

The Bible

One evidence of the value of the Bible is the character of those that oppose it.

It is impossible to mentally or socially enslave a Bible reading people - *Horace Greely*

Men do not reject the Bible because it contradicts itself But because it contradicts them.

Other books were given for our informationThe Word of God was given for our transformation.

Last night I paused beneath the blacksmith's door,
And heard the anvil ring the vesper chime;
Then looking in, I saw upon the floor,
Old hammers worn with beating years of time.

"How many anvils have you had," said I,
"To wear and batter all these hammers so?"
"Just one," said he, and then with twinkling eye,
"The anvil wears the hammers out, you know."

"And so," I thought, "The Anvil of God's Word
For ages skeptic blows have beat upon,
Yet, though the noise of falling blows was heard,
the Anvil is unharmed, the hammers gone."

I. God's Word is Very Important to God

A. Ps 138:2 - *I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou hast magnified thy word above all thy name.*

At the name of Jesus:

1. We are saved
2. We are Baptized
3. Demons are cast out
4. The sick are healed
5. Dead are raised
6. Every knee shall bow and every tongue confess

B. It is totally of God - 2 Tim 3:16 - *All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:*

C. It is the only Source of truth - Isa 8:20 - *To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them.*

D. It has always been. There was never a time when God's Word was not.

1. Ps 119:89 - *For ever, O LORD, thy word is settled in heaven.*
2. Ps 119:152 - *Concerning thy testimonies, I have known of old that thou hast founded them for ever.*

E. The word of God is your only offensive weapon. All of the other armor is defensive.

1. Eph 6:10-18 - Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. 11) Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 12) For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. 13) Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. 14) Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; 15) And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16) Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. 17) And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God: 18) Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;
2. Heb 4:12 - *For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.*

F. Just give them the Word of God.

1. Jonah. - look at how backslidden he was

Jer 23:22 - *But if they had stood in my counsel, and had caused my people to hear my words, then they should have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their doings.*

G. It is God's Word that has power. (Bro. Roloff made his kids memorize one or more chapters a week.)

Jer 23:29 - *Is not my word like as a fire? saith the LORD; and like a hammer that breaketh the rock in pieces?*

H. It is with the Bible that Jesus will smite the nations.

Rev 19:15 - *And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.*

I. Every word is important.

Matt 4:4 - *But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.*

J. God's Word is very pure.

1. Ps 119:140 - *Thy word is very pure: therefore thy servant loveth it.*

2. Prov 30:5 - *Every word of God is pure: he is a shield unto them that put their trust in him.*

3. Ps 12:6-7 - *The words of the LORD are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times. 7) Thou shalt keep them, O LORD, thou shalt preserve them from this generation forever.*

It is God's job to perform the preservation of His Word.

Because it was inspired when it was first written and God has preserved His word, it is still just as inspired as it was when it was first written

K. God has promised that His Word shall stand forever.

Isa 40:8 - *The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever.*

II. Mechanical Dictation - God Spoke the Bible; Man Just Wrote It Down

Exod 24:12 *And the LORD said unto Moses, Come up to me into the mount, and be there: and I will give thee tables of stone, and a law, and commandments which I have written; that thou mayest teach them.*

Hosea 8:12 **I have written to him the great things of my law, but they were counted as a strange thing.**

2 Pet 1:19-21 - *We have also a more sure word of prophecy; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts: 20) Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. 21) For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.*

(Carried or driven)

2 Sam 23:2 - *The Spirit of the LORD spake by me, and his word was in my tongue.*

Ezek 3:4 - *And he said unto me, Son of man, go, get thee unto the house of Israel, and **speak with my words** unto them.*

Ezek 3:10-11 - *Moreover he said unto me, Son of man, all my words that I shall speak unto thee receive in thine heart, and hear with thine ears. 11) And go, get thee to them of the captivity, unto the children of thy people, and speak unto them, and tell them, Thus saith the Lord GOD; whether they will hear, or whether they will forbear.*

A PERFECT EXAMPLE OF MECHANICAL DICTATION IS 1 Tim 1:15 - *This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief.*

1. Paul wasn't testifying here.

2. God was telling Paul he was chief of sinners.

How many times in the Bible does it say,

"The Word of the Lord,"----- 16

"Thus saith the Lord," 135

"Word of God," ----- 51

The critics say, "Only the originals are inspired and true scripture . "

This is false because:

1. They themselves have never seen the originals.

2. Jesus quoted scripture and called scripture from the Old Testament, scripture, after it had been copied for 600 years.

