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Jesus & the Word of God
Jesus Trusted the Scriptures
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Can I Trust the Scriptures?

- Does the Bible pass the test for integrity for any other ancient document?
- Are the documents authentic? (Is the author really who he claims to be?)
- Are the documents historically & geographically accurate?
- What about the unverifiable claims of the Bible? (salvation, resurrection, Holy Spirit, heaven)

GOD's Story— Objection to the Belief in the Resurrection, Matthew 22:23-33

The Litmus Test for Identifying a Sadducee:

1. Do I object to what the scriptures say? Why? Can I discern my own motives?
2. Do I contrive unrealistic, hypothetical situations to support my objections?
3. Do I appeal to current popular thought & practice, contrary to biblical morality, as a reason to disregard biblical claims & teaching?
4. Do I really know the scriptures?
5. Do I know—have I experienced—the power of God?

What did *you* discover in this story? _____

BIG Idea: Do I know the scriptures and the power of God?

Invitation...

Right On

(O.T. Scripture: Exodus 3:1-10)

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