

# ADAPTATION, EVILution AND THE SIX DAYS OF GENESIS PART 1

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A discussion regarding adaptation -- also known as micro-evolution -- evolution -- also known as macro-evolution -- and the Six Days of Creation as found in the Book of Genesis

As anyone who has undertaken an in-depth study of my writings will know, I wholeheartedly refute the Darwinian theory of evolution -- or what I prefer to call EVILution -- that is to say, the blasphemous hypothesis which states that, contrary to the Biblical account found in Genesis, we human beings have slowly evolved over millions of years from monkeys, and other lower lifeforms. I find the whole idea absurd, and an affront to our human intelligence. This theory is in direct contradiction to what we find in the account of Creation, where we read the following:

"And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul."  
Genesis 2:7, KJV

However, when I was a malleable young boy a good many years ago, my thoughts and beliefs were not so firmly established as they are today. I must admit that I was a bit confused by some matters such as the sharp disagreement between science and religion. As a young Christian I could never quite understand the link between Biblical teachings and the EVILutionary model espoused by scientists and teachers alike. That elusive connection just seemed to evade me. Many scientists claimed that such an unbroken chain of events existed in the EVILutionary line between apes and the first homo erectus, but they never seemed to be able to produce concrete evidence to prove it. Of course, now that I have grown up and have spent a considerable number of years studying the Bible, I know that there isn't any such link. It was, and is, nothing more than a fabrication created by those desperate for evidence to support the flimsy theories and vain imaginations of rebellious men. EVILution is all just a Big Lie cooked up by those who seek to discredit the Bible and call God a liar. Being as they refuse to acknowledge the wonderful handiwork of the One True God, they have had to rely upon their own carnal wisdom to create gods which be no gods:

[To the chief Musician, A Psalm of David.] The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork."  
Psalms 19:1, KJV

"Moreover ye see and hear, that not alone at Ephesus, but almost throughout all Asia, this Paul hath persuaded and

turned away much people, saying that they be no gods, which are made with hands:"

Acts 19:26, KJV

If you think that we don't have the same thing going on today two thousand years later, just look in any museum at all of those fake skeletons, mannequins and plaster of Paris molds of dinosaurs and cavemen. Maybe they are not gods of Greece, or gods of Rome, but they are the gods of modern atheistic science. They are the result of man becoming lifted up in his own pride and wisdom. As the Apostle Paul informs us:

". . . knowledge puffeth up, but charity edifieth."

1 Corinthians 8:1b, KJV

At any rate, I was your typical bespectacled young kid who was deeply involved in reading a lot of books, particularly those which dealt with mystery -- such as the Hardy Boys -- and all types of science. I also owned a small battery-operated microscope, a spotting scope, a mineral collection, a seashell collection, a collection of cards which contained photographs of and information on different wild birds, and other such things which young boys my age cherished. I was also into playing with dinosaurs, and I often wondered about cavemen. I was your typical nature freak and greatly enjoyed exploring the woods and streams of the surrounding area where I lived. Observing wildlife really excited me. Sometimes I would roam for hours just looking for something new to discover, overturning rocks hoping to find a new kind of snake, looking in streams for crayfish and salamanders, etc. Unlike where I currently live, we had all kinds of interesting animals to see such as groundhogs, rabbits, bats, raccoons, snakes, possums and such. There were also a multitude of birds including robins, sparrows, cardinals, bluejays, a variety of woodpeckers, hummingbirds, chickadees, wild canaries, hawks, starlings, wrens, pheasants and the like. I simply connected with nature while other young boys my age were more into playing with marbles, toy soldiers and baseball cards, or else going to school sporting events, etc. In a way, I think I already knew then that I was different from most other kids. I was just a shy little boy lost in his own little world of scientific wonder and mystery. Looking back at it now, I am sure it must have been the Lord revealing His Power and Might to me through the wonders of His Creation, for as we are told by Paul in his epistle to the Romans:

"For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:"

Romans 1:20, KJV

Of course, the problem with this, as explained above, is that some folks have taken their study of nature and science to the extreme and in essence now worship it more than they do God Himself who created it all for His and our own enjoyment:

"Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their

imaginings, and their foolish heart was darkened. Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools, And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things . . . Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen." Romans 1:21-23, 25, KJV

As a matter of fact, this same thing has happened throughout the history of humankind. In ancient Israel, the practice of worshipping nature or the creation became so bad that the prophet Jeremiah had to warn them against such things when he said:

"Saying to a stock, Thou art my father; and to a stone, Thou hast brought me forth: for they have turned their back unto me, and not their face: but in the time of their trouble they will say, Arise, and save us." Jeremiah 2:27, KJV

