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Evolutionists claim that long periods of time generally are required for geologic processes. However, the Bible declares that the earth is young, and hints<sup>1</sup> at the cause of most of the geological features we see. Also, many different observable geological formations or processes make the evolutionists' perspective seem rather absurd.

### Two Perspectives on Geology

We must realize that there are two distinct and diametrically opposed views of geology. One is the uniformitarian perspective, which states that geologic processes have always been slow and gradual. The other perspective is the catastrophic view, which says that the processes of geology are not constant, but are occasionally accelerated by large scale catastrophes. For the most part, the evolutionary view is based in uniformitarianism, while the Biblical perspective on earth history is based in catastrophism. Where the Biblical creationists propose that the catastrophic worldwide Flood provides an explanation for the majority of the geological formations and features we see, the uniformitarian evolutionists would argue that the face of the earth has been shaped and reshaped gradually and slowly over millions and billions of years.

### Water Erosion: Slow or Fast?

Evolutionary geology teaches that geologic erosion takes millions of years to carve through rock. For example,

evolutionists claim that it took the Colorado River around 17 million years to etch out the Grand Canyon.<sup>2</sup> However, even within the past century, several geological phenomena have occurred which demonstrated that it doesn't take a long time to move a lot of earth.

In Washington State, in the early 1900s, a small canyon was carved by a creek in a matter of only a few days.<sup>3</sup> The Burlingame Canyon, as it came to be called, ended up being around a ¼ mile long, and over 100 feet deep, and around 100 feet wide.



The 'Mini-Grand Canyon' at Mount St. Helens

A more well-known series of geological events were the eruptions of Mt. St. Helens in the early 1980s. Sometime after the initial eruption in May of 1980, a small eruption melted the snowcap on the mountain, causing a hot mud flow to create a network of canyons around 16 miles long and almost 150 feet deep.

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<sup>2</sup> See "Study Says Grand Canyon Older Than Thought" [http://www.nytimes.com/2008/03/06/science/06cnd-canyon.html?\\_r=2&hp&oref=slogin&oref=slogin](http://www.nytimes.com/2008/03/06/science/06cnd-canyon.html?_r=2&hp&oref=slogin&oref=slogin)

<sup>3</sup> "A Canyon in Six Days!" by Dr. John D. Morris - <http://www.answersingenesis.org/articles/cm/v24/n4/canyon>

<sup>1</sup> The Worldwide Flood of Noah's day – see Genesis chapters 6 – 9.

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This canyon near Mt. St. Helens looks like a small version of the Grand Canyon, and it has been named the Little Grand Canyon of the Toutle River.

Another large scale instance of canyon like formations being created in short order are the Channeled Scablands of Eastern Washington State.



Palouse Falls Gorge in the Channeled Scablands of Washington State

These were carved by “cataclysmic flooding” coming from the breaking of the natural dam which had formed the glacial Lake Missoula that existed during the Ice Age.<sup>4</sup> Even secular geologists are coming to realize that the flooding from Lake Missoula carved the scablands fairly quickly.<sup>5</sup> This is a step in the right direction towards the biblically correct worldview!

### Rock Layering: Millions of Years or a Few Days?

The secular view of rock layering says that it takes millions of years to form thick rock layers. One way they figure this is based upon the fossils found in each layer. The

<sup>4</sup> Please note that the evolutionary timescale involves multiple Ice Ages, the most recent of which supposedly occurred some 20,000 years ago. Creationists do not deny that an “Ice Age” occurred, they simply argue that it occurred much more recently (within the past 4,000 years), and was an aftereffect of the worldwide Flood.

<sup>5</sup> [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Missoula\\_Floods](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Missoula_Floods)

fossils are supposed to be a certain age based upon the supposed progression of biological evolution. Therefore, it is logically assumed that the layers containing those fossils are around the age of those fossils. Even though the fossils and layers probably are very close in age, the commonly declared amount of time involved in the deposition of those layers is questionable. In fact, when Mt. Saint Helens blew her top, layers of rock hundreds of feet thick were formed in only a few day and weeks.<sup>6</sup> There was one particular section of the layering around twenty-five feet thick that was deposited in just a few hours.

Another evidence of rapid deposition of rock layers is the fact that thick layers of rock have been found which are contorted in ways that could only have been accomplished while the layers were wet and soft.



