

Are YOU using a

COUNTERFEIT

'bible'?

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?

The first question recorded in the Bible (Gen. 3:1) was from God's enemy, the Devil. And what was he questioning? **God's word!** And from his questioning, he got Eve to SUBTRACT from God's word (Gen. 3:2), and then ADD to God's word (Gen. 3:3), which then ultimately led to sin and death for all mankind. God put this warning for us right at the beginning of His Book. Why? Because Satan will ALWAYS attack God's word, and use scholars, publishing houses, committees, and individuals to subtract from it, add to it, alter it, change it, and even completely remove verses from it. The result? Over 200 different English 'bible' versions available today (with a new one coming out every 6 months or so), AND weakened, spiritually 'crippled' Christians.

As an example, below are just 25 simple checks (there are actually thousands!). If ANY 'bible' version fails any ONE of the following, then it is one of Satan's counterfeits.

1. Genesis 22:8

The counterfeits change "...My son, God will provide himself a lamb for a burnt offering:..." to distort the prophecy that God Himself would become the Lamb. The counterfeits read as, "God will provide for Himself the lamb..." or "God himself will provide the lamb for the burnt offering". The fulfilment of Genesis 22:8 is found in John 1:29.

2. Isaiah 14:12

Most counterfeits confuse the Lord Jesus Christ with Lucifer. They replace the word "Lucifer" with "morning star, day star, star of the morning". "Morning star" is a title reserved for the Lord Jesus Christ in Revelation 22:16. This is also the only time the word "Lucifer" is found in the word of God. In Isaiah 14:15 the counterfeits do not send Lucifer to "hell", but only to the confusing "Sheol", or the "grave".

3. Matthew 20:20

Many counterfeits remove the words "worshipping him", and rob worship from the Lord Jesus Christ. Some will replace the words with "kneeling down" or "kneeling before", but just simply "kneeling" is NOT worship.

4. Matthew 26:28

Many counterfeits replace the phrase "new testament" with the generic phrase "new agreement" or "new covenant". This is an obvious attack on the written word of God. It's interesting, even though the counterfeits remove the phrase "new testament", they do not title their New Testaments as "New Agreement" or "New Covenant". Why? The counterfeiterers know they could not sell their counterfeits bearing the title "New Agreement" or "New Covenant" on the cover, so like any good counterfeiter, they disguise it.

5. Mark 3:29

The counterfeits change the serious consequences of blasphemy against the Holy Ghost from "eternal damnation" to "eternal sin" or "eternal condemnation".

6. Luke 4:4

Many counterfeits remove the last half of Luke 4:4, "...but by every word of God". This is another assault on the word of God. In Luke 4:4, the Lord Jesus Christ is quoting Deuteronomy 8:3. Do the counterfeiterers believe the Lord Jesus Christ does not know what Deuteronomy 8:3 says?

7. Luke 4:8

Many counterfeits remove the words "get thee behind me, Satan". Here, the Lord Jesus Christ openly rebukes Satan – but the counterfeits do not rebuke Satan.

8. Luke 16:23

Many counterfeits refuse to translate the Greek word "haidēs" to the word "hell". The counterfeit will transliterate the Greek word "haidēs" into the English "hades". By this trick, the counterfeit attempts to extinguish the flames of hell. "Hades" is not "hell". Hell is flames, torments, weeping and wailing, complete darkness – forever. "Hades" is a new-age place of purification, or a fantasy place in Greek mythology. The Assyrian Hades is an abode of blessedness with silver skies called 'Happy Fields'.

9. John 4:24

Many counterfeits change "God is a spirit" to "God is spirit". By removing the critical article "a", the counterfeits teach an impersonal, formless, esoteric, new-age 'spirit god'.

10. John 14:16

Many counterfeits change the Holy Spirit from a loving, concerned "Comforter" to simply another "Helper, Counsellor".

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to imitate or copy closely

especially with intent to DECEIVE

11. Acts 2:47

Many counterfeits change the completed act of "saved" to the working, in progress "being saved". With this change, the counterfeits deny the complete and finished salvation in the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ to a progressive salvation by works. You are no longer "saved", but in the process of "being saved". See also in 1 Corinthians 1:18 and 2 Corinthians 2:15.

