



# **APOLOGETICS**

**THRUST: HELPING AN UNBELIEVER PAST  
THE INTELLECTUAL OBSTACLES TO FAITH**

**TECHNIQUE: APPLYING ORDINARY  
REASONING TO THE ISSUE OF CHRISTIAN  
TRUTH**

# NATURE OF PROOF

**ANALYTICAL:** REASON, PURE LOGIC,  
COMMON SENSE

**CERTAINTY**

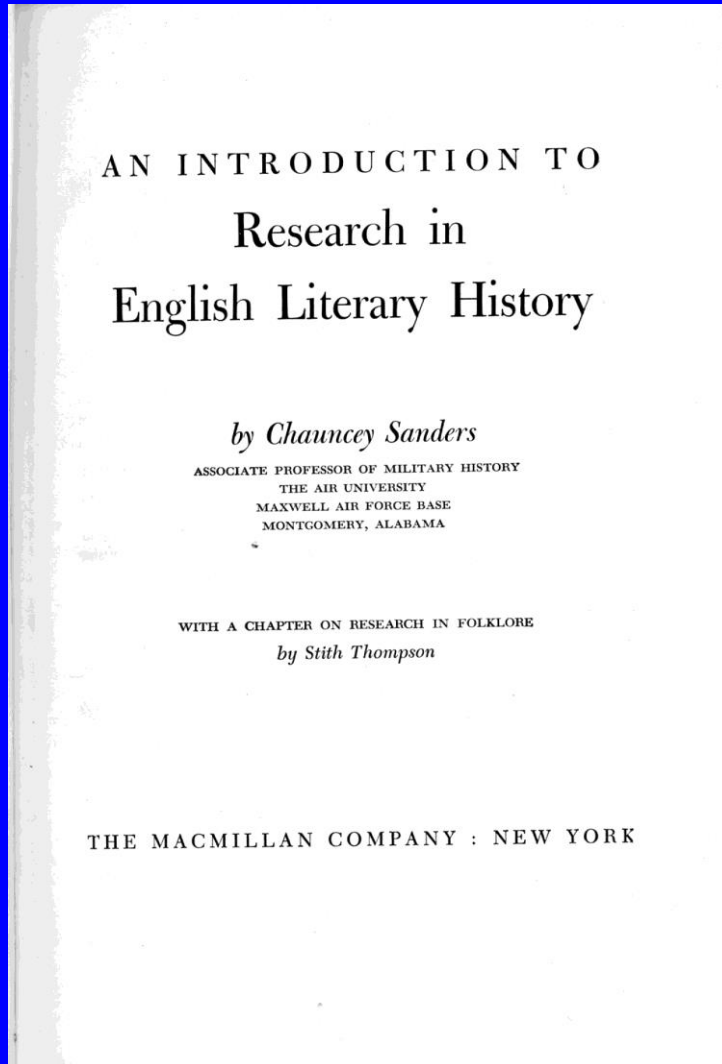
**SYNTHETIC:** RESEARCH, SENSES

**PROBABILITY**

**NONSENSICAL:** NEITHER REASON/RESEARCH  
1000 ANGELS CAN STAND ON HEAD OF A PIN

**POSSIBILITY**

# ARE THE GOSPELS RELIABLE HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS?



**BIBLIOGRAPHICAL**

**INTERNAL**

**EXTERNAL**

# **BIBLIOGRAPHICAL**

Do our documents accurately reflect what the original?

**TIME INTERVAL**

**NUMBER OF COPIES**

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN COPIES**

# **INTERNAL**

**Does the document disqualify itself by  
contradictions of factual errors?**

**MATT. 24.29-34/LUKE 18.35-43**

**WHAT IS A CONTRADICTION?**

**NO CHARGE HAS STUCK IN 2000 YRS.**

**EXTERNAL**

Is there any corroborating evidence?

**LITERARY**

**NONLITERARY**





