

ATTEMPTS TO PROVE THE RED MARKS ON TURIN SHROUD COULD BE BLOOD

People who believe in Christianity want to believe the Turin Shroud with its red marks has real blood on it which they hope is the blood of Jesus Christ.

Diane Soran tested the notion that the reason the blood stayed red was because the cloth was given a good wash in a hemolytic called saponaria - soapwort. She made linen samples and the blood on them stayed red after more than two decades.

Sam Pellicori said that the blood on the top of the image is red because of that substance on top of the fibres stayed red due to evaporation but inside the fibre it went brown.

These tests are unscientific and dubious. And since when does 25 years of red blood on a cloth prove that a cloth could have red blood for two thousand years?

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