

CAN WE BELIEVE THE GOSPELS?

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GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Have you read the Gospels? Did you find it difficult to believe any part of what was written?
2. What do you notice is different about how John's gospel begins compared to how Matthew and Luke start theirs? What message is each Gospel emphasizing in its opening paragraphs?

Matthew emphasis

Mark's emphasis

Luke's emphasis

John's emphasis

3. Can you remember a phone number from your childhood? What about details from the first place you were hired for full time work? Is there are difference in these types of memories that would account for variations in the Gospels? (For instance, would someone from your work place emphasize the same things?)
4. Skeptics fear that the experiences in the Gospels have been exaggerated and represent a biased point of view. How did the sermon help you address these concerns?
5. What historical information from outside of the Scriptures has given you more confidence that what the Scriptures proclaim is true?