

Red Letter Christians?

All Scriptures from The Old and New King James Versions

Why using the so called “quotes of Christ only” will cause you to be lost.

Christ said not just his words but God the Father gave him.

Mat 7:20 *Therefore by their fruits you will know them. 21 "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven. 22 Many will say to Me in that day, 'Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?' 23 And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!'*

All scripture is inspired.

Which are of the things Christ said, brought into remembrance by the Holy Spirit, and what the apostils said. Not all things said or inspired by Christ are put in red. All scripture means, not just the red, but all that God inspired.

2Ti 3:12 *Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution. 13 But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. 14 But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them. 15 and that from childhood you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. 16 All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness. 17 that the man of God may be complete, thoroughly equipped for every good work.*

Joh 14:23 *Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him. 24 He who does not love Me does not keep My words; and the word which you hear is not Mine but the Father's who sent Me. 25 "These things I have spoken to you while being present with you. 26 But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you. 27 Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.*

Not All things brought into remembrance are in red because they are recorded by the Apostils as encouragement not in narrative writings.

We must also remember the red-letter Bible was added by men, and not in the original translations.

Publishers, not God, determine what goes in red.

This was first done by Louis Klopsch, then editor of the *Christian Herald*, for a New Testament in 1899 and a full Bible in 1901. Since then the format has been adopted widely by publishers, so that most contemporary translations of the Bible are available in “Red Letter Editions.”

Publishers today can't all agree on what should be in red.

Conclusion: If you want to please God and be faithful, you better use the whole Bible.

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