'Folded' rock layers

I personally have seen rock layers that were easily a couple of dozen feet thick that were bent at 90 degree angles while maintaining a cohesive shape.

### A Matter of Worldviews

Why would evolutionists want to believe that it takes eons of time to form rocks and carve canyons when we have seen clear evidence that geological processes can be sped up rapidly? They

<sup>6</sup> [http://creationwiki.org/Mount\\_St.\\_Helens](http://creationwiki.org/Mount_St._Helens).

say they have science on their side, but we have seen a few brief examples of evidence that is against their position, and instead is favorable to the Biblical account. Could it be that these evolutionists don't want the Biblical account of the Flood of Noah's day to be historically true? If the Flood really did occur, as the Bible records, then that means that God *does* judge man's sin.

The Apostle Peter spoke of this hard-headed attitude nearly two thousand years ago when he said:

*“...scoffers will come in the last days with scoffing, following their own sinful desires. They will say, ‘Where is the promise of his coming? For ever since the fathers fell asleep, all things are continuing as they were from the beginning of creation.’ For they deliberately overlook this fact, that the heavens existed long ago, and the earth was formed out of water and through water by the word of God, and that by means of these the world that then existed was deluged with water and perished. But by the same word the heavens and earth that now exist are stored up for fire, being kept until the day of judgment and destruction of the ungodly.”<sup>8</sup>*

In conclusion, seeing the geologic formations like Mt. Saint Helens, the Grand Canyon, fossil beds, etc., should remind us that geologic processes can occur rapidly. Further, we must remember that God's judgment on sinful men through the Flood really did happen, and also that one day in the future He will return to judge the world by fire.

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<sup>8</sup> See 2 Peter 3:3b – 7.

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## “What about Radiometric Dating?”

The debate over the age of the earth is important to the issue of origins. Evolutionists say that science shows the earth is billions of years old, while the Bible implies that the earth is actually only a few thousand years old. Who do we believe? In order to answer this question we must first understand what radiometric dating is, and what it is not.

Certain elements break down or change at the atomic level over time. This break down is called “radioactive decay.” Each element has a specific rate of decay that has been estimated to take a certain amount of time to complete.<sup>1</sup> As certain elements break down at the atomic level, they “turn into” other elements. Scientists have developed a method<sup>2</sup> by which they attempt to determine the age of a sample<sup>3</sup> by measuring the known amount of a particular “parent” element<sup>4</sup> that has a “known rate of decay,” and comparing it to the amount of the “daughter element” found in the sample. Radiometric dating is like an hour glass. Scientists reason that measuring the amount of the “daughter element” found in the sample as compared to how much of the “parent element” is still left in the sample will determine how old that particular sample is. This sounds like a scientific process, but is radiometric dating really valid and accurate?

First, we must realize that scientists are extrapolating results

<sup>1</sup> The term used in reference to the length of time that it takes for one element to decay to the point that only half of the original quantity is left is called the “half-life.”

<sup>2</sup> Called “Radio-metric dating”

<sup>3</sup> Such as a rock or a fossil, or some other archaeological artifact.

<sup>4</sup> i.e. Potassium changing into Argon (<sup>40</sup>K decays to <sup>40</sup>Ar), or Uranium changing into Lead (<sup>238</sup>U decays to <sup>206</sup>Pb)

from a miniscule amount of data. This is as if we walked into a room, saw an hour glass sitting on a table, and determined that the hour glass had been sitting there for an estimated amount of time based upon the amount of sand in the top portion compared to how much sand was in the bottom. However, we would have to assume that the hour glass has not been altered which would affect the accuracy of the hour glass. Scientists assume that a sample had a certain amount of a specific element in it at the time it was formed.



The truth is that rocks and fossils aren't found with tags stating their age! Scientists were not present to see when most rocks or fossils form, so the best they can do is speculate as to the age of those samples.



Additionally, they assume that decay rates have been constant throughout time.<sup>5</sup> Further, it is assumed that the sample has not been contaminated in a way altering the amount of the “mother” or “daughter” elements present in the rock.

Tests have shown that these assumptions distort the evidence in favor of long ages. In fact, many radiometric dating tests have shown ages for rocks that are much younger than the evolutionary timetable.<sup>6</sup> Further, rocks formed by volcanic activity have been tested and found to be “millions of years old” even though they were known to have been formed

<sup>5</sup> See 2 Peter 3:3 – 12

<sup>6</sup> See “Radioactive ‘Dating’ Failure” <http://creation.com/radioactive-dating-failure>

very recently.<sup>7</sup> This information undermines the old earth paradigm.

