

Genesis

Old English

Middle English

On angynne gesceop God heofonan and eorðan. Se eorðe soðlice wæs idel 7 æmti, 7 þeostra wæron ofer ðære nywelnyse bradnyse; 7 Godes gast wæs gefeod ofer wæteru. God cwæð ða: Gewurðe leoht, 7 leoht wæarð geworht. God geseah ða ðæt hit god wæs, 7 he todælde þæt leoht fram ðam ðystrum. 7 het ðæt leoht dæg 7 þa ðystru niht: ða wæs geworden æfen 7 merigen, an dæg.	In the firste made God of nouȝt heuene and erthe. The erthe forsothe was veyn with ynne and void, and derknessis weren vpon the face of the see; and the Spiryte of God was born vpon the watrys. And God seide, Be maad liȝt; and maad is liȝt. And God sawȝ liȝt, that it was good, and deuydid liȝt fro derknessis; and clepide liȝt, day, and derknessis, nyȝt. And maad is euen and moru, o day.
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