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For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, The righteous shall live by faith."

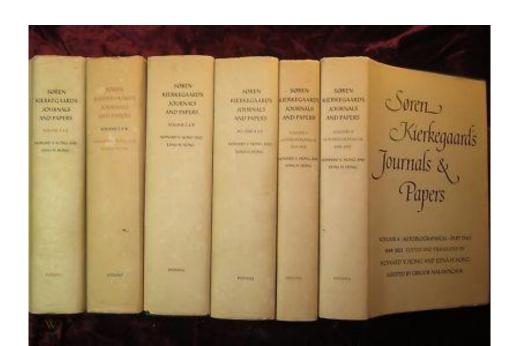


















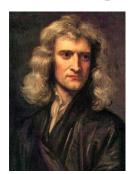






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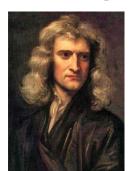


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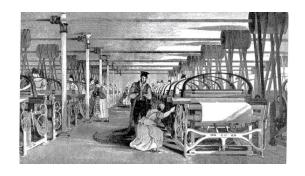




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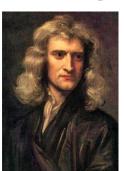


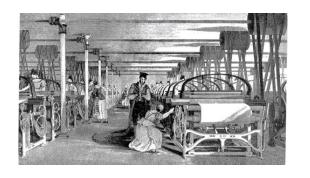


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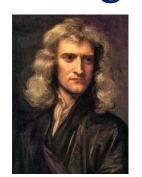


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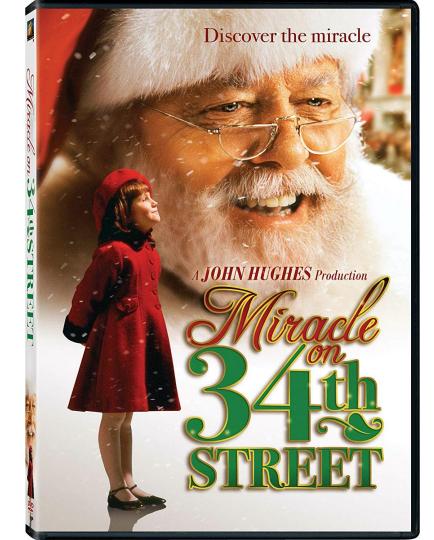




Faith is belief in the absurd, not the product of rational thought

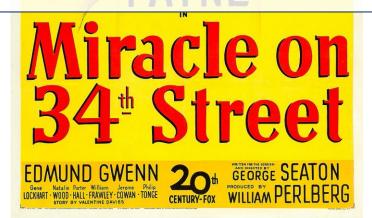


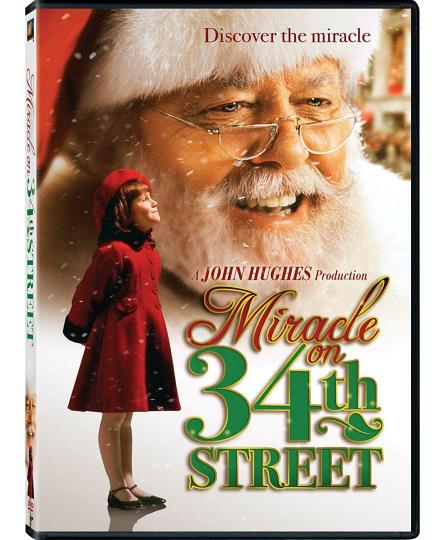






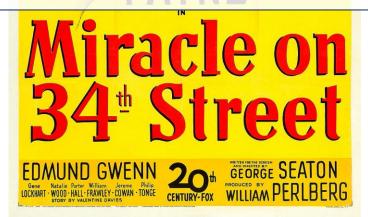
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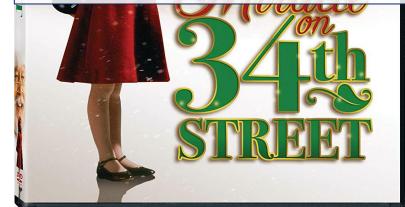


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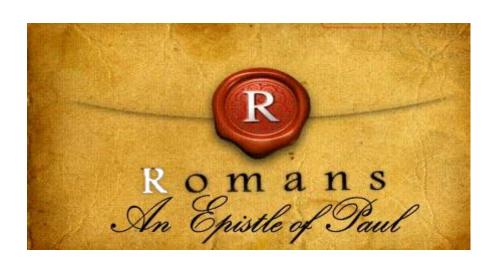


