

SERMON NOTES

Series: Building Upon the Firm

Foundation of God's Word

Title: Build by Trusting It's Scientific Accuracy

Text: 2 Tim. 3:16-17; Ps.119:86

Topic: The Trustworthiness of the Bible

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"All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work." 2 Tim. 3:16-17 (NIV)

"All of your commands can be trusted." Ps.119:86 (NCV)

Why I can trust the Bible...

1. It is _____ **accurate** (covered last week)

2. It is _____ **accurate.**

God set up the laws of science and he made sure that his Word _____ them.

The Bible never gives _____, in fact it has always been _____ of science. *"Science is simply thinking God's thoughts after him."* Johannes Kepler

Truth _____ changes. Science _____ changes.

"Let every created thing give praise to the Lord, for he issued his command, and they came into being. He established them forever and ever. And his orders will never be revoked." Psalm 148

One of the proofs that the Bible is the Word of God is by what's _____ in it.

If the Bible were a human book, you would expect it to be filled with _____ of the prevailing day.

Example: Prevailing wisdom (science) when the Bible was being written (over a 1600 year period) was that the earth was flat. Yet, not a single verse in the Bible says that or alludes to it. In fact it says the exact opposite. Two thousand six hundred years ago, Isaiah said, *"God is enthroned above the _____ on the earth."* Isaiah 40:22.

Example: Prevailing wisdom was that the earth was held up by something. Ancient Egypt believed that the earth was held up by _____. Yet that does not appear in Scripture. The book of Job declares, *"God stretches the sky over empty space and hangs the earth on _____."* Job 26:7

Example: When the Bible was being written everybody accepted that there were a _____ stars. Yet Jeremiah wrote, *"The number of stars are _____."* Jeremiah 33:22

Example: For hundreds of years _____ was an accepted custom yet the Bible declared, *"The life of every creature is in its _____."* Leviticus 17:11, How did Moses know that? There's only one explanation..._____.

Example: The bubonic plague killed one fourth of Europe because science didn't understand _____. In hospitals they had people with the bubonic plague sleeping right next to healthy people. Yet, hundreds of years before the bubonic plague God had said, *"Put an infected person in _____ for seven days."* Leviticus 13:4

When the Bible has been perceived not to be accurate it has been because science _____ to the Bible.