Mark 12:10 And have ye not read this **scripture**; The stone which the builders rejected is become the head of the corner:

John 13:18 I speak not of you all: I know whom I have chosen: but that the **scripture** may be fulfilled, He that eateth bread with me hath lifted up his heel against me.

Luke 4:17-21 And there was delivered unto him the book of the prophet Esaias.

And when he had opened the book, he found the place where it was written,

18 The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised,

19 To preach the acceptable year of the Lord.

20 And he closed the book, and he gave it again to the minister, and sat down.

And the eyes of all them that were in the synagogue were fastened on him.

21 And he began to say unto them, This day is this **scripture** fulfilled in your ears.

3. God has either preserved His Word or He has not.

4. I find it very easy to believe that the God Who made the world and saved me can also very easily preserve His Word

III. Satan has a three-fold plan in Genesis 3.

1. He gets you looking at what you cannot have and cannot do, instead of all the freedoms you do have because you are a Christian.

Gen 3:1 - Now the serpent was more subtil than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made.

And he said unto the woman, Yea, hath God said, Ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden?

2. He gets you doubting God's Word.

Gen 3:4 - And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die:

3. He then promises satisfaction from disobeying the Word of God. The Devil always pays in counterfeit money.

Gen 3:5 - For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.

IV. Revival Came Because the Word of God Was Found And It's Authority Was Submitted To

II Ki 22:8 - And Hilkiah the high priest said unto Shaphan the scribe, I have found the book of the law in the house of the LORD. And Hilkiah gave the book to Shaphan, and he read it.

A. Faith comes from hearing the Word of God.

Rom 10:17 - So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

B. If you don't use the right BIBLE, then Christians won't grow.

1. **1 Pet 1:23** - Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

2. **James 1:18** - Of his own will begat he us with the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures.

C. Will the Holy Spirit bless that which He did not inspire?

NO!!

John 3:3-5 - Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. 4) Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born? 5) Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

D. You are to carry God's Word with you all the time.

Ps 149:5-6 - Let the saints be joyful in glory: let them sing aloud upon their beds.

6) Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a twoedged sword in their hand;

V. Facts About the Bible

- A. Sixty-six different books, written by one God.
- B. Penned by forty different men of God over a span of one-thousand, five-hundred (1,500) years and not one contradiction.
- C. Contains one-thousand, one-hundred and eighty-nine (1,189) chapters.
- D. Contains forty-one thousand, one-hundred and seventy-three (41,173) verses.
- E. Contains seven-hundred and seventy-four thousand, and seven-hundred and forty-six (774,746) words.
- F. Contains three-million, five-hundred and sixty-six, and four-hundred and eighty (3,566,480) letters.
- G. Shortest chapter is Psa. 117.
- H. Longest chapter is Psa. 119.
- I. Largest book is Psalms.
- J. Ezra 7:21 contains all the letters of the alphabet except 'J'.
- K. Esther 8:9 is the longest verse in the Bible.
- L. John 11:35 is the shortest verse in the Bible.
- M. The Bible is translated into a fifth grade reading level.

VI. Tracing the Bible

GOOD KJB

- 150 AD Lucian - First man to compile N.T. "School o the Scriptures"
- Copies were made by Waldensians
- 1500 - Press was invented
- Erasmus wanted to provide a good Greek text
 - He put out five copies.
 - The translators used Erasmus' copy.
- KJB
- July 22, 1604 - King James announced his choosing of 54 men.
- Three years after being commissioned, the men did nothing but pray.
- In 1611 there were no guidelines for spelling or punctuation. English was at its height.
- Editions -(never changing a word, just correcting spelling and punctuation):
 - Edit** - To prepare for publication.
 - Revision** - To look over and correct.
 - 1611
 - 1613
 - 1617
 - 1629
 - 1638
 - 1743
 - 1769 - Final Edition
- There have been six editions to the one.
- 6+1=7 (Psa. 12:7) Purified seven times.

