Go to http://www.tlg.uci.edu. *TLG is available only on computers that are currently on the Gordon-Conwell network. At the present time (November 2005) TLG is not available remotely.*

1. **Sign in, create an account & configure display:**
   a. In the left hand side-bar, click the link labeled "Institutions".
   b. At the bottom of the page, click the link labeled "LOGIN OR ESTABLISH A NEW USER PROFILE."
      ➢ If you have already created an account, sign in, and skip to "Searching for Authors." If not, then click the link titled "Click here to set up a username and password."
   c. Fill out the form and click the "Create this account" button.
   d. On the next page, in the drop down menu labeled "Display?" choose "Unicode." Click the "Save" button.
      ➢ If you have already set up your browser to display Unicode (e.g. for use with Perseus, etc.), then skip to "Searching for Authors. If not, then click the "Tools" button in the top menu bar in your browser, and select "Internet Options."
   e. In the Internet Options dialog box click the tab labeled "General" and then click the button at the bottom of the box, labeled "Fonts."
   f. In the drop down menu labeled "Web page font:" choose either "Palatino Linotype," "Arial Unicode MS," or "Gentium." (Each of these "Unicode" fonts contain both Latin and Greek characters.)
   g. Click OK in the "Fonts" dialog box, and in the "Internet Options" dialog box.

2. **Searching for Authors in TLG**
   a. Once you have either signed in to an existing account, or have created a new user account and saved your display settings, you will be taken to a page where you are given the choice to either "Search the Canon by:" Author, Work or Publication, or to perform either a simple or advanced "Text Search" of the entire TLG corpus.
      ➢ Given that the TLG corpus contains Greek literature from the 8th century BC thru the 20th century AD, it is usually best to *narrow* your search by selecting a particular author, group of authors, genre or time period to search. To do this click the button labeled "Author."
      ➢ You can also search by the "Title" of a particular work, or by the "Publication" in which an ancient work is presented in print.
   b. Click the button labeled "Author" on the "Search the Online TLG©" page.
   c. On this page you can search for specific authors, authors found in a range of dates, or for authors and works which are categorized by a specific genre.
      i. *To search for specific authors:*
         In the box labeled "Author Name or Canon Author #" type the *LATIN* name of the author whose works you wish to search (for instance, *Philo Judaeus* for Philo; *Flavius Josephus* for Josephus).
         ➢ You CANNOT enter the English or the Greek name of the author here. You cannot enter the Greek word that you would wish to search here. You may only enter the Latin name of the author you would wish to search.
      ii. *To search for authors writing in a specific range of dates:*
         In the menu list labeled "Date" select the century or centuries in which you would like to search. To select a single century, simply click the desired century. To select multiple centuries press the "Ctrl" key on your keyboard while clicking the centuries desired with your mouse.
      iii. *To search for a specific genre of literature:*
         Select the appropriate genre found in the menu list labeled "Generic Epithets." For instance, the entry labeled "Pseudepigr." will bring up a list of works found in the Greek Old Testament Pseudepigrapha.
   d. Once you have either entered the author's name or selected either the range of dates or genre you wish to search, click the "Search" button at the top of the page.

e. For instance, if you selected "Pseudepigr." in the "Generic Epithets" field and clicked the "Search" button, you would be taken to a list of all of the works contained in the Greek Old Testament Pseudepigrapha. Here, you can either:
  i. "Check off" the works you wish to search and press the "Search Selections" button
  ii. or you can simply press the "Search All" button.
    ➢ Note, you can also either "Save All" or "Save Selections" so that you can come back to the same author search in the future.
f. Once you have chosen which works to search you will be taken to a screen where you will enter the Greek text you would like to search for. To enter the Greek text, first click the keyboard icon to the right of the "Search for:" field. This will make a Greek "keyboard" appear on the screen that you can use your mouse to "type" the Greek letters in your word.
    ➢ NOTE: TLG is not able to recognize the *lexical form* of a Greek word in order to perform a search on ALL inflected forms. Because of this, you must search in the following ways:
      1. Index Search: To perform an "Index Search" you should enter the beginning of the word (the root) and then press the "Index Search" button. This will bring up a page that lists all possible words in the literature you are searching that BEGIN with the letters you have typed. You choose which specific words you would like to find by pressing Ctrl on your keyboard and selecting the desired words in the menu box, and then pressing the "Selected Words" button. To search for all words in the list, press the "All Words" button.
      2. Textual Search: To perform a textual search, simply type the root of the word you would like to find. You can also type multiple words, but:
        a. Keep in mind that you will be limited to finding only the inflected form that you enter. Then press the "Textual Search" button.
        b. Keep in mind that this will search not just for words *beginning* with the letters you entered, but for the letters you entered regardless of their position. **To limit the search to the beginning of a word, type a "space" before you type any other characters. To limit the search to the end of a word, type a "space" after you type other characters.
    ➢ NOTE: You may need to perform multiple searches for verbs, taking into account reduplication and augmentation that occurs in various inflected forms.
g. Once you have either performed an Index Search or a Textual Search, you will be taken to a list of results.
  i. To view the context of each entry, click the appropriate "Browse" link.
  ii. If an English translation of the work exists in Perseus, link will be given in the upper right hand corner labeled "See Translation."
    ➢ Note: English translations are NOT available for MOST works in TLG. An English translation is available for Josephus using the link provided. An English translation for the works of Philo is also available on a SEPARATE website (http://www.earlyjewishwritings.com).
    ➢ You can also find English translations for most works in the Loeb Classical Library (ca. PA3611 [and following]). Translations of the Old Testament Pseudepigrapha are found in the library as well (ca. BS1830).
  iii. You can print either the list of results, or the context found on a "Browse" page by first clicking the "Printable Form" button or the "Printer Friendly" link at the bottom of the page.

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