One other thing I greatly enjoyed as a boy was going fishing with my dad, brothers, and sometimes a cousin. We'd go down to the Ohio River to catch carp, catfish, perch and bluegill. That's about all there were in the polluted waters of the Ohio. Even in those days, the oil sludge ruined the shore in quite a few places where we went. You could smell the stench of the oil all around you and see it on the rocks. I can only imagine what it must be like now three decades later. But I was quite ignorant on the issues of environmental pollution in those days. We'd just catch our fish for sport and then throw them back in again. Apart from our home always being full of the aroma of "doughball" in preparation for the next fishing trip, we also had quite a variety of pets throughout the years. Some of these were store-bought, while others were caught from the wild. These included such things as injured baby birds like robins, sparrows, wrens and starlings, reptiles such as wild snakes, iguanas, chameleons, a cayman, a rainbow lizard and a basilisk, wild mice and store-bought mice and white rats, Eastern Painted turtles, dogs, a rabbit, scores of guinea pigs, an assortment of insects and stream life, and Lord knows what else. In short, our home was a constant zoo, and I loved it. When I became a little older, I was allowed to have my first aquarium. I can't even remember what size it was, but it was probably about five gallons. Eventually, before I finally left home at the age of seventeen, I was the proud owner of a twenty gallon aquarium containing several pairs of angelfish. In those days, that was considered to be a rather large tank. I think I helped purchase it with money from my paper route. Since then, I have set up aquariums as large as three hundred gallons, and marine aquariums at that!

Well, time drifted on by, and I grew up and became involved in a lot of other things; but I never lost my love for aquariums. Eventually, many years later, I came to form my own small aquarium maintenance business; and that is where we come to one of the topics of this current discussion. While I continue to remain diametrically opposed to the theory of EVILution as a whole, that is, the ape-to-man and millions-of-years scenario, within the recent past I was

quite startled to discover that there is evidence around us today which is suggestive of scientific proof for the process of adaptation. I am not necessarily referring to full-blown EVILution, but perhaps to what some might equate to a partial form of EVILution which allows certain organisms to adapt to their living environment. Allow me to explain:

A number of years ago, I was searching for some local freshwater plants to place in several freshwater aquariums I own. I had been told that I might find some down at a nearby swamp area. To my delight, I did find the plants, but I also received quite a surprise in the process. Being as I am a Bible-believing Christian, for many years I have been a staunch supporter of the belief that all living organisms continue to exist in their original state since the day the Lord created them some six thousand years ago. Well folks, while gathering plants that day, I was truly shocked to discover that a certain water plant actually does adapt to its environment. The name of this plant is either Wisteria or Watersprite. These plants appear to be quite similar in appearance, so I am not sure which one it actually is. Whether this plant is in the wild, or in a home aquarium, it behaves in the same manner. In fact, what I discovered is that it is quite hardy and will easily and quickly grow from any size of cutting, even without roots attached.

But here is what shocked me the most. While this plant can take root and grow in damp ground near the shore, it also thrives quite well underwater. I have not really taken the time to find out which is its native habitat. At any rate, underwater, Wisteria -- or Watersprite -- forms broad pointed leaves with a light greenish-yellow color. On land however, the leaves are much smaller, somewhat curled up and a dark green. You can find both types of leaves growing on the very same plant; and this is what shocked me. At this point, since I am not a botanist, I can only theorize that due to the direct sunlight to which the plant is exposed out of water, not as much surface area is required to produce the needed chlorophyll. Thus, the leaves are considerably smaller. The fact that they are curled up is something I cannot account for. Perhaps it has something to do with the fact that the air is a drier environment. I must state though that the leaves are not dried out by any means. They are simply darker in color, smaller and curled up. On the other hand, being as the water is darker in color due to the peat which it contains, the sunlight is greatly filtered out, thus producing the need for the plant to grow larger broader leaves to capture what sunlight does penetrate the surface of the pond. Despite their increased size, the leaves are still much lighter in color and cannot produce the same amount of chlorophyll as those leaves which are outside of the water.

Now whether you wish to refer to this example as genetic mutation, adaptation, or EVILution, is up to you. I prefer to look at it as merely a form of adaptation. I don't believe that the plant has evolved over thousands or millions of years; I believe it is in the same state that it was in since the day the Lord created it. As we are told in Genesis, all plants were created with their own seed in them to produce ONLY their own kind. You are not going to get an

apple from an orange tree. It is only in this modern day of genetic engineering that man is forcing things to reproduce contrary to God's natural plan. Consider what we read in the account of Creation:

"And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so. And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, after his kind: and God saw that it was good."

