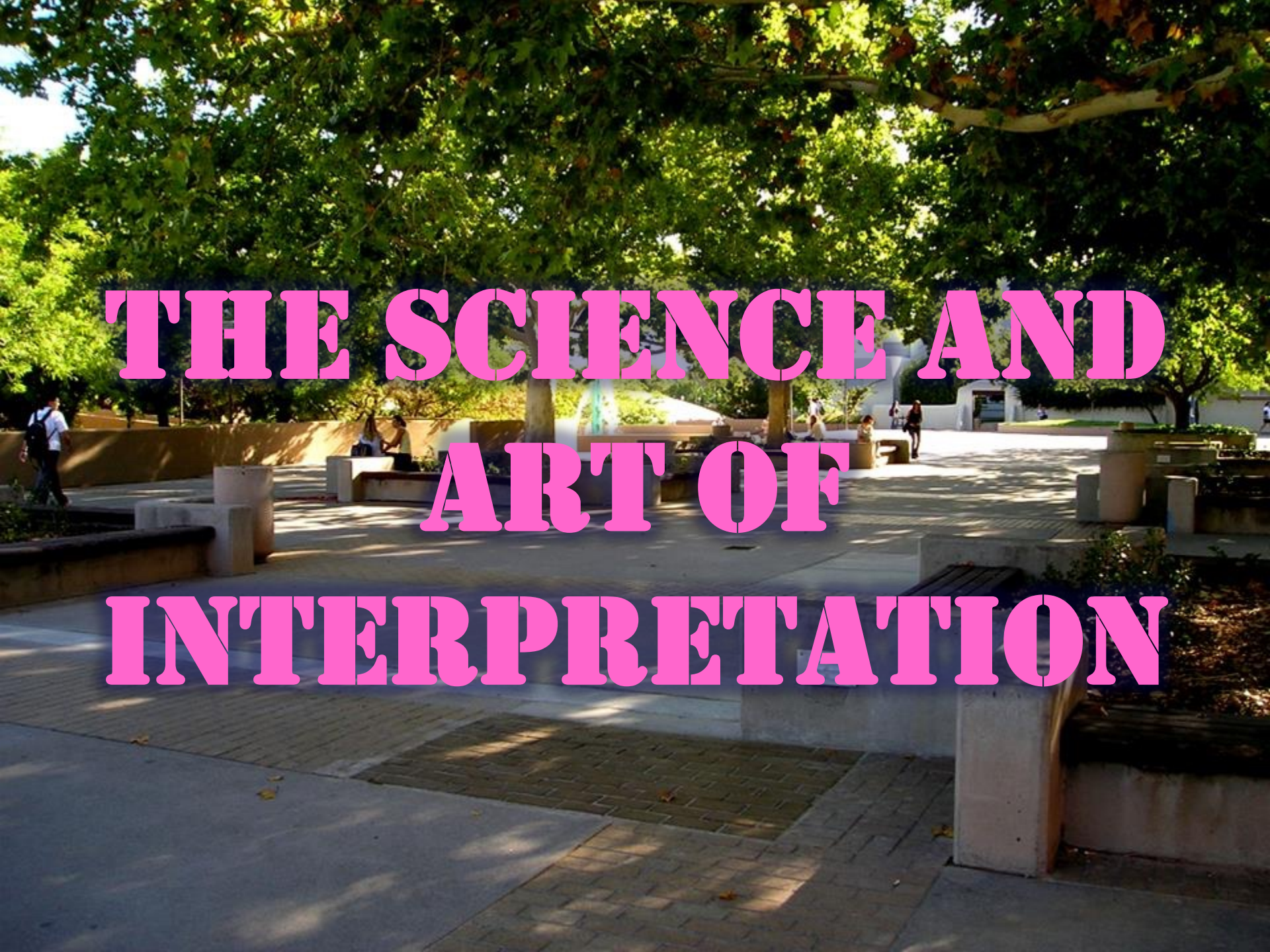


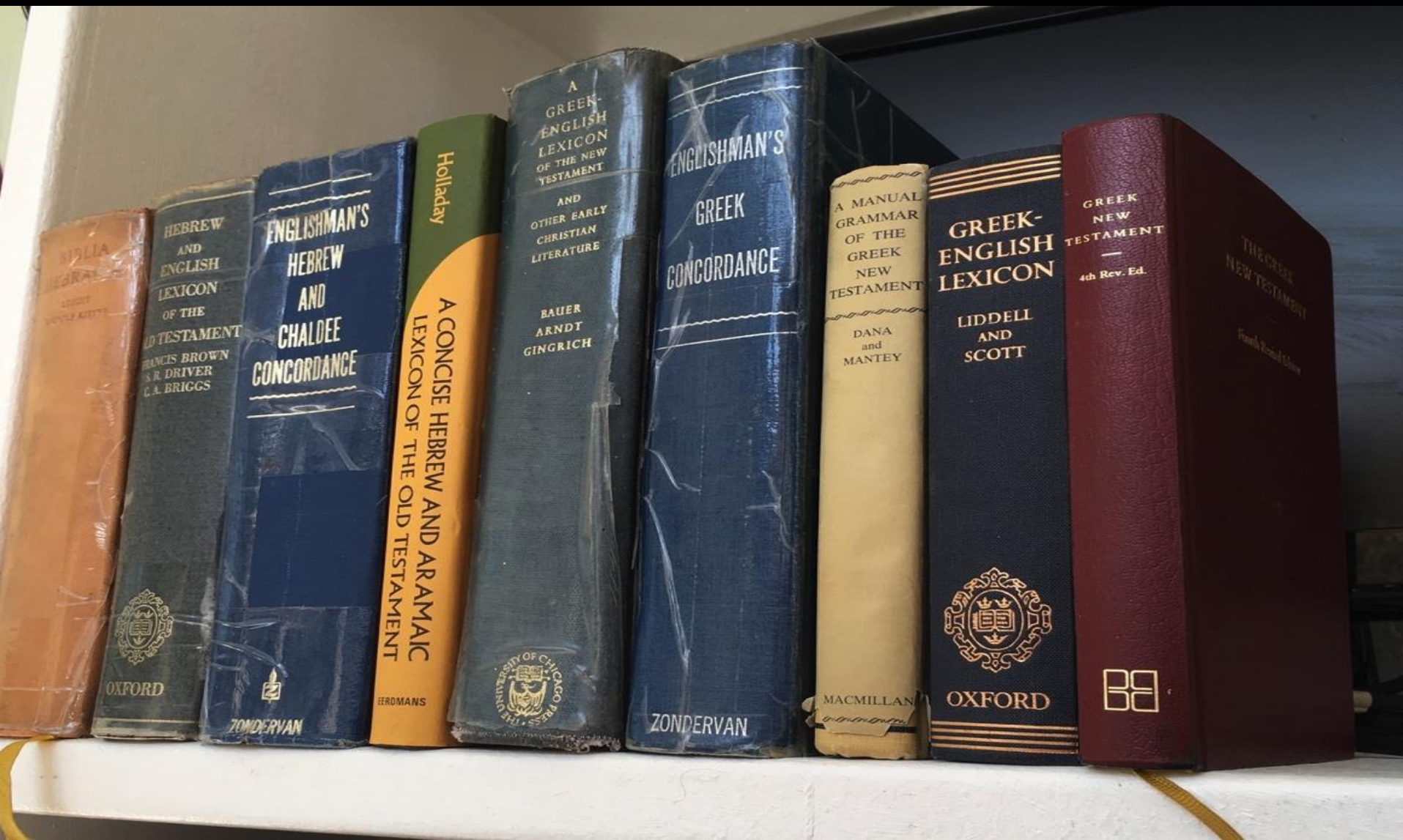
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THE SCIENCE AND ART OF INTERPRETATION

