

BIBLE VERSIONS COMPARED

I. COMPARING BIBLE VERSIONS.

- A. When Comparing different Bible Versions, One Finds that there Are clear Differences between the King James Authorized Version (KJAV) and the other Versions.
- B. These Differences Show that Versions other than the KJAV Are Translated from different Sources of Manuscripts. Therefore, these other Versions Are **not** a Revision or Update of the KJAV, as Is often Claimed, but Are indeed different Bibles.
- C. In some Versions, whole Verses Are Omitted (left out), Footnoted, Bracketed, Placed in Parentheses, Changed, Mangled, or Placed in Italics.
- D. In other Versions, some Verses only Have Portions that Are Omitted, Footnoted, Bracketed, Placed in Parentheses, Changed, Mangled, Placed in Italics, or Added to.
- E. The following sixteen (16) Versions Were those Used for this Comparison: The Amplified Bible (AB), the Contemporary English Version (CEV), the English Standard Version (ESV)the King James Authorized Version (KJAV), the Living Bible (LB), the New American Standard Version (NAS), the New Century Version (NCV), the New English Bible (NEB), the New International Version (NIV), the New King James Version (NKJ), the New Living Translation (NLT), Phillip’s Modern English Translation (PME), the New Revised Standard Version (NRS), Today’s English Version (TEV), The Message (TM).

II. THE FOLLOWING ARE WHOLE VERSES THAT ARE OMITTED (O), FOOTNOTED (F), PLACED IN BRACKETS (B), PLACED IN PARENTHESES (P), CHANGED (C), MANGLED (M), OR PUT IN ITALICS (I):

KJAV	AB	CEV	LB	NAS	NCV	NEB	NIV
Matthew 12:47	I	F	C	---	---	---	F
17:21	I	O/F	F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
18:11	I	O/F	F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
21:44	I	O/F	C	---	F	O/F	F
23:14	I	O/F	C	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
Mark 7:16	I	O/F	O/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
9:44 & 46	O/F	O/F	O/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
11:26	I	O/F	O/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F

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Mark 15:28	I	O/F	F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
16:9-20	F	F	F	B/F	B/F	F	F
Luke 17:36	I	O/F	---	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
22:20	---	---	M	F	---	O/F	---
22:43-44	---	F	---	---	---	F	F
23:17	I	O/F	O/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
John 7:53 to 8:11	F	F	F	B/F	B/F	F	F
Acts 8:37	I	O/F	---	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
15:34	I	O/F	O	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
24:6b-8a	F	O/F	---	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
28:29	I	O/F	O/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
Romans 16:24	I	O/F	---	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
1 st John 5:7-8	I	M	M/F	M/F	F	O	M/F

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Matthew 12:47	O/F	---	---	---	F	---	---
17:21	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
18:11	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O/F
21:44	O/F	---	F	P	F	B	---
23:14	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
Mark 7:16	F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
9:44 & 46	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
11:26	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
15:28	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
16:9-20	F	F	F	F/M	F/B	B/M	O
Luke 17:36	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
22:20	---	---	F	---	F	B	---
22:43-44	---	F	F	O	O/F	B	---
23:17	O/F	---	O/F	O	B/F	B	O
John 7:53 to 8:11	F	F	F	---	B/F	B	---
Acts 8:37	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
15:34	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
24:6b-8a	F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
28:29	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
Romans 16:24	O	F	O/F	O	O/F	B	O
1 st John 5:7-8	M/F	F	M/F	O	M	M	M

III. THE FOLLOWING ARE EXAMPLES OF VERSES IN THE OLD TESTAMENT THAT HAVE PORTIONS OMITTED (O), FOOTNOTED (F), CHANGED (C), OR MANGLED (M):

KJAV	AB	ESV	LB	NAS	NCV	NEB	NIV
Genesis 1:28 “replenish”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
24:22 & 30 “earing”	C	C	F	C	C	C	C
49:6 “dugged down”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
49:10 “gathering”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Numbers 21:14 “What” to “Arnon”	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
23:22 “unicorn”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
33:52 “pictures”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Deuteronomy 32:14 “the” to “grape” (cf. Deu 29:6)	C	---	C	C	C	C	C
Judges 5:14 “pen”	---	C	O	C	C	C	C
1 st Samuel 13:1 “Saul” to “year”	C/F	C/F	F	C	C/F	C/F	C/F
2 nd Chronicles 22:2 “forty and two”	---	C	C	C	C	---	C/F
33:3 “groves”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Job 3:8 “their mourning”	C	C	F	C	C	C	C
11:8 “hell”	C	C	O	C	C	C	C/F
13:12 “remembrances”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
26:13 “formed”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
30:29 “dragons” and “owls”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
39:13 “peacocks”	M	M	O	M	M	M	M
39:20 “afraid”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
41:20 “or caldron”	C	C	O	C	C	C	C
Psalms 39:5 “altogether vanity”	C	C	O	C	C	C	C
Proverbs 7:16 “with carved works”	C	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ecclesiastes 1:1 “of the Preacher”	---	F	---	---	C	C	C
Isaiah 9:3 “not”	O	O	O	O	O	O/F	O
13:21 “satyrs”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
53:10 “when” to “sin”	---	F	---	C	C	C	C
Daniel 3:25 “the Son of God”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
11:38 “the God of forces”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Hosea 4:18 “drink is sour”	C	C	C	C	C	C/F	C
4:18 “give ye”	O	O	C	O	O	O	O
12:4 “with us”	C	---	C	---	C	C	C
Zechariah 11:17 “idol”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Malachi 1:3 “dragons”	C	C	C	C	C	O	C
2:12 “the” to “scholars”	M	O	C	O	O	M	O