BAD BIBLES

- Pantaeius** - Founded A Catechetical School in 1 A.D. in Alexandria.
 - Taught for twenty years.
 - Taught humanistic philosophy.
 - Collected corrupt manuscripts to teach his students that the Scriptures were not infallible.
- Clement** - Took over the school.
 - Worked very hard at collecting corrupted manuscripts.
 - Taught his students that the Bible was full errors.
 - Denied the deity of Christ.
 - Laughed at the miracles of Christ.
- Adamantus Origen** - 230 A.D. - Took over the school.
 - Wrote Greek Hexipla -- Γρεεκ Ηεξιπλα
 - Most influential leader of his time.
 - He changed words which did not agree with his doctrine.
 - He said Jesus was a created God.
- Eusebius** - Followed Origen.
 - Constantine's false prophet
 - Constantine ordered him to write a Bible that the people would love.
- Jerome** - Used Eusebius' Bible to put together a Catholic Bible.
 - 1546 - Catholic church put the Apocrypha in the Bible.
- Brook Westcott/Fenton Hort** - Worked on a text for thirty years.
 - Took out 8,000 words from the greek text
 - Used corrupted texts of Alexandria.
 - They were unpatriotic.
 - They were Catholic compromisers.
 - They did not believe in the infallibility of the Scriptures.
 - They consulted and contacted the dead.
 - These men were not saved.

- English Revised Version - **1881**
- American standard Version - **1901**
- Revised standard Version - **1952**
- Living Bible - **1971**
- Phillips N.T. - **1972**
- New International Bible - **1973**
- Good News Bible - **1976**
- New American Standard - **1977**

Derivative Copyright Law -- Substantial Changes

There are only 40 words considered "Archaic."

Diminish - lessen or make smaller *Some say* - to make easier to understand.

Deut 4:2 *Ye shall not add unto the word which I command you, neither shall ye diminish ought from it, that ye may keep the commandments of the LORD your God which I command you.*

Deut 12:32 *What thing soever I command you, observe to do it: thou shalt not add thereto, nor diminish from it.*

Jer 26:2 *Thus saith the LORD; Stand in the court of the LORD's house, and speak unto all the cities of Judah, which come to worship in the LORD's house, all the words that I command thee to speak unto them; diminish not a word:*

The NIV has 64,000 words missing or 1/10. It is not a complete Bible.

This is what they omit

"Lord", is omitted 31 times

omits Hell - 30 times *note* - There is no word like "Hell."

They try to separate, "JESUS" from "CHRIST" - 42 times

John 1:14&18 - One and Only -- *God could be feminine*

Changes they made for an, "easier understanding."

Rose up to play - Indulge in Revelry

Told - Conscripted

Old - Obsolete

Called - Designated

Smell - Savor

House - Habitation

Man - Mortal

Old - Elderly

Straight is the way - Difficult is the way

Reading levels of the New Bibles

NKJV - 6.9 KJV - 5.8 NIV - 8.2

The NKJV claims the same greek text but differs 2,000 times in the N.T. alone.

The NKJV takes out:

Lord - 66 times

God - 51

Heaven - 50

Repent - 44

Blood - 23

Hell - 22 and they change it to HADES which inclines to a 3rd place or PURGATORY.

NKJV eliminates: JEHOVAH, NEW TESTAMENT, DAMNATION, DAMNED, DEVILS

Jehovah's Witness similarities

Acts 3:13 His Son Jesus His servant Jesus

Acts 3:26 Son Servant

Acts 4:27 Child Servant

Mark 2:15 omit "name"

Acts 7:45 Jesus Joshua

II Thess 3:5 Removes "Patience" and "waiting"

No Comfortor but instead a Helper

Faith is changed to faithfulness

Matt 6:10 = "As above, so below" this comes from cultic practice

The Jesus Seminar - "If you think you have everything in your Bible you are mistaken."

They want to omit Revelation and put in, "The Book of Hermes."

Take the name

Give up to the Beast

Take the mark of the Beast Kill those not receiving the mark

The Dead Sea Scrolls are not good

They have an Ascenes background which was a group of people who were not saved.

Teach 2 Messiahs

People who do not take the NAME must be imprisoned for 7 years

Conviscation of personal property

The New Bibles are Inclusive or they get rid of Christian distinctives and therefore have a general, secular, watered down doctrine that can apply to every one.