EXEGESIS



INTERPRETATION



**Seeking the Author's
Willed Meaning**

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Verbal Inspiration

MEANING

- Usage - range of meaning
- Context - determines meaning
- Etymology - limitations
- Synonyms - useful

MISTAKES

- 1. Illegitimate Totality Transfer**
- 2. Root Fallacy**
- 3. Dominant Meaning**
- 4. Semantic Anachronism**
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Thinking God's Thoughts

GRAMMATICAL ANALYSIS

➤ Basic Analysis

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- 2. Identify Clauses**
- 3. Identify Subjects & Verbs**
- 4. Other Grammatical Issues**

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- Mechanical Layout

MECHANICAL **LAYOUT**

**Rewrite the text in a form
that will reveal the
grammatical structure**

MECHANICAL LAYOUT

Independent Clauses

Subordinate Clauses

Modifiers - ptcp, preps, etc

Lists

Coordinate Clauses



GRAMMATICAL **ANALYSIS**

- Basic Analysis
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- Diagramming

DIAGRAMMING

**Graphically portray each
word of the sentence**

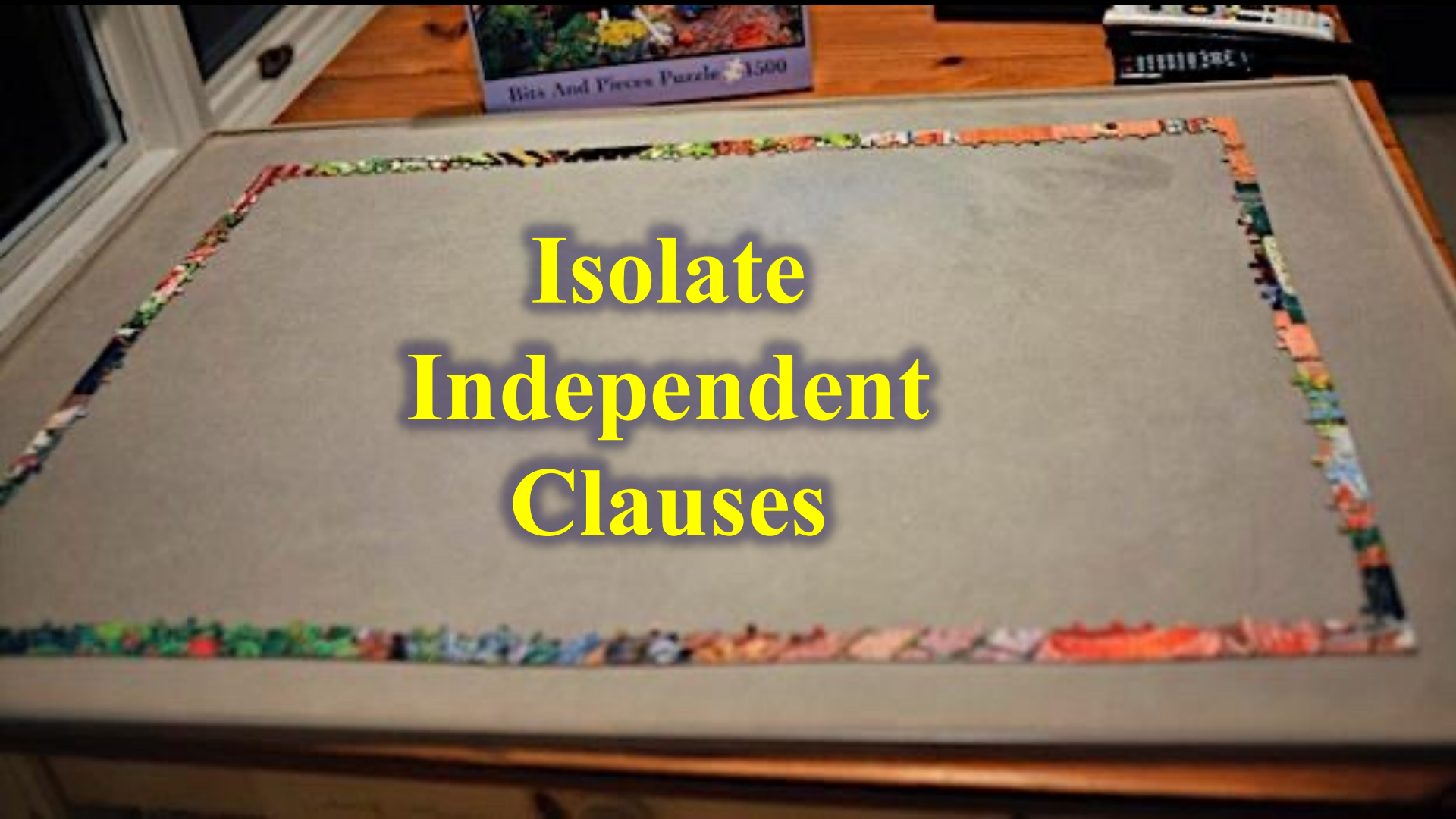


Lots of letters & words

Isolate Complete Sentences



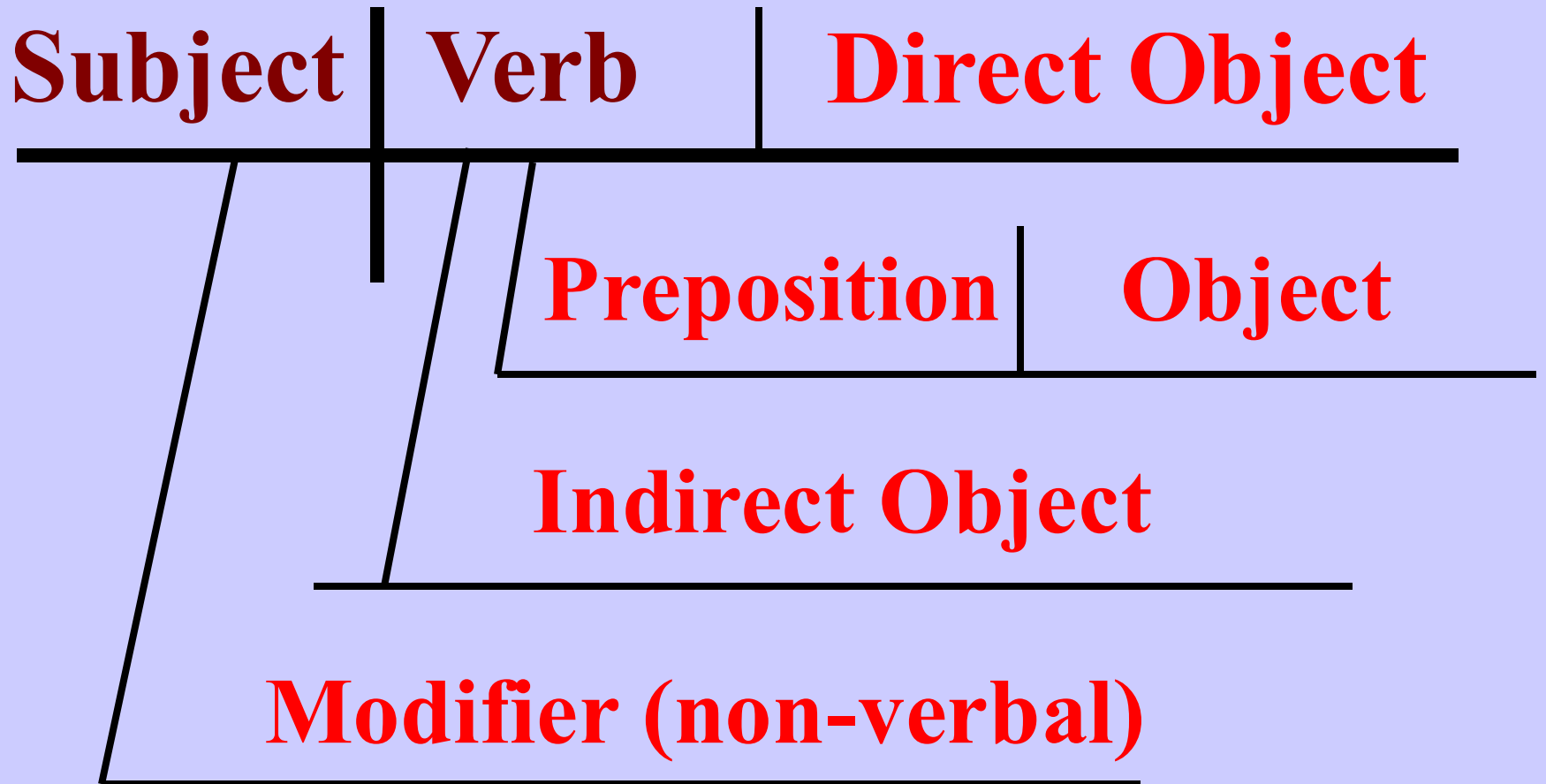
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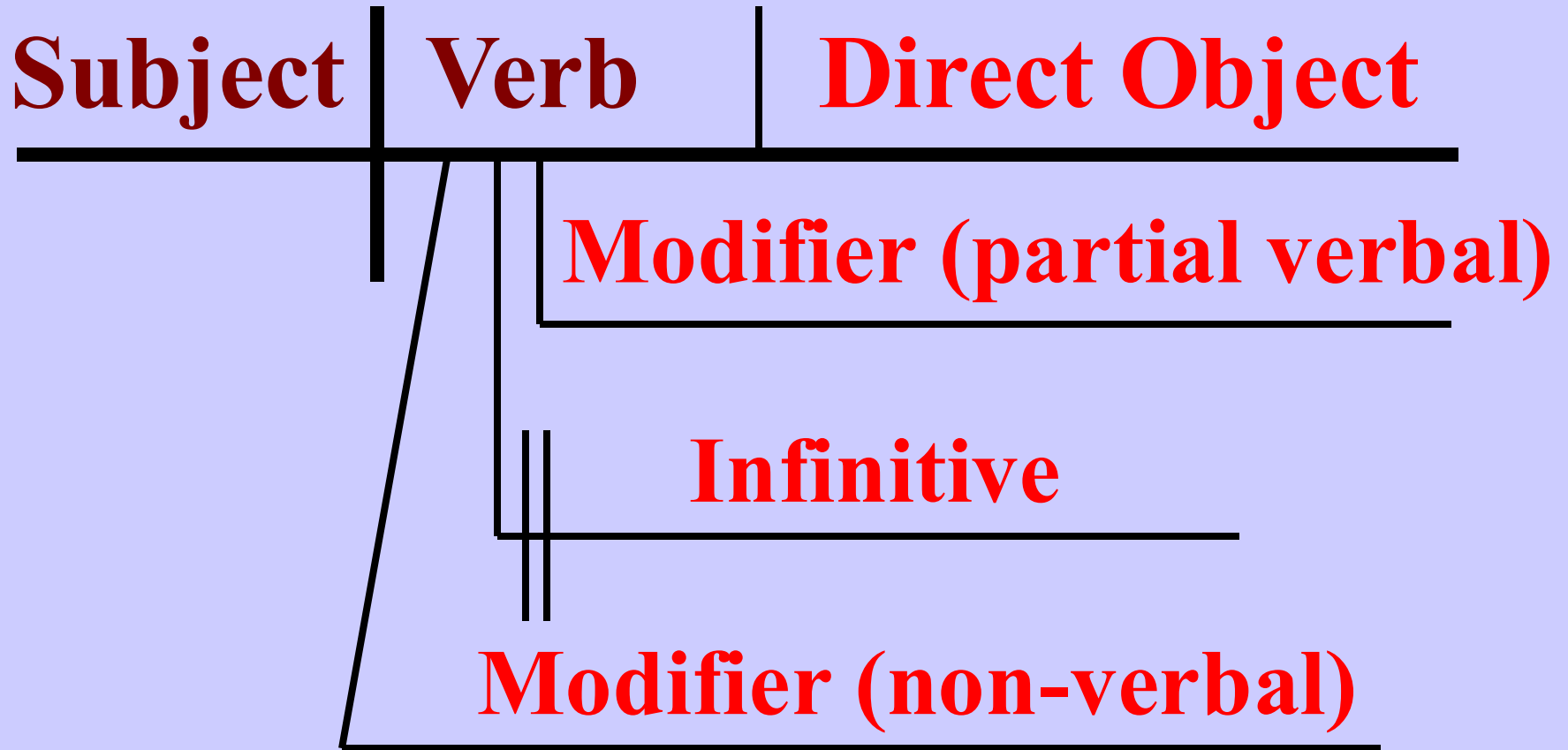
Find Subject & Verb





Find Word Relationships





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Coord. Conj.

