



Where does the Apostles' Creed come from?

It is doubtful that Peter, James, John, and company sat down and wrote the Apostles' Creed. However, the origin of the creed is simple. It comes from the Bible! Every portion of the creed draws from God's Word.

I believe in God	Romans 10:10
The Father Almighty	Malachi 2:10 & Luke 1:37
Creator of heaven and earth	Genesis 1:1ff
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son	Matthew 16:16
Our Lord	John 20:28
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit	Matthew 1:20
Born of the virgin Mary	Luke 1:30-35
Suffered under Pontius Pilate	Matthew 27:11-31
Was crucified	John 19:6-30
Died and was buried	Matthew 27:57-66
He descended into hell	I Peter 3:18-19
On the third day he rose again	Matthew 28:1-10
He ascended into heaven	Luke 24:50-53
And is seated at the rt. hand the Father Almighty	Ephesians 1:20-23
He will come again to judge the living and the dead	Matthew 25:31-32
I believe in the Holy Spirit	John 14:26
The holy Christian Church	I Peter 2:4-10
The communion of saints	Ephesians 1:18
The forgiveness of sins	2 Corinthians 5:19
The resurrection of the body	I Thessalonians 4:16
And the life everlasting	Daniel 12:2-3