Some “Don’ts” of Bible Study

DON’T approach the Bible irrelevantly
DON’T force an interpretation that isn’t present in the text
DON’T interpret one verse so as to contradict another plain passage
DON’T twist the Scriptures so as to support a preconceived idea
DON’T ignore the fact that there are some difficult passages in the Bible
DON’T take a text out of context
DON’T use translations that are unreliable
DON’T fail to study all other passages on the subject you are studying
DON’T hesitate to use good Bible study helps
DON’T forget to ask God to help you understand what you are studying
DON’T take what people say over what the Bible says
DON’T ever give up studying the Word of God