

TONGUE

Exodus 23:1 (NKJV)

¹ “You shall not circulate a false report. Do not put your hand with the wicked to be an unrighteous witness.

Numbers 23:8 (KJV)

⁸ How shall I curse, whom God hath not cursed? or how shall I defy, whom the LORD hath not defied?

Deuteronomy 6:4-7 (KJV)

⁴ Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God is one LORD: ⁵ And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. ⁶ And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: ⁷ And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.

Deuteronomy 23:23 (NKJV)

²³ That which has gone from your lips you shall keep and perform, for you voluntarily vowed to the LORD your God what you have promised with your mouth.

Psalms 34:13 (NKJV)

¹³ Keep your tongue from evil, and your lips from speaking deceit.

Proverbs 13:3 (KJV)

³ He that keepeth his mouth keepeth his life: but he that openeth wide his lips shall have destruction.

Proverbs 21:23 (KJV)

²³ Whoso keepeth his mouth and his tongue keepeth his soul from troubles.

Proverbs 4:24 (NIV)

²⁴ Put away perversity from your mouth; keep corrupt talk far from your lips.

Proverbs 10:20 (NKJV)

²⁰ The tongue of the righteous is choice silver; the heart of the wicked is worth little.

Proverbs 20:15 (KJV)

¹⁵ There is gold, and a multitude of rubies: but the lips of knowledge are a precious jewel.

Proverbs 25:11 (CEV)

¹¹ The right word at the right time is like precious gold set in silver.

Isaiah 9:17 (AMP)

¹⁷ Therefore the Lord will not rejoice over their young men, neither will He have compassion on their fatherless and widows, for everyone is profane and an evildoer, and every mouth speaks folly. For all this, [God's] anger is not turned away, but His hand is still stretched out [in judgment].

Isaiah 57:4 (NIV)

⁴ Whom are you mocking? At whom do you sneer and stick out your tongue? Are you not a brood of rebels, the offspring of liars?

Jeremiah 9:8 (NIV)

⁸ Their tongue is a deadly arrow; it speaks with deceit. With his mouth each speaks cordially to his neighbor, but in his heart he sets a trap for him.

Luke 20:20-26 (NKJV)

²⁰ So they watched Him, and sent spies who pretended to be righteous, that they might seize on His words, in order to deliver Him to the power and the authority of the governor. ²¹ Then they asked Him, saying, "Teacher, we know that You say and teach rightly, and You do not show personal favoritism, but teach the way of God in truth; ²² Is it lawful for us to pay taxes to Caesar or not?" ²³ But He perceived their craftiness, and said to them, "Why do you test Me? ²⁴ Show Me a denarius. Whose image and inscription does it have?" They answered and said, "Caesar's." ²⁵ And He said to them, "Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." ²⁶ But they could not catch Him in His words in the presence of the people. And they marveled at His answer and kept silent.

1 Corinthians 14:23 (AMP)

²³ And whatsoever you do [no matter what it is] in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus and in [dependence upon] His Person, giving praise to God the Father through Him.

1 Timothy 3:8 (CEV)

⁸ Church officers should be serious. They must not be liars, heavy drinkers, or greedy for money.

James 3:2-6 (NIV)

² We all stumble in many ways. If anyone is never at fault in what he says, he is a perfect man, able to keep his whole body in check. ³ When we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we can turn the whole animal. ⁴ Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go. ⁵ Likewise the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark. ⁶ The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body. It corrupts the whole person, sets the whole course of his life on fire, and is itself set on fire by hell.