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Genesis 1:28 “replenish”	C	C	C	C	C	C
24:22 & 30 “earing”	C/F	C	C	C	C	C
49:6 “digged down”	C	C	C	C	C	C
49:10 “gathering”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Numbers 21:14 “What“ to “Arnon”	M	M	M	M/F	M	M
23:22 “unicorn”	C	C	C	C	C	C
33:52 “pictures”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Deuteronomy 32:14 “the” to “grape” (cf. Deu 29:6)	C	C	C	C	C	---
Judges 5:14 “pen”	C	C	C	C	O	O
1 st Samuel 13:1 “Saul” to “year”	M/F	F	C/F	M/F	O/F	M
2 nd Chronicles 22:2 “forty and two”	F	F	C/F	---	C/F	C
2 nd Chronicles 33:3 “groves”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Job 3:8 “their mourning”	C	C	C	C	C	C
11:8 “hell”	C	C	C/F	C	C	C
13:12 “remembrances”	C	C	C	C	C	C
26:13 “formed”	C	C	C	C	C	C
30:29 “dragons” and “owls”	C	C	C/---	C	C	C/---
39:13 “peacocks”	M	M	M	M/F	M	M
39:20 “afraid”	C	C	C	C	C	C
41:20 “or caldron”	C	C	C	C	C	O
Psalms 39:5 “altogether vanity”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Proverbs 7:16 “with carved works”	O	C	O	O	O	O
Ecclesiastes 1:1 “of the Preacher”	C	---	C	C	C	C
Isaiah 9:3 “not”	O	O	O	O	O	O
13:21 “satyrs”	C	C	C	C	C	C
53:10 “when” to “sin”	C	F	C	C/F	O	---
Daniel 3:25 “the Son of God”	C	F	C/F	C	C	C
11:38 “the God of forces”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Hosea 4:18 “drink is sour”	C	C	C	C	C	C
4:18 “give ye”	O	F	O/F	C/F	O	O
12:4 “with us”	C	---	C/F	C/F	C/F	C
Zechariah 11:17 “idol”	C	C	C	C	C	C
Malachi 1:3 “dragons”	O	O	C	C	C	O
2:12 “the” to “scholars”	M	O	O	O	O	O

IV. THE FOLLOWING ARE EXAMPLES OF VERSES IN THE NEW TESTAMENT THAT HAVE PORTIONS OMITTED (O), FOOTNOTED (F), PLACED IN BRACKETS (B), PLACED IN PARENTHESES (P), CHANGED (C), MANGLED (M), PLACED IN ITALICS (I), OR ADDED TO (A):