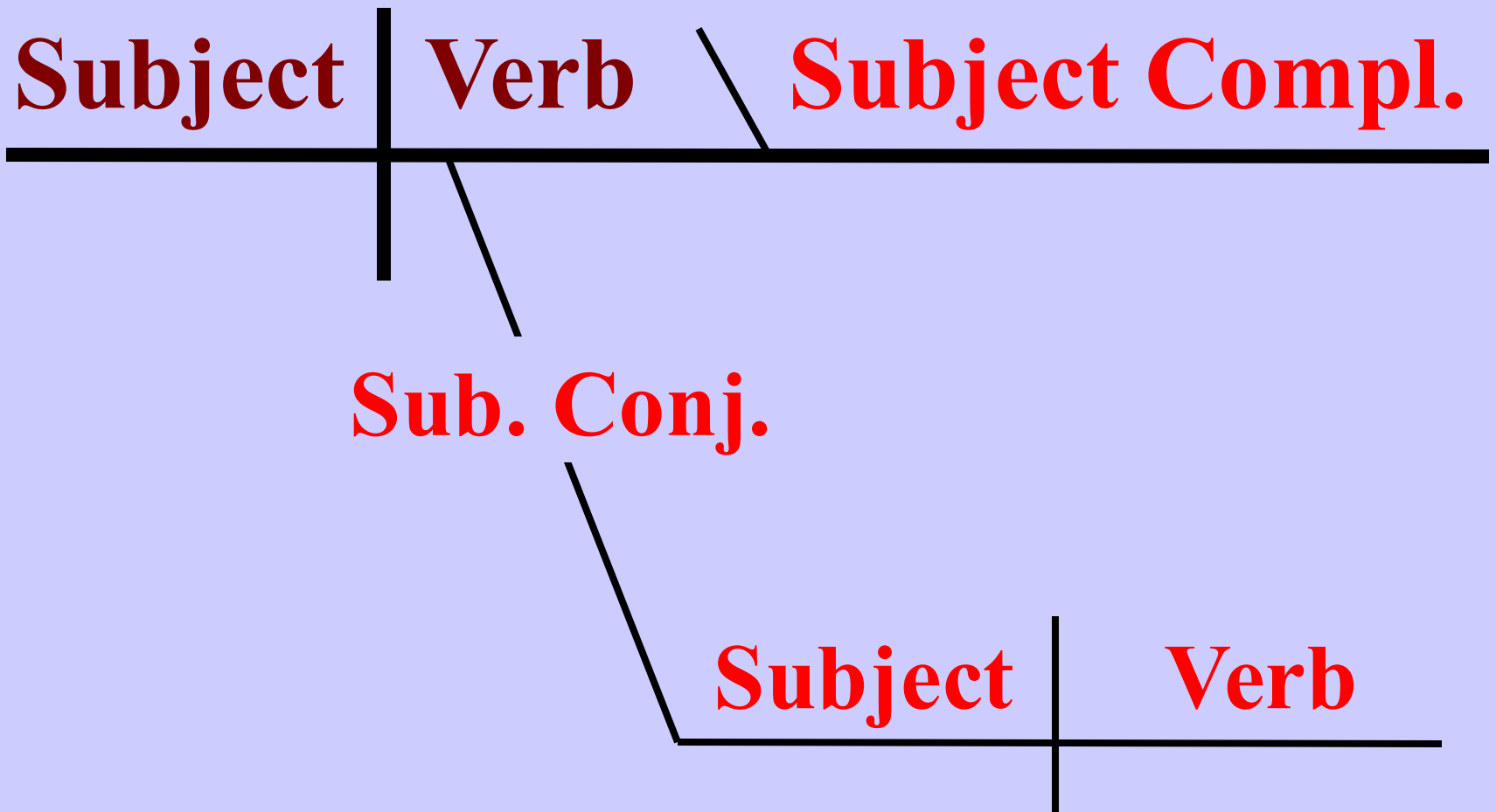
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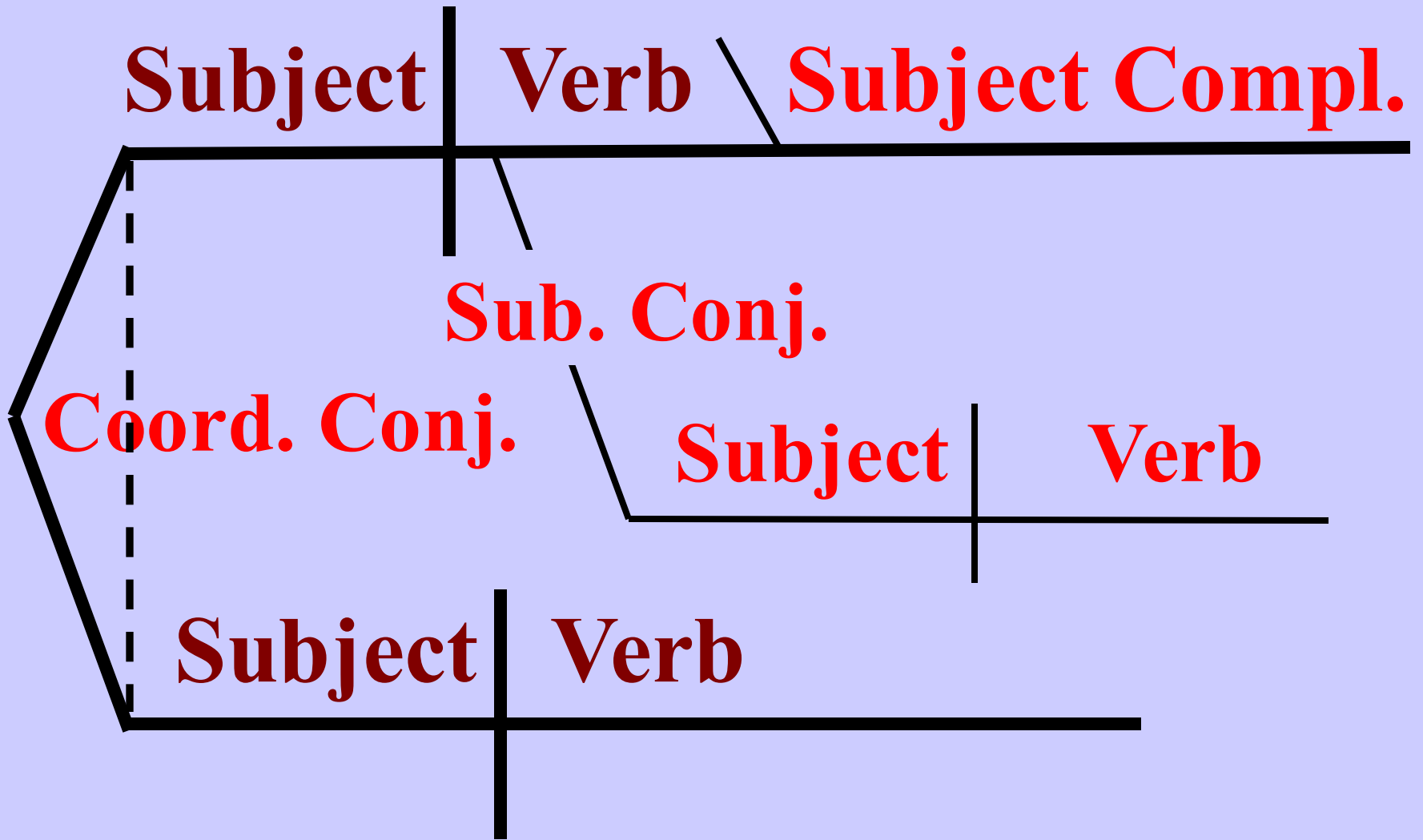
Verb

Term = Appositive

Subordinate Clauses







Vocative

Subject

Verb

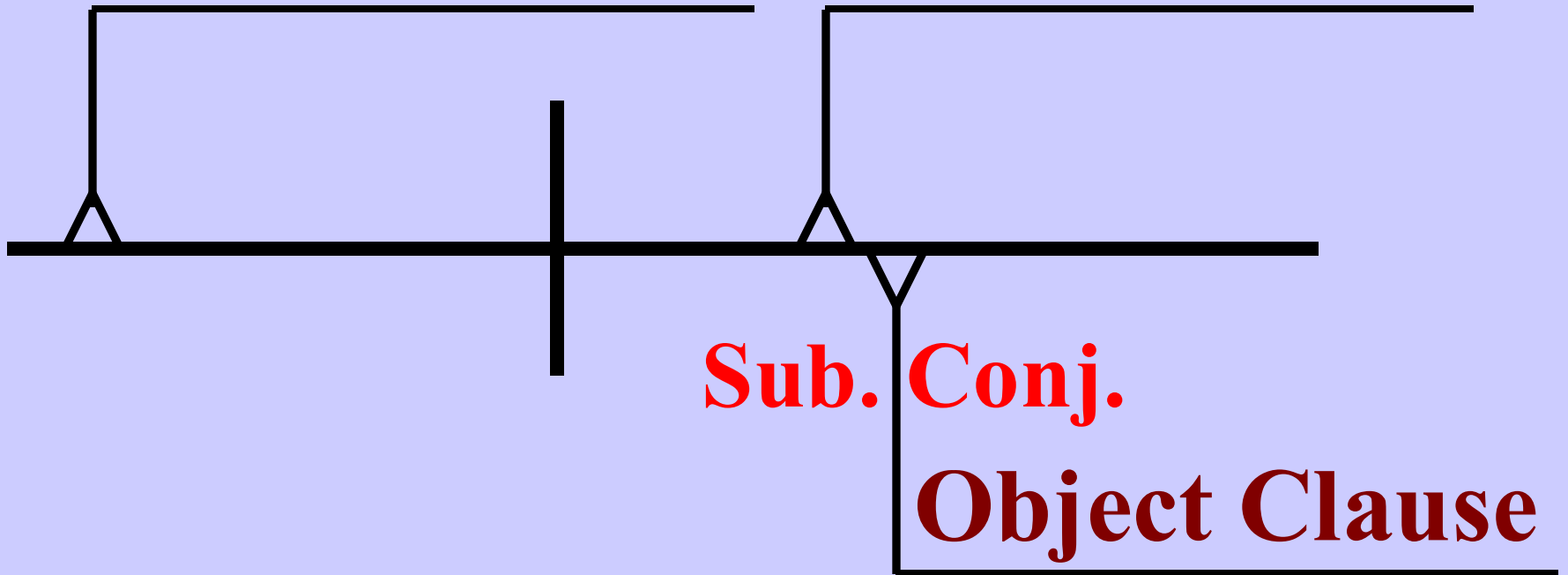
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Verb Clause



