

37 **2 Corinthians Lesson 40**

Chapter 11:11-15

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11 Wherefore? because I love you not? God knoweth. 12 But what I do, that I will do, that I may cut off occasion from them which desire occasion; that wherein they glory, they may be found even as we. 13 For such *are* false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. 14 And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. 15 Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works. 2 Corinthians 11:11-15

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Verse 11:

11 Wherefore? because I love you not? God knoweth. (2 Co 6:11, 7:3, 12:15)

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Verse 12:

12 But what I do, that I will do, (1 Co 9:12, 18)

that I may cut off (Ga 5:12)

occasion from them which desire occasion;

that wherein they glory, (Ga 1:17, Php 1:15-16)

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Verse 13:

13 For such *are* false apostles, (Ac 15:1, 24, Ga 2:4, 2 Pe 2:1)

deceitful workers, (Php 3:2, 1 Co 15:12, 2 Co 11:22, Ti 1:10-11)

transforming themselves (Lk 6:13, Ro 1:1)

into the apostles of Christ. (1 Jn 4:1, Re 2:2)

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Verse 14:

14 And no marvel;

for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light.

(Is 14:12, Re 22:16)

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Verse 15:

15 Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness;

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- Philippians 3:19 "Whose end *is* destruction, whose God *is* their belly, and whose glory *is* in their shame, who mind earthly things.)"

53 **Unique Word - #166 Transformed**

Transformed, transforming. This word appears four times in the KJB in two different forms.

Transform originated with GEN at 2 Cor. 11:13, 14 and 15. It was subsequently used by the KJB

translators at Rom. 12:2 and the same verses in 2 Cor. 11. See Table 166 below. It is worth noting here also that MS98 had transformed in the first part of Rom.12:2, but the KJB translators selected the RHE conformed instead. For more on conformed see #29 conformed.

The KJB defines transform at Phil.3:21:

"Who shall change our vile body, that it may be fashioned like unto his glorious body, according to the working whereby he is able even to subdue all things unto himself."

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SOED-transform /0trans'fɔ:m, trɑ:ns-, -nz-/ verb. ME. [ORIGIN Old French and Modern French transformer or Latin transformare, formed as trans- + form verb¹.] 1 verb trans. Change the form, shape, or appearance of; alter the character or nature of. ME.

Strong's Greek Dictionary 3345. μετασχηματιζω metaschematizo *met-askh-ay-mat-id'-zo* from 3326 and a derivative of 4976; to transfigure or disguise; figuratively, to apply (by accommodation): — transfer, transform (self). *The GK μετασχηματιζω is used five times in the TR and is translated once as transferred at 1 Cor.4:6 in the KJB. The other four times it is translated as transforming (2 Cor.11:13), transformed (2 Cor.11:14 and 15), and as shall change (Phil. 3:21). See previous word, #165 Transferred. JW.*