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#### **Evidences for Creation:**

#### By Robert L. Moak

Some people do not consider any evidence offered by Creationists, therefore they are forced to accept the theory of evolution as being the only answer as to how everything we see got here. If you are such a person, please ignore your arrogance on this subject and read the following article.

Before the beginning, that is, before anything we see was brought into existence, there was **Table of Contents** either nothing (what atheists believe), or there was nothing but God (what theists believe)! There could also be pantheists (who believe in many gods), but since this is intended to be

centered on Biblical creation, this article will not deal with any perspective of pantheism.

Some Christians have been convinced that the first 11 chapters of Genesis may not be an actual history report, and therefore, the history given there is just like any other book written by some member of mankind! These Christians are then left with only being able to accept the theory of Theistic evolution, or that God used evolution to create everything seen and maybe even unseen! Apparently such people do not know about the fulfilled prophesies given in detail in the Bible, or they do not believe these first 11 chapters of Genesis are the revealed and inspired Word of God!

Following is a very simplistic description of when God created everything we see:

Day one – God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was created covered with liquid water.

**Day two** – God took some of the water on the earth, and put it into the heavens.

Day three – God moved the waters into the seas, and thus, made dry land appear. This land mass was just configured as one land mass! Both evolutionists and creationists agree on this concept, and we all refer to by the name of Pangea.

On day three – God also created living plants, and planted them in the earth on this continent.

On day four – God created the heavenly bodies, which consisted of the sun, moon and stars.

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### **Engaged In Battle**

By Terry Ivers

Today in the Christian church the battle over Biblical authority is no more settled than it was over 3000 years ago when David found himself at the Valley of Elah facing Goliath. The Philistines had come to battle against King Saul and the men of Israel which were there to defend Judah, the problem was that Saul and the men of Israel believed that the Philistine, Goliath was unbeatable, so both sides remained encamped on opposite sides of the valley. The book of 1 Samuel records the events for us; And the Philistine said to David, "Am I a dog, that you come to me with sticks?" And the Philistine cursed David by his gods. <sup>44</sup> The Philistine said to David, "Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and to the beasts of the field." Goliath was speaking what the men on both sides were thinking, using man's authority they were correct. David did not trust in man's authority, he knew only that Goliath had cursed his God and that, the God that David knew would not let this happen so he responded; <sup>45</sup> "Then David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with a sword and with a spear and with a javelin, but I come to you in the name of the LORD of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. <sup>46</sup> This day the LORD will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head. And I will give the dead bodies of the host of the Philistines this day to the birds of the air and to the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, <sup>47</sup> and that all this assembly may know that the LORD saves not with sword and spear. For the battle is the LORD's, and he will give you into our hand."

The Philistine's used Goliath to curse and distract the warriors of Israel making them ineffective and immobile, just as Atheist's and Humanist's today curse and deny our God, the one and only true God of the Bible. Just as in David's day it takes Christian warriors to engage the enemy in the battle for the righteous and holy claims of God. The enemy today is just as intimidating as Goliath was to the Israelite armies 3000 years ago, but when Christians use God's Word as their authority instead of man's (secular science) everything we see around us can be explained to the glory of God. For the past 2000 years the Holy Scriptures were the authority for cultural foundations and thought, but following the Protestant Reformation during the 16th and 17th centuries, the Enlightenment period swept through Europe proclaiming that man's reasoning was basis for all philosophy and knowledge. Any honest student of World History should be able to see the fallacies of enlightenment thinking, but yet, here we are 200 years later battling the same humanistic philosophies that have been proven incorrect, over and over again.

Today's Christian leadership can sometimes be confusing when they use God's Word to promote and defend man's reasoning. Creation and the Book of Genesis are the frontlines in the battle being fought today between the authority of God's Word and science. Christian believers must understand the importance of defending God's Word against the constant attacks made by atheists and humanists under the guise of science. Nowhere in God's Word are we told that we are not to question or think about the things of God. God through His Word and His Creation has given answers for all the questions asked by modern science. Enlightenment thinking has taught us that man should be able to answer all questions through human reason, and yet faith in man's theories is what enlightenment thinkers are left with. God gives us answers for all that is around us and then expects us to have faith in those answers. Both viewpoints take faith, so faith is obviously not the issue, man's reasoning and knowledge is constantly changing but God's Word is the same today as it has always been. <sup>19</sup> God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it? Numbers23:19 (ESV)

"Somehow saying that anything goes, we shouldn't offend religious beliefs,

by requiring kids to know... to understand reality, that's child abuse."

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#### **Moon Dust Revisited**

By Eric J. Norman Ph.D. (biochemistry) COL USAR (RET.) CRSEF Board Member

The moon can remind all people that God created the world about 6,000 years ago. The astronauts discovered 6 mm of dust on the moon surface. The scientists measured that 1 mm of dust accumulates in about 1000 years. The Bible declares the Earth and Moon were created about 6000 years ago.

