

More honoured in the breach than in the observance

Definition

Phrase. If a custom is observed too often it denigrates its observers rather than conferring honor on them.

Example Sentence

What does '**More honoured in the breach than in the observance**' mean?

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