12. Acts 4:27

Many counterfeits abort the Lord Jesus Christ as the Father's "holy child" to His "holy servant". A subtle (see Genesis 3:1) and clever denial of the deity of the Lord Jesus Christ. The counterfeits do this again in Acts 4:30.

13. Acts 8:37

Some counterfeits completely remove this wonderful verse (and several others relating to salvation), stopping the Ethiopian eunuch from getting saved. Some counterfeits are a little more subtle. They do not remove the verse from the text, but will add a footnote questioning the verse, and plant a seed of doubt. Sound familiar? "Yea, hath God said...?" Many counterfeits also remove: Matthew 17:21, 18:11, 23:14, Mark 7:16, 9:44, 9:46, Mark 11:26, 15:28, Luke 17:36, 23:17, John 5:4, Acts 8:37, 15:34, 24:7, 28:28, Romans 16:24 and 1 John 5:7!

14. Acts 17:29

The counterfeits change "Godhead" to the new age doctrine of "Divine Nature" or "Divine Being".

15. Romans 6:22

Many counterfeits demote Christians from the voluntary, loving "servants of God" to cruel "enslaved" or "slaves of God". The counterfeits describe my Father as a 'slave owner', and His precious children as "slaves". Oh how contrary and wicked to the character of my loving and wonderful Heavenly Father! This is done many times in the counterfeits. It's amazing, because the first part of Romans 6:22 reads "... being made free from sin,..." and according to the counterfeits we now are slaves!

16. 1 Corinthians 1:21

Many counterfeits change "... the foolishness of preaching ..." to the "foolishness of what was preached" or "foolishness of the message preached". The deceitful counterfeits change the object of "foolishness" from the act of "preaching" to the "message" of preaching – the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. There's nothing foolish about the message of the Lord Jesus Christ – it's the greatest and most reasonable message in the history of the universe! 1 Corinthians 1:18, shines some eye-opening light on the counterfeiter, it says ". . . the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God." It makes you wonder, are the publishers of these counterfeits even saved?

17. 1 Corinthians 6:9

The counterfeits change the word "effeminate" to "homosexual" or "male prostitutes". This dilutes the serious warning of just the appearance or mannerism (effeminate) to the sexual act of homosexuals.

18. 2 Corinthians 2:17

The counterfeits change the word "corrupt the word of God" to "peddling (or selling) the word of God". An apparent attempt by the counterfeiters to hide the fact they are "corrupting the word of God". It won't work; God knows what they are doing.

19. Colossians 1:14

Many counterfeits remove the phrase "through his blood". Salvation is only "through his blood". Without shedding of blood, there is no remission of sins (Hebrews 9:22).

20. 1 Thessalonians 5:22

The counterfeits change "all appearance of evil" to "every form (or kind) of evil".

21. 1 Timothy 3:16

Many counterfeits change the crucial word "God" to the unmodified, vague pronoun "he". This is the clearest verse in the Bible stating that the Lord Jesus Christ is "God manifest in the flesh", and the counterfeits destroy it.

22. 1 Timothy 6:10

The counterfeits add the words "kinds of". This addition dilutes the conclusive statement, "...the love of money is the root of all evil" to the subjective "... the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil".

23. 2 Timothy 2:15

The counterfeits remove the word "study". The counterfeits do not want you to study your Bible. You might just find out what they are up to, and that they are mutilating it.

24. Revelation 1:5

Many counterfeits change the wonderful words "washed us from our sins in his own blood," to "loosed" or "freed" us from our sins. Revelation 1:5 is the only verse in the Bible that says you are washed in the blood, and the counterfeits destroy it. What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

25. Philippians 2:6

The counterfeits change "Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God." to "Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped." Any thinking person after reading this verse in the counterfeits would conclude that Jesus is NOT God.

So which Bible is God's word?

The one that stands alone, and has remained unchanged.
God's preserved word is the

Authorized Version King James Holy Bible

It's the Book that Satan hates and wants Christians to stop using. The Devil can't touch God's preserved word, that's why he publishes his own counterfeit 'bibles' to deceive the children of God. Who are YOU listening to?

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