Genesis 1:11-12, KJV

I believe that this Wisteria -- or Watersprite -- plant has probably possessed this ability to survive on land and under water since the day of its creation. The Lord simply gave it the ability to adapt to a local situation. Looking at it in reverse, it would be similar to a person putting on sunscreen while taking an outing to the beach, or possibly sitting under a large umbrella so as not to get sunburned. No matter how many times that person puts on sunscreen or sits under the umbrella, he isn't going to evolve to where they became a part of him. They are just things that a person does to protect himself from the sun. In like manner, the water plant does the same thing to absorb more sunlight for photosynthetic purposes. That may not be the brightest example in the world, but I think it gets my point across. Anyway, for me personally, it was quite a revelation to even discover the amazing abilities of the Wisteria. I think that sometimes we as Christians become so involved in our religion, that we tend to become blinded and put God in a box so-to-speak. Who are we to limit the Lord as to what He can or cannot do, or when He can or cannot do it? Again, I am not saying I believe in EVILution per se as taught by the atheistic EVILutionists; I most definitely do not, but there definitely is some degree of adaptation as I have pointed out through this account. For me to admit this is quite a change in my personal stance on this issue.

In discussion EVILution with a small group of associates, one certain Christian fellow was attempting to find some common ground between EVILution and Creationism. In his argument, he said in part:

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"I used to teach biology in H.S. and personally had no problem co-teaching the concepts of Creation and EVILution side by side. EVILution is often misunderstood and therefore mistaught. EVILution is a THEORY, and nothing more. There is evidence pointing towards the type of adaptive/developmental changes which you suggested as examples of 'EVILution.' The problem comes when we deal with the creation of humankind. Here is one possibility that I developed and shared with those who were adamant believers: God has full control of the material world and can do what He wants. The fossil record indicates that a hominid line existed and developed attributes which allowed it to cope with its changing world. There is nothing to say that God didn't create this lowly hominid (much as He created all living things) and then, through His grace, guided and directed the development of

this hominid, much as a potter guides and directs the shape of clay on his spinning wheel, until the subject of God's will had reached the level of God's wishes. That point would have been when the physical aspect of the Creation would have been able to withstand the Spiritual portion of God's creation, the Immortal soul. At the time when God breathed the life of awareness of Him, that is to imbue the material body with the Spiritual attributes of the Soul, then would the CREATION of the Spiritual/Material being we know as MAN have come into being. This spiritual CREATION could only have taken place at the behest of God. We could consider it a Progressive Revelation of God's will. At first we only have the lump of clay, unrecognizable and with little future in hands other than those of the Master Potter. With time and His infinite patience the shape of the vessel was formed, the decorations place, the color applied, but not until the clay feels the heat of the Creator's will does it become capable of holding the indestructible soul."

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While I found this person's comments interesting regarding the possibilities of a hominid line leading up to the creation of Adam, I consider them fundamentally flawed, particularly if he is inferring by his phrase "With time and His infinite patience" that the Six Days of Genesis were not actually six literal days as we know them today. I strongly feel that anyone who is trying to find common ground between the theory of EVILution and Creationism is compromising their faith. They are bowing under Satan's pressure through the mouths and opinions of their peers. They are trying to hide their light under a bushel in order to pacify their critics and be accepted which is not what Jesus told us to do, as we see by these verses:

"Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid. Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven."  
Matthew 5:14-16, KJV

If we are not willing to accept persecution from family, friends and strangers because of our Christian beliefs, then we are not very strong soldiers for the Lord. It may interest some of you to know that it was my very choice to serve the Lord fulltime and preach the Truth of the Gospel which caused me to become alienated from my family many years ago. When I began telling my patriotic father what I thought of the U.S. Government, he didn't take to it too kindly. When I started pointing out the hypocrisy of organized religion, my Catholic family wasn't very happy about it. It got to the point where my dad told me once in a letter that how he believed was his business. While this is indeed true, it just goes to show what happens when you preach the full counsel of God and not just a simple salvation message. What happened to me was in direct fulfillment of Jesus' own words when He said:

"And a man's foes shall be they of his own household. He that loveth father or mother more than me is not worthy of

me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. And he that taketh not his cross, and followeth after me, is not worthy of me."  
Matthew 10:36-38, KJV

If we are not receiving at least some degree of verbal or physical persecution from some corner, then we should really examine ourselves to see whether we are preaching a watered down, socially-acceptable gospel", or the true Gospel of Jesus Christ. In his letter to Timothy, Paul said:

"Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution."  
2 Timothy 3:12, KJV

As I have pointed out in other articles, Jesus and almost every single one of His original disciples suffered martyrs' deaths. It was only when the Early Church began to cool off and compromise with the established Roman system a few hundred years later that the persecution began to die down. In fact, those who were once the persecuted soon became the persecutors as the Catholic Inquisition so vividly illustrates. The main point is, if you are just preaching a watered-down gospel and not the Real One, maybe you need to get with it so the Lord isn't disappointed with you at His coming:

"Whosoever therefore shall be ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation; of him also shall the Son of man be ashamed, when he cometh in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."  
Mark 8:38, KJV

When Jesus spoke the Word, it divided people. It separated the sheep from the goats. It had a definite effect which no one could deny. It separated the believers from the non-believers, and it should be doing the very same thing today. If it isn't, then something is terribly wrong somewhere, and it is probably in the message bearer. Consider these verses:

"Suppose ye that I am come to give peace on earth? I tell you, Nay; but rather division:"  
Luke 12:51, KJV

"So there was a division among the people because of him."  
John 7:43, KJV

"Therefore said some of the Pharisees, This man is not of God, because he keepeth not the sabbath day. Others said, How can a man that is a sinner do such miracles? And there was a division among them."  
John 9:16, KJV

"Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword."  
Matthew 10:34, KJV

"If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple."  
Luke 14:26, KJV

"Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake. And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another."  
Matthew 24:9-10, KJV

"Now the brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death. And ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake: but he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved."  
Mark 13:12-13, KJV

This is what happens when you preach the True Gospel of Jesus Christ. It divided people, even families. Either they accept the Truth, or else they reject it. It is for this reason that the Word of God is described as a piercing sword:

"For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart."  
Hebrews 4:12, KJV

Sadly this is exactly what we see happening in many churches today. They are preaching a watered-down Gospel which doesn't convict the hearts of anyone. It doesn't move anyone in the Spirit. It doesn't tell anyone that they are living selfishly, that they need to stop spending most of their time living for themselves, and start doing more for the Lord. In many cases what you have are false shepherds who have lulled their flocks to sleep with their dead sermons; that is, if they even preach a sermon at all. And actually, that is all they amount to, meaningless sermons, because many of them don't even live by what they preach. As long as they have their nice salary and their nice place to live, and their nice car, and are held in high regard by their church members and citizens of the community, they will tell them exactly what they want to hear. They will be part of the crowd which claims peace and safety when sudden destruction comes upon them. Some of those churches have become infiltrated by secular humanist preachers who are nothing but wolves in sheep's clothing. Others are hirelings who have only entered into the fold to spiritually destroy the faith of their members by teaching false doctrines and the wisdom of man such as EVILution. Even the Catholic Church recently took a step in this direction. As Jesus said:

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that entereth not by the door into the sheepfold, but climbeth up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber. But he that entereth in by the door is the shepherd of the sheep. To him the porter openeth; and the sheep hear his voice: and he calleth his own sheep by name, and leadeth them out. And when he putteth forth his own sheep, he goeth before them, and the sheep follow him: for they know his voice. And a stranger will they not follow, but will flee from him: for they know not the voice of strangers. This parable spake Jesus unto them:



but they understood not what things they were which he spake unto them. Then said Jesus unto them again, Verily, verily, I say unto you, I am the door of the sheep. All that ever came before me are thieves and robbers: but the sheep did not hear them. I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture. The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly. I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep. But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth: and the wolf catcheth them, and scattereth the sheep. The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep."  
John 10:1-13, KJV

The Prophet Ezekiel really blasted the false shepherds of Israel when he said:

"Therefore, ye shepherds, hear the word of the LORD; As I live, saith the Lord GOD, surely because my flock became a prey, and my flock became meat to every beast of the field, because there was no shepherd, neither did my shepherds search for my flock, but the shepherds fed themselves, and fed not my flock; Therefore, O ye shepherds, hear the word of the LORD; Thus saith the Lord GOD; Behold, I am against the shepherds; and I will require my flock at their hand, and cause them to cease from feeding the flock; neither shall the shepherds feed themselves any more; for I will deliver my flock from their mouth, that they may not be meat for them."  
Ezekiel 34:7-10, KJV

Well, there I go again getting tripped off on another tangent . . . but then some of you folks know how that goes. I just start typing and never know where things are going to end up. I just try to go with the flow of the Spirit. Sometimes I need to force myself to stop and get back on track; otherwise, these articles would be much longer than some of them already are. In a way though, this is all related because many of these false shepherds of the faith have slowly and subtly introduced EVILution and humanism into their sermons. They have totally de-spiritualized the true Message of the Gospels. But getting back to our main topic, in thinking about the above person's comment, I am again reminded of a verse from Peter's second epistle which states:

"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."  
2 Peter 3:8, KJV

Over the years, I have heard a variety of interpretations applied to this verse. Some people -- such as myself -- use this verse to support the idea that, based on the Biblical records, the Earth is really only around six thousand years old, give or take a few hundred years. In my article "The Earth Is Under 7,000 Years Old!" I show Scripture by Scripture how this age is obtained without using very many external sources. This figure seems to be supported by

archeological records which only date back to Egypt as far as I know . . . at least they used to. Now we have false prophets like Zecharia Sitchin claiming that the Sumerian clay tablets are much older than the Biblical record. He and other New Age false prophets paint a very different picture than what we find in Genesis. While there may be some truth mixed in, as Satan invariably does, a lot of this New Age psychobabble is just the erroneous assumptions of deluded men who have rejected the Truth of God's Word.

