



Can You Believe the Bible?
Vince LaPoint speaking at the [AFSC](#) meeting at
Atonement Free Lutheran Church
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When the speaker Vince LaPoint first began to consider the truth of the Bible, he asked two questions: Is the Bible the Word of God? And Is the Bible Still the Word of God (or did it get corrupted along the way)? Our young people still ask these questions as do people who are not familiar with the evidences for Christianity. This talk will explore these questions in a way that we can remember and share with others. The Bible clearly was manually copied time and time again. How did the copyists make sure their **copies were accurate**? How do we know what the original manuscripts said when we do not have them anymore and there are portions of the copies that may have been altered or lost?

Is there extra-biblical support for the Scriptures? Do **Archaeology** and **History** support the events recorded in the Bible? What about **Biblical Prophecy**? Is it accurate? How is Biblical Prophecy different from that of Nostradamus and other infamous prognosticators? And finally, if the Bible is true and **lives are miraculously changed** by God as the Bible promises, do we find evidence that this is true? Come hear some of the accounts of the almighty God miraculously interacting in the lives of everyday people.



Speaker: [Vince LaPoint](#) was not raised a Christian. During his upbringing, he was introduced to naturalism, astrology, witchcraft, eastern mysticism, and various forms of organized religion. In school, he pursued math and science and has spent the last 25+ years in the high-tech industry. He is now convinced from the empirical evidence, not just blind faith, that the Bible is the true and reliable Word of God. This message will explore some of the evidence that Vince considered.

Vince now attends Calvary Chapel Eastside in Bellevue, WA and is involved in ministry there. He actively mentors (disciples) young adults, addressing the concerns that our next generation is wrestling with. With his passion for apologetics and creationism, his door is always open for those who come by his place in pairs and you might find him in spiritual conversations in restaurants and other locations. Vince is a member of the Creation Association of Puget Sound. He frequents evolutionist and atheist gatherings to engage in probing dialog. He is an active member of The Gideons International, taking advantage of the opportunities to share the testimonies of God's work around the world in churches, even as they distribute Scriptures locally and around the world.



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