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Nouns Around the House

<u>Coptic</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>Irregular Plural</u>

Church Nouns

<u>Coptic</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>Irregular Plural</u>
ⲕ ⲉ	iconostasis	m	
	veil	m	
ⲛ	triangle	f	
	cymbal	m	
ⲛⲛⲛⲛ	candle	m	
ⲕ ⲉ	candlestand	m	
	lectionary	m	
ⲛ	lectern		
	pillar		

ⲓ ⲙ ⲙ	altar		
	seat/chair (refers to the throne that holds the chalice on the altar)		
	refers to the spoon used in the distribution of the Mysteries		
	star refers to the star/dome that covers the Body of Christ in the Eucharist		
	dish/disk refers to the panteon		
	wine		
ⲓ ⲙ	book holder		

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<u>Coptic</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>Pronominal Form</u>
ⲓ	in	ⲓ ⲙ =
ⲓ	on (i.e. on something moving)	ⲓ ⲙ =
ⲓ ⲙ	upon (i.e. on something stationary)	ⲓ ⲙ =
	to	=
ⲓ	to	ⲓ ⲙ =
ⲓ	to	ⲓ ⲙ =
ⲓ	under	ⲓ ⲙ =
	with	=
	because	=

2	in the presence of, before	2 =
`	behind	=
2	at the mouth of; at the entrance of	2 =
2	through	2 =
` ; ;	of	` =
	against	=
6	without	6 =
	between	=