

Exclamations and Conjunctions

Expanding Your Greek Vocabulary

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Exclamations: Syntactical Spice

- ἰδού, "look!, see!, behold!"
- ἰδέ, "look!, see!, behold!"
- οὐαί, "woe!, oh no!"
- γε, "indeed, at least, really, even"



Conjunctions: Syntactical Glue

- Crasis
 - *καὶ γάρ*, "and I, but I"
 - *οὔτε/οὔδε*, "and not, not even, neither, nor"
- Because
 - *διότι*, "because"
 - *γάρ*, "for, because"
- So, therefore
 - *διό*, "therefore, for this reason"
 - *ἄρα*, "so, then, therefore"
- *μήποτε*, "lest, otherwise, or else"



Conjunctions: Syntactical Glue

- **πλήν**, "however, but, only, nevertheless, except"
- **μέν**, "on the one hand; indeed"
 - **μεν...δε...** "on the one hand...on the other hand..."
 - Σιμων **μεν** πατηρ, υίος **δε** και αὐτος.
 - "On the one hand Simon is a father, but on the other hand he is also a son."