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But concerning the verse from Peter, some eschatologists even propose that each thousand years of the Earth's physical age corresponds to one Celestial Day, and that the Lord is soon going to enter His seventh day of rest when the Millennium begins after the Second Coming of Christ. I am not saying I support this theory or interpretation, but it is interesting enough to merit some consideration. Others use this same verse to suggest the idea that the Genesis days were not just thousands, but perhaps millions of years each. However, from taking a closer look at the Scriptures, I am of the opinion that these were literal days as we know them today. To begin with, notice the common phrase which is used over and over again throughout the account of Creation:

"And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day . . . And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day . . . And the evening and the morning were the third day . . . And the evening and the morning were the fourth day . . . And the evening and the morning were the fifth day . . . And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day."  
Genesis 1:5, 8, 13, 19, 23, 31, KJV

Notice how over and over again we are told "the evening and the morning". Those are literal evenings and literal

mornings. If we look at verse fourteen of the same chapter, we see another hint that these are to be taken literally and not figuratively:

"And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years:"  
Genesis 1:14, KJV

Of course, in the very next verses we have the creation of the Sun and the Moon. Therefore, these days, nights, seasons and years are very literal and mean the same exact thing as they do today. Here is another interesting example which supports the idea that these days are literal and not symbolic in nature. In the following verses we read of the creation of the trees, the grass of the field, etc. on the second day of Creation:

"And God called the firmament Heaven. And the evening and the morning were the second day. And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and let the dry land appear: and it was so. And God called the dry land Earth; and the gathering together of the waters called he Seas: and God saw that it was good. And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so. And the earth brought forth grass, and herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed was in itself, after his kind: and God saw that it was good."  
Genesis 1:8-12, KJV

As any biology teacher or half-educated person is aware, without sunlight and the process of photosynthesis, all living things which require chlorophyll would die in a very short period of time. In fact, all living things would die, whether they be land-based or water-based, because somewhere along the food chain, we all depend upon vegetation for survival. God of course knew this too. Thus, on the very next day, the third day, we have the creation of the Sun, Moon and stars:

"And the evening and the morning were the third day. And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so. And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also. And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth, And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and God saw that it was good."  
Genesis 1:13-18, KJV

Now one might argue, "Well, if God is God, He could have delayed it. He could have kept them alive without sunlight." This is indeed true, but why do it if it isn't necessary? What purpose would it serve to create plant life on the second day and then keep it in the dark for thousands or millions of years? As I point out in other articles, our God is a very logical orderly God. He knew exactly what He was

doing. Creating the Sun on the very next day seems like the logical thing to do to me. Furthermore, if He is God, what would stop Him from doing it all at once as the Bible describes? I just don't see the rationale in doing it any other way. It is only in the confused minds of atheistic scientists and EVILutionists that the Truth fails to take root. Throughout the Bible there is a very perfect order and description of events. In every place that I know of personally, a day is described as a twenty-four hour period, just as we know it today. When Moses was giving the commandments regarding the sabbath to the ancient Hebrews in the book of Exodus, he said:

"For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it."

Exodus 20:11, KJV

Now, if he really meant thousands or millions of years, why didn't he just say so? While we don't find these words in the Bible, they did have a way to express such large figures. It was thousands of thousands. Yet, Moses didn't say thousands of thousands; he said "six days" just as is written in the Book of Genesis. He said exactly what God told him to say. He was speaking and writing in the human context of time; just as Jesus would do several thousand years later. Consider exactly what Jesus said to His disciples:

". . . Are there not twelve hours in the day? If any man walk in the day, he stumbleth not, because he seeth the light of this world."

John 11:9b, KJV

Here He was referring to the literal twelve daylight hours as opposed to the twelve hours of the night when men could not work. He was showing how a spiritual darkness -- and persecution -- would come upon the whole world after His departure from this life. The entire Bible is written in the same format of days, months and years. The only difference that I know of is that the Jewish year is divided into twelve months of thirty days each for a total of three hundred and sixty days, as opposed to our Western year of three hundred sixty-five days and a quarter. In fact, I read recently, and I cannot confirm this, that there is something which is referred to as the Celestial Calendar. According to this theory, the year is divided into four periods of thirteen weeks each with one additional day tacked on to the end of each period. While I cannot verify or refute this, it might be worth looking into. One thing we do know from a careful reading of the Gospels is that even in Jesus' time, the day still began at sunset and ended at sunset, just as it had done for the past four thousand years since the book of Genesis. This clearly points to the rotation of the Earth and its revolution around the Sun as a point of reference for telling us exactly how long a Biblical day and year are. Something else which I found extremely interesting, which I hope to investigate further, is the importance of the six days followed by the sabbath. If you undertake a Bible search using the phrase "six days", you will discover a few interesting results, particularly surrounding Jesus'

ministry.

