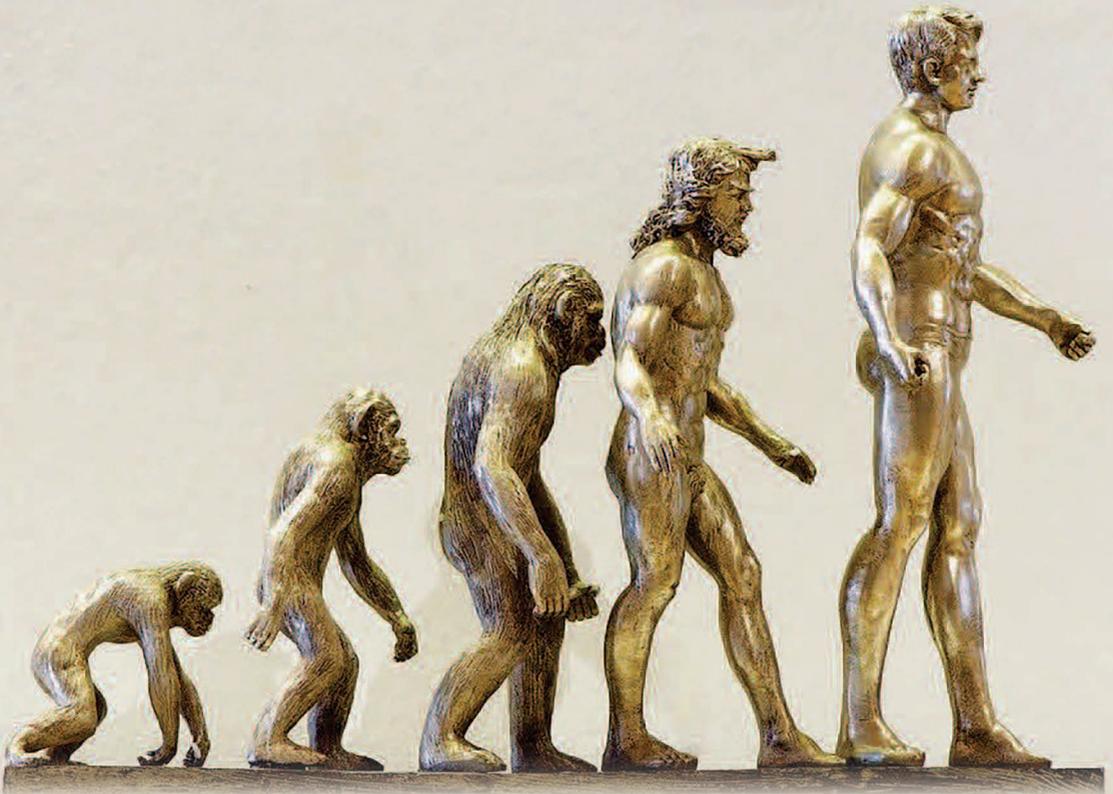


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To my six daughters, Debbie, Donna, Dale,
Denise, Deree, and Dena.

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Contemporary philosophy and vain deceit

Since leading *humanists* have publicly admitted that **evolution is a religion** (*The Voice in the Wilderness*, p. 10, June-July 2003), there is a need to counteract this religion's false tenets lest the naïve and those "dull of hearing" of truth be further deluded. Properly defined, humanism and evolution are no more than updated versions of paganism. The Bible refutes the false **philosophies and traditions** of men as well as the worship of nature.

*Colossians 2:8: Beware lest any man spoil you through **philosophy and vain deceit**, after the **tradition of men**, after the rudiments of the world, and not after Christ.*

Simply stated, evolution of "beginnings" (earth; heavens; vegetation; minerals; animals; man) is a vain philosophy of an unbeliever's world-view concerning the existence of earth and all that is in it.

Why evolution is not credible

1.) There is absolutely no tangible proof of any kind to support the evolution hypothesis.

It is accurate to say that evolution is no more than a philosophical world-view. It is mere "humanism" or more accurately, "atheism."

2.) The First Law of Thermodynamics (true science) refutes evolution: This law says, "Matter cannot be created nor destroyed but only changed in form."

The evolutionists always demand some form of **matter** to initiate their theory of beginnings such as: amino acids; green murky gases; stellar dust; primordial soup; unicellular animal; multi-cellular animal; monkey hanging from a tree; professor with a Ph.D. The evolutionists never even delve into where and how their gases, dust, amino acids, matter, etc. originated! Only God can *create* matter.

3.) The Second Law of Thermodynamics (true science) refutes evolution: "The Law of Entropy S" says that all systems (open or closed) increase in entropy S (toward disorder) when no external forces act upon them. The system tends to break down into the simplest elements; it does not build up into a more complex system.

