



	So Many			So Soon	So Similar
Ancient Manuscripts:	# of Existing Ancient Copies	Originally written	Earliest Copy Existing	Time from Original to Existing Copies	Similarity over all MSS
Caesar	251	58-50 bc	850 ad	900	
Homer (Iliad)	1,900	900 bc	415 bc	485	95.0%
Thucydides	188	460-400 bc	250 bc	150	
Plato (Tetralogies)	238	427-347 bc	250 bc	100	
Bible (NT)	23,986 Greek: 5,856 Other: 18,130	35-100 ad	< 125 ad	25	99.5%
(OT)	150 +16,700 <1800ad	1500-400 bc	400-250 bc	200	

*No other ancient book has anything like such **early** and **plentiful** testimony to its text, and no unbiased scholar would deny that the text that has come down to us is **substantially sound**.*

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Other Dimensional

✓ Experience > Learn to See

√ Science

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