

διάκονος

Transliteration

diakonos

Pronunciation

dē-ā'-ko-nos (Key)

Part of Speech

masculine/feminine noun

Root Word (Etymology)

Probably from an obsolete *diako* (to run on errands, cf *διώκω* (G1377))

Outline of Biblical Usage

- I. one who executes the commands of another, esp. of a master, a servant, attendant, minister
 - A. the servant of a king
 - B. a deacon, one who, by virtue of the office assigned to him by the church, cares for the poor and has charge of and distributes the money collected for their use
 - C. a waiter, one who serves food and drink

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KJV Translation Count — Total: 31x

The KJV translates Strong's G1249 in the following manner: minister (20x), servant (8x), deacon (3x).

Mat 20:26 But it shall not be so among you: but whosoever will be great among you, let him be your minister; ^{G1249}

Mat 22:13 Then said the king to the servants, ^{G1249} Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast *him* into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Mat 23:11 But he that is greatest among you shall be your servant. ^{G1249}

Mar 9:35 And he sat down, and called the twelve, and saith unto them, If any man desire to be first, *the same* shall be last of all, and servant ^{G1249} of all.

Mar 10:43 But so shall it not be among you: but whosoever will be great among you, shall be your minister: ^{G1249}

Jhn 2:5 His mother saith unto the servants, ^{G1249} Whatsoever he saith unto you, do *it*.

Jhn 2:9 When the ruler of the feast had tasted the water that was made wine, and knew not whence it was: (but the servants ^{G1249} which drew the water knew;) the governor of the feast called the bridegroom,

Jhn 12:26 If any man serve me, let him follow me; and where I am, there shall also my servant ^{G1249} be: if any man serve me, him will *my* Father honour.

Rom 13:4 For he is the minister ^{G1249} of God to thee for good. But if thou do that which is evil, be afraid; for he beareth not the sword in vain: for he is the minister ^{G1249} of God, a revenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil.

- Rom 15:8 Now I say that Jesus Christ was a minister ^{G1249} of the circumcision for the truth of God, to confirm the promises *made* unto the fathers:
- Rom 16:1 I commend unto you Phebe our sister, which is a servant ^{G1249} of the church which is at Cenchrea:
- 1Co 3:5 Who then is Paul, and who *is* Apollos, but ministers ^{G1249} by whom ye believed, even as the Lord gave to every man?
- 2Co 3:6 Who also hath made us able ministers ^{G1249} of the new testament; not of the letter, but of the spirit: for the letter killeth, but the spirit giveth life.
- 2Co 6:4 But in all *things* approving ourselves as the ministers ^{G1249} of God, in much patience, in afflictions, in necessities, in distresses,
- 2Co 11:15 Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers ^{G1249} also be transformed as the ministers ^{G1249} of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works.
- 2Co 11:23 Are they ministers ^{G1249} of Christ? (I speak as a fool) I *am* more; in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft.
- Gal 2:17 But if, while we seek to be justified by Christ, we ourselves also are found sinners, *is* therefore Christ the minister ^{G1249} of sin? God forbid.
- Eph 3:7 Whereof I was made a minister, ^{G1249} according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of his power.
- Eph 6:21 But that ye also may know my affairs, *and* how I do, Tychicus, a beloved brother and faithful minister ^{G1249} in the Lord, shall make known to you all things:
- Phi 1:1 Paul and Timotheus, the servants of Jesus Christ, to all the saints in Christ Jesus which are at Philippi, with the bishops and deacons: ^{G1249}
- Col 1:7 As ye also learned of Epaphras our dear fellowservant, who is for you a faithful minister ^{G1249} of Christ;
- Col 1:23 If ye continue in the faith grounded and settled, and *be* not moved away from the hope of the gospel, which ye have heard, *and* which was preached to every creature which is under heaven; whereof I Paul am made a minister; ^{G1249}
- Col 1:25 Whereof I am made a minister, ^{G1249} according to the dispensation of God which is given to me for you, to fulfil the word of God;
- Col 4:7 All my state shall Tychicus declare unto you, *who is* a beloved brother, and a faithful minister ^{G1249} and fellowservant in the Lord:
- 1Th 3:2 And sent Timotheus, our brother, and minister ^{G1249} of God, and our fellowlabourer in the gospel of Christ, to establish you, and to comfort you concerning your faith:
- 1Ti 3:8 Likewise *must* the deacons ^{G1249} *be* grave, not doubletongued, not given to much wine, not greedy of filthy lucre;
- 1Ti 3:12 Let the deacons ^{G1249} *be* the husbands of one wife, ruling their children and their own houses well.
- 1Ti 4:6 If thou put the brethren in remembrance of these things, thou shalt *be* a good minister ^{G1249} of Jesus Christ, nourished up in the words of faith and of good doctrine, whereunto thou hast attained.