

Study a Word Using a Morphology Search

See the module with the title, “Study a Word Using a Reverse Interlinear”, for another way to do a morphology search.

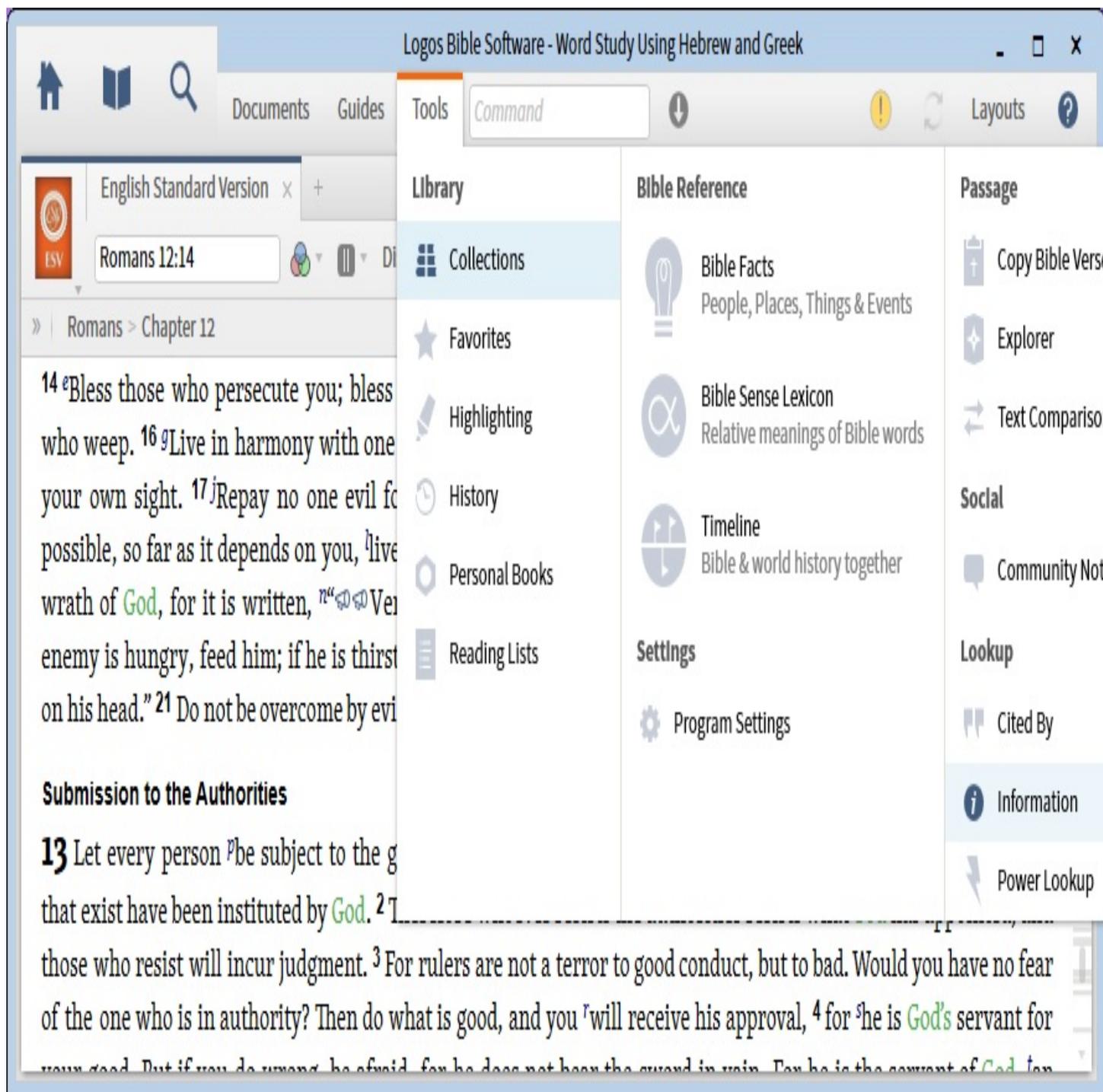
See the module with the title, “Studying English Words Using the Bible Word Study Guide”, to learn how to use the Bible Word Study to study a word.

The form of a word is called its **morphology**. Sometimes you need to know whether a word is singular or plural. Or you may need to know whether the tense of a word is past, present, or future. Or you may need to know other different meanings of a word. Identifying these differences is discovering the **morphology** of a word.

Here are some tools in Logos Bible Software that help you a morphology search.

Find Information for a Word

Open the *English Standard Version*. Enter the Bible verse *Romans 12:14*. Select **Tools** in the menu. Then select **Information** under **Lookup** in the lower right, as shown here.



A window pane will open to the right, with the title *Information*. Next, move the mouse cursor over the word *Bless*, the first word

in verse 14. The details for the word, *Bless*, are displayed in the Information pane, as shown here.

The screenshot shows the Logos Bible Software interface. The main window displays the text of Romans 12:14 and the beginning of Romans 13. The right-hand pane shows the 'Information' tab for the word 'Bless', including its definition, translated versions (NIV, ESV, NASB95, NRSV, NLT, LEB), and its morphology: 'verb, present, active, imperative, second person, plural'. The Louw-Nida number 33.470 is also visible.

You can see a definition for the word *ble**ss*, followed by ways the word is translated. Note that the Louw-Nida number for this word is identified by the number, 33.470. If you click on "Louw-Nida", the resource, "Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament based on Semantic Domains", will open to 33.470.