This official law of true science is exactly opposite the false science of evolution. In nature, there is the strong propensity to break down, not build up.

4.) There are billions of fossils and none show a bridge between kinds. The gaps between kinds cannot be bridged. The kinds have many varieties within each kind.

If evolution had legs to stand on, there would have to be exceedingly far more transitional forms than basic kinds. Varieties or changes are not evolution origins.

5.) Many famed evolutionists admit that there is no fossil proof of evolution. There are no transitional forms.

In other words, evolutionists themselves have learned that there is no real scientific evidence for factual evolution of "origins." There is no evidence of "particles to people," "molecules to man," or "monkeys to men."

There are random reports of the discovery of fossils of men and apes that are said to be 150,000-1,000,000 years old. Strangely (not really) they have changed very little, if any at all, after those *alleged* millions of years. They closely resemble present day skeletal and fossil remains or else they could not even be identified and classified.

6.) There are no scientific proofs that evolution ever happened in the past nor are there observations of evolution occurring today; nether will evolution occur in the future.

Of course, proponents of creation did not observed the origin of life but neither did evolutionists! You either believe God's record of Creation or you believe the endless speculations of unreliable evolutionists. Evolution only occurs in the demented minds of fuzzy-brained professors and their naive protégés (students).

This writer never imagined that in his lifetime people would have the audacity to rise up and unashamedly publicly proclaim their descent from a monkey! Anyone believing this incredulous claim is definitely lacking in common sense; far more

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importantly, they are also openly refuting the Biblical record of Creation. They should be ashamed!

It is very evident that education does not remove the cobwebs of willing ignorance.

7.) There are billions of non-transitional structures; so where are the trillions of transitional forms needed to bridge the gaps?

The evolutionists are compelled to concede that no kind of animal suddenly changed into another kind. Again, the transitional forms demanded for changing from one kind to another would far exceed the basic kinds.

8.) The alleged men/chimps hybrids are concocted from an assortment of jawbones, teeth, and fossilized scraps together with molecular evidence from living species. The scraps are pieced together to form a line of human descent *allegedly* going back 5-8 million years when humans and chimps diverged from a common ancestor.

Fragments from fragments of diverse bone-scrap prove nothing.

9.) All evolutionary changes are horizontal or downward, never vertical or upward. They are toward deterioration and extinction, not toward complexity and improvement.

Variables and changes are not evolutions of beginnings; variables are changes within kinds.

(Evolution: The etymological definition of evolution was simply "an unrolling, or opening" from the Latin noun *evolutio*. This unrolling was in

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reference to “changes” **within kinds**, not “origins or beginnings” of kinds.

Evolutionists, holding a greater sway and in control of modern public education, have changed the true meaning of “evolution of change” to “evolution of beginnings” to fit their private agenda.)

Genesis 1:24: *And God said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature **after his kind**; cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth **after his kind**: and it was so.*

10.) Most evolutionists, having lost most of their debates with creationists, decline opportunities for scientific debates, and those that do debate prefer to make unilateral attacks on the creationists.

Since the facts do not support their position, evolutionists resort to throwing insults and slurs upon the intelligence and integrity of the creationists. Actually, this ploy is a smokescreen to cover up their “own” ignorance and ineptitude. Perhaps the application of “grandstanding” fits their tactics quite well!

(Yes, the writer knows that the insertion of “own” is not essential but desired an emphasis upon ignorance and ineptitude.)

11.) Evolutionists must believe in evolution; it is their religion. They believe it in spite of the lack of evidence, not because of it. Evolution of beginnings is *not science*, it is a *philosophical world-view*.

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It is the evolutionist's religion; it is more than an ape-man, it is his own "created" straw-man (pun intended). Evolution when applied to mean "origins" is no more than *junk* science

12.) Evolutionists, themselves, have shown that evolutionism is not science but religious faith in atheism. They believe in evolution because they want to!

Don't confuse the evolutionists with glaring facts that refute their "monkey" business: for most of them, their minds are already made up.

When a certain evolutionist denied the Creation account of Adam and Eve, a preacher told him, "You have stumbled over a rib and swallowed a monkey."

13.) Evolutionists are not rational; they do not use common sense nor the light of the law of nature.

The heavens declare the glory of God (Psalms 19:1).

14.) Darwinian teachers and liberal left-wing professors must believe in evolution: their livelihoods (salaries) depend upon it.

They should get an honest job teaching truth.

15.) Atheists, evolutionists, and haters of God must have a crutch to lean upon or a security pillar for their *ailing faith*, so they choose evolution as their religion. Properly translated, this means that they believe that man is his own god (called "humanism").

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The writer uses *ailing faith* to describe the unbeliever's religion because these evolutionists do have faith...of a sort. It takes **greater faith** to believe in the ridiculous, ludicrous, hypothesis of evolution, than to believe in Creation by Almighty God. Think about it!

