## **The New Testament**

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1. LETTERS and REVELATION	2. GOSPELS and ACTS
LITERARY METHOD	LITERARY METHOD
<ul> <li>What kind of literature</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>What kind of literature is</li> </ul>
is the book?	the book?
CRITICAL METHOD	CRITICAL METHOD
<ul><li>Who wrote the book?</li></ul>	<ul><li>Who wrote the book?</li></ul>
<ul><li>When was it written?</li></ul>	<ul><li>When was it written?</li></ul>
<ul><li>To whom was it written?</li></ul>	<ul><li>To whom was it written?</li></ul>
<ul> <li>From where was it</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>From where was it</li> </ul>
written?	written?
HISTORICAL METHOD	HISTORICAL METHOD
What was the historical	What was the historical
setting of the book?	setting for the readers of
<ul> <li>When was the church</li> </ul>	the book?
founded?	SURVEY METHOD
<ul> <li>Who made up the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>What is the main idea of</li> </ul>
church?	the book?
<ul> <li>What were their</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>What was the major</li> </ul>
strengths and	reason it was written?
weaknesses?	<ul> <li>Which aspects of Jesus</li> </ul>
SURVEY METHOD	does the book portray?
<ul> <li>What is the main idea of</li> </ul>	
the book?	
<ul> <li>What was the major</li> </ul>	

reason it was written?