

## Jude

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**1** Ἰούδας (Jude), Ἰησοῦ (of Jesus) Χριστοῦ (Christ) δούλος (servant), ἀδελφός (brother) δὲ (then) Ἰακώβου (of James), τοῖς (To those) ἐν (in) Θεῷ (God) Πατρὶ (the Father) ἠγαπημένοις (having been loved) καὶ (and) Ἰησοῦ (in Jesus) Χριστῷ (Christ) τετηρημένοις (having been kept) κλητοῖς (called).

**2** Ἐλεος (Mercy) ὑμῖν (to you) καὶ (and) εἰρήνη (peace) καὶ (and) ἀγάπη (love) πληθυνθείη (be multiplied).

**3** Ἀγαπητοί (Beloved), πᾶσαν (all) σπουδὴν (diligence) ποιούμενος (using) γράφειν (to write) ὑμῖν (to you) περὶ (concerning) τῆς (-) κοινῆς (common) ἡμῶν (of us) σωτηρίας (salvation), ἀνάγκην (necessity) ἔσχον (I had) γράψαι (to write) ὑμῖν (to you), παρακαλῶν (exhorting you) ἐπαγωνίζεσθαι (to contend earnestly) τῇ (for the) ἅπαξ (once for all) παραδοθείσῃ (having been delivered) τοῖς (to the) ἁγίοις (saints) πίστει (faith).

**4** παρεῖσεδυσαν\* (Came in stealthily) γὰρ (for) τινες (certain) ἄνθρωποι (men), οἵ (those) πάλαι (long ago) προγεγραμμένοι (having been designated) εἰς (unto) τοῦτο (this) τὸ (-) κρίμα (condemnation), ἀσεβεῖς (ungodly ones), τὴν (the) τοῦ (of the) Θεοῦ (God) ἡμῶν (of us) χάριτα (grace) μετατιθέντες (changing) εἰς (into) ἀσέλγειαν (sensuality), καὶ (and) τὸν (the) μόνον (only) Δεσπότην (master) καὶ (and) Κύριον (Lord) ἡμῶν (of us) Ἰησοῦν (Jesus) Χριστόν (Christ) ἀρνούμενοι (denying).

**5** Ὑπομνήσαι (To remind) δὲ (now) ὑμᾶς (you) βούλομαι (I want), εἰδότας (having known) ἠμᾶς (you) ἅπαξ (at one time) ⇔ «πάντα (all this), ὅτι (that) Ἰησοῦς» (Jesus) λαὸν (a people) ἐκ (out of) γῆς (the land) Αἰγύπτου (of Egypt) σώσας (having saved), τὸ (-) δευτέρον (afterward) τοὺς (those) μὴ (not) πιστεύσαντας (having believed), ἀπώλεσεν (He destroyed).

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6 And the angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.

7 Even as Sodom, and Gomorrah, and the cities about them in like manner, giving themselves over to fornication and going after strange flesh, are set forth for an example, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire,

8 Likewise also these filthy dreamers defile the flesh, despise dominion, and speak evil of dignities.

9 Yet Michael, the archangel, when contending with the devil (he disputed about the body of Moses), durst not bring against him a railing accusation, but said, The Lord rebuke thee.

10 But these speak evil of those things which they know not; but what they know naturally, as brute beasts, in those things they corrupt themselves.

**6** ἀγγέλους (*The angels*) τε (both) τοὺς (-) μὴ (not) τηρήσαντας (*having kept*) τὴν (*own*) ἑαυτῶν (*their*) ἀρχὴν (*domain*), ἀλλὰ (but) ἀπολιπόντας (*having left*) τὸ (the) ἴδιον (*own*) οἰκητήριον (*dwelling*), εἰς (*unto*) κρίσιν (*the judgment*) μεγάλης (*of the great*) ἡμέρας (*day*), δεσμοῖς (*in chains*) αἰδίους (*eternal*) ὑπὸ (under) ζόφον (*darkness*) τετήρηκεν (*He keeps*),

**7** ὡς (just as) Σόδομα (*Sodom*) καὶ (and) Γόμορρα (*Gomorrah*) καὶ (and) αἱ (the) περὶ (around) αὐτὰς (*them*) πόλεις (*cities*), τὸν (-) ὅμοιον (*in like*) τρόπον (*manner*) τούτοις (*with them*) ἐκπορνεύσασαι (*having indulged in sexual immorality*) καὶ (and) ἀπελθοῦσαι (*having gone*) ὀπίσω (*after*) σαρκὸς (*flesh*) ἐτέρας (*strange*), πρόκεινται (*are set forth as*) δεῖγμα (*an example*) πυρὸς (*of fire*) αἰωνίου (*eternal*) δίκην (*the penalty*) ὑπέχουσαι (*undergoing*).

