

# **"EVIDENTIAL REASONS FOR FAITH"**

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### **The Bible & The Christian Faith**

#### **Topic: The Bible & Hell**

**Q.** Does the Bible teach there is a literal hell?

**A.** Yes. This is one of the most ridiculed areas in the word of God even by so-called Christians. Stop and think a moment, isn't it human nature's inclination to make everyone feel good, not cause waves, seek acceptance, and not try to make enemies? If a bible teacher is for the truth, he can't deny the teaching on a place of torment after death called hell. Jesus spoke of hell more than any other biblical character, because he knows it's a reality, not wanting anyone to go there. There are three Greek words used for hell, (gehenna, hades, and tartarus). The following is a brief description of hell:

1. Hell is a place originally prepared for Satan & his angels. Matthew 25:41
2. Hell is a place created for all eternity. Matthew 25:46
3. Hell is a place of unquenchable fire. Mark 9:43
4. Hell is a place of memory and remorse. Luke 16:19-31
5. Hell is a place of thirst. Luke 16:24
6. Hell is a place of misery and pain. Revelation 14:10-11
7. Hell is a place of frustration and anger. Matthew 13:42
8. Hell is a place of separation. Revelation 20:6, 15
9. The occupants will be all the unsaved in human history. Revelation 21:8

### **The Bible & Historical Accuracy**

#### **Topic: The Bible & Linguistic Scholars**

**Q.** Who is the linguistic Old Testament scholar probably of all time?

**A.** Robert Dick Wilson. (1856 - ?). Probably the most qualified Old Testament linguist of all time. Princeton graduate earning an M.A. & Ph.D. Received international fame as a Hebrew scholar without peer. He was perfectly at home in over forty semitic languages. Could read the New Testament in nine different languages. He spent fifteen years of his life in devotion to the study of biblical languages. The next fifteen years were spent in the study of the text of the Old Testament. The last fifteen years were spent in writing the results of his previous studies and investigations, to give them to the world. Forty-five years continuously he devoted his life in all the languages, in all it's archaeology, in all the bible translations, as far as possible in everything bearing upon the Bible's text and history. The entire time led Dr. Wilson to a firmer faith in the word of God both Old and New Testament.

## **The Bible & Scientific Accuracy**

### **Topic: The Bible & Medical Science**

**Q.** Is the Bible consistent with sound sanitary practices of today?

**A.** Dr. S. McMillan writes, until the beginning of this century there was a frightful mortality rate in hospitals of the world due to infection caused by doctors not washing their hands. In the maternity ward of world famous Vienna Medical Center Hospital one out of every six women died due to infection. Such mortality wouldn't have occurred if surgeons had only followed the method God gave to Moses regarding the meticulous method of hand washing and changing of clothes after contact with infectious diseases .... The scriptural method specified not merely washing in a basin, but repeated washings in running water, with time intervals allowed for drying and exposure to the sun to kill bacteria not washed off. Leviticus Chapters 8-15.

## **The Bible & Prophetic Accuracy**

### **Topic: The Bible & the Final Rebellion**

**Q.** When will the final rebellion occur?

**A.** At the conclusion of Christ thousand year reign on earth in Jerusalem, the bible in the twentieth chapter of Revelation the seventh verse and continuing it says:

1. Satan will be released from his prison. v.7
2. He will go out to deceive the nations. v.8
3. He will organize or influence a revolt. v.8
4. Those in rebellion will march on the camp of the saints and the beloved city Jerusalem. v.9
5. God will respond to the rebellion with quick judgment. .... Fire will come down from heaven and devour them. v.9
6. The Devil, who deceived them was casted into the lake of fire & brimstone (Sulfur) for all eternity. v.10
7. The stage is now set for the Great White throne judgment. Revelation 20:11-15

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