The decision is without evidence

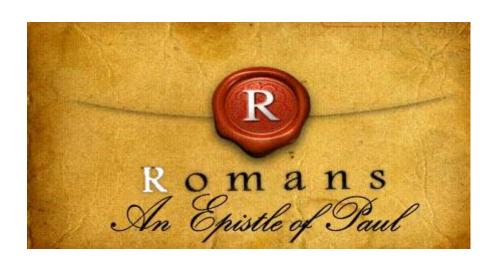




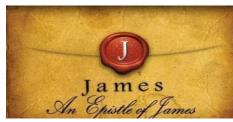


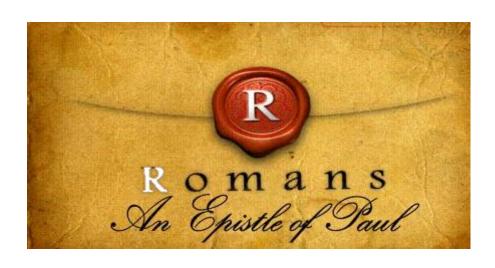




















### **Greek Class**

"pist-"
(πιστ-)

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"pist-"  $(\pi \iota \sigma \tau -)$ 

"faith" (noun)

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"pist-" "faith" (noun)(πιστ-) "believe" (verb)























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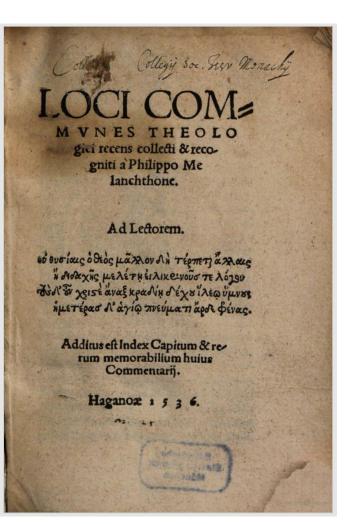


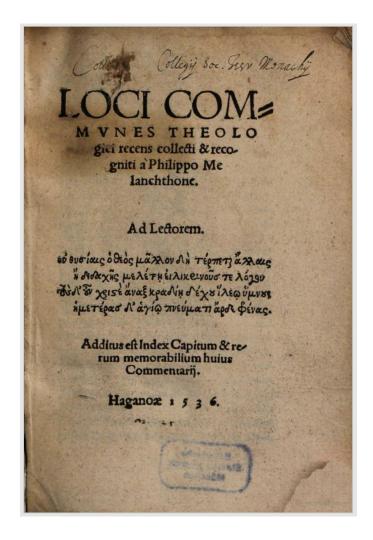
# What is the chief hindrance to faith? **Emotion/Unwillingness** (Jn 7:17)

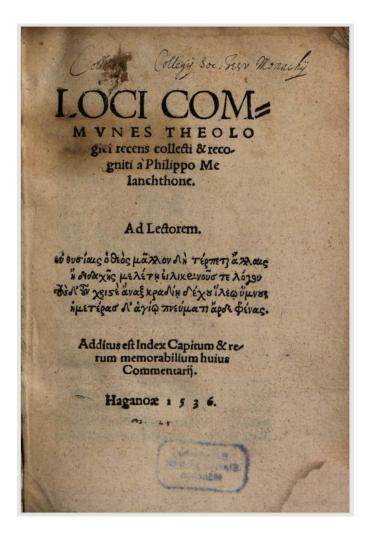




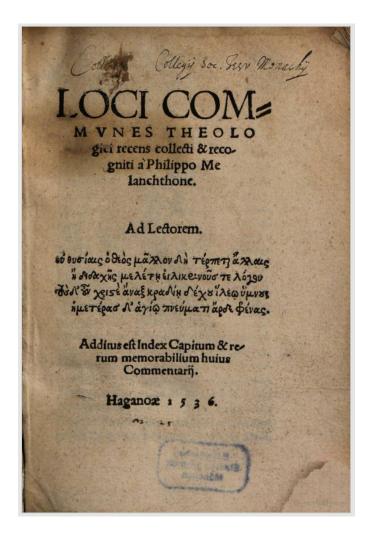
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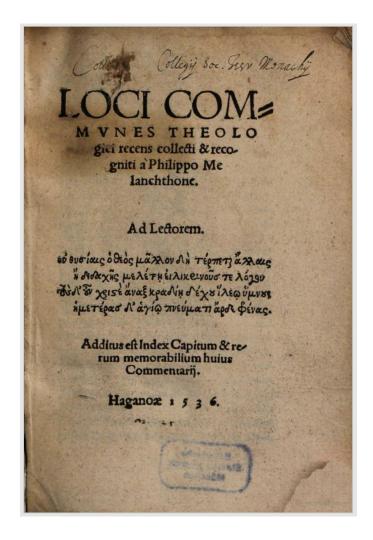