Science News magazine, Jan 11, 2014 reported: "A new analysis of old data from the Apollo missions estimates that moon dust could form a layer 1 millimeter thick every 1000 years."

This finding piqued my interest since the Institute for Creation Research (ICR), Creation Ministries International (CMI) and Answers in Genesis (AIG), the three major young creation ministries, still recommended that creationist not use the moon dust argument to illustrates a young Earth. I support young earth ministries but want to know the truth.

Thus I decided to research this subject and on 11/6/14 presented a CRSEF slide presentation. The scientific facts as well as my related experiences during the moon exploration program were discussed.

Why is belief in a recent creation important? Sherwood Taylor, then Curator of the United Kingdom Museum of the History of Science (1949) stated "In England it was (long ages) geology and the theory of evolution that changed us from a Christian to a pagan nation."

If you don't believe the Bible you may not read and believe: "And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name (Jesus) under heaven given among men by which we must be saved." Acts 4:12. For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved" Rom 10:13.

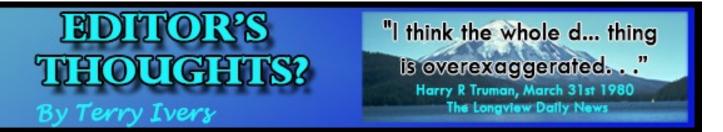
My first serious thought of man traveling to the moon must have been as a young boy seeing the 1950 movie *Destination Moon*, 92 minutes (one of the first science fiction films of the first trip to the moon.) All I remember is a man posing for a picture on the moon lifting up his hand under the Earth. Today that reminds me of the song "He has the whole world in His hand."

In about 1954, a for sale sign appeared on the front yard of the house next door. I asked my Dad and he said Mr. K had taken a job in California to work on guided missiles. I wondered what are guided missiles.

Then in 1957, the Soviets launched Sputnik 1, the first earth satellite. My Dad brought in the morning paper amazed at the large headlines. He said that satellite is falling to the Earth and missing and then falling again. It was traveling 18,000 MPH. The launching of Sputnik was like a giant lightning bolt hitting the USA. Everyone was wondering why we were scientifically behind the Soviets.

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Daniel 2:21 (ESV)

He changes times and seasons; he removes kings and sets up kings; he gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to those who have understanding;

Welcome to the 2017 Winter edition of the World By Design Newsletter. The CRSEF Board, members, families, friends and supporters pray that this year will be a spiritually productive year for you and your family. As Daniel explains in the fore mentioned scripture, God has brought us into a new year, He has given our nation new leadership, and as follow-

ers of Christ we need to pray that we all seek out the wisdom and knowledge that God gives to those with understanding.

The CRSEF Board has been busy planning for upcoming events that we can participate in this year. We will be asking for funds to attend the Midwest Homeschool Convention, April 20th-22nd 2017 held at the Duke Energy Convention Center, Cincinnati, OH. CRSEF has attended this event 4 out of the last 5 years. We will also be asking for funds to attend the 2017 Mason Heritage Day Festival held in Mason, OH in September. This would be the 19th straight year for CRSEF at this event. CRSEF would also like to schedule our annual Fossil Hunt with Dr. John Whitmore, Professor of Geology at Cedarville University, but as always the funding will be the key to our involvement at these events as well as other opportunities that may arise.



Lance speaking with a family about the Ark at the 2013 Heritage Day & Bicycle Race in Mason, Ohio.

In this latest edition of the World By Design Newsletter you will find information about moon dust, sea turtles, evidences for creation as well as news about upcoming events and more. We are here to answer your questions and concerns, and if we don't have the answers we will do our best to research and investigate the topics so that we can provide you with adequate answers. We pray that the information that we have included will be useful and helpful in your young earth creation studies, and more importantly, that what you read will help you learn and know more about your Creator and Savior Jesus Christ. Please let us hear your thoughts on the newsletter as well as suggestions or ideas about how CRSEF can help you share the Biblical Creation account, the biblical age of the Earth and the gospel message to all those around us. Thank you for your interest and involvement in CRSEF and look forward to hearing from you, we may be contacted at <a href="editor\_wbdnewsletter@twc.com">editor\_wbdnewsletter@twc.com</a> or <a href="mailto:rlmoak@fuse.net">rlmoak@fuse.net</a>.



Bob speaking with a man and his family about the Ark at the 2015 Greater Midwest Homeschool Convention at Cincinnati, Ohio.

**God Bless** 

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On day five – God created the birds of the air, and the fish of the seas.

On day six – God created the animals that were to live on the earth.