**8** Ὅμοίως (*Likewise*) μέντοι (yet) καὶ (also) οὗτοι (these) ἐνυπνιαζόμενοι (*dreaming ones*), σάρκα (*the flesh*) μὲν (indeed) μιαινουσιν (*defile*), κυριότητα (*authority*) δὲ (then) ἀθετοῦσιν (*set aside*), δόξας (*glorious ones*) δὲ (and) βλασφημοῦσιν (*blaspheme*).

**9** ὁ (-) δὲ (But) Μιχαὴλ (*Michael*) ὁ (the) ἀρχάγγελος (*archangel*), ὅτε (when) τῷ (with the) διαβόλῳ (*devil*) διακρινόμενος (*disputing*), διελέγετο (*he was reasoning*) περὶ (about) τοῦ (-) Μωϋσέως (*Moses'*) σώματος (*body*), οὐκ (not) ἐτόλμησεν (*did dare*) κρίσιν (*a judgment*) ἐπενεγκεῖν (*to bring against him*) βλασφημίας (*blasphemous*), ἀλλὰ (but) εἶπεν (*said*), "Ἐπιτιμήσαι (*Rebuke*) σοι (you), Κύριος (*the Lord*)."

**10** οὗτοι (These) δὲ (however), ὅσα (whatever things) μὲν (indeed) οὐκ (not) οἶδασιν (*they have seen*) βλασφημοῦσιν (*they speak evil of*); ὅσα (whatever things) δὲ (then) φυσικῶς (*naturally*), ὡς (as) τὰ (the) ἄλογα (*irrational*) ζῶα (*animals*), ἐπίστανται (*they understand*), ἐν (in) τούτοις (*these things*) φθειρόνται (*they corrupt themselves*).

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For they have gone  
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and **shall perish** in  
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12 These are spots  
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feast with you,  
feeding themselves  
without fear;  
clouds they are  
without water,  
carried about of  
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**11** οὐαὶ (Woe) αὐτοῖς (to them), ὅτι (because) τῇ (in the) ὁδῷ (way) τοῦ (-) Κάϊν (of Cain) ἐπορεύθησαν (they went), καὶ (and) τῇ (to the) πλάνῃ (error) τοῦ (-) Βαλαάμ (of Balaam) μισθοῦ (for reward) ἐξεχύθησαν (they rushed), καὶ (and) τῇ (in the) ἀντιλογία (rebellion) τοῦ (-) Κόρε (of Korah) ἀπώλοντο (they perished).

**12** Οὗτοί (These) εἰσιν (are) οἱ (the ones) ἐν (in) ταῖς (the) ἀγάπαις (love feasts) ὑμῶν (of you), σπιλάδες (hidden reefs), συννεωχούμενοι (feasting together with you) ἀφόβως (fearlessly), ἑαυτοὺς (themselves) ποιμαίνοντες (shepherding); νεφέλαι (clouds) ἄνυδροι (without water), ὑπὸ (by) ἀνέμων (winds) παραφερόμενοι (being carried about); δένδρα (trees) φθινοπωρινὰ (autumnal) ἄκαρπα (without fruit), δις (twice) ἀποθανόντα (having died), ἐκριζωθέντα (having been uprooted);

**13** κύματα (waves) ἄγρια (wild) θαλάσσης (of the sea), ἐπαφρίζοντα (foaming out) τὰς (-) ἑαυτῶν (of their) αἰσχύνας (shame); ἀστέρεις (stars) πλανῆται (wandering), οἷς (to whom) ὁ (the) ζόφος (gloom) τοῦ (-) σκοτοῦς (of darkness) εἰς (to) αἰῶνα (the age) τετήρηται (has been reserved).

**14** Προεφήτευσεν\* (Prophesied) δὲ (then) καὶ (also) τούτοις (as to these) ἕβδομος (the seventh) ἀπὸ (from) Ἀδάμ (Adam), Ἐνώχ (Enoch), λέγων (saying): "Ἴδού (Behold), ἦλθεν (has come) Κύριος (the Lord) ἐν (amidst) ἀγίαις (holy ones) μυριάσιν (myriads) αὐτοῦ (of His),

**15** ποιῆσαι (to execute) κρίσιν (judgment) κατὰ (against) πάντων (all), καὶ (and) ἐλέγξαι (to convict) πάντα (all) τοὺς (the) ἀσεβεῖς (ungodly) περὶ (concerning) πάντων (all) τῶν (the) ἔργων (works) ἀσεβείας (of ungodliness) αὐτῶν (of them) ὧν (which) ἠσέβησαν (they have done in an ungodly way), καὶ (and) περὶ (concerning) πάντων (all) τῶν (the) σκληρῶν (harsh things) ὧν (that) ἐλάλησαν (have spoken) κατ' (against) αὐτοῦ (Him) ἁμαρτωλοὶ (sinners) ἀσεβεῖς (ungodly)."