Every Word Has its Place



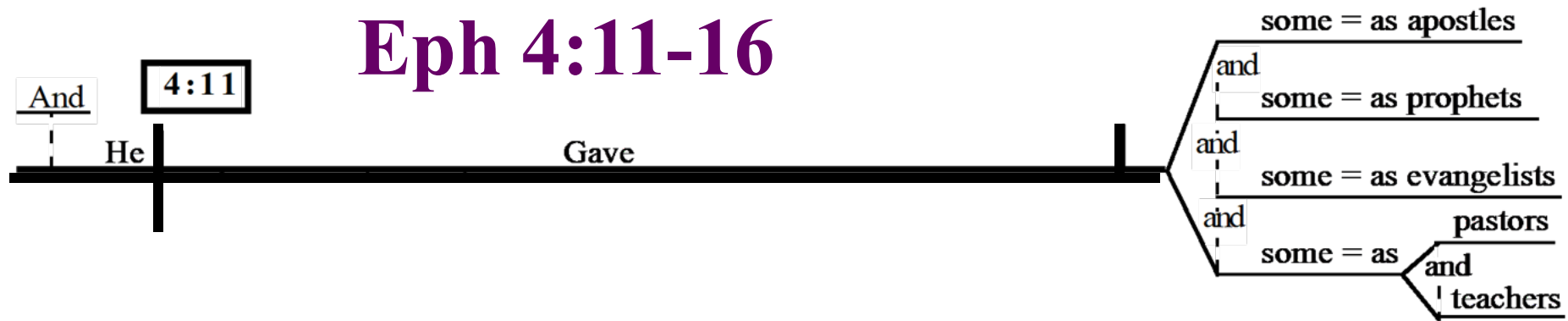
DIAGRAMMING

- 1. Reveals Grammatical Structure**
- 2. Forces decisions for every word**
- 3. Basic work sheet for all analysis**
- 4. Brings analysis & synthesis together**
- 5. Basis for exegetical outline**

