12 Διὰ Σιλουανού ὑμῖν τοῦ πιστοῦ Through Silvanus to you of the faithful άδελφοῦ, ὡς λογίζομαι, δι' ὀλίγων brother, as I am reckoning, through few[words] δι έπιμαρτυρών καὶ **ἔγραψα, παρακαλών** encouraging and bearing witness upon I wrote, ταύτην είναι άληθή χάριν undeserved kindness of the this to be true 13 'Ασπάζεται AFOU. EÍC ñν στήτε. which Is greeting God: into stand you. ύμᾶς Βαβυλώνι Ėν Babylon YOU the [woman] in συνεκλεκτή ó υίός Μάρκος καὶ jointly chosen [woman] Mark the son and μου. 14 'Ασπάσασθε άλλήλους έν φιλήματι of me. Greet you one another in kiss άγάπης. of love.

Εἰρήνη ὑμῖν πᾶσιν τοῖς ἐν Χριστῷ. Peace to you to all the (ones) in Christ.

12 Through Sil va'nus, a faithful brother as I account him, I have written you in few [words], to give encouragement and an earnest witness that this is the true undeserved kindness of God; in which stand firm. 13 She who is in Babylon, a chosen one like [YOU], sends YOU her greetings, and so does Mark my son. 14 Greet one another with a kiss of love.

May all of you who are in union with Christ have peace.

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## OF PETER 2

Πέτρος δούλος καὶ απόστολος Simon Peter slave apostle and 'Ιησοῦ Χριστοῦ τοῖς of Jesus Christ to the (ones) Ισότιμον of Jesus equally precious λαχούσιν πίστιν έν ἡμῖν... to us having obtained (by lot) faith in δικαιοσύνη τοῦ θεού ήμων σωτήρος καὶ righteousness of the God of us and of Savior Ίησοῦ Χριστοῦ· Jesus Christ;

2 χάρις ὑμῖν καὶ εἰρήνη undeserved kindness to rou and peace πληθυνθείη ἐν ἐπιγνώσει τοῦ may (it) be multiplied in accurate knowledge of the θεοῦ καὶ Ἰησοῦ τοῦ κυρίου ἡμῶν, 3 ὡς God and of Jesus the Lord of us, as

1 Simon Peter, a slave and apostle of Jesus Christ, to those who have obtained a faith, held in equal privilege with ours, by the righteousness of our God and [the] Savior Jesus Christ:

2 May undeserved kindness and peace be increased to you by an accurate knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord, 3 forasmuch as

<sup>1 &</sup>quot;Of our God and the Savior Jesus Christ"; to agree with the distinction between God and Jesus in the next verse (2). "Of our God and of our Savior Jesus the Messiah," J17,18.