

## **Diligent, Diligence, Diligently (NKJV)**

Exodus 15:26 - and said, "If you diligently heed the voice of the LORD your God and do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians. For I am the LORD who heals you."

Deuteronomy 4:9 - Only take heed to yourself, and diligently keep yourself, lest you forget the things your eyes have seen, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. And teach them to your children and your grandchildren,

Deuteronomy 6:7 - You shall teach them (God's Word) diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.

Deuteronomy 6:17 - You shall diligently keep the commandments of the LORD your God, His testimonies, and His statutes which He has commanded you.

Deuteronomy 13:14 - then you shall inquire, search out, and ask diligently. And if it is indeed true and certain that such an abomination was committed among you,

Deuteronomy 17:2-4 - If there is found among you, within any of your gates which the LORD your God gives you, a man or a woman who has been wicked in the sight of the LORD your God, in transgressing His covenant, who has gone and served other gods and worshiped them, either the sun or moon or any of the host of heaven, which I have not commanded, and it is told you, and you hear of it, then you shall inquire diligently. And if it is indeed true and certain that such an abomination has been committed in Israel, and it is told you, and you hear of it, then you shall inquire diligently. And if it is indeed true and certain that such an abomination has been committed in Israel...

Deuteronomy 28:1 - "Now it shall come to pass, if you diligently obey the voice of the LORD your God, to observe carefully all His commandments which I command you today, that the LORD your God will set you high above all nations of the earth.

2 Chronicles 29:34 - But the priests were too few, so that they could not skin all the burnt offerings; therefore their brethren the Levites helped them until the work was ended and until the other priests had sanctified themselves, for the Levites were more diligent in sanctifying themselves than the priests.

2 Chronicles 34:33 - Thus Josiah removed all the abominations from all the country that belonged to the children of Israel, and made all who were present in Israel diligently serve the LORD their God. All his days they did not depart from following the LORD God of their fathers.

Ezra 5:8 - Let it be known to the king that we went into the province of Judea, to the temple of the great God, which is being built with heavy stones, and timber is being laid in the walls; and this work goes on diligently and prospers in their hands.

Ezra 6:12-13 - And may the God who causes His name to dwell there destroy any king or people who put their hand to alter it, or to destroy this house of God which is in Jerusalem. I Darius issue a decree; let it be done diligently. [13] Then Tattenai, governor of the region beyond the River, Shethar-Boznai, and their companions diligently did according to what King Darius had sent.

Ezra 7:21 - And I, even I, Artaxerxes the king, issue a decree to all the treasurers who are in the region beyond the River, that whatever Ezra the priest, the scribe of the Law of the God of heaven, may require of you, let it be done diligently,

Ezra 7:23 - Whatever is commanded by the God of heaven, let it diligently be done for the house of the God of heaven. For why should there be wrath against the realm of the king and his sons?

Job 7:21 - Why then do You not pardon my transgression, and take away my iniquity? For now I will lie down in the dust, and You will seek me diligently, but I will no longer be.

Psalms 77:6 - I call to remembrance my song in the night; I meditate within my heart, and my spirit makes diligent search.

Psalms 119:4 - You have commanded us to keep Your precepts diligently.

Proverbs 1:28 - "Then they (scorners and fools) will call on me (wisdom), but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently, but they will not find me.

Proverbs 4:23 - Keep your heart with all diligence, for out of it spring the issues of life.

Proverbs 7:15 - So I came out to meet you, diligently to seek your face, and I have found you. (This Proverb is a warning against being enticed by the adulterous woman—see context.)

Proverbs 8:17 - I love those who love me (wisdom), and those who seek me diligently will find me.

Proverbs 10:4 - He who has a slack hand becomes poor, but the hand of the diligent makes rich.

Proverbs 12:24 - The hand of the diligent will rule, but the lazy man will be put to forced labor.

Proverbs 12:27 - The lazy man does not roast what he took in hunting, but diligence is man's precious possession.

Proverbs 13:4 - The soul of a lazy man desires, and has nothing; but the soul of the diligent shall be made rich.

Proverbs 21:5 - The plans of the diligent lead surely to plenty, but those of everyone who is hasty, surely to poverty.

Proverbs 27:23 - Be diligent to know the state of your flocks, and attend to your herds;

Jeremiah 2:10 - For pass beyond the coasts of Cyprus and see, send to Kedar and consider diligently, and see if there has been such a thing.

Zechariah 6:15 - Even those from afar shall come and build the temple of the LORD. Then you shall know that the LORD of hosts has sent Me to you. And this shall come to pass if you diligently obey the voice of the LORD your God."

Romans 12:8 - he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness.

Romans 12:11 - not lagging in diligence, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord;

2 Corinthians 7:11 - For observe this very thing, that you sorrowed in a godly manner: What diligence it produced in you, what clearing of yourselves, what indignation, what fear, what vehement desire, what zeal, what vindication! In all things you proved yourselves to be clear in this matter.

2 Corinthians 8:7-8 - But as you abound in everything--in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in all diligence, and in your love for us--see that you abound in this grace also. I speak not by commandment, but I am testing the sincerity of your love by the diligence of others.

2 Corinthians 8:17 - For he not only accepted the exhortation, but being more diligent, he went to you of his own accord.

2 Corinthians 8:22 - And we have sent with them our brother whom we have often proved diligent in many things, but now much more diligent, because of the great confidence which we have in you.

1 Timothy 5:10 - well reported for good works: if she has brought up children, if she has lodged strangers, if she has washed the saints' feet, if she has relieved the afflicted, if she has diligently followed every good work.

2 Timothy 2:15 - Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

2 Timothy 4:9 - Be diligent to come to me quickly;

Titus 3:12 - When I send Artemas to you, or Tychicus, be diligent to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there.

Hebrews 4:11 - Let us therefore be diligent to enter that rest, lest anyone fall according to the same example of disobedience.

Hebrews 6:11 - And we desire that each one of you show the same diligence to the full assurance of hope until the end,

Hebrews 11:6 - But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

Hebrews 12:17 - For you know that afterward, when he (Esau) wanted to inherit the blessing, he was rejected, for he found no place for repentance, though he sought it diligently with tears.

2 Peter 1:5 - But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge,

2 Peter 1:10 - Therefore, brethren, be even more diligent to make your call and election sure, for if you do these things you will never stumble;

2 Peter 3:14 - Therefore, beloved, looking forward to these things, be diligent to be found by Him in peace, without spot and blameless;

Jude 1:3 - Beloved, while I was very diligent to write to you concerning our common salvation, I found it necessary to write to you exhorting you to contend earnestly for the faith which was once for all delivered to the saints.