

CAINA

Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Steve Hemler and I am president of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA) and author of a trilogy of apologetics books published by TAN Books: (1) *The Reality of God: The Layman's Guide to Scientific Evidence for the Creator*, (2) *Search No More: The Keys to Truth and Happiness*, and (3) *Catholic Stories of Faith and Hope: How God Brings Good Out of Suffering*.

In support of the New Evangelization, CAINA offers PowerPoint and video-based presentations for adults and youth at Catholic parishes, schools, campus ministries, conferences, etc. Since CAINA's founding in 2011, we have done over 600 multimedia presentations in 23 dioceses worldwide. Please see <https://www.cainaweb.org/> for more information, including several reference letters.

Given our increasingly secular society and the atheistic worldview often promoted by the media and academic/scientific establishment, the need to strengthen the faith of Catholics and equip the faithful to better explain *why* we believe what we do has never been greater. As stated by Cardinal Timothy Dolan, "We have failed to equip our young people and ourselves with the art of credibly, convincingly, and compellingly defending and presenting our beloved faith. Apologetics prepares us to survive a rational criticism of our faith that is all over the place today. We need it more than ever."

CAINA's popular apologetics presentations include:

1. *God and Science: Where Does the Evidence Lead?*
2. *Which is True: Creation, Evolution, or Both?*
3. *Near-Death Experiences: Evidence of the Soul*
4. *The Science and Significance of Eucharistic Miracles*, and
5. *Why Would a Loving God Allow Evil, Pain, and Suffering?*

The first two presentations provide "the rest of the story" on the actual harmony between science and faith, contrary to the prevailing modern myth that they conflict. The third presentation discusses how medical studies of near-death experiences reveal the reality of our soul and the afterlife, while the fourth highlights the importance of the Holy Eucharist and provides an overview of the amazing findings of scientific studies of several Eucharistic miracles.

Feel free to call or email me at shemler@cainaweb.org if you would like more information or want to discuss scheduling some of CAINA's multimedia presentations at your parish or school.

Faithfully yours in Christ,



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