

SHROUD OF TURIN TALK

7.30pm March 12th at Lower Wyke Lane Moravian Sunday School

Michael Kowalski, author of 'The Shroud of Christ: Evidence of a 2,000-year Antiquity' and editor of the British Society for the Turin Shroud newsletter, will give a talk about the Shroud of Turin.

There are few historical artefacts that have been studied as extensively as this remarkable cloth. It is an enigma which



has intrigued historians, artists and scientists ever since the publication of the first photographs taken of the Shroud at the end of the nineteenth century. Since that time, successive generations of scholars drawn from a diverse range of specialist fields of study have spent countless hours searching for evidence that could reveal the true nature and origin of this ancient linen cloth. Their efforts have resulted in some notable and extraordinary findings which collectively make a compelling case that this cloth wrapped the body of Jesus Christ.

The presentation will cover the image on the Shroud and will include:

- A description of the Shroud of Turin and its extraordinary markings
- The remarkable properties of the image, which continues to defy scientific explanation
- An evaluation of the claim that the Shroud is a medieval forgery
- Why the Shroud is often considered to be 'a Fifth Gospel'

The duration of the talk will be 45 minutes with time afterwards for a Q&A session. There will also be a full-sized replica of the Shroud of Turin on display.