On day six – God created mankind who was to live on the earth, and mankind was also commissioned to be the caretakers of the earth!

#### Water on the earth's surface and in its inner core:

Creationists believe that an all-knowing God created the earth with liquid water covering it, as all the living things He created would need it to survive.

The atheistic theory of evolution does not believe the earth was generated until several billion years after the big bang explosion. So about 4.6 billion years ago, the earth was generated, as a molten blob, which would have no liquid water on its surface, or in its inner core! **The huge amount of water that is contained in and on the earth, is a big problem for evolutionists.** They do not have a good answer, as to where all this water came from.

One theory is that most of this water came from many objects from space that contained water and collided with the earth, then melted and thus the water was left behind. However, their main claim is that such objects were most likely comets. A huge problem exists with this idea, in that **comets cannot last for billions of years**, as they usually melt before they could collide with the earth. So there could not have been enough comets to produce the needed water. So they decided a cloud that expelled comets was needed, **so they invented (thought into being) the Oort cloud**, and decided it existed somewhere in outer space, somewhere far beyond what mankind has so far explored or even imagined!

#### **Creation Of All Living Things On This Earth:**

The Bible teaches that God first created the environments for all living things on creation days one, two and three. God created these environments exactly like the living things needed, and God also created them to be able to change as needed to adapt whenever these environments changed.

#### **Spontaneous Generation Of All Living Things On This Earth:**

Evolutionists believe that all the living things on this earth evolved from a common ancestor, which somehow came about by spontaneous generation, which can be explained as having two or more chemicals come to gather, and somehow come to life.

This "common ancestor" was the ancestor of all living things, this includes animals and plants, and of course it includes mankind, as just another type of animal. So some of this life form grew as a plant, and some of it grew as an animal.

Spontaneous generation is against one of the natural laws, the law of biogenesis, which states that life only comes from life. Therefore, if you accept the theory of evolution then you must reject the law of biogenesis! From Wikipedia: The law of biogenesis, attributed to Louis Pasteur, is the conclusion that complex living things come only from other living things, by reproduction (e.g. a spider lays eggs, which develop into spiders). That is, modern life does not arise from non-living material, which was the position held by spontaneous generation.

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### **Long Lasting Endearment of Sea Turtles**

#### By Terry Ivers

Sea turtles are among the most loved sea creatures in the ocean by young and old alike. My love for them was fostered by Disney's introduction to "Crush" the beloved sea turtle from the 2003 movie Finding Nemo. Just as Nemo was fascinated by the age of sea turtles, I have discovered through research into the species that not only do modern day sea turtles live long lives, some as long as 80 to 100 years, they are among the oldest reptile fossils that have been discovered, some claim even older than dinosaurs.

There is an abundance of information on sea turtles available, mostly because out of the 7 known species of sea turtles, 6 are on the IUCN (International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources) Critically Endangered Species list. Although the conservation of everything in nature should be a high priority for all of God's children, it is important to remember that we serve an omnipotent God who is in control of all things. I believe it is important sometimes to remind mankind that they are not really as important to the survival of nature as they believe themselves to be. Almost every source that I used for this article made a reference to sea turtles being on this planet for a very long

time, estimates ranged from 110-220 million years, obviously as we believe the earth to be a little over 6000 years old the sources assume erroneous evolutionary time periods. God has commanded that we should always be good stewards of the creation that He has given us dominion over. Included in that dominion is the care and protection of His creation. That being said, man and his lifestyles have been very detrimental to sea turtles, as well as all other water dwelling inhabitants, so conservation is a very important part of God's creation. I find it rather odd that people believe a reptile can survive for millions of years, but can then be eradicated by the actions of man in a just few hundred or even a thousand years.



http://www.starfishrentalsandrealty.com/sea-turtle-hospital-in-Surf-City.htm

If you have ever watched a video of a sea turtle swimming, one cannot help but be amazed at the grace and beauty that they exhibit as they move through the ocean waters. Sea turtles start life on a beach, where they dig their way out of an egg, sand, then they are led by natural instincts to make their way by moonlight to the ocean. This process takes place on beaches all around the world and although each female turtle will dig a nest on the beach and deposit 50 to 200 hundred eggs in a nest, some species of sea turtles bury all their eggs in one nest while others bury their eggs in individual nests. The females of some species of sea turtles will return each birthing season to the same beach that they were born on, requiring migrating sometimes up to as much as 1400 miles to return to a place that they have not been to in up to 30 years. The temperature of the sand and the egg in the nest greatly determines the sex of the turtle. Warmer temperatures of the nest and eggs produce female offspring and cooler temperatures produce male offspring. The birth process of the sea turtle is one of the most dangerous times of the sea turtles life. Some of the young turtles never make it out of the egg, others are eaten by birds or other predators before making it to the sea, and lastly even after making it to the ocean many are ate before maturity. Studies have shown that as little as 10% of the young sea turtles survive to maturity. Humans are also to blame as poachers take eggs from the nest and sea turtles are also poached for their shells and their meat.

