Faithful In Knowing the Truth
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Background of the writing of the Gospel of Luke

- Matthew and Mark had already been written
- Luke was a Gentile companion of Paul
- Author of Acts
- He had perfect understand of the events of Jesus

## Luke 1:1-4

- Luke used his academic talents to carefully research and interviews to get a perfect understanding of the truth of Jesus' life.
- Luke's time and his faithfulness to finding the Truth, paid off. We now receive the blessing of his faithfulness
  - 1979 the Jesus film which has touched millions of people was based from the book of Luke

What about finding those who disagree and do not want to continue with the leadership of a church? Paul found himself with believers who did not trust him

## 1 Corinthians 4:1-5

- There are servants and there are stewards
- Paul doesn't worry about their judgments, just concerned with the judgment of God.
- God's judgment brings everything to light
- Be trustworthy and God will put his trust in you

Be faithful in your walk because shortcuts will bring strife and struggles in your walk with Christ. Luke was faithful in seeking the truth, so we are also faithful in seeking Jesus.