

## **Slander**

**Numbers 14:36 (KJS)** And the men, which Moses sent to search the land, who returned, and made all the congregation to murmur against him, by bringing up a slander upon the land,

**Leviticus 19:16 (NIV)** "Do not go about spreading slander among your people.  
"Do not do anything that endangers your neighbor's life. I am the LORD.

**Psalm 31:13** For I hear the slander of many;  
Fear is on every side;  
While they take counsel together against me,  
They scheme to take away my life.

**Psalm 38:20 NIV** Those who repay my good with evil  
slander me when I pursue what is good.

**Psalm 50:20** You sit and speak against your brother;  
You slander your own mother's son.

**Psalm 101:5** Whoever secretly slanders his neighbor,  
Him I will destroy;  
The one who has a haughty look and a proud heart,  
Him I will not endure.

**Proverbs 10:18** Whoever hides hatred has lying lips,  
And whoever spreads slander is a fool.

**Jeremiah 6:28** They are all stubborn rebels, walking as slanderers.  
They are bronze and iron,  
They are all corrupters;

**Ezekiel 22:9** "In you are men who slander to cause bloodshed; in you are those who eat on the mountains; in your midst they commit lewdness.

**Ephesians 4:31 (NASB)** Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice.

**Colossians 3:8 NIV** But now you must rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips.

**1 Timothy 3:11** Likewise their wives must be reverent, not slanderers, temperate, faithful in all things.

**1 Timothy 5:14 NIV** So I counsel younger widows to marry, to have children, to manage their homes and to give the enemy no opportunity for slander.

**2 Timothy 3:1-5** But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come:

**2** For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,

**3** unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good,

**4** traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God,

**5** having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away!

**Titus 2:3** the older women likewise, that they be reverent in behavior, not slanderers, not given to much wine, teachers of good things--

**Titus 3:1-2 (NIV) Remind the people to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient, to be ready to do whatever is good,  
2 to slander no one, to be peaceable and considerate, and to show true humility toward all men.**

**James 4:11 NIV Brothers, do not slander one another. Anyone who speaks against his brother or judges him speaks against the law and judges it. When you judge the law, you are not keeping it, but sitting in judgment on it.**

**1 Peter 2:1 (NASB) Therefore, putting aside all malice and all guile and hypocrisy and envy and all slander,**

**1 Peter 3:16 (Weymouth) Yet argue modestly and cautiously, keeping your consciences free from guilt, so that, when you are spoken against, those who slander your good Christian lives may be put to shame.**

**2 Peter 2:10 (NIV) This is especially true of those who follow the corrupt desire of the sinful nature and despise authority.  
Bold and arrogant, these men are not afraid to slander celestial beings;**

**Jude 1:8 (NRSV) Yet in the same way these dreamers also defile the flesh, reject authority, and slander the glorious ones. Or [angels];**

**Revelations 2:9 (NRSV) "I know your affliction and your poverty, even though you are rich. I know the slander on the part of those who say that they are Jews and are not, but are a synagogue of Satan.**

**Revelations 13:6 (NIV) He opened his mouth to blaspheme God, and to slander his name and his dwelling place and those who live in heaven.**