The writer readily confesses that he does not have enough faith to believe in evolution of "beginnings." Evolution is a dead end. All people have faith in something; however, the faith of the prideful atheists and evolutionists is resting upon sinking sand rather than the Rock of salvation, Jesus Christ.

16.) The fossil record assures us that life did not begin by evolution. Fossils show that life appeared on earth suddenly and fully formed.

The possibility of life beginning naturalistically (evolutionary) and forming mature complex life-systems from inanimate matter is too absurd to consider. Our miracle-working Creator God is the answer. Proud man thinks he has the answer.

The surest discredit for evolution

The surest and most important reason for discounting evolution is simply because the Word of God declares that **God created the world** and everything in it in six literal solar 24-hour days (Genesis 1:3-27; Exodus 20:11; 31:17).

Psalms 33:6, 9: *By the word of the LORD were the heavens made; and all the host of them by the*

*breath of his mouth. For he spake, and it was done;
He commanded, and it stood fast.*

What about 'so-called' theistic evolution?

Theistic evolution is sometimes referred to as "progressive evolution." Creation and evolution have opposite meanings. Theistic Evolution is an *oxymoron* (word contradiction term) such as, "Deafening silence," "Winning loser," and "Honest crook."

Creation: embodies an instantaneous operation of a very brief time; the creation of minerals, mature animals (with seed after his kind), and mature vegetation (with seed after his kind) from waters and earth (Genesis 1:20-25). Of course, God created the waters and earth. The only true and wise God of the Bible also created man (male and female) of the dust of the ground (Genesis 2:7; 5:2) in His own image, in the image of God (Genesis 1:27). Creation was of supernatural origin, not of natural processes.

Evolution: embodies millions and billions of years; trillions and trillions of basic stellar substance to supply a hypothetical beginning, an incredible faith in nothing, a zillion tons of luck, and an empty head to believe that inanimate matter was the brains behind it all.

Evolutionists at first claimed that evolution of origins began **millions of years ago**. The present claim by some evolutionists has now escalated to **billions of years ago**. As facts continue to erode their evolution fantasy, the writer supposes we can

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eventually expect the evolutionist to claim **trillions of years ago**.

If "so-called" theistic evolution of man (millions of years) is a plausible hypothesis, then someone tell this writer why the Almighty, Omniscient, Omnipotent Creator would wait such a long time to communicate with man who is the crown of His creation? Of course, the writer can answer that question for the theistic evolutionists. They would likely reply that man was then in the embryonic or monkey stage of development! The mentality of evolutionists is very predictable.

The writer is a "young earth" advocate of **thousands of years** (*about 6,000 years*).

Henry M. Morris says, "It is worth noting that, whenever the verbs *create* or *make* are used in reference to God's work of creation, they are never in the present tense. God is not now creating or making stars, or animals or people as *theistic evolution* requires; at the end of the six-day creation period, in fact, God 'rested' from all His work which God created and made" (Genesis 2:3).

Many evangelical Protestant Christians believe that they must conform to the un-scientific, unprovable hypothesis of evolution (or theistic evolution). **It is a sad fact that "so-called" theologians and anemic Bible scholars rely on secular scientists to interpret Scripture for them!** Opinions of unregenerate scientists are of more consequence to some "so-called" Christians than those of qualified creationist scientists.

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The religious head of the Roman Catholic Church of a billion people (Pope John II) stated his belief in evolution shortly before he died.

According to the *Fundamentalist Digest*, January 2011, p. 18 (West Branch, MI 48661, December 2010) the present pope, Benedictine XVI (Joseph Ratzinger) in his book, *Truth and Tolerance*, approved theistic evolution. The writer does not believe that all Catholic people agree with the evolution of "beginnings."

Advocates of theistic evolution use an "alleged" gap theory that states that there was a pre-Adamite race of people upon earth between Genesis 1:1 and Genesis 1:2. The phony story goes something like this:

Demons—Spirits of a pre-Adamic race?

According to this field of thought, a pre-Adamic race existed on the original Earth before it became "dark and void" (Genesis 1:2). These humanlike creatures lived under the government of God and were presided over by Lucifer, the "anointed cherub that covereth" (Ezekiel 28:14). When these pre-Adamites joined Lucifer in revolt against God, a cataclysm fell upon Earth, physically destroying its inhabitants. Only the spirits of these beings survived to roam the earth disembodied. This is offered as an explanation for why demons desire to possess humans, as they were meant to be "housed" in bodies of flesh and are uncomfortable otherwise.

