

## Hermeneutics

### Eleventh Principle

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#### Read Passages Relevant to the Subject

- I. Do we get the whole counsel of God on a subject by reading passages that do not address that subject?
  - A. If you want to know whether carrots provide any protein, should you read material about meat?
    1. If you want to know what nutrients carrots provide, what topic should you research at the library?
    2. Does the fact that meat provides protein negate the fact that carrots provide some protein also?
  - B. Why can people not see this on Bible subjects?
- II. If we want to know what the Bible says on baptism and salvation, should we read passages on faith?
  - A. What passages should we read?
  - B. Should we not read the passages on baptism and salvation?