

Creation Not Confusion DVD by Gary Bates Study Guide: Part 1

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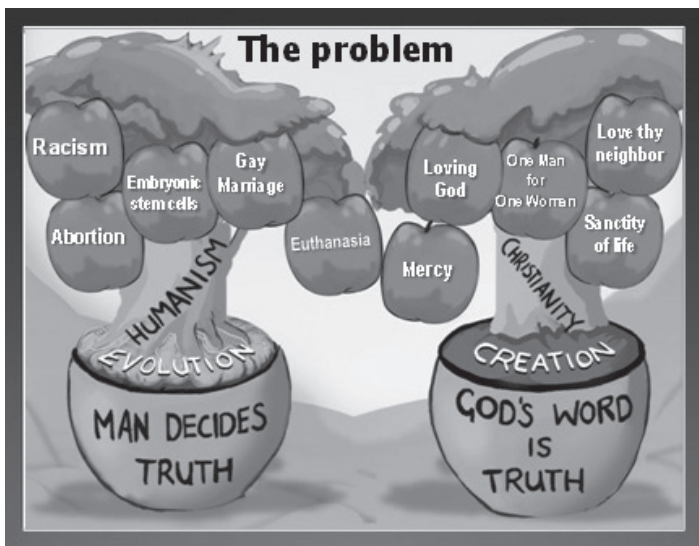
What is a fundamental premise or assumption of humanism? <creation.com/humanism>

Circle the correct one

- a) Man decides truth
- b) We should love our neighbors
- c) There are moral laws
- d) God created the universe

What was the point of the fruit on the illustration of the two trees? <creation.com/seedbed>

Discuss....

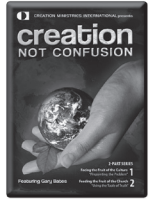


Which of these statements is true? <creation.com/nt>

Circle the correct one

- a) The New Testament authors interpreted Genesis allegorically
- b) Every New Testament author referenced Genesis
- c) The New Testament authors believed in evolution
- d) Genesis is not important to the Gospel

Please describe: What is a worldview? <creation.com/two-worldviews-in-conflict>



Do you agree with these statements? <creation.com/is-richard-dawkins-an-atheist>

Discuss....

a) What you think about where you came from will affect the way you live your life

b) What you think about where you came from will have no effect on what you think happens to you when you die

Our motivation for helping others should be: <creation.com/made-in-the-image-of-god>

Circle the correct one

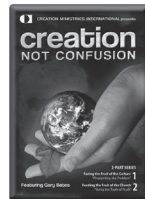
- a) We help animals and therefore we should help humans
- b) It helps us feel good because it is better to give than to receive
- c) Because helping the unfit is the opposite of evolution
- d) All human beings are related to me and made in God's image

What are some problems that occur when people try to fit evolution and millions of years into the Bible?
<creation.com/did-god-create-over-billions-of-years>

Discuss....

List some examples of operational and historical science that you can think of.
<creation.com/its-not-science>

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____



What is uniformitarianism? <creation.com/how-old-is-the-earth>

Circle the correct one

- a) The past is the key to the present
- b) The present is the key to the past
- c) The past has no relation to the present
- d) The past is the key to the past

What conditions make a fossil? <creation.com/fast-fossils>

Circle the correct one

- a) Slow burial over millions of years
- b) Rapid burial over a long period of time
- c) None-fossils are not real
- d) Rapid burial under the right conditions

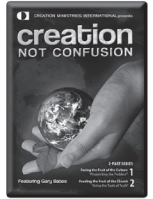
What can we learn about geology from Mount St Helens? <creation.com/mt-st-helens>

Circle the correct one

- a) Uniformitarian geology's predictions are generally accurate
- b) It confirms that canyon can be eroded slowly
- c) Only soft rock can be affected by catastrophic events
- d) Features like layers of rock strata can form rapidly

DISCUSSION POINT

What was the one major thing you learnt from the first lecture that you didn't know before?



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Where did the idea of billions of years come from?

<creation.com/did-god-create-over-billions-of-years>

Circle the correct one

- a) The days in Genesis
- b) An interpretation of geology
- c) Radiometric dating like carbon 14
- d) Other scientific experiments

What is a biblical view of races? <creation.com/cab18>

Circle the correct one

- a) God created certain races 'superior' and certain ones 'inferior'
- b) There are no differences at all between people groups
- c) Everyone is part of the same human 'race'
- d) Black people are a result of the curse on Ham

What is natural selection? <creation.com/selection>

Circle the correct one

- a) New genetic information makes some individuals more fit for their environment
- b) Another term for describing evolution
- c) A mechanism that adds new information to the genome
- d) A way that animals with favorable genetic traits survive better in different environments

What does unfossilized tissue in dinosaur bones tell us? <creation.com/still-soft-and-stretchy>

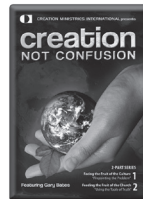
Circle the correct one

- a) Tissue can survive for millions of years in certain conditions
- b) The dinosaur bones cannot be millions of years old
- c) The evidence has been faked
- d) It doesn't tell us anything by itself—all of the above are interpretations of the evidence

Regarding the use of the word day in specifically in Genesis 1... <creation.com/cab2>

Circle the correct one

- 1) Day or 'yom' always means a 24-hour day
- 2) The word day can never mean an indefinite period of time
- 3) When coupled with a number + evening + morning 'yom' always means a normal day.
- 4) A day in the Lord is like a thousand years



What are some problems with the Gap Theory? <creation.com/cab3>

Discuss....

List some of the things or doctrines that the origins of which Genesis explains.

<creation.com/genesis-the-seedbed-of-all-christian-doctrine>

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____

What does 'very good' mean in Genesis? <creation.com/wang>

Circle the correct one

- a) It was good, but not perfect
- b) There was nothing bad in creation
- c) There was no human death, but animals could die
- d) Only Eden was perfect but outside was fallen

Who is the Last Adam? Why is he important for understanding the first Adam? <creation.com/1-cor-15>

Discuss....

What was the point of Gary’s illustration about the Garden of Eden on a pile of fossils?

<creation.com/did-god-create-over-billions-of-years>

Circle the correct one

- a) It described the Fall
- b) It described what happens if we put millions of years before Adam and Eve
- c) It described a very good creation
- d) It said that death was normal in a biblical sense



How does our view of creation affect our ability to evangelize?

<creation.com/preaching-the-gospel-in-todays-society>

Discuss....

Summary and discussion points

Circle all the statements you think are correct

- 1) Not many people today have been taught evolution so it doesn't matter
- 2) How you view Genesis doesn't affect your view of the rest of the Bible
- 3) Most people have never heard scientific evidence for Creation
- 4) If Genesis is real history then we need a real Savior
- 5) God could have created over billions of years
- 6) Genesis doesn't matter because the Gospel starts in the New Testament
- 7) The Bible is the Word of God
- 8) The Bible contains the Word of God
- 9) Most Christians can defend their faith in the area of Creation.

PERSONAL DEVOTION SUGGESTION

Ask God what you can do to reach others with this information— Give away tracts, DVDs and books?