# An Introduction to Christian Apologetics

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## The Reliability of the New Testament: Part 2

#### I. Review: Christianity as an historical faith

### II. How do we know that the NT is fact and not fiction?

- a. written early by eyewitnesses
  - i. *internal* evidence
  - ii. *external* evidence

- b. self-incriminating details
- c. willingness to endure suffering and death