

Cross Reference Table: Writings and Authorities

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Each symbol in the large table below corresponds to a specific authority and a specific writing. The symbols summarize the opinion of the authority about the writing. If the symbol is blue, select it with the mouse to jump to the evidence.

The symbols have this meaning:

Symbol	Opinion of Authority
✓	accepted; true; scriptural; or quoted from very approvingly
✓	possible approving quotation or allusion
✗	acceptable, but only with changes
?	dubious; disputed; or useful for inspiration
✗	spurious (in the classification of Eusebius)
✗	false; heretical; heterodox; quoted from very disapprovingly
.	not mentioned or quoted from; opinion unknown

	<u>Ig</u>	<u>Po</u>	<u>M</u>	<u>Va</u>	<u>JM</u>	<u>Ir</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>MC</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>CS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>D</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>V</u>
Gospel according to Matthew	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gospel according to Mark	.	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gospel according to Luke	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gospel according to John	.	.	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Acts	✓	✓	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Romans	✓	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
I Corinthians	✓	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
II Corinthians	.	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Galatians	.	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ephesians	✓	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Philippians	.	✓	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Colossians	✓	.	✗	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
I Thessalonians	✓	✓	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
II Thessalonians	.	✓	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
I Timothy	.	✓?	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
II Timothy	.	✓?	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Titus	.	.	✗	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Philemon	.	.	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓
Hebrews	.	✓	.	.	.	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓?	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
James	✓	.	.	.	?	?	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
I Peter	.	✓	.	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
II Peter	?	?	✓	✓	✓	.	✓
I John	.	✓	.	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
II John	✓	.	.	✓	?	?	✓	✓	✗	.	✓
III John	.	✓	?	?	✓	✓	✗	.	✓

Jude	.	.	.	.	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	?	✓	✓	✓	.	✓
Revelation of John	.	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓
Gospel of Thomas	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	×	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of Truth	.	.	.	✓	.	×	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of the Twelve	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of Peter	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	?	×	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of Basilides	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	×	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of the Egyptians	.	.	.	.	.	.	✓	.	.	×	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gospel of the Hebrews	.	.	.	.	.	.	✓	.	.	?	×	.	.	✓	.	.
Gospel of Matthias	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	×	.	.	.	.	.	.
Traditions of Matthias	.	.	.	.	.	.	✓	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Preaching of Peter	.	.	.	✓	.	.	✓	.	.	×	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acts of Andrew	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	.	.	.	.	.
Acts of Paul	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	.	?	×	.	.	.	.	.
Acts of John	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	×	.	.	.	.	.
Epistle to the Laodiceans	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	?	.	.	.	.	.	.	✓
I Clement	✓	✓	.	.	?	.	.	.	✓	.	.
Epistle of Barnabas	✓	.	.	?	×	✓	.	✓	.	.
Didache	✓	.	.	?	×	.	?	✓	.	.
Shepherd of Hermas	✓	✓	?	?	?	×	?	✓	?	✓	.
Apocalypse of Peter	✓	.	✓	.	×
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Early 2nd century

Ig – Ignatius

Mid 2nd century

Po – Polycarp

M – Marcion

Va – Valentinus

JM – Justin Martyr

MC – Muratorian Canon

Late 2nd – early 3rd century

C – Clement of Alexandria

T – Tertullian

Mid 3rd century

O – Origen

E – Eusebius

CS – codex Sinaiticus

Late 4th century

A – Athanasius

D- Didymus

Early 5th century

P – Peshitta

V - Vulgate