KJAV	AB	CEV	LB	NAS	NCV	NEB	NIV
Matthew 1:25 “firstborn”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
5:22 “without a cause”	O/F	O	O	O/F	O/A	O/F	O/F
5:44 “bless” to “hate”	O	O	O	O	O	O/F	O/F
6:13 “for” to “amen”	I	O/F	O/F	B	O	O/F	O/F
19:9 “whoso” to “adultery”	I	M	O/F	O	M	O/F	O
19:17 “why” to “good”	C	C	M	C	C	C	C
24:36 “nor the son”	A	A/F	A	A	A	A	A
27:24 “just”	I/C/F	O	C	O	O	O	O
27:35 “that” to “lots” (cf. Psa 22:18)	I	O	O	O	O	O	O/F
Mark 1:2 “in” to “prophets”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:11 “verily” to “city”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
9:29 “and fasting”	I	O	O/F	O/F	O	O/F	O/F
10:24 “for” to “riches”	I	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	O/F
13:14 “spoken” to “prophet”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
14:24 “new”	I	O	O/F	O	---	O	O/F
Luke 2:33 “Joseph”	C	C	---	C	C	C	C
4:4 “but” to “God”	I	O	O	O	O/F	O	O
4:8 “Get” to “Satan”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
8:43 “which” to “physician”	I	F	P/F	O	O	O/F	O
9:54-56	I	M/F	M	M	M/F	M/F	M/F
23:42 “Lord”	I	C	C	C	O	C	C
John 1:18 “begotten” or “Son”	A/C	O/M	O	C	O	O	O/F
3:13 “which” to “heaven”	A/I	O	O	O	O	M/F	O
5:3-4 “waiting” to “had”	I/O/F	O/F	P/F	B/F	O/F	O/F	O/F
6:47 “on me”	I	O	---	O	---	O	O
9:35 “Son of God”	A/F	C	C	C	C	C/F	C
16:16 “because” to “Father”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
18:36 “now”	O	O	O	O	O	O	C
Acts 1:3 “infallible”	---	O	C	C	O	C	C
4:27 “child”	---	C	C	C	C	C	C
9:5-6 “it” to “do”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
10:48 “the Lord”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
12:4 “Easter”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
17:26 “blood”	B	C	C	O/F	C	C	C
20:28 “church” to “blood”	---	C/F	---	---	C/F	F	---
23:9 “let” to “God”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
Romans 1:18 “hold”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
1:25 “changed”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C

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Romans 6:11 “our Lord”	O	O	---	O	O	O	O
8:1 “who” to “Spirit”	O	O	O	O/F	O	O	O/F
14:6 “and” to “it”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
1 st Corinthians 1:22 “require”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:20 “and” to “God’s”	O	O	M	O	O	O	O
11:29 “unworthily”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
15:47 “the Lord”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
16:22 “Jesus”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
2 nd Corinthians 2:10 “person” (cf. 2 Cor 5:22)	C	C	M	C	C	O/F	C
2:17 “corrupt”	C	M	C	C	C	C	C
4:10 “the Lord”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
5:17 “creature”	P	C	C	---	C	C	C
Galatians 3:1 “that” to “truth”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
6:15 “in” to “Jesus”	B	O	O	O	O	O	O/F
6:17 “the Lord”	---	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ephesians 1:6 “wherein” to “accepted”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
3:9 “by Jesus Christ”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
3:14 “of” to “Christ”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
5:30 “of” to “bones”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Colossians 1:2 “and” to “Christ”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O/F
1:14 “through” to even”	I/B	O/M	---	O	O	O	O/F
1 st Thessalonians 5:22 “appearance”	M	C	C	C	C	C	C
2 nd Thessalonians 2:7 “iniquity”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
2:7 “he” (the “H” is not supposed to be capitalized)	F	---	---	---	---	---	---
1 st Timothy 1:1 “Lord”	O	O	---	O	O	O	O
3:16 “God”	P/F	O/F	O	C/F	C	C	C/F
5:21 “Lord”	O	O	---	O	O	O	O
6:5 “gain” to “thysself”	C/I	C	C/O	C/O	C	C/O	C/O
6:10 “the root”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:20 “science”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
2 nd Timothy 1:11 “of” to “Gentiles”	I	O/F	---	O	O	O	O
2:15 “study”	---	C	C	C	C	C	C
3:3 “those” to “good”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
4:1 “the Lord”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
4:22 “Jesus Christ”	I	O	---	O	O	O	O
Titus 1:4 “the Lord”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
Hebrews 1:3 “by himself”	C	O	O	O	O	O	O
2:7 “and” to “hands”	I	O/F	O	F	O	O	O
7:21 “after” to “Melchisedec”	I	O	---	O	O	O	O
James 5:16 “faults”	---	C	---	C	C	C	C
1 st Peter 4:14 “on” to “glorified”	I	O	O	O	O	O	O
1 st John 4:3 “Christ” to “flesh”	I	O	C	O	O	O	O

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1 st John 5:13 “and” to “God”	M	O	O	M	O	M	O
2 nd John v.3 “the Lord”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Revelation 1:8 “the” to “ending”	I	O	---	O	O/F	O	O
1:11 “I” to “last” (cf. Isa 44:6)	I	O	---	O	O	O	O
21:24 “of” to “saved”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O

