

Notice the way the definite article looks in Greek.

B. DEFINITE ARTICLE "THE"

SINGULAR

.....Masculine.....Feminine.....Neuter

Nominative Ο η το

Genitive του της του

Dative τῷ (with ἑ subscript) τῇ (with ἑ subscript) τῷ (with ἑ subscript)

Accusative τον την το

PLURAL

.....Masculine.....Feminine.....Neuter

Nominative ΟΙ ΑΙ ΤΑ

Genitive ΤΩΝ ΤΩΝ ΤΩΝ

Dative ΤΟΙΣ ΤΑΙΣ ΤΟΙΣ

Accusative ΤΟΥΣ ΤΑΣ ΤΑ

In English, the definite article "the" tells you nothing about

the way the noun it modifies is used in the sentence. Not so in

Greek.