

### GRAMMATICAL-HISTORICAL-CONTEXTUAL METHOD

"Literal Method"

### METAPHORICAL

## Interpret according to appropriate metaphorical conventions



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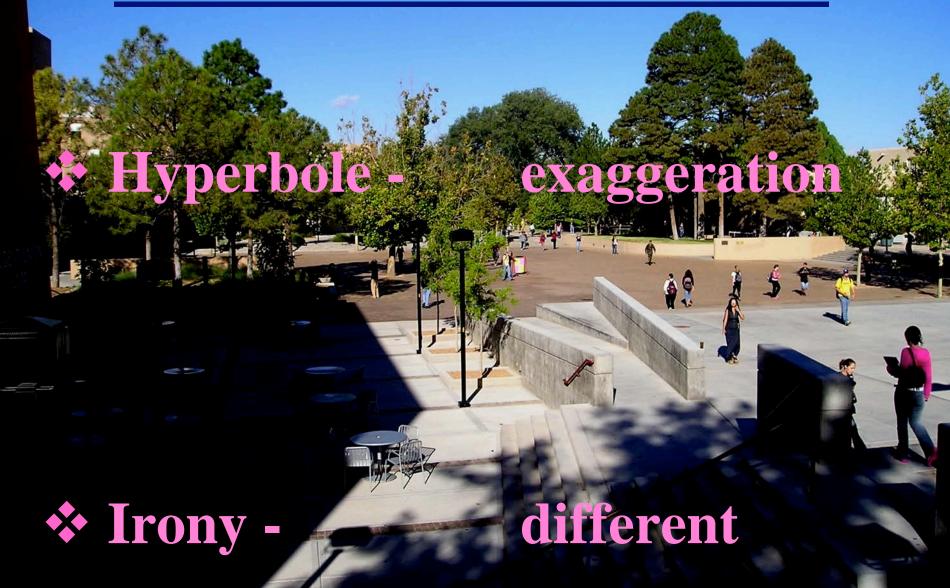


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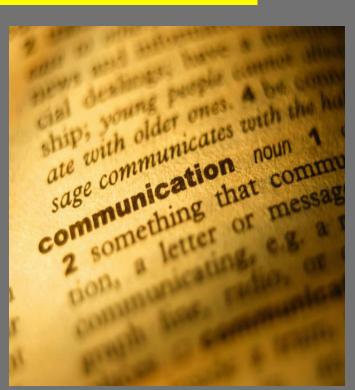






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### LITERARY

# Take literary form into consideration in interpretation

#### LITERARY FORM



- 1. Discourse
- 2. Narrative
- 3.Poetry
  - 4. Prophetic
  - 5. Parabolic
  - 6.Other



### LOGICAL

### Utilize basic principles of logic & communication



### SUPERNATURAL

### Interpret Scripture as a divine book



### CLARITY

### Scripture was intended to be understood





## PROGRESSIVE REVELATION

### God has revealed His mind over time

### UNITY

### Use Scripture to interpret Scripture



### ANALOGY

No interpretation of a passage can contradict the rest of Scripture



### DIDACTIC

Interpret obscure passages in light of clear passages



### FINITE

### Interpret aware of mystery in Scripture



### CHRISTOLOGICAL

### Interpret with Christ as central to All Scripture



