

In a day of skepticism, can we have confidence that Jesus arose from the dead?

Reasons the resurrection as a lie or conspiracy does not fit.

1. There was little to _____ and a lot to _____ for the disciples.

2. The _____ and _____ are specific and well known.

3. The _____ are not well chosen.

4. The _____ could still be investigated.

5. There was no _____ for the disciples.

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Reasons to believe the reports are true.

1. The _____ to believe the initial event.

2. The _____ of the eye-witnesses.

3. The _____ of the gospel

4. The _____ of the church.

5. The _____ of Christ in personal lives.

A dead but remembered Christ offers possible _____; a risen Christ offers _____, _____, and _____—along with _____.