



## Sample Searches: Luthers Werke (Weimar Edition)

1. Find all texts in the **Table Talk** section in which Luther speaks of **Teufel** und **Versuchung** (devil and temptation).  
*Hint:* Consider spelling variants, declensions and plural forms of the word Teufel, e.g. Teufel, Teuffel, Teufels, etc.
  - Select **Table Talk** from the left hand menu
  - In the **keyword** field type: **versuchung AND teuf?el\***
  - Click on **search** at the bottom of the screen to run this search
2. Find all **communication** between **Martin Luther** and **Georg Spalatin** where the topic of communion has been mentioned in the main body of the letter. Consider both German and Latin terms and their variants (e.g. Abenthmal, Abendmahl, Abendmahl) for the search.
  - Select **Letters** from the left hand menu
  - In **Keyword** enter **aben??ma?l or communio\***
  - Go to the **Recipient** field and open the browse list, by clicking on **Browse**. Search for **Spalatin**.
  - Check the box next to Spalatin and click on **OK**
  - Back in the main search screen select Limit to **Main Text Only, excluding Notes**
  - Click on **search** at the bottom of the screen to run this search
3. You want to find the chart illustrating his justification doctrine, that is published in **Works, Volume 3, Title: Dictata super psalterium**. Keywords of the chart you remember are **judicium sui** and **iustificatio sui**. Open the text and navigate to the keywords in the text and open the chart.
  - Open the search screen **Works** (left hand menu, picture)
  - Enter in **keyword: iudicium sui AND iustificatio sui**
  - Go to **title keyword** and open the browse list. Look for **Dictata**.
  - Check the box next to and select **Dictata**, click on **OK**.
  - Back to the main search screen, run the search.
  - Click on the title link and then on **first hit** (  [First Hit](#) ). Click on the arrows until you found your keywords.
  - Click on the image-icon (  ) to open the chart
4. Find all comments in the editorial texts that refer to Luther's work "**Von der Freiheit eines Christenmenschen**".
  - Open the search screen **All Sections** (left hand menu, picture)
  - Go to **keyword** and enter: **freiheit eines christenmenschen**
  - Go to **Limit to** and select **Notes (editorial comments)**
  - Run the search

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- 5) Search the **Main text only, excluding Notes**. Find all texts in which Luther talks about the freedom of Christians: **Freiheit eines Christenmenschen**. Find also quotations using not the exact but similar phrases. Include also spelling variants of *Freiheit* like *freyheit*, *freyhey*, etc. and plurals or declensions for *christenmensch*.
  - Open the search screen **All Sections** (left hand menu)
  - Go to *Keyword* and enter: **fre?he?t NEAR christ?enmenschen\***
  - Go to *Limit to* and select **Main text only, excluding notes**
  - Run the search
  
- 6) Find in the **Works** section of Luthers Werke different texts containing the phrase **kurze Deutung des Vaterunsers**. Luther spells the words *kurz*, *Deutung*, *Vaterunser* differently in each text, possible forms are: kurze – kurtze / deutung – deuttung / Vaterunser – Vatter unser. **Search on all different variants**.
  - Open the search screen **Works** (left hand menu, picture)
  - Go to *keyword* and enter: kur?ze deut?ung des vat?erunser\* OR kur?ze deut?ung des vat?er unser\*
  
- 7) In which texts does Luther refer to the bible text in **Johannes, Chapter 11**?
  - Open the search screen **All Sections** (left hand menu)
  - Go to **keyword** and enter: **joh 11**
  - Go to **Limit to** and select **Biblical references**
  - Run the search
  
- 8) Access your **Search history** and find your search about Luther's notes about **temptation and the devil** and run it again. Mark 3 hits. Retrieve the hits from your **Marked List** and email them to yourself.
  - Click on the link **Search History** (left hand menu, below the picture)
  - Click on your search link for your search **versuchung AND teuf\*el**
  - Check the boxes next to 3 texts in your results list
  - Click on the link **Marked List** (left hand menu)



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