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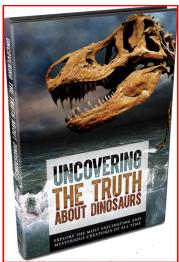
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Host Markus Lloyd (Unlocking the Mysteries of Genesis and Made in His Image) journeys to various locations to investigate some of the common theories about dinosaurs, while experts in subjects like paleontology, geology, archaeology, and history examine evidence that casts doubt on secular theories about geologic time and evolution.

Uncovering the Truth About Dinosaurs offers compelling evidence about these mysterious creatures that confirms the biblical account of Genesis. Witness the awesome work of the Creator and see how the Bible gets it right in all matters -- including dinosaurs.



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# **CRSEF**MONTHLY MEETINGS

#### CRSEF Monthly Meeting for January Thursday, 01/19/2017

From 7-7:45 PM followed by a 15 minute, Q&A time

Uncovering the Truth About Dinosaurs Part 1 of 4 "Digging into Dinosaurs" Interviews with experts reveal intriguing information about favorite dinosaurs like T-Rex and Triceratops, while host Markus Lloyd explores a fossil dig where paleontologists work to unravel the mysteries hidden in dinosaur bones.

Uncovering the Truth About Dinosaurs explores the most fascinating and mysterious creatures of all time -- dinosaurs.

Meeting will be held at: Location: Sharonville Public Library Directions: Get Map and Directions

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### CRSEF Monthly Meeting for February Thursday, 02/16/2017

From 7-7:45 PM followed by a 15 minute, Q&A time

Uncovering the Truth About Dinosaurs Part 2 of 4 "Dinosaurs and Dragons" From legends and folklore to archaeology, eyewitness accounts, and the Bible itself, experts describe compelling evidence from around the world that suggests dragons were dinosaurs that lived in the not-so-distant past.

Meeting will be held at:

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#### CRSEF Monthly Meeting for March Thursday, 03/16/2017

From 7:30-8 PM followed by a 15 minute, Q&A time

Uncovering the Truth About Dinosaurs Part 3 of 4 "Dinosaurs and the Flood" Modern paleontologists are piecing together a fascinating chronicle of the lives and catastrophic end of the dinosaurs. Fossil and geological records divulge evidence that matches the biblical description of one truly unparalleled cataclysmic event -- the Genesis Flood.

Fueled as much by popular culture as by science, dinosaurs capture the imagination. Footprints and fossilized bones prove they once existed, but many questions linger about what they were, where they came from, and how they lived and died. From the Institute for Creation Research, Uncovering the Truth about Dinosaurs takes on the challenge of unraveling these mysteries and unearthing the real truth.

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#### **Evidences for Creation:** (continued from pg 5)

So, since the theory of evolution fails step one of biological life formation, it must be dismissed as an invalid theory! If we decide to overlook this fatal flaw, as evolutionists do, then we can continue to assume this must have happened somehow! It would have had to happen millions of times over the millions of years that evolution is proposed to have happened.

#### The fossil record:

One of the most important evidences used by evolutionists is the fossil record, as recorded in the strata layers found all around this world. They believe this record supports their theory, however, there has so far NEVER been found an undisputed missing link in the known fossil record. **Darwin professed, if no fossil can be verified as a missing link, then his theory of evolution should be dismissed as invalid!** Therefore, by Darwin's own admission his theory of evolution should be dismissed as being an invalid theory!

#### **Evidence of a worldwide Flood:**

What has been found in the fossil record? We find billions of dead things buried in rock layers laid down by water all over the earth! If you believe in a worldwide flood, then the layers we find do match the Biblical accounts reporting such a flood.

The fossils found in these strata layers are mixed between land dwelling animals and marine life fossils. Every layer is mixed indicating a catastrophic event must have buried all these fossils together. If these layers were laid down in static timeframes, as would have occurred as evolutionists indicate, then this violent mixing should not occur in any of the layers! Violent layering goes against slow and gradual processes proposed by evolutionists.

The fossils found in the strata layers also show evidence of a very fast burial, as many of the marine fossils are in pristine condition, as the shelled specimens are still in closed shells, and this does not occur today in the very few fossils that may form. To form fossils, requires that the animals must be buried rapidly by something that will allow formation of a fossil. This burial also protects the animal from being ripped up and eaten by scavengers, and even reduced the loss of bone structure by bacteria erosion. Without a rapid burial, the billions of fossils found all over the earth would not have been preserved.

