



**KARLO BROUSSARD**  
CATHOLIC ANSWERS SPEAKER

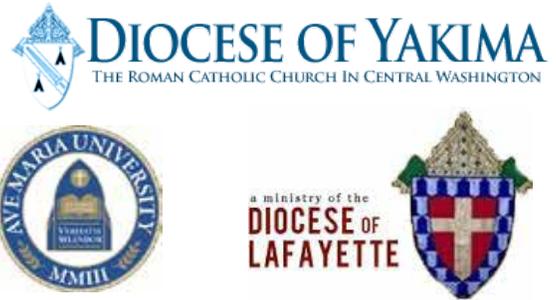


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when you invite Karlo to speak at your event:

- » **A professional public speaker** who has spent thousands of hours mastering the art of delivering life-changing messages to any audience.
- » **A knowledgeable defender of the Faith** who is experienced at answering tough or even hostile questions with charity and persuasiveness.
- » **An orthodox Catholic** who is committed to the teachings of the Magisterium.
- » **A partner who is happy to help create advertising materials** that will increase attendance at your event.
- » **A speaker who enjoys greeting audiences after events**, signing books, and doing anything that helps your attendees have an unforgettable experience.

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for Karlo Broussard

“Karlo is a truly outstanding speaker who has a mastery of the material on faith and science. He prepares well, delivers well, and is quite energetic. I highly endorse him.”

» **Fr. Robert Spitzer, President of the Magis Center of Reason and Faith**

“Karlo is intelligent, on fire, and authentic. I love this dude and can only imagine what would have happened to me if I heard him speak back in my agnostic days. He’s the real deal. I’m thankful to almighty God for his service to the Church..”

» **Matt Fradd, Director of Content Strategy at Integrity Restored**

“Karlo Broussard is a fantastic apologist who is able to present difficult thought in a clear and easy to understand way. Highly recommended!”

» **Scott Sullivan, Ph.D. founder and president of Classical Theist Productions**

“When looking for a Catholic speaker, you want someone who is smart, clear, engaging, and persuasive. Karlo can check all of those boxes. He’s studied under some of the greatest Catholic apologists of our time and has absorbed the best from each of them. He masterfully explains the Faith in simple and digestible ways without dumbing it down. He’ll leave your audience inspired, confident, and thoroughly fulfilled. If you have the chance to bring Karlo to your event, make it happen!”

» **Brandon Vogt, Content Director at Word on Fire Catholic Ministries**

“Karlo Broussard is a gifted and inspiring Catholic apologist who motivates his audience to actively pursue a greater knowledge of their faith and to live it in a spirit of humility and total reliance on God.”

» **Fr. James Kelleher, SOLT**

“Karlo Broussard is one of those rare presenters who combines both an extensive knowledge of the topics he presents and an energetic and enthusiastic presentation style. He has an uncanny ability to take complex topics and make them understandable for the average Catholic in the pew. Priceless!”

» **Tim Staples, Director of Apologetics and Evangelization, Catholic Answers**

“Karlo Broussard is without a doubt one of the most dynamic, intelligent, and articulate expositors and defenders of the Catholic faith in the Church today. With his great wealth of knowledge and boundless energy, Karlo inspires and equips his audiences to know, explain, and defend the one true Faith with the zeal and enthusiasm of the first apostles. It gives me great pleasure to recommend this gifted apologist to you!”

» **Hector Molina, CEO of Casting Nets Ministries, Inc.**



## ABOUT

### Karlo Broussard

Karlo Broussard, a native of Southern Louisiana, left a promising musical career to devote himself full-time to the work of Catholic apologetics. As a staff apologist and speaker for Catholic Answers, he travels the country giving talks on apologetics, the Bible, theology, and philosophy.

Karlo holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in theology, and is working on his masters in philosophy. He also worked for several years with nationally known author and philosopher Fr. Robert J. Spitzer at the Magis Center.

Karlo is one of the most dynamic and gifted Catholic speakers on the circuit today, communicating with precision of thought, a genuine love for God, and an enthusiasm that inspires.



# TALKS

by Karlo Broussard

## **A CATHOLIC VIEW OF THE END TIMES**

Karlo gives the biblical foundations for the Catholic Church's teaching on the end times. He identifies seven stages that constitute the "last days" as found in the Catechism and Scripture. Karlo also dispels popular myths about the last things, such as the Rapture, that are found within various Christian communities.

## **MIRACLES: GOD'S LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS OF UNBELIEF**

Karlo responds to objections that skeptics give to the possibility of miracles and offers credible historical evidence that miracles have occurred, as in the case of the resurrection of Jesus, and still occur today. He also explains why miracles are important in the life of the Catholic while at the same time emphasizing the need to have a healthy balance in our search of the miraculous.

