

Luke 1 Many have undertaken to draw up an account of the things that have been fulfilled¹ among us,² just as they were handed down to us by those who from the first were eyewitnesses and servants of the word.³ With this in mind, since I myself have carefully investigated everything from the beginning, I too decided to write an orderly account for you, most excellent Theophilus,⁴ so that you may know the certainty of the things you have been taught.

Luke says we can trust what he says in his book because he has been like a detective and investigated what happened when Jesus was alive.

Some people think that the stories about Jesus are made up. Luke wrote his book so we can know they all happened!

Luke spoke to people who were actually there and checked that what they said was true.