There are other examples to show how a Biblical day was a twenty-four hour period as well; however, I will leave it at that for now. For anyone who is truly interested in, and who sincerely wants to be convinced of the Truth, this should be sufficient evidence. If it isn't, then it is just because they are resisting it. So let me say that, yes, God could have chosen to create Adam over millions of years as some form of "hominid" as this person has suggested; but if He is an all-powerful, almighty and logical God, why do it? In my mind, it just doesn't make sense. To stretch the Six Days into thousands or millions of years is to detract from God's greatness . . . and that is exactly what the enemies of Truth hope to do through their vain lies and erroneous theories. You see, if they can disprove the existence of a Supreme Being who not only created the Universe, but Who continues to watch over His Creation, then this totally nullifies the idea of accountability. In essence, we become our own gods. We can all behave as we want as there is no longer a need to fear Divine Retribution. Granted, we will face human justice if we get caught doing something wrong, but it removes the greater burden of having to face an angry God.

The crux of the matter is, regardless of what you believe in, whether it be The Big Bang theory, the process of EVILution, or the Biblical account of the Six Days of Creation, it all requires faith. It takes faith to believe in The Big Bang. It takes faith to believe in EVILution. It takes faith to believe in the Bible. Why? Because they are all belief systems or religions in their own rights. Each one has their group of staunch believers and supporters. This brings us to something which I have discussed in a number of my other articles: the freedom of personal choice. We each believe what we believe because we CHOOSE to of our own accord. Personally, I have chosen to believe in the account of Creation as described in the book of Genesis. I believe there is a Divine Intelligence behind the Creation of the universe. I believe there is a God. Everything in this physical universe points to a Great Designer and a Creator.

Consider a simple wristwatch. You quickly realize that it really isn't that simple once you open it up and look at all of those hidden tiny gears, cogs, springs, etc. It required quite a degree of intelligence to create such a little marvel. Now consider something even more complicated such as that computer you are using. It likewise had a designer and creator. In fact, it probably required a number of designers and creators to bring all of the different components together. Now, let's continue going up one level at a time and see where we end up. Consider the intricacies of the human body which is similar to a computer but is even more complicated because it is a living organism. It too has a Designer and a Creator. The beautiful Earth on which we live with its surrounding atmosphere has a Designer and a Creator. Our solar system has a Designer and a Creator Who keeps things rotating and revolving in perfect synchronicity. The entire universe has a Designer and a Creator without Whom everything would be in utter chaos banging in to each other or flying off in all kinds of

directions. He is the Creator of the Heavens and the Earth, and all things therein:

"Thus saith the LORD, thy redeemer, and he that formed thee from the womb, I am the LORD that maketh all things; that stretcheth forth the heavens alone; that spreadeth abroad the earth by myself;"  
Isaiah 44:24, KJV

So then, even if you have never read the Bible or heard about Jesus, using the simple process of logic, moving up the scale of life one step at a time, observing the physical world and universe around you, one would still have to come to the inevitable conclusion that there is an Intelligent Guiding Force behind all of Creation. It is an inescapable reality for any rational thinking human being. Sub-atomic particles, atoms, molecules, matter, did not just randomly come together and form the universe through some vague chance millions or billions of years ago. Life on this planet did not slowly evolve through some process of natural selection as the witchdoctors of modern science would have us believe. The odds are totally against such incidents ever happening. In my view, it takes a lot more faith to believe that rot than it does to believe in the Bible. Without Intelligence and Guidance behind it, left unattended, nature tends towards chaos, and NOT towards the ordered established universe we have today where everything is perfectly balanced, maintained and controlled. This is a law of science, and it is one of the laws of God as well. God is not the author of confusion:

"For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints."  
1 Corinthians 14:33, KJV

Any family, town, city, state, country or world which does not have some kind of leadership would quickly fall into chaos, into a total state of anarchy and confusion. There must be some kind of central force in each of these units to hold things together. On the universal scale, this is what God is and does. He created all things and continues to hold them together by His own will and pleasure:

"Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created."  
Revelation 4:11, KJV

It is only when we humans tamper with the natural forces designed and created by God, that we get a brief glimpse of the awesome power which binds things together. Consider what happens when man attempts to discover and utilize the secrets of God's basic building block, the atom. Remember Nagasaki and Hiroshima. As I have stated in other articles, because man is not a god, the Lord knew that he did not and does not have the wisdom to handle all knowledge. This is why Adam and Eve were prohibited from even going near the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil in the Garden of Eden. The Lord knew exactly what would happen if they did; and we have been paying for it ever since. In fact, time is ticking away as we continue to move ever forward towards our own destruction at an alarming rate. If the Lord didn't

intervene, we would all perish by our own hand:

"And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened."