#### Where Are All the Human Fossils? by Dr. Andrew A. Snelling on December 1, 1991

Let's begin by considering the nature of the fossil record. Most people don't realize that in terms of numbers of fossils 95% of the fossil record consists of shallow marine organisms such as corals and shellfish. Within the remaining 5%, 95% are all the algae and plant/tree fossils, including the vegetation that now makes up the trillions of tons of coal, and all the other invertebrate fossils including the insects. Thus the vertebrates (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals) together make up very little of the fossil record—in fact, 5% of 5%, which is a mere 0.25% of the entire fossil record. So comparatively speaking there are very, very few amphibian, reptile, bird and mammal fossils, yet so much is often made of them. For example, the number of dinosaur skeletons in all the world's museums (both public and university) totals only about 2,100.7 Furthermore, of this 0.25% of the fossil record which is vertebrates, only 1% of that 0.25% (or 0.0025%) are vertebrate fossils that consist of more than a single bone! For example, there's only one Stegosaurus skull that has been found, and many of the horse species are each represented by only one specimen of one tooth!8

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#### Moon Dust Revisited (continued from pg 3)

The Soviets said Sputnik 1 weight 184 pounds but the US scientists said they misplaced their decimal point and meant 18.4 pounds. The Russians said no.

They not only beat us in launching a satellite but the heavy payload meant they also had powerful rockets.

After WW II the US Army established a rocket research center at Redstone, Arsenal, adjacent to Huntsville, Alabama, with German scientists, headed by Dr. Werner von Braun. Prior to coming to Huntsville, at Ft. Bliss, Texas, von Braun's neighbor invited him to Church. He found ... a "live, vibrant community" and he "underwent a religious conversion to evangelical Christianity." He commented, "To be effective a religion has to be backed up by discipline and effort." "The farther we probe in space, the greater my faith"

"I find it ...difficult to understand a scientist who does not acknowledge the presence of a superior rationality behind the existence of the universe."

On 12/6/57, the US tried to launch a satellite using the Navy Vanguard missile. While being shown on national TV, the rocket blew up on the launch pad.

President Eisenhower then asked the Army if they could launch a satellite in 90 days and von Braun replied 'we can do it in 60'. On 1/31/58, the Army Explorer satellite was successfully launched in orbit, weighing 30.8 pounds.

In 1959, the Russians were planning to launch a rocket to the moon. Surprisingly they actually announced the plan publicly before the launch. My Dad was attending a parent-teacher open house at my high school. I remember this time, because as he was leaving the classroom he asked my physics teacher "How do you think that moon-shot will do? The teacher answered 'what is your son's name'? Dad said 'Eric', and he replied 'Oh he'll do fine'. Ha

Scientist estimated at that time there would be over 100 feet of moon dust. I found a newspaper in my Mom's house, St. Louis Globe Democrat, 9/17/1959 with large headlines "RUSSIANS HIT THE MOON." Scientist Dr. Franklyn Branley was quoted: "What probably occurred when the 3342-pound rocket casing and instrument load slammed into the moon surface was a pretty terrible cloud of dust."

Snelling and Rush in an article titled Moon Dust and the Age of the Solar System, 4/1/93, gives excellent references and quotes which are used in this review. However, I do not agree with their conclusion that the incoming moon dust is about 10,000 tons a year. You can download this article by searching moon dust on AIG's website. You can google words used in this paper to locate sources of other information.

In 1959, Dr. Isaac Asimov wrote "Picture the first spaceship coming down slowly sinking majestically out of sight." At that time "The best measurement of cosmic dust entering the Earth's atmosphere from space was made by Hans Pettersson ... a figure of 14 million tons per year. There should have accumulated during the 5-billion year age of the earth (moon) a layer of dust approximately 182 feet thick." Sci Am, 1960. 2002(2):123-32.

In the fall of 1959, I entered the University of Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy (currently Missouri University of Science and Technology) and was graduated in Jan, 1964 with a BS in Physics, a minor in Electrical Engineering and a commission as a Second Lieutenant in the US Army.

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#### Long Lasting Endearment of Sea Turtles (continued from pg 6)

Our creator has endowed the sea turtle with some amazing features. Of the seven known species of sea turtles the smallest is the Olive Ridley and the Kemp's Ridley Sea Turtles which weigh around eighty to one hundred pounds and grow to about three feet in length. The distinguishing feature between the two species is that the Kemp's Ridley has yellow on it's underside. The largest sea turtle species is the Leatherback Sea Turtle which weighs in at one to two thousand pounds and can grow to around seven feet long. Leatherback Sea Turtles are the only species of all turtles that does not have a hard shell, it's shell is made up of multiple layers of skin. The largest recorded Leatherback weighed two thousand twenty pounds and was nine feet ten inches long. Sea turtles unlike land turtles can not draw their heads and legs into their shells for protection like land turtles which make them more venerable to predators.