Martin Woodstra of Evangelicals Concerned said there is nothing censuring the Homosexual in the NKJV

In the NIV God is missing 468 times = Matt 6:33; Rom 15:19; Matt 22:30; Mark 1:14

The NIV shows a Mean Obstinate God

Eph 6:4	Discipline
I Cor 12:21	Humiliate
Titus	Mercy is removed

If you use the New Bibles in anything, books or giving the gospel or preaching, the maximum usable amount without Permission is 200 words

Rupert Murdoch - Owns printing rights to the NIV

Zondervan	Harper Collins	Fox T.V. 20 th Century Fox Movies	T. V. Guide	Bart Simpson
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Chicago Tribune writer calls Rupert Murdoch, "The Prince of Darkness."

Mark 10:24 *And the disciples were astonished at his words. But Jesus answereth again, and saith unto them, Children, how hard is it for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!*

John 6:47 *Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me hath everlasting life.*

Matt 28:20 *Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen. "Age" - you get a new Christ at the end of every age.*

1 Cor 5:7 *For even Christ our passover is sacrificed for us:*

1 Pet 4:1 *Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh, arm*

Rom 3:25 *Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood.*

Rom 1:16 *For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth;*

II Jn 1:9 *Whosoever transgresseth, and abideth not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God.*

Gal 6:15 *For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision availeth any thing, nor uncircumcision, but a new creature.*

Gal 4:7 *Wherefore thou art no more a servant, but a son; and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ.*

1 Tim 2:7 *Whereunto I am ordained a preacher, and an apostle, (I speak the truth in Christ, and lie not;) a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and verity.*

VI. Reading Your Bible

A. Read the Bible aloud.

Rom 10:17 - *So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.*

B. Pray first.

Ps 119:18 - *Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law.*

Ps 119:73 - *Thy hands have made me and fashioned me: give me understanding, that I may learn thy commandments.*

C. God wants to think with you.

Isa 1:18 - *Come now, and let us reason together, saith the LORD: though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.*

D. God commands us to read the Bible.

1. **Isa 34:16** - *Seek ye out of the book of the LORD, and read: no one of these shall fail, none shall want her mate: for my mouth it hath commanded, and his spirit it hath gathered them.*

2. **John 5:39** - *Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me.*

3. **You are to gather bread every day.**

Exod 16:4 - *Then said the LORD unto Moses, Behold, I will rain bread from heaven for you; and the people shall go out and gather a certain rate every day, that I may prove them, whether they will walk in my law, or no.*

E. God says He will bless us if we read the Bible.

1. **Rev 1:3** - *Blessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written therein: for the time is at hand.*

2. **Rev 22:7** - *Behold, I come quickly: blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of this book.*

F. You are told to read the word of God but you are not told how much to read.

However, you are told to meditate in the Word of God **DAY and NIGHT.**

Josh 1:8 *This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.*

Ps 1:2-3 But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night.

3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season; his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.

Ps 119:97 *O how love I thy law! it is my meditation all the day.*

FALSE TEACHINGS IN APOCRYPHA

The word, "Apocrypha," means, "hidden author" Because the authorship was not known the books were not deemed inspired by God

Works Salvation:

Tob 12:7 It is good to keep close the secret of a king, but it is honourable to reveal the works of God. Do that which is good, and no evil shall touch you.
Tob 12:8 Prayer is good with fasting and alms and righteousness. A little with righteousness is better than much with unrighteousness. It is better to give alms than to lay up gold:
Tob 12:9 For **alms doth deliver from death, and shall purge away all sin.** Those that exercise alms and righteousness shall be filled with life:

Purgatory

2Mac 12:40 Now under the coats of every one that was slain they found things consecrated to the idols of the Jamnites, which is forbidden the Jews by the law. Then every man saw that this was the cause wherefore they were slain.
2Mac 12:41 All men therefore praising the Lord, the righteous Judge, who had opened the things that were hid,
2Mac 12:42 Betook themselves unto prayer, and besought him that the sin committed might wholly be put out of remembrance. Besides, that noble Judas exhorted the people to keep themselves from sin, forso much as they saw before their eyes the things that came to pass for the sins of those that were slain.
2Mac 12:43 And when he had made a gathering throughout the company to the sum of two thousand drachms of silver, he sent it to Jerusalem to offer a sin offering, doing therein very well and honestly, in that he was mindful of the resurrection:
2Mac 12:44 For if he had not hoped that they that were slain should have risen again, it had been superfluous and vain **to pray for the dead.**
2Mac 12:45 And also in that he perceived that there was great favour laid up for those that died godly, it was an holy and good thought. Whereupon **he made a reconciliation for the dead, that they might be delivered from sin.**

