

Prophecies — Fulfilled and Future

II Peter 1:19-21, Heb 1:1-3

Amos 3:7, 1 Cor 8:1-3 God wants us to love him Not just “knowledge”

Introduction — Uniqueness of the Bible

Written over a period of 1500 years

Written by over 40 different authors — 1 Peter 1:10-12

At least 3 different languages were used

Written from many different locations and cultures

Sinai Desert — Egypt

Palestine/Canaan

Babylon

Medo-Persia

Roman Empire

God had the Bible written down so that it could be tested — a verifiable source

History and archaeology can be used to test the Old Testament Scriptures
II Peter 1:16

Three basic themes in Biblical prophecy:

God's plan of redemption

Genesis 22:1-14 — compare John 3:16

Job 19:23-26

Exodus 25:10-22 — compare Hebrews 9:23-28

God's plan for Israel & Judah Isaiah 45:11

Genesis 12:1-3; 15:13-16

Deuteronomy 28:58-68

Ezekiel 36:22-25

Isaiah 11:11-12 — gathered for the second time

Joel 1:3:1-3, Zechariah

Jesus Christ as Messiah, Saviour of the world and King of Kings

Genesis 3:14-15; Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:20-23

Isaiah 52:13-53:12 — PS: 2 Christ a reigning King and Savior