The truth is that rocks and fossils aren't found with tags stating their age! Scientists were not present to see when most rocks or fossils form, so the best they can do is speculate as to the age of those samples. The surest way to know about something that occurred in history is to consult eyewitness evidence. The Bible gives us that eyewitness evidence in places like Genesis chapters 6 – 9 which tell of the cataclysmic worldwide flood of Noah's day. Further, the Bible plainly infers that the Earth is thousands, and not millions or billions of years old.<sup>8</sup>

Instead of placing our faith in unreliable “dating methods” and in the ever changing word of man, let us trust in the Word of the One who is unchanging.<sup>9</sup>

### Feedback:

“Thank you very much and I definitely like the new nameplate, “The Tool Box” on the January / February, 2011, issue, along with the CET logo on the left. This new appearance makes the newsletter look more welcoming and eye-appealing to the reader, while the logo identifies the newsletter to the organization (Creation Evangelism Tools).”

- J.K., Texas.

“Thank you for this newsletter and your ministry! Such educated, Spirit led discernment and communication! Joel, your article on natural disasters was what I was pondering and praying on just two days ago and was awesome!”

- A. T., Arkansas

<sup>7</sup> See “Radio-Dating in Rubble” <http://www.answersingenesis.org/articles/cm/v23/n3/radiodating>

<sup>8</sup> See Exodus 31:15 – 18; Chronicles 1:1 – 28; 2:1-15; Matthew 1:1-17; and Luke 3:23-38

<sup>9</sup> See Titus 1:2; Hebrews 6:18; 1 Peter 1:24, 25

# The Origins Debate in the News

Recently, a news piece<sup>1</sup> spoke of evidence of water that had recently been found on Mars. This announcement is not unlike many others of the sort made in the past several years which claim that life may exist, or may once have existed on Mars.

Why do the evolutionists want to find life in other areas of the solar system and the universe? They want to prove the Bible wrong, and they want to try to prove the theory of evolution true. If they can show that life is out there on some planet, they can use that notion as a basis for saying that life on earth was “seeded” by life forms from another planet. However, this only pushes the problem of the impossibility (based upon probability) that life could have evolved on earth back to another planet.

Even if scientists do find water in some form on Mars, that does not necessarily prove that life exists or existed on Mars. Although water is very important to life, much more than just water is required to create and sustain life. It is interesting that the Bible speaks to this issue. Certain passages like Genesis 1:1, 2; Psalm 115:16; and Isaiah 45:18 all imply that the earth was uniquely formed for human life, and that the heavens are the LORD’s. So, while there may possibly have been “simple life” forms on other planets at some time, the only intelligent life forms in any other location of the universe besides the earth (and humans orbiting it) can be only God Himself.

It is ironic, that evolutionists argue that water exists, or once existed on Mars, but at the same time, they deny that there was a worldwide flood on our planet which is around 70% covered in water. With that in mind, consider this quote from the news article: *“In the ancient past, Mars was much warmer and wetter, and scientists suspect that rivers once flowed freely into lakes and even oceans. Today, most of the water that remains on the planet is locked up as ice, in the visible polar ice caps and in sub-surface glaciers...”*<sup>2</sup>

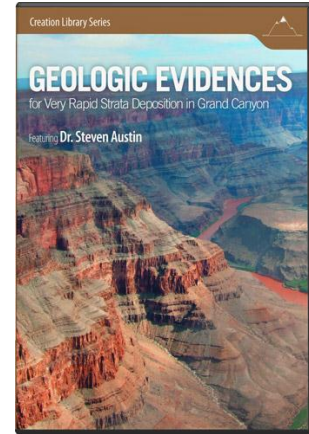
Rest assured, the Bible is true, and even after spending millions upon billions of dollars in “research,” these missions to other planets are only helping to confirm the accuracy of the Bible. My prayer is that, as we learn more about our universe, we will worship the awesome Creator who by His spoken Word created the heavens<sup>3</sup> to declare His great majesty and power!

