

EXPANDED TRANSLATIONS OF JUDE 1-25:

Verse 1: “Jude, a bond-servant of Jesus Christ, and brother of James, to the called, who have been and are being loved by God the Father, and we have been and are being preserved by Jesus Christ.” (EXT)

Verse 2: “May compassion and tranquility of soul and love be multiplied to you.” (EXT)

Verse 3: “Beloved ones, while I was making all haste to write you about our common salvation, I felt it necessary to write you, urging you to vigorously defend the faith which was once for all handed down to the saints.” (EXT)

Verse 4: “For certain persons have snuck in without detection, those who were long beforehand written out for this condemnation, ungodly who are distorting the grace of our God into lewdness and deny our only Master and Lord, Jesus Christ.” (EXT)

Verse 5: “But I want to remind you, though you once for all time knew all of these things, that the Lord, having saved the people out of the land of Egypt, afterwards destroyed those who did not believe.” (EXT)

Verse 6: “And angels who did not maintain their own domain, but abandoned their own place of residence, Jesus Christ has kept in eternal chains of darkness for the judgement of the great day.” (EXT)

Verse 7: “Just as Sodom and Gomorrah and the cities around them, having given themselves over to sexual immorality and pursued a different kind of flesh that is aberrant sexuality, an unnatural desire, are put on display as an example in undergoing the punishment of being held under eternal fire.” (EXT)

Verse 8: “Also in a similar way these dreamers, actually defile their flesh, and on the other hand, reject the authority, of and malign the Majesties.” (EXT)

Verse 9: “Yet Michael the archangel, when disputing with the evil one, disagreed vehemently concerning the body of Moses. He did not dare to bring judgment by maligning but said: “May the Lord rebuke and punish you.” (EXT)

Verse 10: “On the one hand, these continually malign things they do not understand, but on the other hand, things that they understand by instinct as illogical creatures, by means of these things, they receive corruption and depravity.” (EXT)

Verse 11: “Woe to them, because they have been led into the way of life of Cain, “they, have run with reckless abandon to the strong delusions of Balaam which is monetary lust and were put to death as in the revolution of Korah.” (EXT)

Verse 12: “These same false teachers are hidden reefs under the ocean, shamelessly feasting together with you, in your love feasts without fear, shepherding themselves, waterless clouds they are carried away by the winds, late autumn trees without fruit, doubly dead, uprooted.” (EXT)

Verse 13: “Savage waves of the sea, splashing up like foam their own shame; wandering comets, for whom the blackness of the darkness has been reserved forever. (EXT)

Verse 14: “Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied about them: “See, the Lord is coming with thousands upon thousands of His holy ones, (EXT)

Verse 15: “To execute judgement upon all and to convict all the irreverent deeds which the irreverent have committed, and all of the harsh things these impious sinners have spoken against Him.” (EXT)

Verse 16: “These are grumblers, faultfinders, conducting themselves according to the standards of their own lusts, and their speech communicates an arrogance which flatters others for the sake of gaining an advantage.” (EXT)

Verse 17: “Now you, beloved, remember the spoken words which were previously taught by the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ,” (EXT)

Verse 18: “They were saying to you, “In the last time there will be mockers and scoffers, who will conduct themselves according to the standards of their own impious lusts.” (EXT)

Verse 19: “These are those who cause divisions, soulless, not having a human spirit.” (EXT)

Verse 20: “But you, beloved, keep building upon yourselves by means of Bible doctrine, praying regularly by means of the Holy Spirit,” (EXT)

Verse 21: “Keep yourselves in the love complex of God, waiting with anticipation for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ resulting in eternal life.” (EXT)

Verse 22: “Moreover, on the one hand, with reference to some, keep on refuting when they take issue you;” (EXT)

Verse 23: “On the other hand, save others by snatching them out from the fire,”; on the other hand, with reference to others, keep on showing mercy with fear, even hating his under-garments which are defiled with human excrement from the source of the flesh.” (EXT)

Verse 24: “Now, to the One Who has the ultimate power to preserve you from stumbling and to establish you unblemished in the presence of His glory with exceeding joy,” (EXT)

Verse 25: “to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.” (EXT)