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Sea Turtles spend most if not all of their lives in the ocean, the males never return to the beach while the females return only long enough to deposit their eggs, once the eggs are deposited the females never return to check on their young. Sea turtles are reptiles so they need to surface to breathe air into their lungs, but they can stay under water for as long as five hours, by slowing their heart rate to conserve oxygen. Studies have shown that their hearts may beat only once every eight or nine minutes. Although they can dive great depths their feeding dives usually only last around five minutes and take place in relatively shallow water.

Sea Turtles are among one of God's most amazing creatures, they are a great reminder of God's crea-

tive complexity that has been around since the creation of the world. Some of the sources I mentioned earlier stated that sea turtles which they proposed, have been around for 100 million years could outlast even dinosaurs which disappeared supposedly 65 million years ago. This type of incorrect evolutionary thinking is yet another example of mans authority yielding totally inadequate answers. If you trust in God's Word and His authority you will have no problem understanding that most of the dinosaurs perished during the flood while Noah and his family as well as many species of sea creatures survived the cataclysmic event. "You are to bring into the ark two of all living creatures, male and female, to keep them alive with you. Two of every kind of bird, of every kind of animal and of every kind of creature that moves along the ground will come to you to be kept alive." Genesis 6:19-20 (NIV).

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7 Lewin, R., 1990. New Scientist, 128(1745), p. 30.

8 Wise, Ref. 6.

This is only a small part of this article, see the rest at <a href="https://answersingenesis.org/fossils/fossil-record/where-are-all-the-human-fossils/">https://answersingenesis.org/fossils/fossil-record/where-are-all-the-human-fossils/</a>

#### Fossils Appear To Be Only Thousands Of Years Old:

Evolutionists believe the fossils buried all over the world are millions of years old. However, fossils with stretchable material, red blood cells, and collagen have been found in almost every strata layer. Such material could not be millions of years old, as such materials cannot last over 100,000 years! Although this is known to be factual, there is research being conducted by evolutionists to see, if somehow such known facts may somehow be in error. Research is being conducted to see if such material can somehow actually last for millions of years. It certainly seems saner for scientists to acknowledge that these fossils cannot be over a few thousand years old. Of course, such an admission would cause the theory of evolution to be refuted, and thus, be an invalid theory. It is necessary for evolutionists to cling to their theory, because it is all they have that supports their religion of evolution! Everything we see MUST have been created or it all came into existence on its own volition!

Fossils being only thousands of years old supports the creation theory not the theory of evolution. Creationists believe that all the fossils were laid down by the receding waters of the worldwide flood. Therefore, **finding fossils with stretchable material**, **red blood cells**, **and collagen would make sense**, **since the Flood occurred only about 4,300 years ago!** 

#### **Conclusion:**

#### The fossil record supports the Creation Model, not the evolutionary model!

No undisputed linkages showing changes from one kind of animal into another kind of animal have ever been found. The missing links are still, "Missing!"

The fossils found are mixed having both land dwelling animals and marine animals in all layers! This mixing indicates the fossils were deposited by a catastrophic event, not by long ages of slow and gradual processes!

Many fossils found still have materials in them, which indicate they were deposited only thousands of years ago! It is plain to see the fossil record supports the Creation model not the evolutionary model!

If you are a professing Theistic Evolutionist, then this article should offer you evidence that the worldwide Flood of Noah, actually occurred, and therefore, you can believe the historical accounts of Creation as given in the first 11 chapters of Genesis! **Please believe it, God did not use evolution to create everything.** He did it just as He told us in His book called the Bible!

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#### Moon Dust Revisited (continued from pg 9)

I was recently told by a classmate that in 1958, Dr. Weiner Von Braun visited our school and gave a lecture on how to exactly land men on the moon and return them to Earth. In 1961, President Kennedy committed the US to land a man on the moon and return to Earth in the decade.

In 1964 I entered the Army and attended the Ordnance Guided Missile School at Redstone Arsenal and for 19 weeks. I studied the missile systems Hawk, Nike Hercules, Sergeant and Pershing qualifying as a missile maintenance officer.

I wanted an assignment supporting a missile unit and was interested in Korea or Kwajalein. However a friend cautioned me if assigned to Kwajalein to bring a big mirror so I could talk to someone. The Army's system was 'mind over matter'. They didn't mind and what you wanted didn't matter. Therefore since I did very well during the electronic section of the missile school, I was assigned an admin/teaching position in the missile school electronics division.

On 2/17/65, the US ranger 8 rocket was launched directly to the moon broadcasting the first close TV images. I was teaching a class on transistors to Japanese students. For motivational purposes, I interrupted the class so they could view these historic TV pictures, which got larger and larger until the rocket crashed into the moon.

