KEMPTON PROJECT MEETING Dec. 27, 2016
AJH, RDO, MKP, SDC, LMS, DC; Karen by phone for footnote discussion

AGENDA

(1). What should we do with changes we know should have been made in the New Testament and Psalms?

(2.) What should be our focus now, before we get the New Testament corrections back?

(3). Summer work week

(4). Ayisha raised a question about formatting of the text in the Psalms that I think we should consider

1. FOOTNOTES: Talked with Karen:

Decisions:

 1. Reference: Star to indicate fulfilled prophecies? No, but need to go through and clarify where it is, e.g., “This prophecy is found in Psalms (Matt 27:35)…” Or, “This quotes Psalm 22.1.”

 Karen points out this adds extra verbiage, star is economical.

 She suggests at the least saying at first occurrence of reference, “If there is not explanation, this is a fulfillment of a prophecy.” (If it isn’t specifically stated in the text, e.g. places in NT often do say.)

 2. Treat “See…” as a sentence? Yes, period at end.

 3. “Literally” shd be written out--Karen should flag it where it is abbreviated

Karen will send out an updated rules list this week.

2. SDC Q’s

 a. Toggles to throw for printed (proofer) copies: ??

 same as used last time we printed.

 b. Footnotes to print? Not discussed yet

 SDC suggests we print \*5 footnotes (refs to Writings)

 He will look at these and make a list

 AJH We need to focus on what we are going to print

3. What happens to all the urgent comments that were there before the printing of the proofer books?

 AJH--look for now at the books still to be printed--try to get all pink comments resolved before printing

 What is priority this summer? Get Psalms & NT in order?, or print more books?

4. Answers no. (1):

Roy presentation: New way of changes to text while editing is turned off (In process, not quite done)

 Button “proposed”; 3 must approve to pass; one rejection rejects it.

 Highlighting will be done to verse w/ proposed change

 Rejected items go into history

 Side by side in SS window, original and proposed . Click link, click approve or disapprove.

 Notification of changes made to editors requested--Roy suggests sending out a daily email containing outstanding proposed changes

 SDC Must be cautious with changes and affirming changes, so we don’t introduce errors.

 Must take changes and affirming seriously to avoid this.

 AJH If it is a vocab change, rather than punctuation etc. , should go into comments rather than changing it.

SDC For himself--need to put reasons for changes or proposed changes. Including even “marking vocab”

(2) What should be our focus now, before we get the New Testament corrections back?

 AJH suggests different people take different sections.

 SDC has been going through Genesis.

 LMS will do Isaiah

 AJH Leviticus- Deut

 MKP footnotes

(3). Summer work week: Dandridge & Tamar’s baby due date June 11 makes it desirable to go later in summer, and fact we are preparing to lock text in September also makes it better

 Best time wd be early August--week of 6-12

 Kate will check calendar w/family

(4) Ayisha’s question about Psalms appearance, widows & orphans etc.

 AJH put a tab in instead of a new line when possible

 Roy suggests putting in a (large) space there instead of tab

 Cd go straight to prose, but we did Psalms in verse because of what the doctrines say about the marriage of good & truth being expressed in dual expressions, which is more evident when the Psalms are formatted as poetry. SDC

 We should add this to the green (companion) booklet under the section on dual expressions

 Upshot: Ask Roy very nicely if he will spend the time to format a page or two using the space idea instead of the tab idea (thank you, Roy!)

Stephen, echoed by all present, gave a heartfelt thank you to Roy for the development of the wonderful tools that have gotten better and better, and allowed increasing speed, scope, and volume of work on the Kempton Project. Many thanks, Roy.