



You Can't Take The Bible Literally

Luke 1:1-4; 24:13-35
(pew Bible pages 1069, 1106)

Can We Trust the Bible? (Luke 1:1-4)

1. Origin

2. Method

3. Purpose

Two Roadblocks (Luke 24:13-35)

1. Cultural

2. Personal

Recommended Reading

Six Books for the Whole Series

C.S. Lewis, *Mere Christianity*

Tim Keller, *The Reason for God*

Rebecca Pippert, *Hope Has Its Reasons*

John Lennox, *Gunning for God*

Francis Spufford, *Unapologetic*

John Stott, *Basic Christianity*

Can We Trust the Bible?

Greg Gilbert, *Why Trust the Bible?* [see resources in back]

Craig Blomberg, *The Historical Reliability of the Gospels*

Craig Blomberg, *Can We Still Trust the Bible?*

Richard Bauckham, *Jesus and the Eyewitnesses*

C.S. Lewis, "Modern Theology and Biblical Criticism" in
Christian Reflections

Kevin DeYoung, *Taking God at His Word*

J.I. Packer, "Fundamentalism" and the Word of God

Rodney Stark, *For the Glory of God* [ch. 4 on slavery]