Up until this period, it was believed that there was a large dust level on the moon. Therefore, from 1966-68 surveyor missions 1,3,5,6 and 7 were launched. These landing crafts were supported on tripod legs. All took TV pictures and 5,6, and 7 had magnets and alpha scattering instruments for chemical analysis. Surface sample scoops dug trenches and did soil mechanical tests.

From these tests it was known there was a very light dust cover over the hard moon surface. Apparently, the surveyor craft was so successful, that the three leg design was also used for the human moon landing. It was not because they expected a high dust level.

A great revision began reducing the accepted level of moon dust from Pettersson's 14,000,000 tons per year to an evolutionary acceptable figure of 10,000 tons per year. Or shall we say The Great Escape -- from reality -- an unbelievable 1400 fold reduction.

Pettersson's work was criticized: "high, very speculative, tentative, completely wrong, apparently contaminated." Apparently they were employing circular reasoning, which is a logical fallacy. The reasoners begin with what they are trying to end with, therefore they sought new methods of collecting dust.

"De Young hints at it. Taylor is quite open in suggesting that a drastic revision of the estimated meteoritic dust influx rate to the moon occurred straight after the Apollo moon landing."

"Taylor insinuated that the Committee for Space Research (COSPAR) was formed to work on drastically downgrading the meteoritic dust estimate, based on indirect techniques such as satellite-borne detectors, visual meteor counts and observations of zodiacal light, not with dust itself."

My first step was to investigate Pettersson's work. "He set up dust-collecting units on mountains with elevations of 10,000 ft and 11,000 ft on the Island of Maui, Hawaii. He chose these mountains as the air is of an almost ideal transparency, free of contamination of terrestrial dust. "Data samples were analyzed for nickel and cobalt, rare in terrestrial dust, and compared with nickel and cobalt in meteoritic dust."

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Granapathy took ice cores recovered by drilling at the South Pole in 1974 and analyzed for iridium. The time frame was reliable noting ice layers from 1884 with debris from the 1883 Krakatoa volcanic eruption, Indonesia and 1953 ice layers when nuclear explosions began depositing fission products on the ice. They calculated 400,000 tons of meteotric dust a year.

Similarly, Kyte and Wassoni (1982) analyzed deep-sea sediment for iridium estimated 340,000 tons per year. Iridium is one of the nine least abundant stable elements in the Earth's crust, 0.001 parts per million (ppm) in crushed rock compared to 0.5 ppm in meteorites (500) times greater.

In 1974, Henry Morris stated "The best measurements have been made by Hans Pettersson who obtained the figure of 14 million tons per year."

These excellent studies were disregarded by accepting 10,000 tons of dust per year. But "How representative is a sample of dust collected on the small plates mounted on a small satellite or U-2 aircraft compared with the enormous volume of space that the sample is meant to represent?"

Snelling and Rush state "Perhaps any hope of resolving this issue in the creationist's favor may have to wait for direct measure to be made . ." We now have direct measurement from the moon dust collectors which support the young age moon belief.

Dust was collected on three small solar cells attached to a matchbox-sized case over the course of six years, through three Apollo missions. The detectors flown on Apollo 12 (11/19/69), 14 and 15 (7/26/71) operated until NASA shut them off on 09/1977.

Walt Brown, PhD, Mechanical Engineering from MIT, a young earth/moon creationist (creationscience), notes the dust collector findings reported in the *Science News* magazine, 11 Jan 2014 are inconsistent with an old age view of the moon: "Extrapolating this rate of 1 millimeter per 1,000 years would produce a dust layer almost 3 miles thick in 4.5 billion years!"

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#### Moon Dust Revisited (continued from pg 13)

My first CRSEF talk in 2014, I calculated how much dust would be on the moon, using 10,000 tons per year. Pettersson calculated 182 ft of dust for 14,000,000 tons per year (age of the moon of 5 billion years). Therefore it is calculated for 10,000 tons:182/14,000,000 = x / 10,000 = 0.13 feet (39.6 mm) of dust. The astronauts measured 1/4 inch (6.36 mm). Thus, 39.6/6.35 = 6.2 times too much dust. That amount was excessive but not convincing.

In the second CRSEF slide presentation on 11/19/15, I used the 10,000 tons of dust a year to calculate how much dust would be on the moon in 6000 years, the young earth / moon view. If there was 39.6 mm of dust in 5 billion years, there would be 0.000048 mm of dust in 6000 years. The astronauts found 6 mm which would be 125,000 times too much dust. Thus the current view of 10,000 tons per year is unacceptable for a young earth / moon creationist.

The Army's method of instruction is to tell them what you are going to tell them, tell them and then tell them what you told them.

The moon can remind all people that God created the world about 6000 years ago.

The astronauts discovered 6 mm of dust on the moon surface.

The scientists measured that 1 mm of dust accumulates each 1000 years.