Immaculate Conception:

Wis 8:18 And great pleasure it is to have her friendship; and in the works of her hands are infinite riches; and in the exercise of conference with her, prudence; and in talking with her, a good report; I went about seeking how to take her to me.
Wis 8:19 For I was a witty child, and had a good spirit.
Wis 8:20 Yea rather, **being good, I came into a body undefiled.**
Wis 8:21 Nevertheless, when I perceived that I could not otherwise obtain her, except God gave her me; and that was a point of wisdom also to know whose gift she was; I prayed unto the Lord, and besought him, and with my whole heart I said,

Magical Arts

Tob 6:1 And as they went on their journey, they came in the evening to the river Tigris, and they lodged there.
Tob 6:2 And when the young man went down to wash himself, *a fish leaped out of the river*, and would have devoured him.
Tob 6:3 Then the angel said unto him, Take the fish. And the young man laid hold of the fish, and drew it to land.
Tob 6:4 To whom the angel said, Open the fish, and **take the heart and the liver and the gall, and put them up safely.**
Tob 6:5 So the young man did as the angel commanded him; and when they had roasted the fish, they did eat it: then they both went on their way, till they drew near to Ecbatane.
Tob 6:6 Then the young man said to the angel, Brother Azarias, to what use is the heart and the liver and the gal of the fish?
Tob 6:7 And he said unto him, **Touching the heart and the liver, if a devil or an evil spirit trouble any, we must make a smoke thereof before the man or the woman, and the party shall be no more vexed.**
Tob 6:8 As for the gall, it is good to anoint a man that hath whiteness in his eyes, and he shall be healed.
Tob 6:9 And when they were come near to Rages,
Tob 6:10 The angel said to the young man, Brother, to day we shall lodge with Raguel, who is thy cousin; he also hath one only daughter, named Sara; I will speak for her, that she may be given thee for a wife.
Tob 6:11 For to thee doth the right of her appertain, seeing thou only art of her kindred.
Tob 6:12 And the maid is fair and wise: now therefore hear me, and I will speak to her father; and when we return from Rages we will celebrate the marriage: for I know that Raguel cannot marry her to another according to the law of Moses, but he shall be guilty of death, because the right of inheritance doth rather appertain to thee than to any other.
Tob 6:13 Then the young man answered the angel, I have heard, brother Azarias that this maid hath been given to seven men, who all died in the marriage chamber.
Tob 6:14 And now I am the only son of my father, and I am afraid, lest if I go in unto her, I die, as the other before: for a wicked spirit loveth her, which hurteth no body, but those which come unto her; wherefore I also fear lest I die, and bring my father's and my mother's life because of me to the grave with sorrow: for they have no other son to bury them.
Tob 6:15 Then the angel said unto him, Dost thou not remember the precepts which thy father gave thee, that thou shouldest marry a wife of thine own kindred? wherefore hear me, O my brother; for she shall be given thee to wife; and make thou no reckoning of the evil spirit; for this same night shall she be given thee in marriage.
Tob 6:16 And when thou shalt come into the marriage chamber, thou shalt take the ashes of perfume, and **shalt lay upon them some of the heart and liver of the fish, and shalt make a smoke with it:**
Tob 6:17 **And the devil shall smell it, and flee away, and never come again any more:** but when thou shalt come to her, rise up both of you, and pray to God which is merciful, who will have pity on you, and save you: fear not, for she is appointed unto thee from the beginning; and thou shalt preserve her, and she shall go with thee. Moreover I suppose that she shall bear thee children. Now when Tobias had heard these things, he loved her, and his heart was effectually joined to her.

Books of the Apocrypha

Esdras I Macabees II Macabees Tobit Judith Wisdom Sirach Baruch Epistle of Jeremiah
Susanna Prayer of Azariah Prayer of Manasseh Bel and the Dragon

The Greek Text

Where the different texts come from and what has come of them

Reliable Greek Text

Egyptian or Alexandrian Corruptions

Serian or Byzantine Text

Erasmus	1516
Beza	1565
Stephanis	1546
Colinaeus	1534
Elzevir	1633

CATHOLIC TEXT

Bently	1720
Hug	1808
Doedes	1844
Mataei	1782
Mace	1729
Bengel	1734
Griesbach	1835
Semler	1765
Harwood	1776
Alter	1787
Birch	1789
Lachmann	1850
Tregelles	1870
Souter	1910
Aland-Metzger	1966

These Bibles came from the Received Greek Text

Martin Luther	(German)
Diodati	(Italian)
Erdosi	(Hungary)
Olivetani	(France)
Valera	(Spain)
Visoly	(Poland)
Gottshoakson	(Iceland)
De Grave	(Holland)
Elizabeth Bible	(Russia)
Coverdale	(England) 1535
Tyndale	1525
Matthew's Bible	1537
Great Bible	1539
Geneva	1560
Bishop's Bible	1568
King James	1611 A.V.