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.nature.com/news/2011/040811/full/news.2011.457.html>

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.nature.com/news/2011/040811/full/news.2011.457.html>

<sup>3</sup> See Genesis chapter 1, and Psalm 19:1

## Resource Spotlight



***Geologic Evidences for Very Rapid Strata Deposition in Grand Canyon,***  
by Dr. Steven Austin.

Dr. Austin starts this DVD by giving a brief background of the basics of geology. He then shares about the strata deposited by the Mt. St. Helens eruptions in the 1980s, and how that relates to the strata of the Grand Canyon. Dr. Austin’s talk is peppered with fascinating anecdotal stories of his experiences as a geologist conducting research in the Grand Canyon. He spends a good deal of time talking about how the massive amounts of shelled marine creatures found in the rock layers help to confirm that the layers of the Grand Canyon were laid down rapidly. In this fast paced DVD presentation, you will learn about nautaloids, pyroclastic flows, plate tectonics and many other geologic processes that were involved in the formation of the Grand Canyon.

To order a copy of this excellent DVD, please visit our website [www.creationevangelismtools.org](http://www.creationevangelismtools.org), click on the “resources” button at the top, and then click on the “Science” link.



In a self-absorbed, microwaved culture bent on entertaining itself into oblivion, most of us are distracted away from many critical duties. And we have been told for decades at every front not to “try this at home,” but to leave it to the professionals. So we call the plumber, hire lawn care, and commission interior designers. Sadly, with regard to relationship tasks, we fear we might mess up, and outsource those, too. (Or perhaps – forbid the thought – we don’t want to be bothered.) Baby is dropped at nursery school. Junior spends the bulk of each weekday in government academic halls. Meemaw is relegated to the senior care center. And we parents go on our happy, distracted ways.

Seems the most direly neglected human assignment is passing on our faith in Christ to our children. The buck halts at the feet of every father and mother. We can – and more imperatively – we must “do this at home.” And we must pay attention while we’re doing it. We have received a mandate from our Creator, and risk His wrathful displeasure if we neglect it. Mal. 2:13-16 makes it clear that the main purpose of marriage is to train up godly seed. Deut. 4:9 tells us to take heed (pay attention), “**and diligently keep yourself, lest you forget the things your eyes have seen, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. And teach them to your children and your grandchildren.**” **Psalm 145:4 declares that one generation shall praise Jehovah’s works to another, and shall declare His mighty acts.** Matt. 28:19 commands us to make disciples as we are going along. In Eph. 6:4 fathers are told, “Do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord.” Paul’s command to Timothy (although in a ministry context) could also apply to parents: “And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also” (2 Tim 2:2).

As a Biblical example of generational faithfulness, the parents of Joseph and Mary must have taken seriously their duties to train up godly seed, else God would not have chosen them to be Jesus’ earthly parents. Evidently, Joseph and Mary taught Jesus well enough for him to quiz the temple leaders. And Timothy was the product of the diligent instruction in righteousness by his grandmother, Lois and his mother, Eunice. We might guess that Daniel’s

father taught him not only to love the Law, but the God who gave it. A more modern example is found in the 18<sup>th</sup> century evangelist Jonathan Edwards. Al Sanders in *Crisis in Morality* tells of an investigation made of 1,394 known descendants of Edwards. Sanders lists many admirable categories into which Edwards’ offspring fall, including 100 preachers and missionaries.<sup>1</sup>

If we neglect evangelizing and discipling our own children, we call down upon ourselves greater judgment. Think of standing before the Lord on that Last Day and telling Him of your success out in the field of evangelistic endeavor, and then He points to your children and grandchildren burning in hell. His words would be unnecessary to convict you.

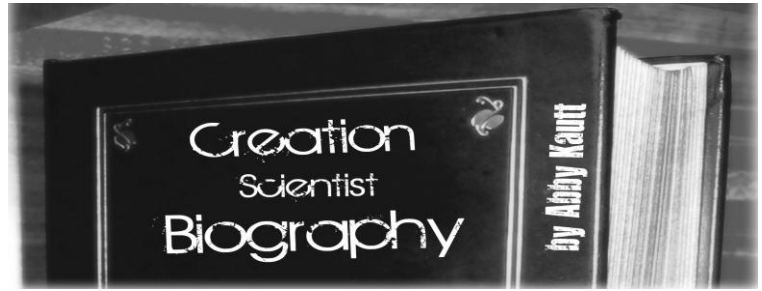
How can we effect Jonathan Edwards-like results in the lives of our own progeny? We commend to you home education as the supreme form and first line of discipleship. Deuteronomy 6:6-8 directs fathers: “And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.” Sounds rather like home education, doesn’t it? Unsullied by the anti-God teachings of government schools, by educating our children at home, we focus on leading our little ones into meaningful relationship with their Creator and Redeemer, using Bible knowledge, Scripture memory and prayer. (Of course the parents must first have that genuine connection with their Lord.) By applying that knowledge and relationship to daily activities and problems, we hope to anchor in their hearts a fervent love for God and their fellow man, which they will impart to their own children and grandchildren.