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**16** Οὗτοί (These) εἰσιν (are) γογγυσταί (grumblers),  
μεμφίμοιροι (discontented), κατὰ (after) τὰς (the)  
ἐπιθυμίας (lusts) αὐτῶν (own) πορευόμενοι (following);  
καὶ (and) τὸ (the) στόμα (mouth) αὐτῶν (of them)  
λαλεῖ (speaks) ὑπέρογκα (great swelling words),  
θαυμάζοντες (flattering) πρόσωπα (faces) ὠφελείας (profit)  
χάριν (for the sake of).

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**17** Ὑμεῖς (You) δέ (however), ἀγαπητοί (beloved),  
μνησθητε (remember) τῶν (the) ῥημάτων (words) τῶν (-)  
προειρημένων (having been spoken beforehand) ὑπὸ (by)  
τῶν (the) ἀποστόλων (apostles) τοῦ (of the) Κυρίου (Lord)  
ἡμῶν (of us) Ἰησοῦ (Jesus) Χριστοῦ (Christ),

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18 How that they  
told you there  
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**18** ὅτι (that) ἔλεγον (they were saying) ὑμῖν (to you),  
“Ἐπ’ (In) ἐσχάτου (the last) τοῦ (-) χρόνου (time)  
ἔσονται (there will be) ἐμπαῖκται (scoffers), κατὰ (after)  
τὰς (-) ἑαυτῶν (their own) ἐπιθυμίας (passions)  
πορευόμενοι (following), τῶν (-)  
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**19** Οὗτοί (These) εἰσιν (are) οἱ (those)  
ἀποδιορίζοντες (causing divisions),  
ψυχικοί (worldly-minded), Πνεῦμα (the Spirit) μὴ (not)  
ἔχοντες (having).

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**20** Ὑμεῖς (You) δέ (however), ἀγαπητοί (beloved),  
ἐποικοδομοῦντες (building up) ἑαυτοὺς (yourselves),  
τῇ (in the) ἀγιωτάτῃ (most holy) ὑμῶν (of you) πίστει (faith)  
ἐν (in) Πνεύματι (the Spirit) Ἁγίῳ (Holy)  
προσευχόμενοι (praying),

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in the love of God,  
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**21** ἑαυτοὺς (yourselves) ἐν (in) ἀγάπῃ (the love)  
Θεοῦ (of God) τηρήσατε (keep), προσδεχόμενοι (awaiting)  
τὸ (the) ἔλεος (mercy) τοῦ (of the) Κυρίου (Lord)  
ἡμῶν (of us) Ἰησοῦ (Jesus) Χριστοῦ (Christ), εἰς (unto)  
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**22** Καὶ (And) οὓς (those who) μὲν (indeed)  
ἐλεᾶτε (have mercy on), διακρινομένους (are doubting);

22 And of some  
have compassion,

making a  
difference;

23 And others save with fear, pulling them out of the fire, hating even the garment spotted by the flesh.

24 Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy,

25 To the only wise God our **Savior**, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.

**23** ἄλλοις (others) δὲ (also) σώζετε (save), ἐκ (out of) πυρός (the fire) ἀρπάζοντες (snatching); οὓς (to others) δὲ (then) ἐλεᾶτε (show mercy) ἐν (with) φόβῳ (fear), μισοῦντες (hating) καὶ (even) τὸν (the) ἀπὸ (by) τῆς (the) σαρκὸς (flesh) ἐσπιλωμένον (having been stained) χιτῶνα (clothing).

**24** Τῷ (To Him) δὲ (now) δυναμένῳ (being able) φυλάξαι (to keep) ὑμᾶς (you) ἀπταίστους (from stumbling) καὶ (and) στήσαι (to present you) κατενώπιον (in the presence of) τῆς (the) δόξης (glory) αὐτοῦ (of Him), ἀμώμους (blameless) ἐν (with) ἀγαλλιάσει (exultation) —

**25** μόνῳ (to the only) Θεῷ (God) Σωτῆρι (Savior) ἡμῶν (of us), διὰ (through) Ἰησοῦ (Jesus) Χριστοῦ (Christ) τοῦ (the) Κυρίου (Lord) ἡμῶν (of us), δόξα (be glory), μεγαλωσύνη (majesty), κράτος (dominion), καὶ (and) ἐξουσία (authority), πρὸ (before) παντὸς (all) τοῦ (-) αἰῶνος (time) καὶ (and) νῦν (now), καὶ (and) εἰς (to) πάντας (all) τοὺς (the) αἰῶνας (ages). Ἀμήν (Amen).

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