These Bibles came from the Corrupted Greek Text

New World Testament,
 Jesuit Rheims,
 Rotherham,
 Fenton,
 NIV,
 Waymouth,
 CEV,
 ASV,
 RV,
 NASV,
 RSV,
 NRSV,
 New American,
 New Jerusalem,
 Good News,
 Riverside,
 Twentieth Century
 Knox,
 Williams,
 NEB,
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Albigensis,
Bruno,
Lollards,
Cathari,
Puritans,
Protestants,
Sheldon Jackson,
Jonathan Edwards,
Baptists,
Roger Williams,
The U.S. Constitution,
Bill of Rights,
Zinzendorf,
Spensor,
Goforth,
John Bunyan,
John Wesley,
George Whitfield,
Gen. William Booth,
Carey,
Peter Cartright,
Charles Finney,
Judson,
Moody,
Mel Trotter,
Billy Sunday,
J. Frank Norris,
John Rawlings,
Beachamp Vick,
Bob Jones Sr.,
Jack Hyles,
John Rice,
Lester Roloff

Philo,
Origen,
Eusebius,
Cyprian,
Augustine
Irenius,
Jerome,
Charlemagne,
Torquemada
Thomas Aquinas
Bloody Mary
Inquisition
Crusades
All Popes,
All Priests
All Cardinals
Napoleon
WW I - Berchtold & Franz Joseph
WW II - Adolph Hitler
Goebles
Himler
Gerring
Ichman
Lucky Luciano
John Gotti
John Wilkes Booth
Frank Sinatra
John Kennedy
The NCC
Mussolini, Ted Kennedy
Al Capone
Vito Genovesse
Wheaton College
Machen
Warfield
Castro, Rock Hudson
Bob Jones Jr. & III

Every Revival for the past 200 years.

MOTIVES BEHIND THE CLEARER TRANSLATIONS

1. Satanic envy of the power and authority of one book. We are not talking about, “the Originals.”
2. The Satanic desire to pose as, “God,” by getting rid of the Christian’s authority, and replacing it with the **opinions** and **preferences** of those who resent it’s power and authority.

THE PROOF THAT THESE ARE THE MOTIVES INVOLVED

1. The failure to compare each new version with the one preceding it. All compare themselves to the one they want to get rid of, The King James Bible, because **it is the standard**.
2. The production of more than 150 versions since 1884, each one claiming it’s purpose was to clear up, “absurdities,” in a book **written before any of the 150 were written**.

To believe these, “Scholars,” would mean you believe the English language became archaic and obscure more than once a year since 1880.

THE FALSE PREMISES BEHIND THE NEW VERSIONS

Evolutionary Scholarship

1. The translations will automatically improve until the Best one will be the last one in the church age.
This is based on Darwin and Huxley: two unsaved philosophers, and it contradicts every book in the Bible.
2. Rotten Fruit cannot be connected with the new translations, they just happened to have come along at the same time as abortion, Homosexuality, world wide terrorism, two world wars, women’s liberation, a national debt of 4 trillion, international bankruptcy and a dearth of Biblical knowledge comparable only to the dark ages.

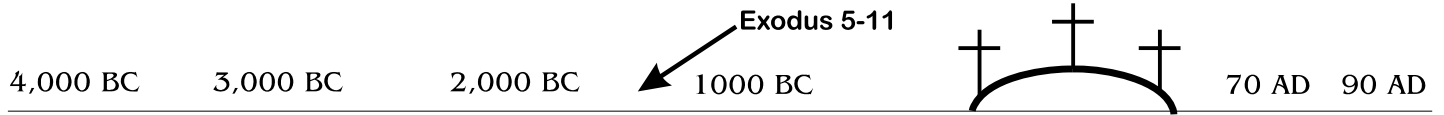
For they that are such serve not our Lord Jesus Christ, but their own belly; and by good words and fair speeches deceive the hearts of the simple. **Rom 16:18**

If the new Bibles are so understandable why don’t people with the new versions know the Bible better than the Christians of the past? Why aren’t the Christians of today holier and stronger spiritually because of the new bibles?

