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**CASE-MAKERS
COURSE**

SESSION 16

**WERE THE DISCIPLES
INFLUENCED OR IS THE
RESURRECTION A LATE
LEGEND?**

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COMPLETE THE READ, WATCH, AND WRITE SECTIONS TO EARN THE CERTIFICATE



READ

Study These Segments from J. Warner's Book and Answer the Questions:

Cold-Case Christianity: A Homicide Detective Investigates the Claims of the Gospels (Pages 50-53)

Were the disciples influenced by limited spiritual sightings?

This proposal may begin to explain the transformation of the apostles, but it fails to explain the _____ and offers an explanation of the resurrection observations that is _____ with the biblical record. (Page 51)

Were the disciples' observations distorted later?

In the _____ accounts of the disciples' activity after the crucifixion, they are seen citing the resurrection of Jesus as their primary piece of evidence that Jesus was God. (Page 53)

This explanation also fails to account for the fact that the _____ and _____ of Jesus have not been exposed to demonstrate that this late legend was false. (Page 53)



WATCH

Review This Video from the Case Maker's Course and Answer the Questions:

Case Making Course Session 16 (Investigating the Resurrection) - Were the Disciples Influenced or is the Resurrection a Late Legend?

The disciples were influenced by limited spiritual sightings.

This doesn't adequately explain the evidence:

No reasonable _____

Too many diverse _____

No empty _____

The stories of the disciples are late legends.

Late

The accounts were written too _____.

Legend

There's nothing _____ to the story that is added over time.



WRITE

Answer the Prompt Briefly to Master the Material:

Refer to sessions 13 through 16. Employ abductive reasoning to compare the naturalistic explanations for the resurrection with Habermas and Licona’s minimal facts.



RAISE THE BAR

View These Additional Resources:



Investigating Easter: Were The Disciples Simply Influenced By Limited “Spiritual” Sightings?
<http://bit.ly/427jkQf>



The Truth About Easter: Is The Resurrection A Late Legend?
<http://bit.ly/3YGy7hL>