

“Critical Faith” Resources

I've provided a wide range of resources on this sheet. Use any or all of them depending on what your questions are and how in-depth you want to go with your information and answers.

Of course, we as humans are limited in our understanding, so no one person has it all figured out, and some things are currently beyond us. As a result, you should find the core, critical issues (i.e. the existence of God, the historical evidence for Jesus, etc.) to have fairly consistent answers, but others (i.e. the age of the Earth, predestination vs. free will, etc.) to have different understandings in different resources.

Use these resources to come to your own conclusions.

Books

- **The Bible** (Read with an open mind, and as much as you can without an agenda or preconceptions.)
- **“Mere Christianity”** by C.S. Lewis*
- **“I Don’t Have Enough Faith to be an Atheist”** by Norman Geisler*
- **“When Skeptics Ask: A Handbook of Christian Evidences”** by Norman Geisler
- **“Who Moved the Stone”** by Frank Morison
- **“The Case for Faith”** by Lee Strobel*
- **“The Case for Christ”** by Lee Strobel*
- **“Evidence that Demands a Verdict”** by Josh McDowell
- **“More than a Carpenter”** by Josh McDowell
- **“Baker Encyclopedia of Christian Apologetics”** by Norman Geisler

** Available as an audio book from Audible.com.*

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Websites

- **<http://www.christiananswers.net/archaeology/>**
 - Archaeology and the Bible - Provides abundant archaeological evidence in support of the Bible, with frequent updates. A team of Bible-believing Christian experts answers your questions about archaeology and biblical history. *(from the website)*
- **<http://biblicalarcheology.net/>**
 - Focuses on the Bible and archaeology, but also has many articles relating to types of proofs, Bible difficulties, logic, etc.
- **<http://www.reasons.org/>**
 - “Reasons to Believe: Bridging the Gap Between Science and Faith”. The mission of Reasons To Believe is to show that science and faith are, and always will be, allies, not enemies. It is our conviction that since the same God who "authored" the universe also inspired the writings of the Bible, a consistent message will come through both channels. We want to help seekers of truth to find answers to those questions that bar them from entrusting their lives to Christ. And we want to help Christians find new joy and confidence in worshiping the Creator as they shed their fear of science. *(from the website)*
- **<http://www.godandscience.org/>**
 - This site provides answers to questions about God, evidence for God's existence, His care and love for mankind, and His provision for joyful living both now and into eternity through His Son, Jesus Christ. *(from the website)*