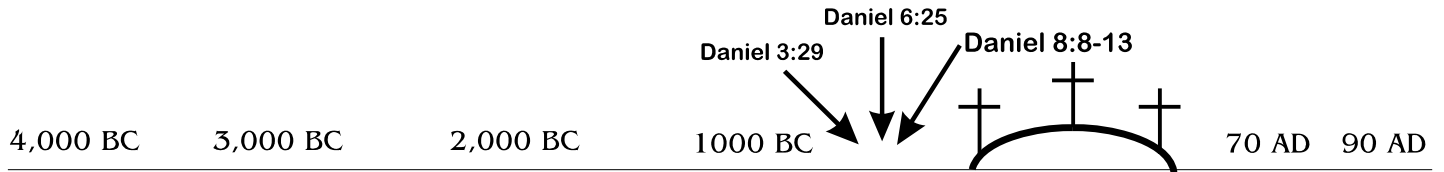
"NO TRANSLATION IS INSPIRED"

II Timothy 3:15-17

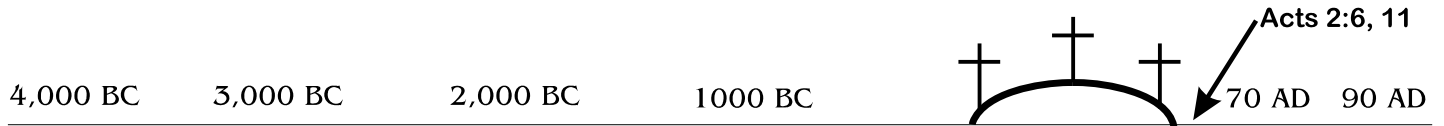
1. All the conversations between Moses and Pharaoh in Egyptian had to be translated into original autographs in Hebrew.
Moses spoke in Egyptian but wrote in Hebrew.



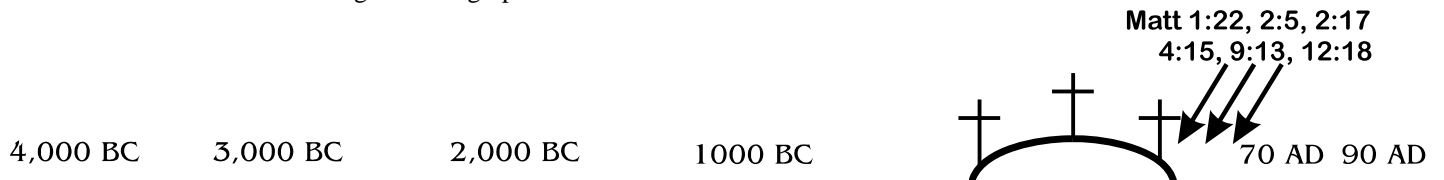
2. The decrees of Nebuchadnezzar, Darius, and Artaxerxes were translations.



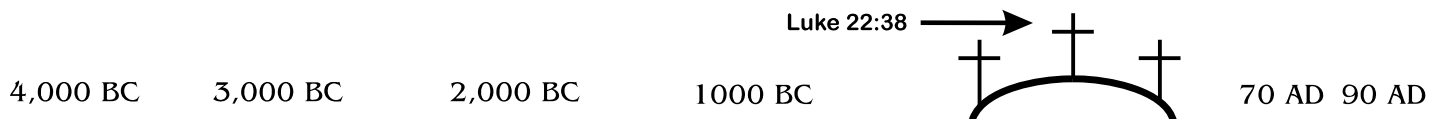
3. All the tongues in Acts 2 were translated directly "God-breathed," by the Holy Ghost.
"How hear we every man in our own tongue?"