Next the morphology is shown for the word, "ble*ss*", with the following information: "verb, present, active, imperative, second person, plural". If you scroll down on the Information pane, you will see "Strong's Greek #2127". This is followed by "Louw Nida 33.470", and a list of Bible verses that contain the word "ble*ss*" with this particular morphology.

Specific Morphology Search

Now, let's assume you want to find all of the verbs that have the same morphology as the word "ble*ss*", as used in Romans 12:14. Right click on the word "Bless", and you will see the following popup window:

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Documents Guides Tools Command

English Standard Version x +

Romans 12:21 Display

Romans > Chapter 12 Article

14 **Bless** those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. 15 Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Do not associate with the ungodly. Do what is honorable in the Lord's sight. 19 Beloved, do not avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of the Lord, for he will repay them. 20 Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

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Search all open resources	Root	λεγω
Search entire library	Morph	VPAM2P
Morph Search: εὐλογέω	Greek Strong's	Strong's Greek #2127
Morph Search: εὐλογέω@VPAM2P	Louw-Nida	Louw Nida 33.470
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Bible Word Study	Person	Church at Rome
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Note that the morphology, or "Morph", for the word *Bless* is "VPAM2P". To search for other words that have this same

morphology, select the magnifying glass icon, . In the "Find" slot, enter the "@" symbol, by holding down the *shift* key and press 2. After this, enter "VPAM2P". Also select **Morph** in the upper-right of the Search pane. The following information is shown:

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Documents Guides Tools Command

English Standard Version Search × +

Graph results | Make Filter Basic Bible Image Clause Morph

Search **All Morph Text** in **Matthew-John** in **ESV** with **Logos Greek M...** for

@VPAM2P

Part of Speech	Tense	Voice	Mood	Person	Number	Case	Gender
Adverb	Aorist	Active	Indicative	First Person	Dual	Accusative	Feminine
Conjunction	Future	Middle	Imperative	Second Person	Plural	Dative	Masculine
Article	Imperfect	Passive	Infinitive	Third Person	Singular	Genitive	Neuter
Interjection	Pluperfect	Either Middle or Passive	Optative			Nominative	
Adjective	Present		Participle			Vocative	
Noun	Perfect		Subjunctive				
Preposition	Future Perfect						
Pronoun							
Particle							
Verb							
Indeclinable							

lemma:λόγος@NNSM

Surface Form
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Bible or non-Bible, or choose All Resources and a specific Morphology.

5. Choose and edit a Search Suggestion, type your own query,

You will see that the part of speech is Verb (V), the tense is Present (P), the voice is Active (A), the mood is Imperative (M), the person is Second Person (2), and the number is Plural (P).

You can change the search string, "Search **All Morph Text** in **Matthew-John** in **ESV** with **Logos Greek M...** for", if you prefer. Each of these bold, blue, short strings can be modified.

Search All Morph Text in Matthew-John in English Standard

@VPA

Find

SEARCH FIELDS

Surface Text

Words of Christ

Now, if you only want to search the "Surface Text", which is text that is visible using the default view settings, click the box on the left. Also, you can limit the search to just the "Words of Christ".

Now, click on the substring, "Matthew-John". You will see the following dropdown window:

Matthew–John in ESV with Logos Greek Mor... for

All Passages

Matthew–John

COMMON DIVISIONS

Entire Bible (Gen–4 Macc)

Old and New Testament (Gen–Rev)

Old Testament (Gen–Mal)

New Testament (Matt–Rev)

Apocrypha (Tobit–4 Macc)

Law (Gen–Deut)

Histories (Josh–Esther, Tobit–Gk Esth, 1 Macc...

Nevi'im (Josh–Judg, 1 Sam–2 Kings, Isa–Jer, E...

Kethuvim (Ruth, 1 Chron–Song, Lam, Dan)

Former Prophets (Josh–Judg, 1 Sam–2 Kings)

Latter Prophets (Isa–Jer, Ezek, Hos–Mal)

Poetic Books (Job–Song)

Poetic Writings (Job–Prov)

Megilloth (Ruth, Esther, Eccles–Song, Lam)

New reference range

Range title

Save

You can narrow your search to “Entire Bible”, or to a particular subgroup of books, such as “Old Testament”, “New Testament”, “Law”, or other selections. You can even define your own subgroup by entering the range in the subpane, “New reference range”, and by giving a name to your new subgroup by entering a name in the subpane, “Range title”.

Now, click on the substring, “ESV”, (English Standard Version), to select a different resource to be searched. You will see the following dropdown window:

ESV with Logos Greek Mor... for

Search In 

All Resources

All Open Resources

OPEN RESOURCES

ESV English Standard Version

COLLECTIONS

Ron's English Bibles

TAGS AND RATINGS

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SERIES

Lexham Discourse Bible

ALL MORPH RESOURCES

AGNT	Analytical Greek New Testament
BHS SESB 2.0	Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia :...
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UBS4	The Greek New Testament, Four...
LDGNT	The Lexham Discourse Greek N...
LDHB	The Lexham Discourse Hebrew...
LEB	The Lexham English Bible
NASB95	New American Standard Bible:...

You can narrow your search to any one of the selections shown in the list.

Finally, click on the substring, "Logos Greek M...", to select one of three morphologies for the search. You will see the following dropdown window:

Logos Greek M... for

Aramaic

Logos Aramaic Morphology

Greek

Logos Greek Morphology

Hebrew

Logos Hebrew Morphology

Once you have narrowed down your search, click the mouse on the right arrow, . The chart that is generated lists the Bible verses that contain words with the morphology, "VPAM2P", in this case.