## **CAJUN ACCORDIONIST TO CAJUN APOLOGIST: THE LIFE TESTIMONY OF A CRADLE CATHOLIC**

Karlo shares his story of how he left a promising musical career in Southern Louisiana to become a Catholic apologist. He gives examples from his life of how Catholic apologetics strengthened his faith as a cradle Catholic.

## **IS THE JESUS STORY A MYTH? HOW TO DEFEND THE HISTORICAL RELIABILITY OF THE GOSPELS**

Karlo responds to the most common objections skeptics give for not trusting the Gospel accounts of Jesus' life and gives reasons why they are historically reliable.

## **CONTRACEPTION: MAN'S FAILED DESIGN FOR LOVE**

Karlo explains the whats and the whys behind the Church's teaching against contraception. Using the principles of natural law, Karlo shows how contraception robs spouses of the love they wish to express in the conjugal act.

## **APOLOGETICS FOR AN AGE OF UNBELIEF**

Karlo gives a how-to approach for dispelling the major cultural myths that serve as obstacles to faith—namely, that belief in God is incompatible with science, Jesus is no different than other religious leaders, and man is nothing but matter.



## TALKS

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### **YOUR TRUTH, MY TRUTH: HOW TO UNDERSTAND AND REFUTE RELATIVISTIC THINKING**

Karlo exposes the absurdities of the modern belief that truth is relative to what an individual or culture believes. He provides arguments to show that truth exists independently of what an individual or group of individuals might think.

### **FORMING MEN AS GUARDIANS OF FAITH**

Karlo brings to light threats to faith we face in our society and calls men to rise up and take responsibility for the duty that God has bestowed upon them: to be guardians of Faith.

### **WHY GOD STILL MATTERS**

Karlo dispels the common myth that science is sufficient to explain the universe in the place of God. He further argues that God still matters for complete human happiness, moral obligation, and our very existence.

### **HEAVEN: A DESTINY WORTH LIVING FOR**

Karlo dispels the boring cultural image of heaven as clouds with baby cherubs playing harps and explains Jesus' revelation of heaven as an experience of perfect love, joy, and excitement through fellowship with God and with every member of the Mystical Body of Christ.

### **EXISTENCE BEYOND THE GRAVE: REASONS WHY THERE IS LIFE AFTER DEATH**

Karlo explains why we have good reasons from both philosophy and scientific research to believe there is life after death. He also explains why existence beyond the grave matters.

### **LIVING LIFE TO THE FULLEST: A COMPASS FOR HUMAN HAPPINESS**

Karlo draws on Fr. Robert Spitzer's Four Levels of Happiness and shows how living with a "Level Four" perspective is the only way to experience true human happiness.

### **SCIENCE: A BELIEVER'S FRIEND OR FOE?**

Karlo dispels the myth that science has done away with the need for God in explaining the universe, thus showing science is not a believer's foe. Karlo then shows how science gives credence to belief in God by providing evidence for a beginning of the cosmos and the fine-tuning of the various characteristics of the laws of physics.

### **SUFFERING: THE FORGING FIRE OF GODLY MEN**

Karlo explains why men should not view suffering as defeat or a sign of weakness but as an opportunity to become a godly man through the exercise of self-sacrificial love.

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## **THE FOUR LEVELS OF MANHOOD**

Based on Fr. Robert Spitzer's articulation of the four levels of happiness, Karlo explains how there are four levels of manhood. Karlo challenges men to not settle for the lower levels involving only sensory pleasure, material stuff, and ego-satisfaction, but to strive for the highest levels of sacrificial love in service of others and union with God.

## **TO CONFESS OR NOT TO CONFESS? A BIBLICAL DEFENSE OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION**

Karlo answers the common question, "Why should I confess my sins to a priest when I can go straight to God?" He does so by giving biblical evidence for Jesus' institution of the sacrament of confession, evidence for the early Christian practice of the sacrament, and by explaining the sacrament's spiritual benefits.

## **"I WILL BUILD MY CHURCH": DEFENDING CATHOLIC HIERARCHY & AUTHORITY**

In response to common errors about the Church among many Christians, Karlo gives evidence from the Bible that the first-century Church established by Jesus Christ was not merely an invisible group of believers who possessed equal authority but a community of believers with visible leaders exercising divine authority to lead the people of God in the unity of belief—an authority that was transferred to other men beyond the Twelve.

## **THE BIBLE BLUEPRINT FOR MARIAN DOGMAS**

Karlo gives biblical evidence for the four major Catholic Marian dogmas—namely, her title as Mother of God, her perpetual virginity, her freedom from sin, and her bodily assumption.

## **YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS: A BIBLICAL DEFENSE OF MARY'S QUEENSHIP**

Karlo gives biblical support for the Church's practice of honoring the Blessed Virgin as queen of heaven and earth. He explains in light of biblical theology how Mary is the Queen in Jesus' restored Davidic kingdom and as such is our intercessor.