4. More than 40 verses in the original Autographs were Greek translations of the Hebrew.



5. Latin, as well as Hebrew and Greek, was inspired.
Centurion
Legion
The inscription on the cross was Latin



Verses totally corrupted

II Timothy 2:15
II Cor 2:17
Acts 1:3
I Timothy 6:10

ASV verses played with

John 1:18
1 Cor 5:7
Matt 12:6
II Timothy 3:3
Heb 11:6

Tricks of the Trade

The Greek text says (Which one? There are 24 Greek texts)
The original says (They have never seen an original)
The editions of the A.V. don't match.
Erasmus was pro-catholic - This is a lie His text is band by the catholic church. They dumped him.
He had only late manuscripts
the A.V. had a crown copyright
You are following a man
You are worshipping a book - they worship scholarship
The words of the KJV need updating - The enemy would rather change the word of God than use a dictionary.
There was no Receptus before 1633
Editions of the Receptus differ
A change in tense is an error
No major doctrine is changed - they are not taken away but they are attacked.
Where was the Word of God before 1611
The best text reads
A better translation reads
The A.V. is confusing and misleading
If you had the original you couldn't read it.
People criticized the A.V. when it came out so others will also criticize new versions also.
After they say this they say"Turn in the scriptures" They are lying. They themselves don't believe they really have it.

There is only one book they are trying to get rid of and that is the King James Bible. They aren't trying to get rid of a Greek text.
Every new version always compares itself to the King James Bible. If they were trying to make easier and easier Bibles to read then they should be comparing it to the previous version that just came out.
They all use the King James Version verse and chapter numbering system.
The King James Version has been translated in 109 languages and partially in 1,500 languages.

If the New Translations are supposed to come from the more reliable texts like Vaticanus and Sinaiticus, then why don't they translate the Apocrypha and put it in the O.T. ? They took out 15,000 words and yet didn't put the Apocrypha in it also?

N.I.V. Quiz

Using the New International Version Bible, answer the following questions.

Do not rely on your memory. As the Bible is the final authority, you must take the answer from the Bible verse (not from footnotes but from the text).

- 1.Fill in the missing words in Matthew 5:44. "Love your enemies, _____ them that curse you, _____ to them that hate you, and pray for them that _____ and persecute you."
- 2.According to Matthew 17:21, what two things are required to cast out this type of demon?
- 3.According to Matthew 18:11, why did Jesus come to earth?
- 4.According to Matthew 27:2, what was Pilate's first name?
- 5.In Matthew 27:35, when the wicked soldiers parted His garments, they were fulfilling the words of the prophet. Copy what the prophet said in Matthew 27:35 from the NIV.
- 6.In Mark 3:15, Jesus gave the apostles power to cast out demons and to: _____
- 7.According to Mark 7:16, what does a man need to be able to hear?
- 8.According to Luke 7:28, what was John? (teacher, prophet, carpenter, etc.). What is his title or last name?
- 9.In Luke 9:55, what did the disciples not know?
- 10.In Luke 9:56, what did the Son of man not come to do? According to this verse, what did He come to do?
- 11.In Luke 22:14, how many apostles were with Jesus?
- 12.According to Luke 23:38, in what three languages was the superscription written?
- 13.In Luke 24:42, what did they give Jesus to eat with His fish?
- 14.John 3:13 is a very important verse, proving the deity of Christ. According to this verse (as Jesus spoke), where is the Son of man?
- 15.What happened each year as told in John 5:4?
- 16.In John 7:50, what time of day did Nicodemus come to Jesus?
- 17.In Acts 8:37, what is the one requirement for baptism?
- 18.What did Saul ask Jesus in Acts 9:6?
- 19.Write the name of the man mentioned in Acts 15:34.
- 20.Study Acts 24:6-8. What would the Jew have done with Paul? What was the chief captain's name? What did the chief captain command?
- 21.Copy Romans 16:24 word for word from the NIV.
- 22.First Timothy 3:16 is perhaps the greatest verse in the New Testament concerning the deity of Christ. In this verse, who was manifested in the flesh?
- 23.In the second part of First Peter 4:14, how do [they] speak of Christ? And, what do we Christians do?
- 24.Who are the three Persons of the Trinity in First John 5:7?
- 25.Revelation 1:11 is another very important verse that proves the deity of Christ. In the first part of this verse Jesus said, "I am the A _____ and O _____, the _____ and the _____:"

Conclusion: Little space is provided for your answers, but it's much more than needed. If you followed the instructions above, you not only failed the test, you receive a big goose egg.

(Ed. These are all missing in the NIV.) So now what do you think of your "accurate, easy to understand, up to date Bible"?

If you would like to improve your score, and in fact score 100%, you can take this test using the Authorized (King James) Bible.