Author Jack Sacco will talk about the Shroud of Turin on Monday., Aug 16, at 7 p.m. at St. Clement of Rome Church, W. Esplanade Ave. & Richland in Metairie.

Sacco was born and raised in Birmingham, Alabama, and graduated from the University of Notre Dame with a degree in Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering. He worked for a short time as an engineer, but then redirected his professional energies to pursue a successful career as a composer, director, film producer, and now author.

Sacco also produced and directed several documentaries as well as composed the soundtrack scores for “Beyond the Fields,” “TR - The Heroic Life of Theodore Roosevelt,” and “Once Upon a Starlit Night.”

An accomplished public speaker, he lectures widely throughout the United States and abroad. He has appeared at conferences and universities across the nation, including Yale University and the University of Notre Dame. In addition, he has spoken before members of the royal families of Europe at Maissau Castle in Vienna, Austria.

Sacco is the winner of the Alabama Library Association’s 2005 Nonfiction Award for Where the Birds Never Sing, a nonfiction account of his father Joe Sacco’s experiences during the Second World War. Where the Birds Never Sing was also nominated for the 2004 Pulitzer Prize.

Sacco recently completed work on a new book titled The Resurrection Sequence, which is a suspense novel incorporating international intrigue, high-stakes technology, and the science and mystery of the famed Shroud of Turin. He currently lives in Los Angeles, where he writes and composes.

(All are invited to attend. Free will offering will be taken.)

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