

Apologetics – Further Reading

Most of these books can be found in the St. Michael's Library in the Apologetics section; the C.S. Lewis books are in the C.S. Lewis section. All of these books are excellent; the Librarian has marked a few as being “first choice” books in that category.

* introductory / overview

** moderately in-depth

*** very in-depth

The Existence of God / General Apologetics

C.S. Lewis. *Mere Christianity*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Peter Kreeft. *The Pocket Handbook of Christian Apologetics*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Norman Geisler. *I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist*. *

J.P. Moreland and Kai Nielsen. *Does God Exist?* * to ** (various essays)

Peter Kreeft and Ronald Tacelli. *The Handbook of Christian Apologetics / The Handbook of Catholic Apologetics*. **

C.S. Lewis. *Miracles*. ** (Librarian Recommends!)

C.S. Lewis. *God in the Dock*. **

Peter Kreeft. *Fundamentals of the Faith*. **

Norman Geisler. *Christian Apologetics*. ***

William Lane Craig. *Reasonable Faith*. *** (Librarian Recommends!)

The Problem of Evil

(note: most General Apologetics books also cover the Problem of Evil)

C.S. Lewis. *The Problem of Pain*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Gary Habermas. *What's Good about Feeling Bad?: Finding Purpose and a Path through Your Pain*. *

N.T. Wright. *Evil and the Justice of God*. **

The Historical Jesus / The Historicity of the Resurrection

Craig Evans and N.T. Wright. *Jesus, The Final Days: What Really Happened*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Gary Habermas. *The Risen Jesus and Future Hope*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Gary Habermas. *The Case for the Resurrection of Jesus*. *

Lee Strobel. *The Case for Christ*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

Craig Blomberg. *Making Sense of the New Testament*. *

Josh McDowell. *A Ready Defense*. *

Josh McDowell. *Evidence for Christianity*. *

Richard Bauckham. *Jesus and the Eyewitnesses*. **

Gary Habermas. *The Historical Jesus*. **

Josh McDowell. *Evidence that Demands a Verdict / New Evidence that Demands a Verdict*. **

N.T. Wright. *The Resurrection of the Son of God*. ***** :-)

Just Plain Interesting

C.S. Lewis. *Surprised by Joy: The Story of My Early Life*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

N.T. Wright. *Simply Christian: Why Christianity Makes Sense*. * (Librarian Recommends!)

J. P. Moreland. *Scaling the Secular City: A Defense of Christianity*. **

R. Douglas Geivett, ed. *In Defense of Miracles*. ** to ***