## **REFINER'S FIRE: EXPLAINING & DEFENDING THE DOCTRINE OF PURGATORY**

Karlo dispels the common misconceptions that surround the doctrine of purgatory among Catholics and Protestants alike. He also gives the biblical texts necessary for Catholics to respond to the Protestant question, "Where is that in the Bible?"

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### **THE ULTIMATE QUESTION: “WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?”**

Karlo explains the biblical understanding of salvation and justification as an interior transformation that puts one into covenantal relationship with God. Karlo explains how good works fit in relation to salvation and gives biblical evidence for their necessity. By using passages from Sacred Scripture, Karlo also debunks the common Protestant notion that once we’re “saved” we can’t lose our inheritance of heaven.

### **GOD’S WORDS WRITTEN & SPOKEN: A BIBLICAL CRITIQUE OF SOLA SCRIPTURA**

Karlo critiques the fundamental building block of the Protestant Reformation, sola scriptura, and demonstrates that the Bible alone is not sufficient for knowing the fullness of God’s revelation. He also shows how the Bible itself points toward the necessity of holding fast to a Sacred Tradition that is indispensable for receiving and understanding the truth of Jesus.

### **THE EUCHARIST: SYMBOL OR SUBSTANTIAL PRESENCE?**

Karlo demonstrates the biblical nature of the Catholic Church’s teaching on the Eucharist as the real body and blood of Jesus. He does this by drawing out the eucharistic truths found in Jesus’ Bread of Life discourse, the Last Supper, and St. Paul’s teaching on the Eucharist in his first letter to the Corinthians. Karlo also explains the importance of the Eucharist in our lives in light of God’s relationship with the Israelites in the Old Testament.

### **HELPERS ON HIGH: A BIBLICAL DEFENSE OF THE SAINTS’ INTERCESSION**

Karlo answers the most common questions Protestants ask when it comes to the saints, such as “Why should I pray to the saints when I can go straight to Jesus?” or “Why do Catholics pray to saints when Jesus is the one mediator between God and man?” Karlo also gives reasons why requesting the saints’ intercession is a biblical thing to do.

### **THE SEVEN SACRAMENTS: GOD’S SAVING DEEDS AMONG US**

Karlo establishes the biblical evidence for Jesus’ institution of the seven sacraments and shows how in the sacraments God primarily continues to carry out his plan of salvation for mankind.

### **THE CATHOLIC CHURCH: THE ORIGINAL CHRISTIAN FRANCHISE**

Karlo shows from the Bible and history that the Catholic Church is the original Christian Church established by Jesus. He first establishes the biblical basis for Peter’s supreme authority given by Christ and then shows from the early Church Fathers that such authority was transferred to the bishops of Rome who succeeded him all the way down to the present bishop of Rome, Pope Francis.

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### **“WHERE OH DEATH IS THY STING?” A DEFENSE OF JESUS’ RESURRECTION FROM THE DEAD**

Karlo explains why the literal resurrection of Jesus, as opposed to alternative theories, is the best explanation of key historical facts in the Gospels—the empty tomb, the post-mortem appearances, and the unique development of the Christian church. He also explains why Jesus’ resurrection is important relative to our Faith and our existence after death.

### **THE SPLENDOR OF HOPE IN THE VALE OF TEARS**

St. Paul writes in Colossians 1:24, “I rejoice in my sufferings.” But how can Paul rejoice in suffering? This seems absurd to the mind of modern man. Karlo sets out to identify what might have given Paul reason to rejoice and have hope in the midst of his sufferings—a hope that protects from the death grip of despair and gives purpose and meaning to our lives.

### **THE SPLENDOR OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH**

Karlo shows how the splendor of the Catholic Faith consists in the fullness of truth and life that subsists in the Catholic Church. Karlo provides Catholics with the basic tools necessary to share with others the evidence that Christ invested such truth and life entirely in the Catholic Church, starting with Peter and the apostles.

### **WHAT DIFFERENCE DOES JESUS MAKE?**

Karlo addresses the modern myths that constitute skepticism toward Jesus. For example, he responds to claims such as, “Jesus never really existed; he’s just a myth,” and “Jesus never claimed to be God; that was just an exaggerated claim of the early church.” Karlo sets out to dispel such myths by providing the historical evidence for Jesus’ explicit and implicit claims to divinity and why it’s reasonable to believe such claims.

### **REASON, MARRIAGE, & HOMOSEXUAL UNIONS**

Karlo begins with the basics in asking, “What makes something good or bad?” With the proper method for evaluating human behavior in place, Karlo then shows how nature orders our sexuality to heterosexual marriages alone and why homosexual unions violate the dignity of the human person, thus giving reason why homosexual unions should not be given legal recognition. He also explains the devastating consequences of divorcing the meaning of marriage from human nature and responds to some of the most common objections people give in support of homosexual unions.

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