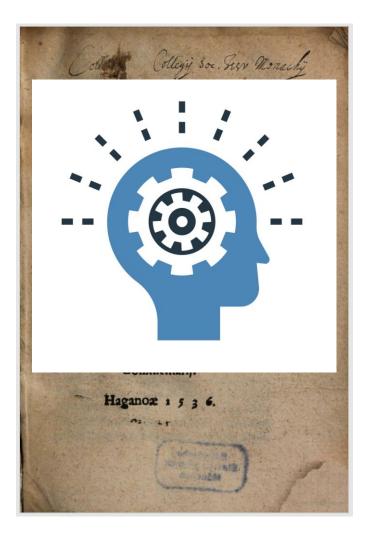
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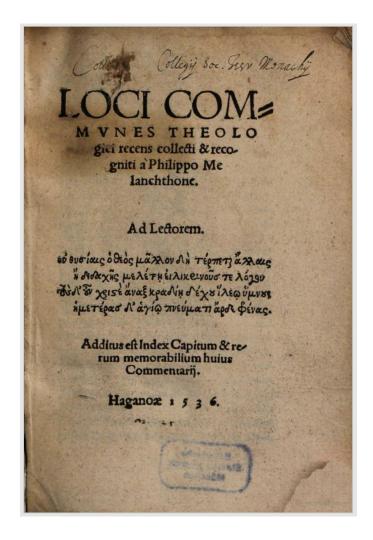
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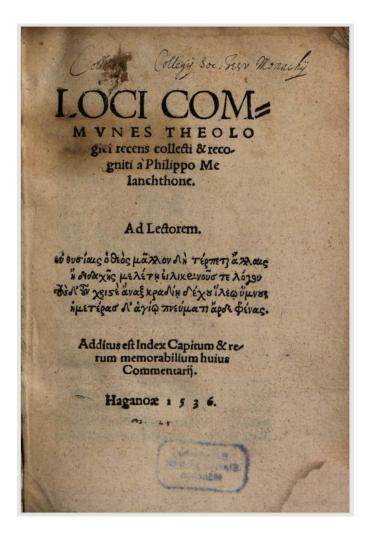
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## Practical knowledge and understanding



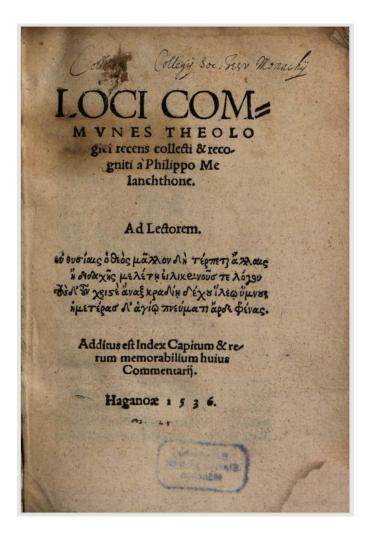


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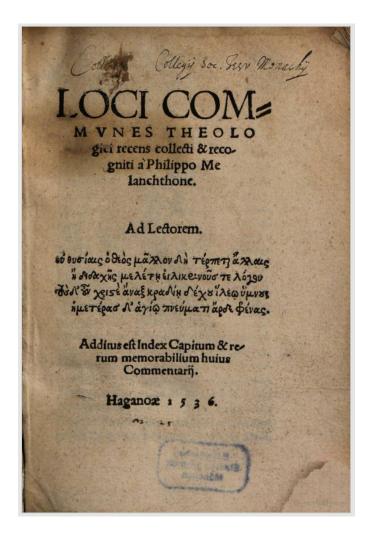


Assensus

Agreement/Approval



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Fiducia





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Trust/reliance





