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CASE-MAKERS
COURSE

SESSION 27

TAKING NOTES AND
ANALYZING WORDS

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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:

Forensic Faith: A Homicide Detective Makes the Case for a More Reasonable, Evidential Christian Faith (Pages 104-117)

The words we choose give us away; they often reveal our _____, _____, and _____ . (Page 105)

The authors of the New Testament chose their words *carefully*. Every time they did so, they were, by _____, choosing _____ to use an alternative. (Page 109)

When I first read through the Gospels as an atheist, however, the differences between accounts only strengthened my interest in them as eyewitness accounts. Why? Because witnesses *always* _____ between things they elect to report. Everyone compresses or expands time; the only question is whether this contraction or expansion is a sign of _____. (Page 113)



WATCH

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

Case Making Course Session 27 (Investigating Christian Case-Making) - Taking Notes and Analyzing Words

When people have choices about the kinds of words they can use, their choices give away certain _____.

Proper Nouns (Names) and Pronouns

I'm going to learn something about your view of that person based on which _____ you use.

_____ and _____

Words that are optional and present opportunities for additional questions.

Contraction or Expansion of Time

Why is this stuff _____? Why is this stuff _____?

_____ Illogical or Nonsensical Information

The more _____ I have from witnesses, the more these kinds of things can be worked out.

Every word matters. Why you use a word or why you wouldn't use a word. _____ words are the focus of my investigation. And I'm looking to see if more _____ occurs when an additional witness comes in and tells me something new.