Additionally, the vision can be incorporated into multigenerational homes -- grandparents living with the two younger generations in the same house. We can ensure Great-Grandma’s safety and attentive care by keeping her in our home, while simultaneously gleaning nuggets of wisdom from her. Grandfather’s godly insights can be conveyed in the context of daily living, taught by his example as well as his words.

Daily family devotions, including singing worship songs and Scripture memory are core components to teaching the young ones about God’s character. Taking a child to the Lord each time a need comes up will instill the habit in that child for life. Another effective child-training tool is “doing” evangelism together. Mom and dad, accompanied by children, seize daily opportunities to build influential relationships with grocery store clerks, neighbors, and single moms.

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<sup>1</sup> <http://www.ravenhill.org/edwards.htm>



## Helicopters and Dragonflies

I remember many times as a child, running outside to look at a helicopter as it passed over our home. Indeed, the helicopter is an amazing feat of human engineering, and continues to intrigue many people.

Mr. Igor Sikorsky, a Russian-born engineer, was the first person credited with a successful design and construction of a helicopter, with the introduction of his VS-300 around 1940.<sup>1</sup> This helicopter soon became the prototype from which all modern helicopters are modeled. Sikorsky's XR-4 was the first widely produced military helicopter, and was used to a small degree by the United States Army during World War Two.

Concerning helicopters, J. Gordon Leishman<sup>2</sup> had this to say: "A pure helicopter can be defined as any flying machine using rotating wings (i.e., a rotor with blades that spin about a shaft) to provide lift, propulsion, and control forces that enable the aircraft to hover relative to the ground without forward flight speed to generate these forces. In addition, to be practical, the machine must also be able to fly forward, climb, cruise at speed, and then descend and come back into a hover for landing. This is the dream of true flight, a feat only achieved in nature by the hummingbird or dragonfly. Nature has inspired humankind for literally hundreds of years before the vertical flight machine we now know as a helicopter became a practical reality."<sup>3</sup> [Emphasis my own].

The similarities between helicopters and dragonflies may seem rather obscure, but they exist and are remarkable.



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<sup>1</sup> <http://inventors.about.com/od/hstartinventions/a/helicopter.htm>

<sup>2</sup> J. Gordon Leishman, Professor of Aerospace Engineering, University of Maryland, College Park  
(<http://terpconnect.umd.edu/~leishman/Aero/history.html>)

<sup>3</sup> Ibid.

## A. E. Wilder Smith

Dr. Arthur Ernest (A.E) Wilder-Smith was born in 1915.

He obtained his first Ph.D in Physical Organic Chemistry in 1941 from Reading University. It was during the second world war, that he joined the research department of the ICI (Imperial Chemical Industries)<sup>1</sup>.



Dr. Wilder-Smith went on to earn a total of three doctorates in his lifetime. An amazing feat for any one man to accomplish. "... After becoming a full professor at the University of Geneva, he earned a second doctorate in pharmacology there, and later, a third in pharmacological sciences at ETH, a senior university in Zurich, Switzerland. In addition, he was a Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry and a NATO three-star general!"<sup>2</sup>

As you can see, he was not a man to sit around; he accomplished a lot in his lifetime and influenced Bill Dembski of the Intelligent Design movement, and Dean Kenyon former evolutionist researcher now creationist, among others<sup>3</sup>.

Dr. Wilder-Smith taught about pharmacology and chemotherapy at the Medical School of the University of Geneva (Switzerland). He later served as visiting professor at the Medical Center at the University of Illinois and as visiting full professor of Pharmacology at the University of Bergen Medical School (Norway)<sup>4</sup>.

He was a fascinating lecturer both as a professor and as a speaker to general audiences. His knowledge on an array of topics, and his down-to-earth delivery made for some captive listeners. Even today you can benefit from his store house of wisdom, YouTube has many of his lectures readily available<sup>5</sup>. In doing my own research, I enjoyed watching two of his presentations. As a professor, he received several Golden Apple awards for best lecture series and also best course of lectures<sup>6</sup>.

