

# The Acid Test

Nitric acid is used to test the purity of gold.

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*The New Testament books Acid Test was **immediate circulation** after they were written. The authors included names, places, quotes and historical events that could be easily verified. There were many skeptics and enemies of Jesus who would quickly point out any errors.*

## **Matthew Chapters 1 and 2** (Historical, verifiable information)

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Correct Genealogy

Father and mother of Jesus

Place of birth

King at the time

Wise man

Question

Star

Boys killed

Egypt

Son of King Herod

Where in Galilee Joseph, Mary and Jesus lived after coming back from Egypt

## **Mark**

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Verifiable history about Jesus and John the baptist.

## **Luke Chapter 1**

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Written to Theophilus, a Roman official, so he would know for certain what he had been taught.

Theophilus had access to the Roman records to verify accuracy.

## **John Chapter 20**

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John 20:21

Written so people could believe Jesus is the Christ is the Son of God.

History verifies the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus.

## **Acts**

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Verifiable history of the beginning of the Christian religion.

## **Romans through Revelation**

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Filled with verifiable historical people, places and events.

**Over 2,000 years of historical criticism  
has not produced any evidence that disproves the  
historical accuracy of the Bible.**

If the history of the Bible is true, why is the narrative not true?