Checking Step 7: Key Words



How would you define a key word?

A strong impact on meaning





Often repeated for emphasis

What earlier MAST steps might reveal errors?

Why target these words?

Often hard to translate

Often no precise equivalent

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Luke 17

Discuss

Are the lists the same?

Are some words on everyone's lists?

Why the differences?

What to do with the key word list

- 1. Check translation for each key word.
- 2. Discuss difficult words and choose how to translate.
- 3. Create list to be used by all translators.

