

**WHO WROTE THE BIBLE?****2 Peter 1:21****1. Roman Catholics Did Not Write It, Because:**

(1) They had no existence before 440 A.D.

(2) These statements would not have been written:

(a) Joseph "knew not" Mary "till she had brought forth a son." Matt. 1:25; 13:54-56.

(b) "I myself also am a man", for the pope accepts worship, Acts 10:26.

(c) Peter's leading about a wife, I Cor. 9:5.

**2. Episcopalians Did Not Write It, Because:**

(1) Not in existence before A.D. 1534.

(2) Instead they wrote the *Prayerbook*.**3. Methodist Did Not, Because:**

(1) Acts 16:15 would read: "And when she and her babies were baptized, . . ."

(2) The *Discipline* is their product, which they revise as time and human wisdom dictate.**4. Presbyterians Did Not Write It, Because:**

(a) "God is no respecter of persons", Acts 10:34.

(b) John 3:16 would have read: "For God so loved the predestinated . . . ."

**5. Mormons Did Not Write It, Because:**(a) No mention of *gold plates* which are so essential to Mormonism.

(b) Polygamy and "celestial" marriage would not have been condemned, Matt. 22:23-30; I Cor. 7:2.

**6. Baptist Did not Write It, Because**

(a) They were not called "Baptists" at Jordan River.

(b) "Once saved, always saved" would have been recorded *one time* in the Bible, 2 Peter 2:20-22.**7. But The Bible Was Written By:**

(a) Undenominated writers, Eph. 4:4.

(b) "Men who spake from God, being moved by the Holy Spirit", 2 Peter 1:21; 3:15.

(c) Men in perfect accord doctrinally, I Cor. 14:32, 33.

(d) Men whose writings were exchanged and copied, Col. 4:16; Acts 15:22-29; 16:4.

**Suggested Hymns:**

1. "'Tis The Bible"

2. "Back to The Bible"