

The Bible where did it come from?

*Here are some notes I have taken and some information I bet you never thought of
Evaluate this for yourself and see what you think!*

**The question in the minds of all believers in Jesus Christ at some point is
Is the "canonical" bible really the direct thinking or "the mind of Christ"**

**1Cor 2:16 For, Who has known the thinking of the Lord that we should instruct
him, (NO ONE) but we keep on having the thinking of Christ.**

or is it just what the unbelievers say it is just **literature**?
See what you think!

A. What is the bible?

1. It is not just 1 single book
2. It is a collection of 66 books called the canon of scripture
3. These books contain a variety of genres regarding
 - i. History
 - ii. Poetry
 - iii. Wisdom literature
 - iv. Apocalyptic literature
4. These books were written by 40 different authors.
5. These authors came from a variety of backgrounds
 - i. Shepherds
 - ii. Fishermen
 - iii. Kings
 - iv. Prophets etc.
6. Most of these authors never new each other personally
7. These 66 books were written over a period of over 1500 years.
 - i. Many of these authors never new nor colaberated with each other in the writing.
8. These books were written in 3 different languages:
 - i. Hebrew
 - ii. Greek
 - iii. Aramaic
9. These languages are a reflection of the historical cultural circumstances in which these books were written.
10. They were written on 3 continents

- i. Africa
- ii. Asia
- iii. Europe

11.66 books 40 authors, over 1500 years in 3 languages on 3 continents

12. This collection of books shares a common story line

- i. The creation
- ii. The Fall
- iii. The Redemption of all mankind
- iv. This holds through the entire 66 books.
- v. It also makes clear that salvation is available to all who believe in Jesus of Nazareth, The Christ from Genesis through to revelation.

Gen 3:15 (Salvation promise)

v15: and I will put enmity or hostility or antagonism between you (serpent) and the woman (Salvation Promise - Grace before Judgement), between your seed, offspring, descendant (fallen angels & unbelievers) and her seed, offspring, descendant (JC & believers), and HE (Jesus of Nazareth, The Christ) shall crush your (Satan) ruler-ship or headship (operation footstool), and you (Satan) shall crush His heel (Spiritually Dead Jesus of Nazareth, The Christ judged on the cross for SIN)

Rev 1:5

v5: And from Jesus of Nazareth, the Christ the dependable or faithful witness, the first born from the dead, to him who has loved us and has liberated us from our sins by means of his substitutionary spiritual death (blood).

13. In addition to sharing these commonalities these books contain no historical errors nor contradictions in the original languages.

- i. With 5000 variants in the books of the bible none of them effects the meaning of any passage.

14. The doctrine found in them is never contradictory but intimately connected.

15. Go to any library in the world and find 66 books which match the characteristics of the bible which share a common story line, theme and message with no historical errors nor contradictions.

SO what is your conclusion?