

**“Welcome” or “receive” [Greek, *dechomai* and *apodechomai*]
in Luke’s Gospel**

2.28	Simeon took him in his arms and praised God
8.13	The ones on the rock are those who, when they hear the word, receive it with joy.
8.40	Now when Jesus returned, the crowd welcomed him, for they were all waiting for him.
9.5	Wherever they do not welcome you, as you are leaving that town shake the dust off your feet as a testimony against them.
9.11	When the crowds found out about it, they followed him; and he welcomed them, and spoke to them about the kingdom of God, and healed those who needed to be cured.
9.48	[Jesus] said to them, "Whoever welcomes this child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me; for the least among all of you is the greatest."
9.53	[Samaritans] did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem.
10.8-11	Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.'
16.4	"I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes."
16.6-7	He answered, 'A hundred jugs of olive oil.' He said to him, ' Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.' Then he asked another, 'And how much do you owe?' He replied, 'A hundred containers of wheat.' He said to him, ' Take your bill and make it eighty.'
16.9	And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes.
18.17	Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it."
22.17	Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he said, "Take this and divide it among yourselves;