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5:22 “without a cause”	O	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	O
5:44 “bless” to “hate”	O	F	O/F	O	O	O	O
6:13 “for” to “amen”	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	O
19:9 “whoso” to “adultery”	O	---	O/F	O	C/F	O	O
19:17 “why” to “good”	C	F	C	C	C	C	C
24:36 “nor the son”	A/F	F	A	A	A/F	A	A
27:24 “just”	O/F	F	O	O	C/F	O	O
27:35 “that” to “lots” (cf. Psa 22:18)	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	O
Mark 1:2 “in” to “prophets”	C	F	C	C	C/F	C	C
6:11 “verily” to “city”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
9:29 “and fasting”	O/F	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	O
10:24 “for” to “riches”	O	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	C
13:14 “spoken” to “prophet”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
14:24 “new”	O	F	O/F	C	O/F	O	---
Luke 2:33 “Joseph”	C	F	---	C	C	C	C
4:4 “but” to “God”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
4:8 “Get” to “Satan”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
8:43 “which” to “physician”	O/F	---	F	O	F	---	---
9:54-56	M/F	F	M/F	M	M/F	M	M
23:42 “Lord”	C	F	O	C	C	C	O
John 1:18 “begotten” or “Son”	O/F	F	O	C	O/F	M	O
3:13 “which” to “heaven”	O	F	O	O	O/F	O	O
5:3-4 “waiting” to “had”	O/F	F	O/F	P	O/F	B	O
6:47 “on me”	O	F	---	C	O	O	---
9:35 “Son of God”	C	F	C/F	C	C/F	C	C
16:16 “because” to “Father”	O/F	---	O	O	O	O	O
18:36 “now”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
Acts 1:3 “infallible”	C	---	O	C	C	C	C
4:27 “child”	C	C	C	C	C/F	C	C
9:5-6 “it” to “do?”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
10:48 “the Lord”	C	---	C	C	C	C	C
12:4 “Easter”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
17:26 “blood”	C/F	F	C	C	C/F	C	M
20:28 “church” to “blood”	C/F	---	---	---	C/F	C	C
23:9 “let” to “God”	O	F	O	O	O	O	---

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Romans 1:18 “hold”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
1:25 “changed”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:11 “our Lord”	O/F	---	O	---	O	O	O
8:1 “who” to “Spirit”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
14:6 “and” to “it”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
1 st Corinthians 1:22 “require”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:20 “and” to “God’s”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
11:29 “unworthily”	O/F	F	---	O	O/F	O	O
15:47 “the Lord”	O	F	O/C	O	O/F	O	M
16:22 “Jesus”	O	---	O	O	O	O	C
2 nd Corinthians 2:10 “person” (cf. 2 Cor 5:20)	C	C	C	O	M	C	C
2:17 “corrupt”	C	C	C	---	C	C	C
4:10 “the Lord”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
5:17 “creature”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
Galatians 3:1 “that” to “truth”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
6:15 “in” to “Jesus”	O/F	---	O	---	O/F	O	O
6:17 “the Lord”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
Ephesians 1:6 “wherein” to “accepted”	C	---	C	C	C	C	C
3:9 “by Jesus Christ”	O	F	O	C	O	O	O
3:14 “of” to “Christ”	O	F	O/F	O	O/F	O	O/M
5:30 “of” to “bones”	O	F	O	O	O/F	O	O
Colossians 1:2 “and” to “Christ”	O/F	---	O	O	O	O	O
1:14 “through” to “even”	O	F	F	O	O/F	O	O
1 st Thessalonians 5:22 “appearance”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
2 nd Thessalonians 2:7 “iniquity”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
2:7 “he” (the H is not supposed to be capitalized)	---	C	C	---	C	---	C
1 st Timothy 1:1 “Lord”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
3:16 “God”	C	F	C	C	C/F	C	C
5:21 “the Lord”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
6:5 “gain” to “thysself”	C/O	M	C	C/O	M	C/O	C
6:10 “the root”	---	C	C	C	C	C	C
6:20 “science”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
2 Timothy 1:11 “of” to “Gentiles”	O/F	F	O	O	O/F	O	O
2:15 “study”	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
3:3 “those” to “good”	C	O	C	C	O	C	C
4:1 “the Lord”	O	---	O	O	O	O	O
4:22 “Jesus Christ”	O/F	F	O	O	O	O	O
Titus 1:4 “the Lord”	O	F	O	O	O	O	M
Hebrews 1:3 “by himself”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
2:7 “and” to “hands”	O	F	O	---	O/F	O	M
7:21 “after” to “Melchisedec”	O/F	F	O	O	O	O	O

KJAV	NJB	NKJ	NLT	PME	NRS	TEV	TM
James 5:16 “faults”	C	C/F	C	C	C	C	C
1 st Peter 4:14 “on” to “glorified”	O	F	O	O	O/F	O	O
1 st John 4:3 “Christ” to “flesh”	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
5:13 “and” to “God”	O	F	O	O	O	M	O
2 nd John v.3 “the Lord”	O	---	O	---	O/F	O	O
Revelation 1:8 “the” to “ending”	O	F	---	O	O	O	O
1:11 “I” to “last” (cf. Isa 44:6)	O	F	O	O	O	O	O
21:24 “of” to “saved”	O	O	O	O	O	O	O