

- Don't be boring!
- Don't speak in a monotone!
- Don't be long!
- Don't be dry!
- Don't be **emotionally** overwrought!

- Don't be <u>unfocused!</u>
- Don't be <u>arrogant!</u>
- Don't be <u>unprepared!</u>
- Don't be <u>uncertain</u>; hesitant!
- Don't be irrelevant!

- Don't be too abstract!
- Don't be impersonal!
- Don't <u>exaggerate!</u>
- Don't be inconsistent out of pulpit!
- Don't twist Scripture out of context!

- Don't be manipulative!
- Don't make excuses!
- Don't use vocabulary that is not yours.
- Don't be "glued" to your material.
- Don't focus just on one person!

- Don't speak too quickly!
- Don't mumble.
- Don't be unaware of body language!
- Don't be <u>insensitive</u> to audience <u>needs!</u>
- Don't be <u>distant</u>; unapproachable!

- Don't speak from wrong motives!
- Don't be hostile; condemning!
- Don't be too opinionated or biased.
- Don't be condescending!
- Don't speak "above" or "below" the level of the audience.