

# ENGAGE

TRAINING

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FINDING HOPE

*The Bible is God's love letter to His children. It is alive!  
The Author of the Bible is God, working through the personality and  
experiences of chosen men and women just like you and me.*

The Hebrews were chosen to hold and care for these sacred words of God.  
There is no dispute about the Authenticity of the Old Testament books.

The Jews cared for, transcribed, and honored the  
Scriptures. The so-called "Old Testament" is the history of  
God choosing a people to bless the earth (the Jews) with the  
promise and fulfillment of a "Messiah" or Deliverer.

This promised Messiah was Jesus Christ, a Jew from the royal tribe of  
Judah and a descendent of King David. Jesus is God's Son, and has  
always existed. According to the God-story He made the world.

When the Holy Spirit came upon Mary (a virgin) He became  
the Father of Jesus the human (who was also sinless God).  
They were and are Father and Son - just as they have always been.

Jesus' sole purpose was to come to reveal eternal  
life to the world, die, be raised from the dead,  
and to take upon His sinless self the sins of the world.

The so-called "New Testament" is God's story of giving His Son.  
There are other religious writings but they dim when held up to the Law  
(the books given through Moses) and the prophets and the  
psalms of the ancient Hebrews - God's chosen people.

*You can be quite confident that sufficient truth  
concerning God's Son has been accurately brought to mankind.  
Certainly enough to find or reject eternal life. All that remains is for  
the Holy Spirit to bring His Word of faith alive in our lives!*

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**[LISTEN TO THE GROWING STRONG WITHIN THE STORY OF TIME VIDEO HERE.](#)**  
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Authentic  
F A I T H

Read each passage and think through the outline below and answer the question:  
“DO I DESIRE AN AUTHENTIC FAITH?”

*Authenticity: The genuine article. Faithful to the original. Real.*

To be authentic it must transcend culture and yet contextualize truth in personal ways.

To be authentic it must transcend circumstance and yet be totally relevant.

To be authentic it must transcend experience and yet stir the passions of the heart.

*In what ways do you desire authenticity?*

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*Have you learned to ask these questions with frequency?*

If God has spoken - what is He saying?

Am I following what He has spoken?

Will He be pleased with my response?

*In what ways are these authentic things coming alive in your spiritual quest for authenticity?*

Holding to the purity of the original message? (1 Corinthians 15:3-8)

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Devotion to the calling of my new heart? (2 Timothy 2:3-13)

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Engaged in living as a servant? (Mark 10:41-45)

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Living for future things promised? (1 Corinthians 15:19, 50-58)

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