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Numbers

Seven

Completely Pure Preserved Word of God

Ps. 12:6 "The words of the LORD are pure words: as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times. 7 Thou shalt keep them, O LORD, thou shalt preserve them from this generation for ever."

One of the great promises God has made to his people is that he will preserve his words in a pure form for ever. If there is just one word in the scriptures that is not inspired and preserved of God, then this promise has failed. God, however, cannot fail. He promised to preserve his words in a pure form for ever. Either he does it or he doesn't.

That his words would be preserved in a pure form is evident by the statement, "as silver tried in a furnace of earth, purified seven times." The "purified seven times" teaches that his word is preserved completely pure. If one word is added or one word left out, or one thought changed then the words are not preserved pure.

God did not leave it to the abilities of man to preserve his words, but he providentially intervenes to assure that they are preserved in a pure form.

In the English language, the King James bible has been around for nearly 400 years and with the exception of some initial publishing errors has been around without change. All other English translations have multitudes of changes from the original translation into English. It does not take a genius to figure out where the promised pure preserved word of God is located in the English language.