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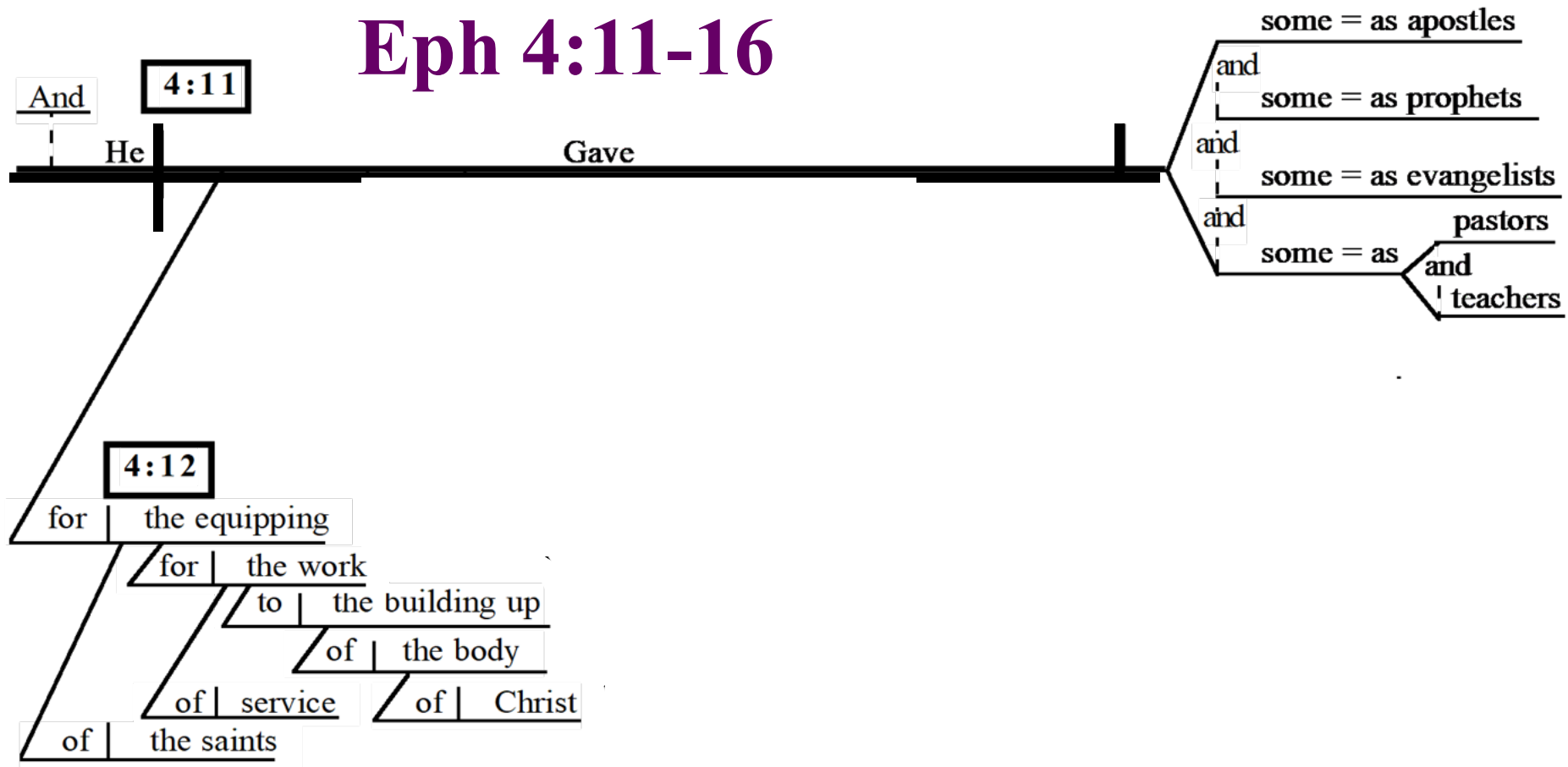
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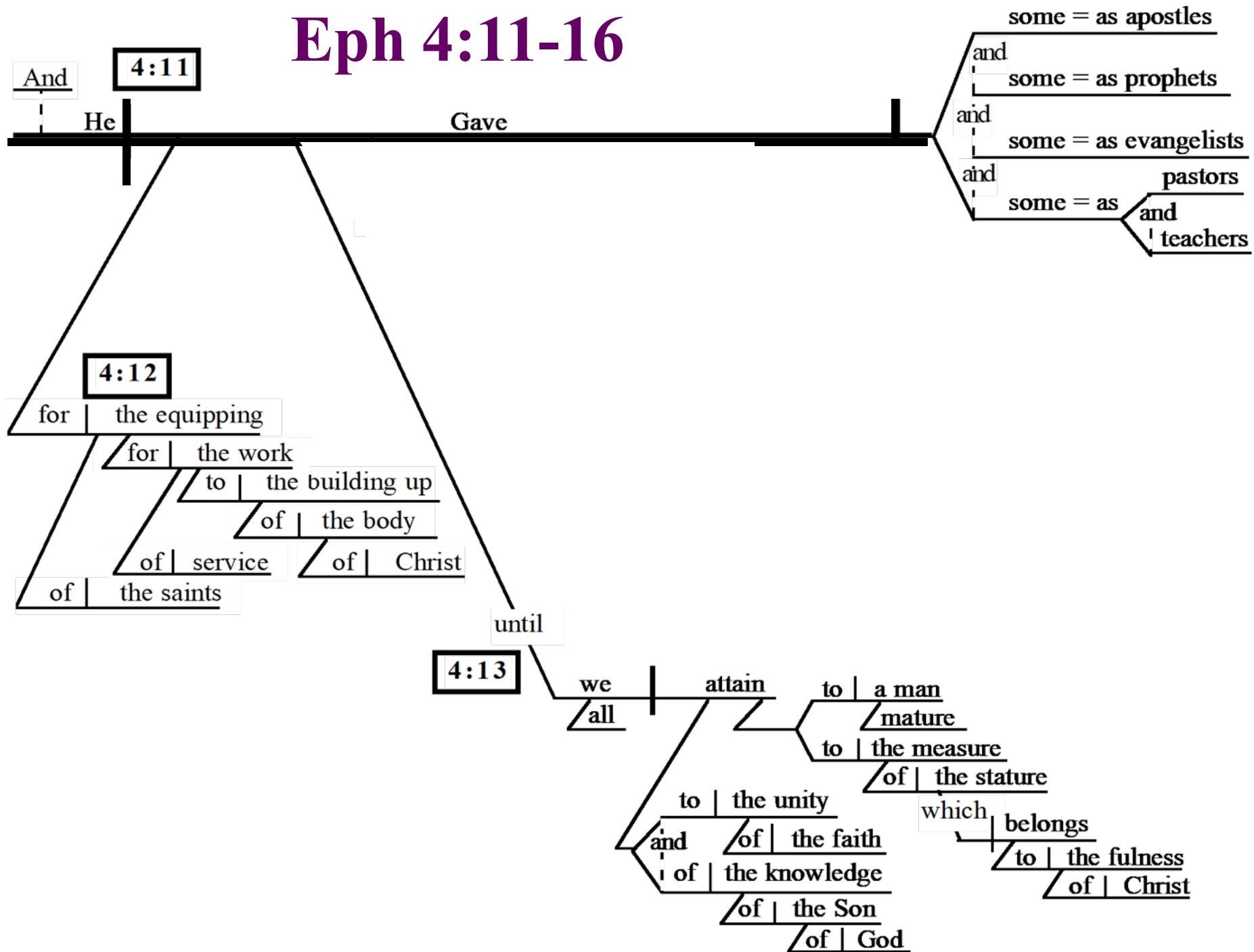
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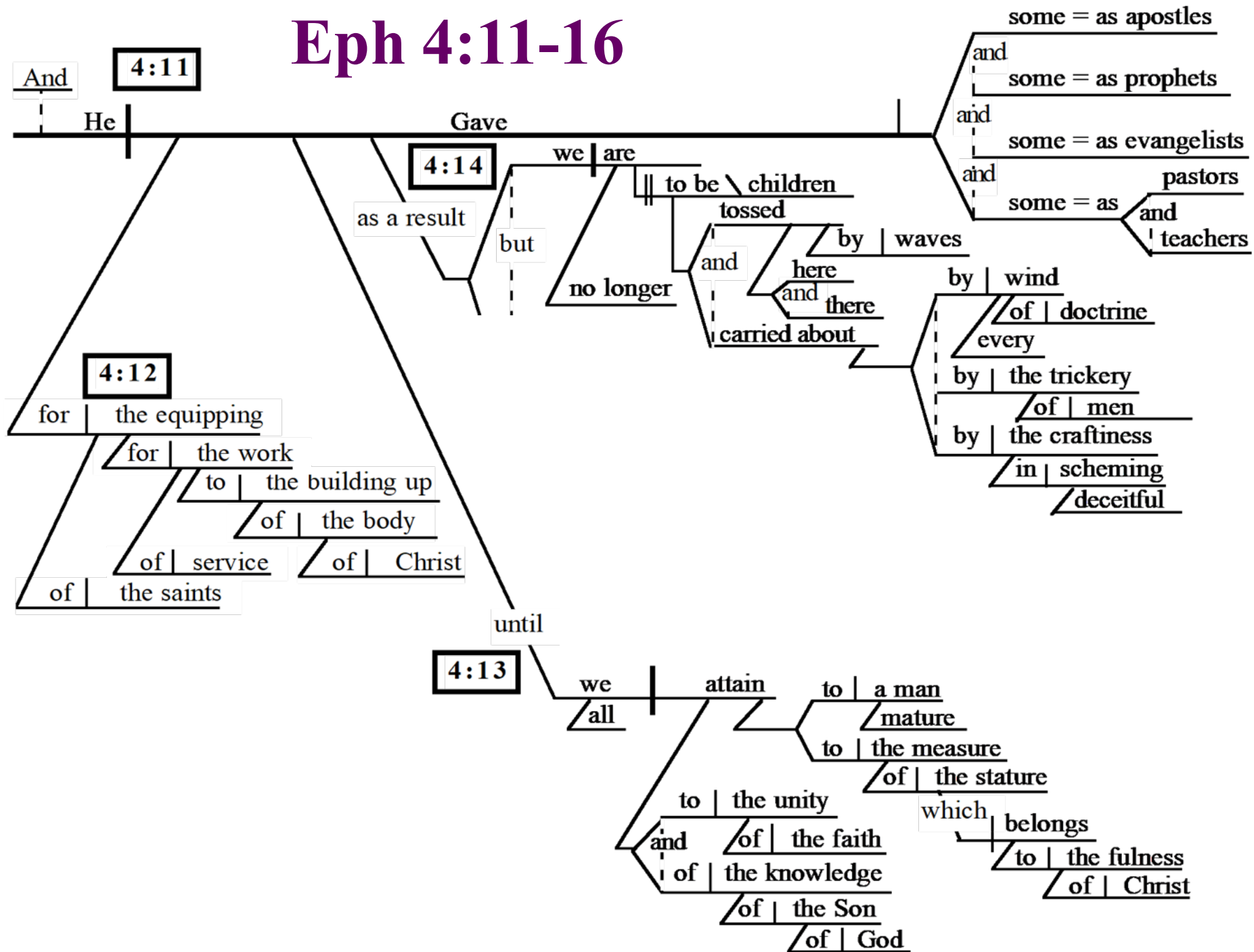
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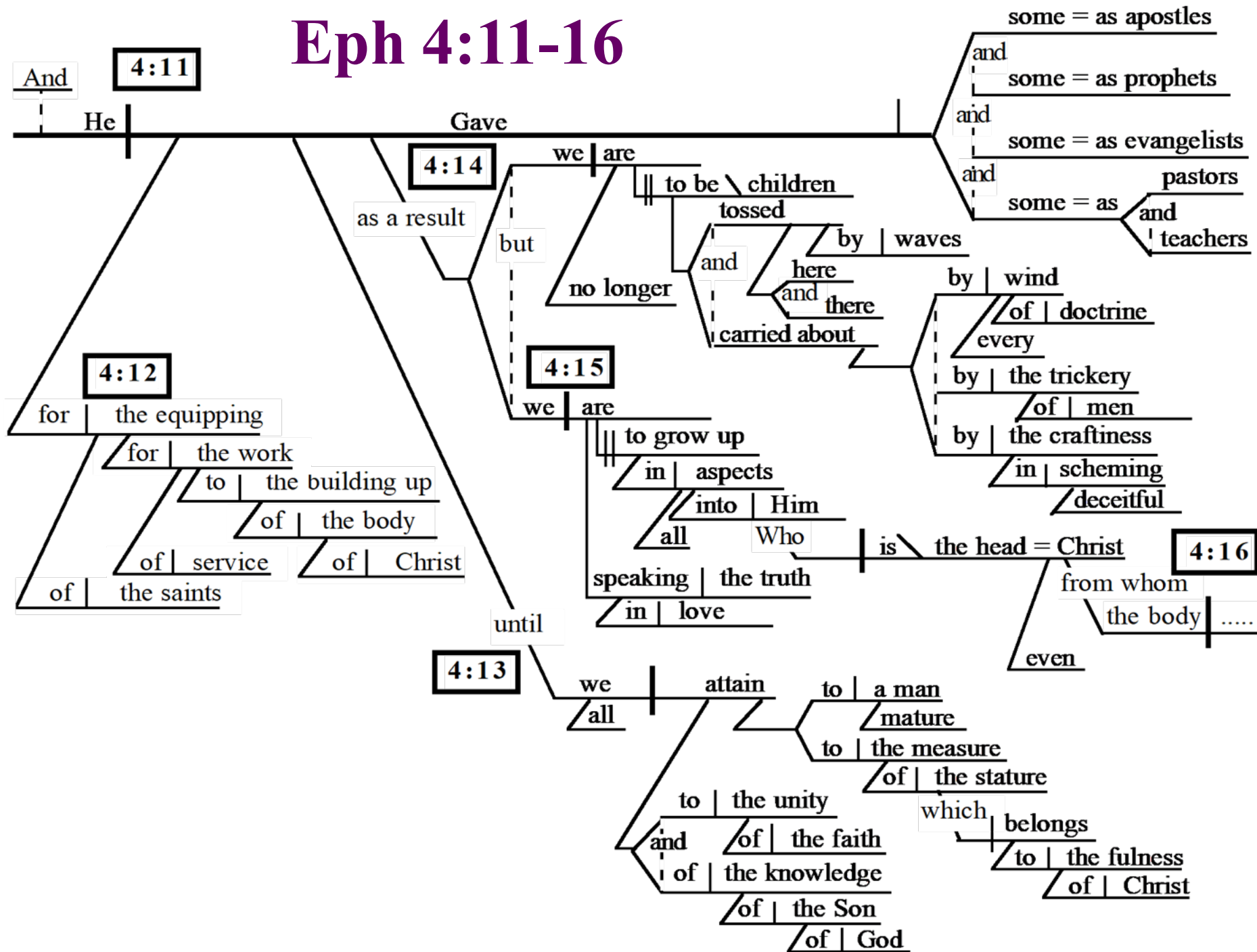
