

## CAN WE TRUST THE BIBLE?

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### **The Scripture is breathed by God to bless us.**

...because no prophecy ever came by the will of man; instead, men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.  
(2 Peter 1:21)

For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or one stroke of a letter will pass away from the law until all things are accomplished. (Matthew 5:18)

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How happy is the one who does not walk in the advice of the wicked or stand in the pathway with sinners or sit in the company of mockers! Instead, his delight is in the LORD's instruction, and he meditates on it day and night. He is like a tree planted beside flowing streams that bears its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.  
(Psalm 1:1-3)

*The chart with the number of manuscripts for ancient texts comes from The Christian Research Institute.*

### Reflection Question:

How do you respond to God's invitation to live for His story and under His Authority? What practical next step will you take in studying this God-breathed Scripture?