

The Power of NO!

The word No is found in the Bible as follows:

OT - 5587

NT - 2402

The definition of the word NO, by Merriam Webster's Dictionary:

When used in comparisons, in no respect or degree:

We find that it's Used to express Negation, Dissent, Denial, or Refusal;

I.E. No, I'm not going to dinner tonight.

We find that it's also used following an adjective;

To imply a meaning expressed by the opposite positive statement:

I.E. In NO uncertain terms, will I eat pork.

We find that it can also be used as an interjection to express;

Surprise, doubt, or incredulity.

It can also be used as a combination with a verb to form:

A compound adjective; I.E. No bake pie

It's use in Negation can be wordless: I.E. She shook her head No!

Biblically:

The Bible has 783, 131 words

We find that in the O.T. they're: 602,580 words

In the N.T. they're: 180,551 words

The Bible is divided into two parts:

There are: 39 Old Testament Books

There are: 27 New Testament Books

There are a total of: 1,189 total chapters in the Bible

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929 - O.T. Chapters in the Bible

260 - N.T. Chapters in the Bible

There are 31,102 total bible verses:

In the O.T. there are: 23,145

In the N.T. there are: 7,957

Let's examine some verses that contain the word NO:

1 Sam 2:2 (NIV)

"There is no one holy like the Lord; there is no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God.

Hosea 13:4 (NIV)

"But I have been the Lord your God ever since you came out of Egypt. You shall acknowledge no God but me, no Savior except me.

Luke 13:3 (NIV)

3 I tell you, no! But unless you repent, you too will all perish.

John 14:6 (NIV)

6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

John 15:13 (NIV)

13 Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends.

Romans 13:10 (NIV)

10 Love does no harm to a neighbor. Therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.

3 John 1:4 (NIV)

4 I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth.

Hebrews 8:12 (NIV)

For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more."

Romans 13:10 (NIV)

10 Love does no harm to a neighbor.

Therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.

Rev 3:11 (NIV)

11 I am coming soon.

Hold on to what you have, so that no one will take your crown.

Bible verses that employed in Negation:

1 Cor. 7:5 (NIV)

5 Do not deprive each other except perhaps by mutual consent and for a time, so that you may devote yourselves to prayer.

Then come together again so that Satan will not tempt you because of your lack of self-control.

2 Cor 11:14 (NIV)

14 And no wonder, for Satan himself masquerades as an angel of light.

John 8:44 (NIV)

44 You belong to your father, the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires.

He was a murderer from the beginning, not holding to the truth, for there is no truth in him.

When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies.

Dan 10:3 (NIV)

3 I ate no choice food; no meat or wine touched my lips; and I used no lotions at all until the three weeks were over.

Job 1:6-12 (NIV)

6 One day the angels came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan also came with them.

7 The Lord said to Satan, "Where have you come from?"

Satan answered the Lord, "From roaming throughout the earth, going back and forth on it."

8 Then the Lord said to Satan, "Have you considered my servant Job?

There is no one on earth like him; he is blameless and **upright**, a man who fears God and shuns evil."

Upright: Hebrew word: Yashar #3477 SC- Straight - Right - bible records the employment of this adjective 120 times.

- **9** "Does Job fear God for nothing?" Satan replied.
- 10 "Have you not put a hedge around him and his household and everything he has?

You have blessed the work of his hands, so that his flocks and herds are spread throughout the land.

- 11 But now stretch out your hand and strike everything he has, and he will surely curse you to your face."
- 12 The Lord said to Satan, "Very well, then, everything he has is in your power, but on the man himself do not lay a finger."

Then Satan went out from the presence of the Lord.

The use of the word No, in positivism:

1 Pet 5:8-9 (NIV)

- **8** Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.
- **9** Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that the family of believers throughout the world is undergoing the same kind of sufferings.

Ephesians 6:11-16 (NIV)

- 11 Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes.
- 12 For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

- 13 Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.
- 14 Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place,
- 15 and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace.
- 16 In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one.

2 Cor 12:1-10 (NIV)

Paul's Vision and His Thorn

12 I must go on boasting.

Although there is nothing to be gained, I will go on to visions and revelations from the Lord.

2 I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven.

Whether it was in the body or out of the body I do not know—God knows.

- **3** And I know that this man—whether in the body or apart from the body I do not know, but God knows—
- **4** was caught up to paradise and heard inexpressible things, things that no one is permitted to tell.

5 I will boast about a man like that, but I will not boast about myself, except about my weaknesses.

6 Even if I should choose to boast, I would not be a fool, because I would be speaking the truth.

But I refrain, so no one will think more of me than is warranted by what I do or say,

7 or because of these surpassingly great revelations.

Therefore, in order to keep me from becoming conceited, I was given a thorn in my flesh, a messenger of Satan, to torment me.

8 Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away from me.

9 But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness."

Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me.

10 That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties.

For when I am weak, then I am strong.

Acts 4:12 (NIV)

12 Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

Hosea 13:4 (NIV)

"But I have been the Lord your God ever since you came out of Egypt. You shall acknowledge no God but me, no Savior except me.

The Power of NO:

How many of us would be free from:

Alcoholism

Substance Abuse

Pornography

Murder

Rape

Robbery

Aggravated Assaults

Domestic Violence Abusers

Car Thieves

Drug Lords

The expendable Drug - Mules

Envy - Wanting what other people have

Anger - Leads to hatred - hatred leads to Rage -

Rage can lead to hate crimes, which could lead lengthy prison sentences

Greed-

Leads to materialism, at any cost, even at the expense of others

Gluttony - Eating or Drinking Excessively

Arrogance - Leads to pride

Lust - An overwhelming craving to satisfy a desire

Sloth - Facing to put effort into personal relationships, taking the other person for granted

A wasted life in Prison

Killed young during the commission of a crime

Gun Violence

Sexual abuse of Children

Human Trafficking

Gang Life

Unethical Behavior

Low Self Esteem

Suicide

The Ultimate positive use of the word NO:

James 4:7 (NIV)

7 Submit yourselves, then, to God.

Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

Friends, here's the recipe to getting satan, to "leave us alone,"

All anyone of us just has to say; NO, satan, away from me, in JESUS' Mighty Name!!!!!

And You say this over and over, and every time, satan tries to creep back into your thoughts and lives, and eventually he will Flee From You!!!!

So, saith to You, This Day Our Lord Almighty, as we find in, James 4:7.

Forgiveness of Sin:

How do we get right with God, regardless of our individual sins?

Just say this Prayer and all of your sins will be forgotten, and you will have Eternal life, with Christ Jesus, in Heaven:

Lord Jesus, I repent of all my sins, and I ask you to come into my life a be my Lord and Savior.

Friends, if you prayed that prayer, I believe that you are born again, and you have ever lasting life, get in a good bible teaching church, and may you keep growing, in the Lord, and help save many souls for His Kingdom!

In Jesus Mighty Name!

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