

Lesson 6: Exercise on the Imperfect

Vocabulary used in this exercise:

Verbs

ἀκούω = to hear
 διώκω = to chase
 ἐλπίζω = to expect
 λέγω = to say
 φέρω = to carry
 φεύγω = to flee

Nouns

ἄνθρωπος, ου, ὁ = man
 δοῦλος, ου, ὁ = slave
 ἵππος, ου, ὁ = horse
 κύριος, ου, ὁ = lord

Transform the verb given on each line to the imperfect, in the same person and number. Then translate your transformation as progressive ("X was ...ing"), and customary ("X used to ..."). Number 1 is given as a model.

	<i>present indicative</i>	<i>change to the imperfect</i>	<i>translate your transformation</i>
1.	ἐλπίζομεν	ἤλπιζομεν	we were expecting, used to expect
2.	διώκεις		
3.	οἱ δοῦλοι φέρουσι(ν)		
4.	ὁ ἵππος φεύγει		
5.	ἐλπίζεις		

	<i>present</i>	<i>change to the imperfect</i>	<i>translate your transformation</i>
6.	λέγετε		
7.	ἀκούω		
8.	φέρει		
9.	οἱ ἄνθρωποι ἐλπίζουσι(ν)		
10.	διώκω		
11.	ὁ κύριος ἀκούει		
12.	ἀκούομεν		
13.	φέρετε		
14.	λέγει		
15.	ἐλπίζετε		
16.	φέρομεν		