Matthew 24:22, KJV

Remember, God is a Creator, while Satan is a Destroyer. Satan's whole plan since the very beginning of Creation has been to destroy the works of God; not only His physical works, but our faith in Him as well. The theory of EVILution is just one way in which he seeks to accomplish his demonic goal. In fact, "Destroyer" is one of the names given to him in the Bible, as we can determine by this verse:

"And they had a king over them, which is the angel of the bottomless pit, whose name in the Hebrew tongue is Abaddon, but in the Greek tongue hath his name Apollyon."

Revelation 9:11, KJV

[Note: Apollyon means destroyer, as does Abaddon.]

Exactly what the process was which God used to bring things into being, I cannot honestly say. As explained in other articles, we are told that He merely spoke the Word, and things came into physical being. From the first chapter of the Gospel of John, as well as many other verses, we know that this magnificent act of Creation was accomplished by none other than His Son Jesus Christ with His Father's permission and possible assistance:

"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made."

John 1:1-3, KJV

"And to make all men see what is the fellowship of the mystery, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, who created all things by Jesus Christ:"

Ephesians 3:9, KJV

"Hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son, whom he hath appointed heir of all things, by whom also he made the worlds;"

Hebrews 1:2, KJV

In taking a closer look at Genesis, if we accept things in their literal order, then we see that the Earth was created first, followed by the Sun, Moon and stars. If we consider that this was all accomplished in a matter of six Earth days, then in a cosmic sense, life and the universe did in fact appear suddenly. Perhaps this gives some merit to the Big Bang Theory and an expanding universe. I really can't say with any degree of certainty as I am not an expert in these matters.

From what I have read, even honest scientists who have studied the fossil layers are becoming more and more convinced that a Great Flood occurred in Earth's ancient past. One book which deals with this topic is called "The Genesis Flood". From what I understand, at various

excavation sites they have discovered what they believe to be the primordial layer. This layer is replete with a diversity of life forms such as would be present following the days of Creation. Before this, there is absolutely nothing. It is as if there was no life whatsoever, and then suddenly an amazing myriad of life. After this, I believe I read that there are more layers followed by thick layers of mud. I can't remember the exact thickness of these layers, but it was much deeper than what would normally be expected. This seems indicative of the Flood of Genesis which covered everything which had died during The Deluge. This is then followed by additional layers where fossilized remnants appear to slowly increase again, possibly suggestive of the slow repopulation of the Earth following the Flood. I may not have this all exactly right, but I believe it is fairly close to what I have read.

There is more and more scientific evidence refuting EVILution everyday, yet some of these ministers of darkness persist in their insidious ways, spreading their lies through indoctrination programs in our public school system, on public television, etc. Have you noticed how dinosaurs continue to be popular in kids television shows as well as at the movie theaters? Jurassic Park was a classic example of this. There have been many books and videos made and written full of scientific data which exposes the weaknesses of EVILution. Many of these works have been done by well respected people in the scientific community who have finally seen the Truth; yet still EVILution is a disease which refuses to die because atheistic scientists refuse to let it go the way of all unproven and discarded theories.

As mentioned towards the beginning of this article, Genesis also states that each species of life was created to produce its own kind, whether it be plant or animal. There is absolutely no mention of things slowly evolving over millions of years. Again, EVILution is a theory of fools and atheists and God-haters. It is a scientific guess and nothing more, and it is full of holes. No missing links have ever been discovered. All of the supposed ones, such as Lucy, have been proven to be hoaxes or scientific errors. We do not see things evolving around us today in some half-way stage of development. There are no apple-pears, or bird-fishes, or anything else. If such things exist, then they must be in the laboratories of unrestrained genetic engineers who are trying to play "god".

As I said earlier, due to my own experiences, I believe in limited adaptation, but I do not believe in full-blown EVILution. Even if the Wisteria plant had millions of years to continue to grow, which it doesn't, I don't believe that it is going to someday evolve into two separate plants, each one with its own kind of leaves. Consider the Bristle Pine, purportedly one of the oldest living trees in the world. If EVILution is real, then one would think that three or four thousand years is sufficient time for the Bristle Pine to show at least minimal signs of developing into something else, but it hasn't; at least I haven't heard about it. Have you? You see, this is the "beauty" of EVILution: they attach such long periods of time for such changes to occur, that no one can possibly counter their claims. None of us live long enough to notice any observable changes. Through their own



diabolical wisdom, they think they have outsmarted us all; but they haven't. And most importantly, they certainly haven't outsmarted God.

