good example   Over here, all this is friends.

Well, you can't translate exactly. The words simply don't exactly correspond. Some

people say what's the use of my studying Greek or Hebrew, far greater minds than

mine have made translations, I couldn't make a translation half as good as they've

made, why not just use the translation. Well they've missed the whole point of it.

You may not make a translation anywhere near as good , but if you know just a little

bit of the language, you know enough in some cases to see what the distinction be-

tween these words, or at least how different it is from ours, and you can't translate

it exactly but you can look at it in the original and see just what it is and which of

these distinctives it is in that language. So our English Bible in the strict sense of

the word is not inspired. It is a wonderful translation of an inspired Bible. The

King James Version is probably the best translation that ever was made of any book

into any language, and if all of us were living 300 years ago we would understand it

perfectly. Today many of its words simply don't mean anything to us, because our

language has greatly changed since be 300 years, but it is a wonderful translation,

wonderfully accurate, but it is only a translation. So when we say that the scripture

is inspired we don't mean you can pick out three words of our English translation

and say that is God's Word, that is a representation in English of God's Word and

it may be a very good one, or they may be words that are very difficult to give in

English. Well, then we go back to our Hebrew and our Greek which is translated in

our English version, and we look at them as we have them today, and we say what

do they say, now is that the inspired Bible? Well, it was not , Moses did not write

down the copy of the Hebrew Bible that we have here. Paul did not write down the copy

of the Greek Bible that we have here. Those were written down by them, free from

error, absolutely reliable, infallible, and then somebody copied them. And the original

c opies wore out and disappeared, and then that copy was copied again and that copy