Dr. Wilder-Smith passed into glory in 1995, although his life was short in light of eternity, he packed as much learning and living into it as any man!

"I perceived that whatever God does endures forever; nothing can be added to it, nor anything taken from it. God has done it, so that people fear before him." Ecclesiastes 3:14

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.wildersmith.org/biography.htm>

<sup>2</sup> [http://creationsafaris.com/wgcs\\_5.htm](http://creationsafaris.com/wgcs_5.htm)

<sup>3</sup> Ibid.

<sup>4</sup> Ibid.

<sup>5</sup> <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fbMVP0fNaDg>

<sup>6</sup> <http://www.wildersmith.org/biography.htm>

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Dragonflies have two sets of wings that are almost identical. When the dragonfly is traveling forward, the front set of wings gives the dragonfly its lift, and the rear wings provide propulsion. However, the dragonfly often decides it would rather fly backwards, and can do so a split second after flying forward! This requires the muscles that power the wings to work in reverse, so that now the back wings are providing lift, and the front ones propulsion.<sup>4</sup>

than the thrust being exerted by the other side. This requires remarkable precision and coordination of the muscles in dragonflies, and even more so in helicopters. One pilot described flying a helicopter as, "Patting your head and rubbing your tummy, while balancing on a bowling ball with one leg."

Some of the first helicopters were equipped with metal blades. However, inventors and scientists soon discovered that these metal blades did not allow for agile handling of the aircraft, though they did provide great forward speed. Nor did metal blades endure the stresses of flight, due to the rigidity of the metal. Composite materials, such as carbon fibers, were finally settled upon as the material of choice for the rotor's blades because they are both strong and flexible, and do not crack as easily under stress. This allows for the helicopter to be fast and maneuverable, traits needed in modern war aircraft.<sup>5</sup>



Very similarly, the dragonfly's wings are "composite," being made up of many smaller, paper-thin wing-sections, held together by little channels, which are a type of blood veins.<sup>6</sup> The leading edge of the dragonfly's wings are quite a bit thicker than the rest of the wing, which helps to prevent the wings from fluttering while in flight.<sup>7</sup>

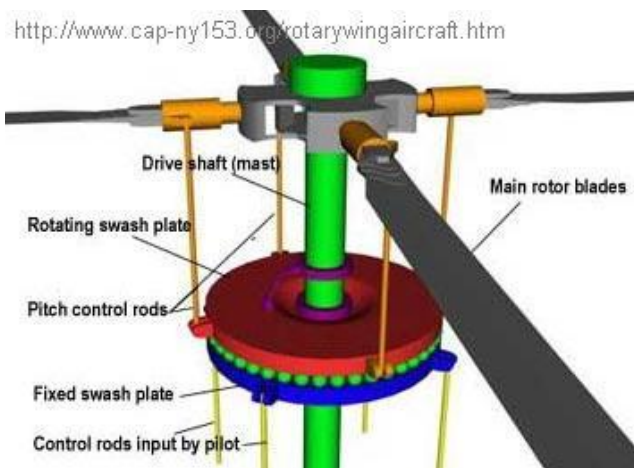
While evolutionists continue to claim that everything in existence came about by random, mindless chance, let us be convinced by the astounding similarities between dragonflies and helicopters, that mankind has copied his Creator, and that God has designed dragonflies in a way far superior to that of helicopters!

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The main way a helicopter changes course is by the pilot's altering the angle of attack at which the rotor's blades strike the air using several mechanical levers. However, a dragonfly adjusts the angle of attack on its wings by transitioning its muscles to beat its wings in a slightly different pattern. In fact, the dragonfly is one of the only flying insects know to actually slope its body, and bank for a turn, very similar to a modern helicopter.

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<http://www.cap-ny153.org/rotarywingaircraft.htm>



We can influence teens whose parents don't attend church by having them in our homes. If all this sounds daunting, then pray, sincerely asking the Lord to give you the grace to do what He has assigned. Trust the faithful Lord for provision. Equip yourself by studying the Word. Ask godly, experienced Christians for help. Set your mind to the task, then do it.

