

MARION INGLEBY



Marion Ingleby tells us her faith story as part of [#SpeakOut2016](#) with the Diocese of Truro.

“Why am I a Christian? Well, here are a number of reasons, in no particular order.

1. I saw Jesus in the love, care and devotion of fellow Christian students at university over 40 years ago.
2. My study of the Bible shows me, in Jesus, a God of perfect love, compassion and forgiveness.
3. Jesus’ words and actions are of a man who was either deluded, a deceiver or, as I have concluded, who he claims to be: the Son of God.
4. I see a living Lord Jesus, able to change lives of friends and family, through his Spirit.
5. I have experienced God’s care, protection, direction and guidance through my life, and His peace, especially in times of crisis.
6. I marvel at the courage of Christians in the past and today, who despite danger and the risk of death, feel strengthened by Jesus to confess and live out their faith.
7. Motivated by the love, sacrifice and example of Jesus, throughout history Christians have been at the forefront of attempts to make the world a fairer, more just, and more compassionate place.
8. I find it difficult to believe and maybe a little frightening, to think that the beauty and order of our Earth and of the universe were not created by an all-powerful, loving God, but instead were a random accident.
9. When I searched for Jesus, He found me!”