

Deuteronomy 4:6

	שְׂמֹר Meaning: * To guard * To protect * To keep * To observe * To attend The verb שְׂמֹר occurs about 470 times in the Old Testament. Central in covenant language. God “keeps” His covenant promises, and His people are called to Deuteronomy 7:9Psalm 121:7Deuteronomy 7:11Psalm 127:1Luke 2:19 אֵת יִשְׁמְעוּ אֶת־הַעֲשִׂיתָם כִּי הוּא חֲכָמָהּ וּבִינְתָהֶם לְעֵינֵי הָעַמִּים אֲשֶׁר יִשְׁמְעוּ אֵת hebrew The Hebrew שְׂמֹר word does not have a corresponding word in English. In Hebrew, it is a marker of the accusative, i.e. the word following it is the object of the sentence. For example, in Genesis 1:1 the word is preceded by הָיָה וַיִּבְרָא אֱלֹהִים אֶת־הַשָּׁמַיִם וְאֶת־הָאָרֶץ וְאֶת־הַיָּם וְאֶת־כָּל־הַבְּרִיאָה אֲשֶׁר בָּהֶם וַיִּבְרָא אֱלֹהִים אֶת־הַשָּׁמַיִם וְאֶת־הָאָרֶץ וְאֶת־הַיָּם וְאֶת־כָּל־הַבְּרִיאָה אֲשֶׁר בָּהֶם וַיִּבְרָא אֱלֹהִים אֶת־הַשָּׁמַיִם וְאֶת־הָאָרֶץ וְאֶת־הַיָּם וְאֶת־כָּל־הַבְּרִיאָה אֲשֶׁר בָּהֶם
ESV	Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.'
NIV	Observe them carefully, for this will show your wisdom and understanding to the nations, who will hear about all these decrees and say, "Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people."
NLT	Obey them completely, and you will display your wisdom and intelligence among the surrounding nations. When they hear all these decrees, they will exclaim, "How wise and prudent are the people of this great nation!"

LXX	καί plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigκαί
	greek
	Meaning
	* And * Also * Both * Even * Too * So
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	Meaning:
	* To do * To make
	This verb - to do or make - is used in connection with a large range of activities including creation, covenant formation, obedience, miracles, sin and worship.
	Verb forms
	Present tense Person Greek Form ὅτι αὕτη plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigοὔτος / αὕτη / τοῦτο
	greek
	Meaning:
	* These or this * This one, this person, this thing * They or he or she or it
	Demonstrative pronoun.
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	The definite article ἔθνος τὸ plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigὁ
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	The definite article μέγα τοῦτο plugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip_bigοὔτος / αὕτη / τοῦτο
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