro 9: 18a, b; Rv 11: 6. W. acc. and inf. foll. 1 Cl 36: 2.—Abs. θέλων *the one who wills* Ro 9: 16. τοῦ θεοῦ θέλοντος *if it is God's will* (Jos., Ant. 7, 373; PMich. 211, 4 τοῦ Σεράπιδος θέλοντος; PAmh. 131, 5 ἐλπίζω θεῶν θελόντων διαφεύξεσθαι; PGiess. 18, 10; BGU 423, 18 τῶν θεῶν θελόντων; 615, 4f) Ac 18: 21. Also έαν δὲ κύριος θελήσῃ (Pla., Phaedo 80D; Ps.-Pla., Alcib. 1 p. 135D; Demosth. 4, 7; 25, 2 ἀν θεος θέλη; Ps.-Demetr., Form. Ep. 11, 12; PPetr. I 2, 3) 1 Cor 4: 19; cf. Js 4: 15; 1 Cl 21: 9. δτε θέλει καὶ ως θέλει 27: 5 (cf. BGU 27, 11 ως δὲ θεος ηθελεν). καθὼς ήθέλησεν (i.e. δὲ θεος) 1 Cor 12: 18; 15: 38 (Hymn to Isis: Suppl. Epigr. Gr. VIII 549, 19f [I bc] πᾶσι μερισεισ οσι θέλεις). οὐθέλω *I will not, do not propose, am not willing, do not want* w. pres. inf. foll. (Gen 37: 35; Is 28: 12) J 7: 1; 2 Th 3: 10; 2 Cl 13: 1. W. aor. inf. foll. (2 Km 23: 16; Jer 11: 10) Mt 2: 18 (cf. Jer

38: 15); 15: 32; 22: 3; Mk 6: 26; Lk 15: 28; J 5: 40; Ac 7: 39; 1 Cor 16: 7; Dg 10: 7 al. Abs., but w. the inf. to be supplied fr. the context Mt 18: 30; Lk 18: 4. οὐ θέλω *I will not* Mt 21: 30.—Of purpose, opp. ἐνεργεῖν Phil 2: 13. Opp. κατεργάζεσθαι Ro 7: 18. Opp. ποιεῖν 2 Cor 8: 10. Opp. πράσσειν Ro 7: 15, 19.

3. τί θέλει τοῦτο εἶναι; *what can this mean?* Ac 2: 12; cf. 17: 20; Lk 15: 26 D.

4. *take pleasure in, like*—a. w. inf. foll.: to do someth. Mk 12: 38 (later in the same sentence w. acc.; cf. b τι); Lk 20: 46 (w. φιλεῖν).

b. τινά (Gorgias in the Gnomolog. Vatic. 166 [Wiener Stud. 10, p. 36]) the suitors and Penelope; Vi. Aesopi W.c. 31 θέλω αὐτήν; Ps 40: 12; Tob 13: 8) Mt 27: 43 (Ps 21: 9); IMg 3: 2. τι (Epict. 1, 4, 27; Ezk 18: 32) Mt 9: 13; 12: 7 (both Hos 6: 6); Hb 10: 5, 8 (both Ps 39: 7). ἐν τινι (neut.: Test. Ash. 1: 6 v.l. έαν ή ψυχὴ θέλη ἐν καλῷ; Ps 111: 1; 146: 10. Masc.: 1 Km 18: 22; 2 Km 15: 26; 3 Km 10: 9) θέλων ἐν ταπεινοφρούνη *taking pleasure in humility* Col 2: 18 (Augustine, Ep. 149, 27 [Migne, Patrol. Lat. 33, 641f; Afridrichsen, ZNW 21, '22, 135f cites Epict. 2, 19, 16).

c. abs. *feel affection* perh. w. obj. *for me* understood (opp. μισεῖν) IRo 8: 3.

5. *maintain contrary to the true state of affairs* (Paus. 1, 4, 6 Αρκάδες ἐθέλουσιν εἶναι; 8, 36, 2; Herodian 5, 3, 5 εἰκόνα ηλίου ἀνέργαστον εἶναι θέλουσιν) λανθάνει αὐτούς τοῦτο θέλοντας in maintaining this it escapes them (=they forget) 2 Pt 3: 5.—GSchrenk, TW III '35, 43–63; HRiesenfeld, Zu θέλω im NT (Ntl. Seminar Uppsala I) '36. M-M. B. 1160.

Θέμα, ατος, τό (Cebes; Plut.; inscr., pap., LXX; Sib. Or. 2, 46; 49) *deposit, specif. a prize offered contestants, in so far as it consists of money, not a wreath (Dit., Syll. 1063, 21 w. note 4, Or. 339, 81f; 566, 28) θ. αφθαρσία the prize is immortality* IPol 2: 3 (Zahn in his edition has unnecessarily changed αφθαρσία, which is the rdg. of the mss., to the gen.).*

Θεμέλιον, ου, τό (designated by Moeris p. 185, together w. its pl. θεμέλια, as the real Attic form. This is, however, not in agreement w. what is found in literature. We have the neut. e.g. in Aristot., Phys. Auscult. 2, 9 p. 200a, 4; Heraclit. Sto. 38 p. 55, 20; Paus. 8, 32, 1; Vett. Val. index; Ps.-Lucian, Salt. 34, also in pap. [Mayser 289]; LXX [Thackeray 154]) *foundation, basis*. In our lit. the sg. is found Hs 9, 4, 2; 9, 14, 6; the pl. Ac 16: 26; B 6: 2 (Is 28: 16); Hs 9, 5, 4; 9, 15, 4; 9, 21, 2, in lit. as well as fig. mng. In the other passages either the gender cannot be determined or the words in question belong to the following entry, where the ambiguous pass. are also given. But the dat. τοῖς θεμέλιοις Hs 9, 4, 3 is not to be classed w. the latter, since H always uses the neut. elsewh.)*

Θεμέλιος, ου, δ (Thu. 1, 93, 2; Polyb. 1, 40, 9; Lucian, Calum. 20; Macho in Athen. 8 p. 346A; Epict. 2, 15, 8; Dit., Syll. 1888, 55; 70; LXX [cf. Thackeray 154]; En. 18, 1; Philo, Cher. 101, Spec. Leg. 2, 110; Jos., Bell. 5, 152, Ant. 5, 31; 11, 19; loanw. in rabb.) *foundation*.

1. lit.—a. *foundation stone* (cf. Aristoph., Aves 1137 θεμέλιοι λιθοι) Rv 21: 14, 19a, b.

b. *foundation of a building* (Diod. S. 11, 63, 1 ἐκ θεμελιῶν; Philo, Exseccr. 120 ἐκ θεμελιῶν ἄχρι στέγους οἰκιαν) χωρὶς θεμέλιον Lk 6: 49. τιθέναι θεμέλιον (cf. Hyperid. 6, 14) 14: 29; ἐπὶ τι on someth. 6: 48. The foundations of the heavenly city built by God Hb 11: 10 (cf. RKnopf, Heinrici-Festschr. '14, 215; LMMuntingh,