The aerodynamics change significantly while banking for a turn, so that the thrust being exerted by the set of wings on one side of the dragonfly's body is less

"Legacy" implies an inheritance. A good name is to be desired above great riches (Proverbs 22:1). What better way to gain a good name than to train up godly children, who will train up godly children, who will train up godly children? As parents and grandparents, let us eagerly embrace the task the Lord has set before us. Let us set aside distractions, take back the roles God has designed for us and focus on the most important task of passing along our faith to our children and grandchildren. With the help of His Word, His Spirit and His people, we will leave a godly legacy. We must.

In the name of Him to whom we must give account,  
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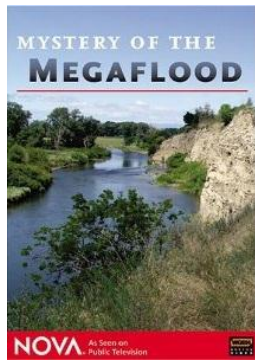
For more ideas on passing along the faith to the next generations, see the expanded article on our website: [www.creationevangelismtools.org](http://www.creationevangelismtools.org). Under the 'resources' button drop down, click on 'articles'.

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<sup>4</sup> Dr. Jobe Martin, Incredible Creatures That Defy Evolution, Exploration Films (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=41OD5NEV-Kw>)  
<sup>5</sup> <http://www.helistart.com/RotorBladeDesign.aspx>  
<sup>6</sup> [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Insect\\_morphology#Veins](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Insect_morphology#Veins)  
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## EVOLUTIONISTS IN THEIR OWN WORDS

Compiled by Phoebe Kautt



*Nova's Mystery of the Mega Flood.*

“Monument valley, the Grand Canyon, Niagara falls: these ancient wonders show... how great land marks are the work of millions of years of slow, imperceptible erosion by wind and water. But here, across 16,000 square miles of Washington State, abrupt rips and scars in the landscape defy this explanation. What could have formed these tall canyons and immense dry water falls? ... For more than a century, scientists have been grappling with this geological mystery... Now the clues point to a sequence of events, culminating in a massive natural catastrophe.<sup>1</sup>”

- Opening comments from *The Mystery of the Mega Flood*, NOVA. Aired on PBS September 20, 2005.<sup>2</sup>

### Compiler's Note:

Hmmm... What could have caused this rugged landscape? Perhaps the Worldwide flood of Noah's day?

### Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> [www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/transcripts/3211\\_megaflood.html](http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/transcripts/3211_megaflood.html)

<sup>2</sup> [www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/megaflood/about.html](http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/nova/megaflood/about.html)

## Ministry Update

After a very busy and wonderful weekend, the *One God, One Faith, One Book* Apologetics conference is all over. We had a great turn out, averaging around 75 for each session. And our prayer is that the attendees came away blessed and equipped.

Dr. Jim Johnson's talks were all very exciting and informative. I especially enjoyed his last one, on the uniqueness of Christianity among world religions. And, Dr. Jobe Martin's were, as usual, very well done. His second one, on Biblical discernment in a world of falsehood was wonderful. Last of all, Joel's talk on the history of the English Bible was well done, and conveyed almost 2,000 years of history in about 90 minutes. He did very well!

We pray that God will continue to use this conference, reaching hearts ultimately to show that God's Word is truly reliable and trustworthy, and so is the salvation that He offers.

We are now in the post-production stage of creating DVD copies of each presentation. If you would like to obtain a copy of the DVDs, please contact us. **NOTE: Please allow 2-3 months for DVDs to be completed.** For now, you will just have to be satisfied with a short teaser clip, which you can watch on our website, under the 'blog' section. We will continue to upload more videos as they become available. So check our website regularly and invite your friends and family members to check out our YouTube channel where they can watch all our videos.

([www.youtube.com/creationevangelism](http://www.youtube.com/creationevangelism))



*A full house during one of Dr. Johnson's talks.*

## Mission Statement

We see the problem of evolutionary thinking as eating into the foundation of the Biblically correct worldview. We desire to strengthen the faith of other Christians in the reliability of Scripture, and equip them to have answers for skeptics and unbelievers. As our culture declines morally, Christians need to uphold the authority of the Bible in every aspect of the culture.

Our ultimate mission is to reach souls for Christ. We work to lay the Foundation (Genesis) for the Gospel.

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## Purpose Statement

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Creation Evangelism Tools Ministries exists to:

### Teach

God's word starting with Genesis 1:1

### Equip

God's people to answer skeptics

### Proclaim

Truth of Creation in times of deception

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