

Appendix A - You SHALL NOT ADD TO THE WORD OF GOD

To add to a text or to say something is in a text that is not there is adding to God's Word. God warns us not to add to His Word.

Deut. 4:2 You shall not add to the word which I command you, nor take away from it, that you may keep the commandments of the Lord your God which I command you.

Prov. 30:6 Do not add to His words, lest He rebuke you, and you be found a liar.

Ps. 119:89 Forever, O, Lord, Your word is settled in the heaven.

Matt. 5:18 For assuredly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, one jot or one tittle will by no means pass from the law till all is fulfilled.

2 Cor. 4:2 But we have renounced the hidden things of shame, not walking in craftiness nor handling the word of God deceitfully, but by manifestation of the truth commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.

1 Cor. 4:6 Now these things, brethren, I have figuratively transferred to myself and Apollos for your sakes, that you may learn in us not to think beyond what is written.

Gal. 3:15 Brethren, I speak in the manner of men: Though it is only a man's covenant, yet if it is confirmed, no one annuls or adds to it.

2 Pet. 3:16 *As also in all his epistles, speaking in them of things, in which are some things hard to understand which untaught and unstable people twist to their own destruction, as they do also the rest of the Scriptures.*

2 Pet. 3:17 *You therefore, beloved, since you know this beforehand, beware lest you also fall from your own steadfastness, being led away with the error of the wicked. [Note: “Error of the wicked” means deception, fraud, delusion, seduction, being unrestrained or licentious.]*

Rev. 22:18-19 *For I testify to everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: If anyone adds to these things, God will add to him the plagues that are written in this book; and if anyone takes away from the word of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part from the Book of Life, from the holy city, and from the things which are written in the book.*