

Lesson 4: Composition

Mark the syntax and then translate. [Click here](#) for the English to Greek vocabulary in Lessons 1-4.

1) If¹ you have nice gifts, bring a gift to a friend with great joy.²

2) Rocks will not nourish the farmers, but peace will (say: "will nourish").

3) What good //thing// do you (pl) hear in the words of evil men?

4) While the way of pleasure is easy, the way of excellence is hard. (use μέν ... δέ)

5) Persuade (you pl) your brothers to hear the words of the Muses, for the Muses are wise.

¹ Use εἰ to introduce this dependent clause, which we will identify later as a conditional clause.

² The dative of means is often used as a dative of manner (no preposition).