There could not have been a pre-Adamic race living on earth during the 6-day Creation Week because: 1.) "...God saw that it was good." -

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Genesis 1:25; 2.) Since the first five days were pronounced by God as "good," no cataclysmic corruption led by Satan could have occurred during this time. 3.) If no cataclysm occurred during God's Creation spelled out in 6 24-hour days, two Creations would be demanded (one corrupted and one uncorrupted) and there is not a hint of two Creations in the Scriptures.

Of course, there was no earth yet formed in the middle of Day-One of Creation; hence no corruption could have occurred.

Again, neither is there any such thing as 'theistic evolution.' The term *theistic evolution* was coined by *religious* men who were either weak in the faith, ignorant of biblical teaching, or plainly unsaved (or perhaps those desiring to be politically correct). Those weak in the faith are often intimidated into compromising biblical creation by evolution scientists who sound dogmatic and authoritative. God did not use millions or billions of years to make the earth and all therein. The heavens and all the host of them were made by the Word of the LORD. He spake and it was done (Psalms 33:6- 9) in six literal 24-hour days. In the Genesis account of creation, we have the formula "first day, second day...morning and evening" repeated which define a 24-hour day (Genesis 1:5, 8, 13, 19, 23, 31). There are no "mornings and evenings" in days equaling thousands or millions of years. The Jews understood this quite well. They understood that the Sabbath day, the 7th day of the creation week, was a 24-hour period of rest, not one day a thousand-years long nor one day a million-years long. In Exodus (as well as other

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passages), it is expressly stated, "...in six days (just like our 24-hour day), the LORD made heaven and earth...with the finger of God" (Exodus 31:17-18).

(Note: In the Bible, the Hebrew word *yom* and Greek word *hemera*, meaning one-day of 24 hours, can also symbolize *an indefinite or long period* of time. In the NT, we have an example in Second Peter:

II Peter 3:8: But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

This is time from God's perspective: He owns all time. Of course, **if** the word "day" did not have a precise meaning of 24 hours, a figurative use of the word would be needless and meaningless.

According to Hebrew prophecy in the book of Daniel, we are given an example where **one day equals one year** (or, one week equals 7 years; 70 weeks equals 490 years).

Daniel 9:24: "Seventy weeks (490 years) are determined upon thy people (Jews) and upon thy holy City (Jerusalem)..."

There are many other times in Scriptures that a day refers to a longer period of time than a 24-hour/day, but you will **not** see the term "morning and evening" as in the creation account in chapter 1 of Genesis. The writer believes that each one of the 7 days of the creation week was a 24-hour day and was given as a pattern for man to follow.

Mature organisms required for reproduction of the species

God created man (Adam) in His own image (Genesis 1:27) with the "character of age," **not** an amino acid, seed, embryo, or an ape.

All humans descended from the first man and woman (Adam and Eve), not from an ape-like creature as touted by theistic evolutionists.

Adam did not have the appearance of a newborn baby at the time of his creation. At the tender age of one-day old, Adam had the literal character, physical body, and appearance of a full-grown man. Adam was not born nor evolved; he was created mature. Of course, this flies in the face of "theistic evolution."

Reproduction itself demonstrates the necessity of the **whole** organism. When God created fruit trees, they were already bearing fruit. In each case, what God created was complete and fully functional right at the very beginning. Creation without the literal appearance and character of "age" is impossible for creation itself speaks of the whole completed entity. The minimum number of parts necessary for an organism to reproduce is the organism itself. The whole mature organism is vital. This is scientific fact that cannot be broken down to any smaller level.

How could organisms "arise" by increments until they can reproduce? **Dr. Randy J. Guliuzza, P.E., M.D.** says, "This fact is so indicting that evolutionists will push back with all kinds of arguments, but they will all cheat in their explanations. Every example

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given will always start and end by using some vital things from the organism itself, so be looking for this. For example, yes, there is "in vitro fertilization," but that starts with donor egg and sperm and the embryo is returned to the normal realm of development" (*Acts and Facts*, September 2010, pp. 10,11).

Evolutionists (unbelievers) disregard the Word of God...to their own hurt (Revelation 20:11-15; 21:8).

World-views of religionists

- **Theists:** believe in the existence of One True God as the Creator of man and the world.
- **Monotheists:** believe correctly in one God but *may not* know Him as their Savior. Job's three friends *may have* fit this category (only God knows). The writer himself always believed in only one true God (of the Bible) even before he was born again and had defended that belief during secular discussions.
- **Humanists:** believe that they **are their own god** and depend upon their own merit. Humanism is a philosophy that usually rejects supernaturalism and stresses an individual's dignity and worth and capacity for self-realization through reason. Man is incurably religious. If he does not have a god of his own choosing to bow down to, he makes himself to be his own god. Humanism is the religion of Christ-rejecting Bible-denying haters of God.
- **Pantheists:** tolerate the **worship of all gods** (as at in the Roman and Grecian Empires). They