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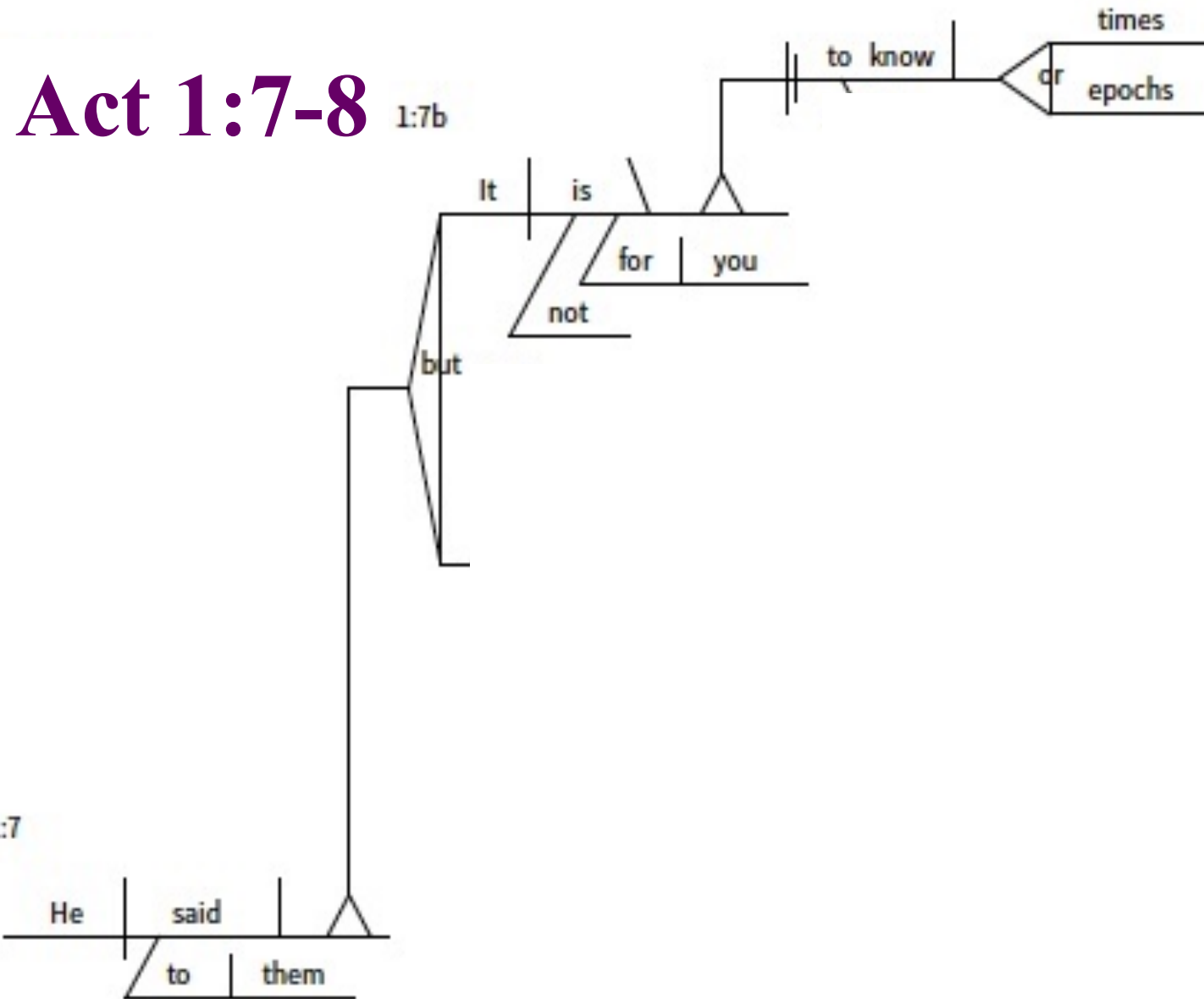
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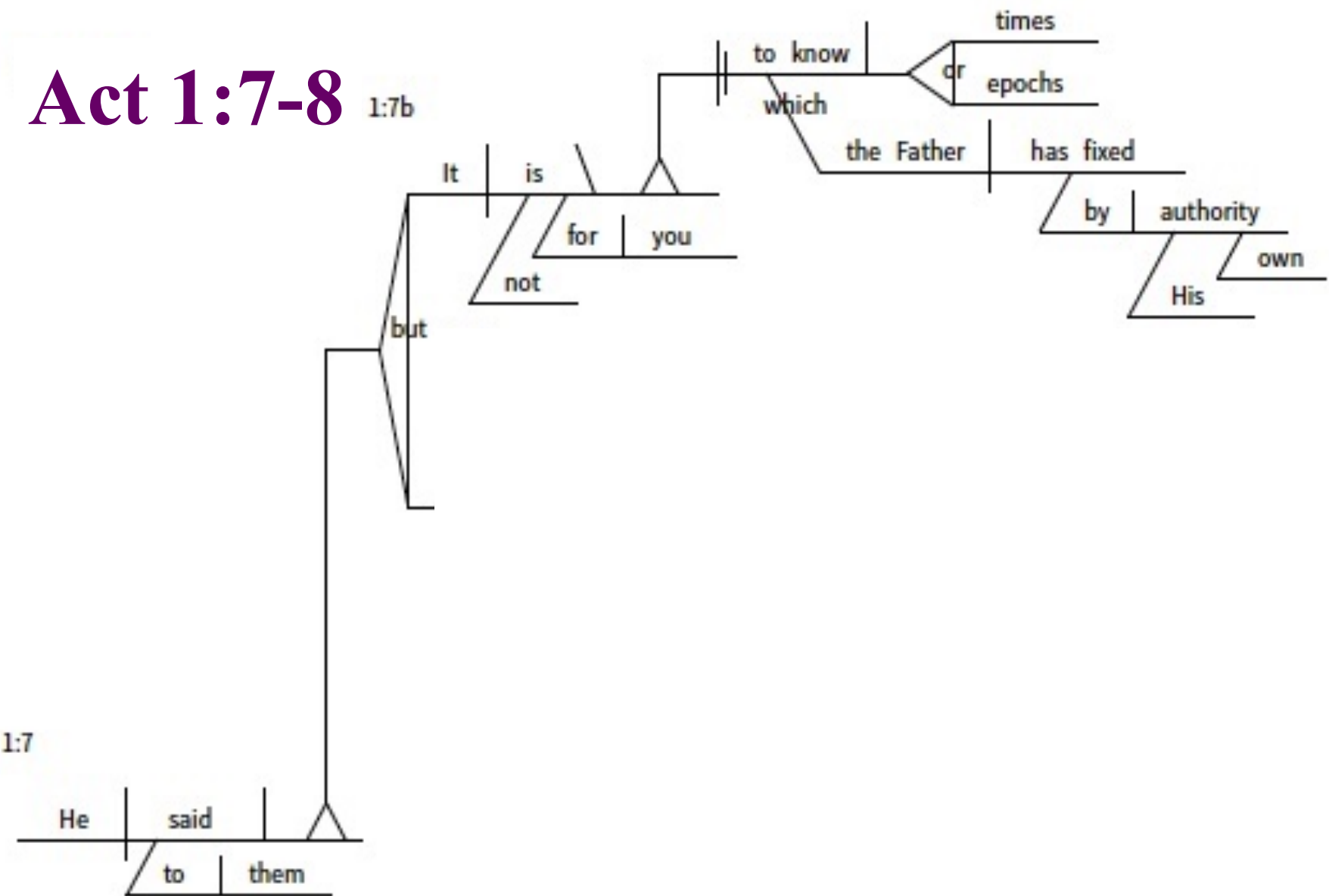
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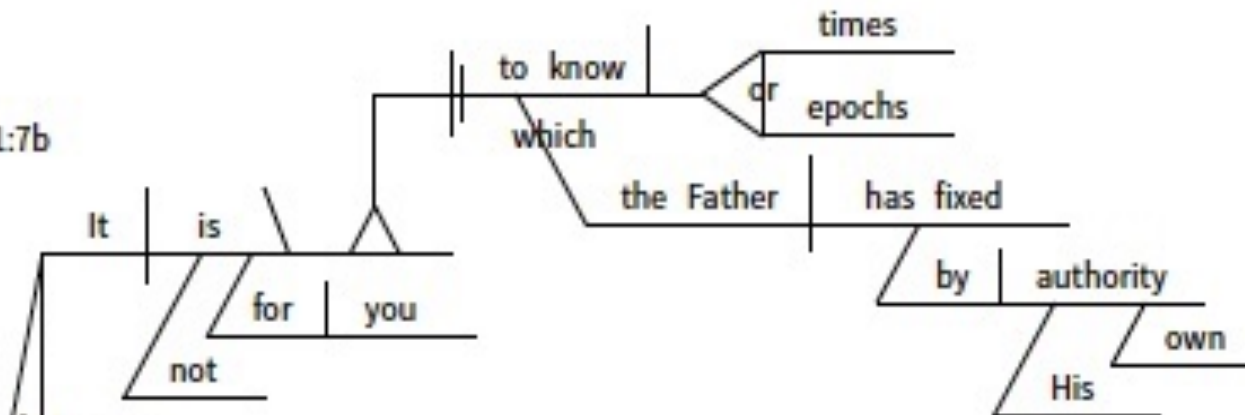
