

12 **Romans Lesson 55 11:5-10**

Verses 9-10:

9 And David saith, (Ps. 69:21-23)

Let their table be made a snare, and a trap,
and a stumblingblock, (Ps. 118:22, Is. 28:16)

and a recompence unto them: (Deut. 32:35, Heb. 2:2)

10 Let their eyes be darkened,

that they may not see,

and bow down their back (Is. 46:2, 51:23)

always. (Col. 4:6, 1 Th. 2:16, Heb. 3:10)

13 **Romans Lesson 56 11:11-15**

11 I say then, Have they stumbled that they should fall? God forbid: but *rather* through their fall salvation *is come* unto the Gentiles, for to provoke them to jealousy. 12 Now if the fall of them *be* the riches of the world, and the diminishing of them the riches of the Gentiles; how much more their fulness? 13 For I speak to you Gentiles, inasmuch as I am the apostle of the Gentiles, I magnify mine office: 14 If by any means I may provoke to emulation *them which are* my flesh, and might save some of them. 15 For if the casting away of them *be* the reconciling of the world, what *shall* the receiving *of them be*, but life from the dead? Romans 11:11-15

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Verse 11:

11 I say then, Have they stumbled that they should fall? God forbid:

but *rather* through their fall salvation *is come* unto the Gentiles, (Ac. 28:28)

for to provoke them to jealousy. (Rom. 10:19, Deut. 32:21, 1 Cor. 10:22, 2 Cor. 11:2)

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Verses 12-13:

12 Now if the fall of them *be* the riches of the world, (Ps.73:12, Matt. 13:22, 1 Tim. 6:17)

and the diminishing (FM: Ex. 5:8, Deut. 4:2, Pr. 13:11, Ezek. 5:11, 29:15)

of them the riches of the Gentiles; (Is. 61:6, Eph. 3:8, Col. 1:26-27)

how much more their fulness? (Num. 18:27, Rom. 11:25)

13 For I speak to you Gentiles,

inasmuch as I am the apostle of the Gentiles, (Rom. 15:16)

I magnify mine office: (Ac. 9:15)

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Verse 14:

14 If by any means (1 Cor. 9:22)

I may provoke to emulation (*see next slide*) *them which are* my flesh,

and might save some of them. (10:33, 1 Tim. 4:16)

17 **Unique Word #43 Emulation**

Emulation. This word appears once in the KJB in the singular, and once in the plural form.

Rom. 11:14 "If by any means I may provoke to emulation *them which are* my flesh,

and might save some of them.”

Gal. 5:20 “Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies,”

By comparing scripture with scripture, one can see the KJB defines emulation as jealousy in the immediate context.

Rom. 11:11 “I say then, Have they stumbled that they should fall? God forbid: but *rather* through their fall salvation *is come* unto the Gentiles, for to provoke them to jealousy.”

Emulation is also defined in the remote context:

Rom. 10:19 “But I say, Did not Israel know? First Moses saith, I will provoke you to jealousy by *them that are* no people, *and* by a foolish nation I will anger you.”

MS98 has the addition of *means* from the Geneva NT and the addition of emulation from the Rheims NT. Note in Table 43 below that the only reference source that has any word in the place of emulation is Coverdale 1535 with *zele* (zeal). The KJB translators select emulation over zeal at Rom. 11:14. See Table 43 below. There is one verse in the KJB where both zealous and jealousy appear.

Num. 25:11 “Phinehas, the son of Eleazar, the son of Aaron the priest, hath turned my wrath away from the children of Israel, while he was zealous for my sake among them, that I consumed not the children of Israel in my jealousy.” Margin: Heb. *with my zeal*.

18 Unique Word #43 Emulation

Strong's Greek Dictionary 3863. παραζηλω parazeloo *par-ad-zay-lo'-o* from 3844 and 2206; to stimulate alongside, i.e. excite to rivalry;—provoke to emulation (jealousy). *The Gk Παραζηλω appears 7 times in the TR and translated will provoke and, to jealousy at Rom. 10:19; as provoke and to jealousy at Rom. 11:11; as I may provoke to emulation at Rom. 11:14; as Do we provoke and to jealousy at 1 Cor. 10:22 in the KJB. JW.*

Strong's Greek Dictionary 2205. ζηλος *zelay'-los* from 2204; properly, heat, i.e. (figuratively) “zeal” (in a favorable sense, ardor; in an unfavorable one, jealousy, as of a husband (figuratively, of God), or an enemy, malice);—emulation, envy(-ing), fervent mind, indignation, jealousy, zeal. *The Gk ζηλος appears seventeen times in the TR and transliterated as zeal 6 times. Also translated as envy, envying, envying fervent mind, indignation, jealousy. ζηλος is translated once as emulations in the KJB. JW.*

19 Romans Lesson 56 11:11-15

Verse 15:

15 For if the casting away of them (11:1-3, Is. 5:24, Jer. 33:26, Ezek. 18:29-32)
be the reconciling of the world, (5:10, 2 Cor. 5:18-20, Col. 1:20-22)
what *shall* the receiving of *them be*, (11:12, Heb. 11:18-19)
but life from the dead? (Jn. 12:9, 20:9, Ac. 17:3, 1 Pe. 1:3, 23)