The Bible declares that the Earth / Moon were created about 6000 years ago.

#### **CRSEF**

Creation Research Science Education Foundation

Since its beginning, CRSEF's goal has been to educate the public about creation science and to conduct scientific research that supports the truthfulness of the creation account in the Bible. Board members believe in the inerrancy of the Bible, which we believe teaches a young earth and a worldwide Flood in the days of Noah

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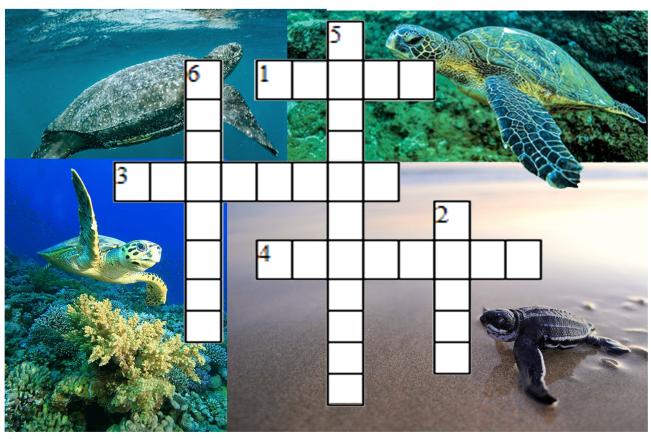
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Answers for puzzle on page 15: Across; 1.ocean, 3.reptiles, 4. smallest.

Down; 2. beach, 5. temperature, 6. flippers

### **World By Design Kid's Fun Page**

### **SEA TURTLE FUN FACTS**



#### Across

1 Sea turtles spend most of their time in the

3 Sea turtles are \_\_\_\_\_ so they must swim to the surface to breathe air.

4 Kemp's Ridley is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ sea turtle species.

Questions taken from article starting on page 6.

#### Down

2 Female turtles deposit eggs on the \_\_\_\_\_.

5 \_\_\_\_\_ helps determine the gender of the baby turtles.

6 God designed sea turtles with \_\_\_\_\_ so they would be great swimmers.

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## Would You Please Help The Ministry Of Creation Research Science Education Foundation, Inc.

### **Programs CRSEF Board Voted To Do In 2017:**

At the last CRSEF Board Meeting we will voted to fund the events listed below in 2017. CRSEF plans to do these events, if the money is available, when CRSEF needs to pay the costs related to the indicated event(s). If the money is not available at that time, CRSEF will not be able to sponsor the program.

CRSEF will have a shortfall of \$419.28, which is the difference between what we currently have available \$1,151.05, and the \$1,570.33 Total Estimated Expenses For 2017.

#### **Total Estimated Costs Of Programs CRSEF May Do In 2017:**

Cost	Vote	Event Description	
\$525.00	Yes, if money is available	Midwest Home School Convention - April Thursday, 20 thru Saturday April 22 at Duke Energy Convention Center, Cincinnati, OH. \$525 (10X10' booth) <a href="https://www.greathomeschoolconventions.com/locations/cincinnati-oh/">https://www.greathomeschoolconventions.com/locations/cincinnati-oh/</a>	
\$150.00	Yes, if money is available	Heritage Day – Festival *Saturday, September 16, 2017. This will be the 19 <sup>th</sup> consecutive year for CRSEF at this event.	
\$125.00	Yes, if money is available	CRSEF Fossil Hunt - Dr. John Whitmore of Cedarville University will be guide and lecturer, if John is willing/able to do it!. Date and location to be determined Later!	
\$800.00		<b>Total Cost Estimate Of Sponsored Programs For 2017</b>	

<sup>\*</sup> An asterisk in the date field indicates these dates are not established yet!

#### Fixed Annual Cost Estimates – Not Included In The Event Costs Above for 2017:

Est. Cost	Next Due	Description of the expense.
\$51.89	02/20/2017	Cost of the license for the Dino-Tex trailer
\$500.00	07/29/2017	Indemnity insurance to cover up \$1,000,000, if anyone is injured at a CRSEF sponsored event.
\$20.17	09/30/2017	GoDaddy Domain Name Renewal - 1 Year "worldbydesign.org"
\$128.27	10/01/2017	GoDaddy Hosting - Classic Deluxe Windows Renewal - 1 year
\$70.00	11/30/2017	CRSEF Post Office Box 40226 renewal fee.
\$770.33		<b>Total Of The Annual Operating Costs For 2017</b>

#### Total Estimated Costs Of All Expenses CRSEF May Have In 2017.

\$800.00	Total Estimated Costs Of Programs CRSEF May Do In 2017
\$770.33	Total Of The Annual Operating Costs For 2017
\$1,570.33	Total Estimated Expenses For 2017

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