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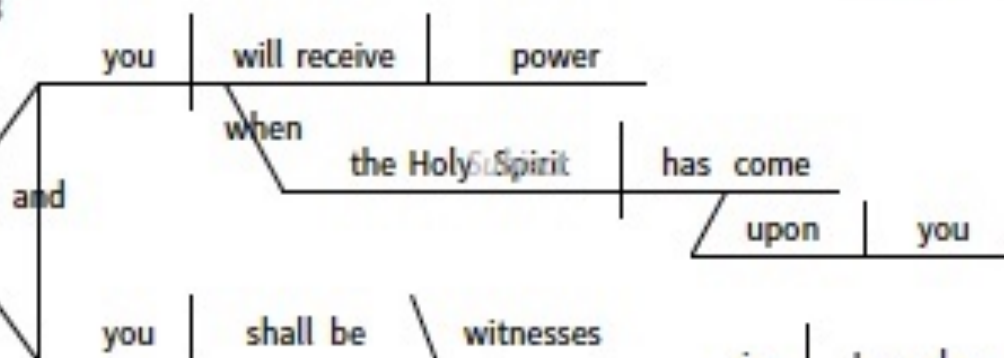
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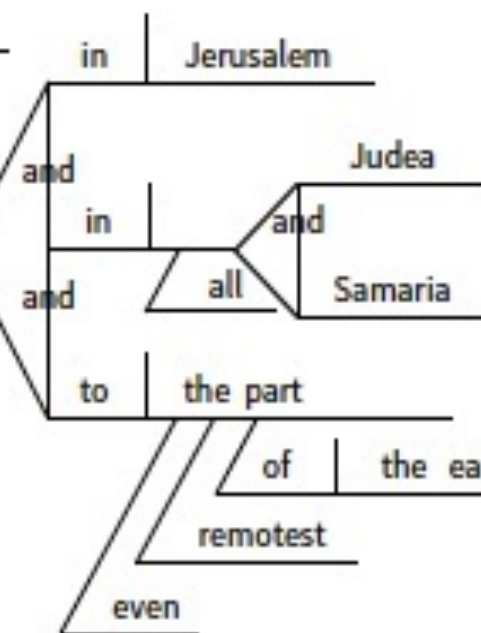


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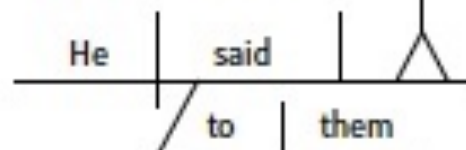
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