NAME

goto - command transfer

SYNOPSIS

goto label

DESCRIPTION

Goto is allowed only when the Shell is taking commands from a file. The file is searched from the beginning for a line beginning with ':' followed by one or more spaces followed by the *label*. If such a line is found, the *goto* command returns. Since the read pointer in the command file points to the line after the label, the effect is to cause the Shell to transfer to the labelled line.

':' is a do-nothing command that is ignored by the Shell and only serves to place a label.

SEE ALSO

sh(I)

BUGS