Personally, I do not understand how anyone can claim to believe in God and the Bible, and yet still believe in EVILution. They are two opposing forces. Both cannot be true. If you believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God which clearly states that God created everything in six literal days, how can you turn around and say you support EVILution which directly contradicts the Book of Genesis thus making God a liar, and the Bible a lie? For me personally, believing in the Bible is synonymous with believing in God. I just don't see how there can be any meeting ground between biblical Creationism and EVILution. They are in direct confrontation with each other. The Bible says Six Days, and EVILution says millions of years. All I know is, once you are exposed to the Truth, you have to make a conscious choice to either accept it, or else reject it. You can no longer remain sitting on the fence. You have to make a choice either in favor of God's Truth, or in favor of Satan's lies, especially his Big Lie called EVILution! As Jesus Himself said:

"If I had not come and spoken unto them, they had not had sin: but now they have no cloke for their sin."  
John 15:22, KJV

There is no way around this for anyone. Either you believe in a literal six-day Creation as stated in Genesis, or else you don't. As far as I am concerned, this should be a black and white issue with all sincere Christians. No one should be trying to compromise between the two for the sake of keeping friends, being accepted, or being fearful of being ridiculed by the ignorant masses who follow in the way of Cain, as Jude writes in this verse:

"Woe unto them! for they have gone in the way of Cain, and ran greedily after the error of Balaam for reward, and perished in the gainsaying of Core."  
Jude 1:11, KJV

Neither should they be hiring false shepherds who will tickle their ears with misguided doctrines and modern secular humanist thought. The Apostle Peter admonishes us to desire the sincere, unadulterated Word of God, as we see here:

"As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:"  
1 Peter 2:2, KJV

As I have pointed out in quite a few other articles, the minute we reject the Truth of God's word, Satan comes in with his flood of lies, doubts and confusion. Our spirits are like vacuums. If we don't allow them to be filled with the Truth and Faith in God's Word, then we must fill them with something else, and that is the lies of Satan. No one, not even myself, can force anyone to believe anything against their will. As the old saying goes, "A man convinced against his will, is of the same opinion still". As a Christian, the only thing I can do is to present what I

believe to be the Truth of God's Word. Whether you accept it or reject it is your personal choice. As Christians, we are meant to serve as emissaries of our King, as message bearers of His Word. Once we have delivered the goods, the recipient must then choose what they want to do with it. That is what this life is all about, personal choice, to see if we will of our own free will choose to love, believe in, follow and obey the Lord. I can not choose for you. As Paul tells us, we will each give an account for ourselves:

"So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God."

Romans 14:12, KJV

If you wish to be rid of the confusion, then you must allow the Truth and the Light of God's Word to shine into your heart. However, to do this, you must be willing to reject anything which does not stand up to Biblical scrutiny; even if it is something you have believed in all of your life. This is exactly what Jesus came to do, to give us Light:

"To give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace."

Luke 1:79, KJV

"I am come a light into the world, that whosoever believeth on me should not abide in darkness."

John 12:46, KJV

"To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God . . ."

Acts 26:18a, KJV

Once you do this, the darkness and the confusion will be forced to flee; for there is no room for both. As the Apostle Paul tells us:

"Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? and what communion hath light with darkness?"

2 Corinthians 6:14, KJV

"Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness."

1 Thessalonians 5:5, KJV

In conclusion, there are so many examples in the physical world which reflect our relationship with God. Consider the Moon revolving around the Earth, or the planets revolving around the Sun. Like them, we must have a Central Axis in our lives around which we revolve. If we don't, we will go flying off into the darkness of space. We will endlessly wander about not knowing what is up and what is down, just like the angels who rebelled against God:

"Raging waves of the sea, foaming out their own shame; wandering stars, to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness for ever."

Jude 1:13, KJV

People who reject the Light and the Truth of God's Word are just like this. But, if we stay in the Light and let Him

and His Word be the center of our existence, all will be well. We will still have problems in this life, but at least we won't be confused. We will know what we believe and where we are going when this life is over. If you really want to find that Central Axis in your life so as to avoid wandering off in the confusion of EVILution and other false doctrines of men, you need to spend time reading your Bible instead of things written by those men who obviously do not believe in Him and who fight against Him by their very denial and rejection of His word. Let the Light in and the darkness will flee of itself. I hope this article has been a blessing to many.

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