

- 1  **In The Beginning**  
*Genesis Chapter One*
- 2  **God Wants Us to Observe Our World and Universe**
  - Romans 1:18-22
  - Psalm 19:1
- 3  **Are the "Days" of Creation literal 24 hour periods?**
  - If you were reading without any outside influence...
  - Bible written to enlighten not deceive
- 4  **Why Is It Questioned?**
  - Scientists tell us the earth is much older than allowed for in the Bible
  - How do they know?
- 5  **Can We Discover Through Observation?**
  - None of us observed.
  - Models
  - Evidence
  - Assumptions
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- 6  **Evolution vs. The Bible**  
4,500,000,000  
Or  
6000
- 7  **Evolution MUST have billions of years**
  - Time to account for slow gradual changes
  - Undeniable bias towards extreme ages
- 8  **Creation/Flood would not require much time**
  - God can create instantly
  - God created things with the appearance of age
- 9  **Who Really Knows**
  - II Peter 3:4
  - God – Job 38:4-5
  - Isaiah 41:22; 43:9
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- 10  **Genesis 1: Six Days?**  
Literal Days or Eons of Time (Day-Age Theory)
  1. Use of "Days" – Ex. 20:9-11
  2. "Evening & Morning"
  3. Conflicts with Long Age...
- 11  **Conflicts**
  - Plants created on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day. Sun Moon and Stars on the 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Sea creatures & Birds on the 5<sup>th</sup> Day
  - Reptiles, Land Animals & Man on the 6<sup>th</sup> Day
- 12  **Gap Theory**
  - Billions of years between verse 1 and verse 2
  - "became" waste and void
  - Or, it just waited
- 13  **Problems w/ Gap Theory**
  - Not the meaning of Hebrew
  - Fossil Record – record of death, but death didn't enter world til Adam sinned
  - Same conflicts with Evolutionists Requirements
- 14  **101 Scientific Evidences for a Young Earth – Don Batten**
  - [www.creation.com](http://www.creation.com)
  - 1. [DNA in 'ancient' fossils](#). DNA extracted from bacteria that are supposed to be 425 million

years old brings into question that age, because DNA could not last more than thousands of years.

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13. Thick, tightly bent strata without sign of melting or fracturing. E.g. the [Kaibab upwarp](#) in Grand Canyon indicates rapid folding before the sediments had time to solidify (the sand grains were not elongated under stress as would be expected if the rock had hardened). This wipes out hundreds of millions of years of time and is consistent with extremely rapid formation during the biblical Flood.

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15. Experiments show that with conditions mimicking natural forces, [coal forms quickly](#); in weeks for brown coal to months for black coal. It does not need millions of years. Furthermore, long time periods could be an impediment to coal formation because of the increased likelihood of the permineralization of the wood, which would hinder coalification.

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16. Experiments show that with conditions mimicking natural forces, [oil forms quickly](#); it does not need millions of years, consistent with an age of thousands of years.

30. Observed examples of rapid canyon formation; for example, [Providence Canyon](#) in southwest Georgia, [Burlingame Canyon](#) near Walla Walla, Washington, and [Lower Loowit Canyon](#) near Mount St Helens.

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### **Canyon Lake Gorge**

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### **GRAND CANYON**

- Canyon Lake Gorge cut 50 feet through solid rock in less than 3 days.
- At that rate the Grand Canyon would have been cut in 274 years IF there were no more water than what went over the spillway at Canyon Lake
- The massive lake of residual flood water that spilled over the mountains in northern Arizona would have carved the Grand Canyon much quicker.
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The [amount of sediment on the sea floors](#) at current rates of land erosion would accumulate in just 12 million years; a blink of the eye compared to the supposed age of much of the ocean floor of up to 3 billion years. Furthermore, long-age geologists reckon that *higher* erosion rates applied in the past, which shortens the time frame. From a biblical point of view, at the end of Noah's Flood lots of sediment would have been added to the sea with the water coming off the unconsolidated land, making the amount of sediment perfectly consistent with a history of thousands of years.

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### **DATING METHODS**

- Radiometric Dating methods
- Decay rate of Mother to Daughter elements
- Example Uranium 238 to Lead
- Compare a cube of ice & water in a pan – how long has it been there?

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51. Carbon-14 in [coal](#) suggests ages of thousands of years and clearly contradict ages of millions of years.

55. Incongruent radioisotope dates [using the same technique](#) argue against trusting the

dating methods that give millions of years.

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96. Human population growth. Less than 0.5% p.a. growth from six people 4,500 years ago would produce today's population. [Where are all the people?](#) if we have been here much longer?

98. Length of recorded history. Origin of various civilizations, writing, etc., all about the same time several thousand years ago. See [Evidence for a young world](#)

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**Who Do You Trust?**

- A scientist with a slant toward evolution?
- or
- God and His Word

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**Hebrews 11:3**

By faith we understand that the worlds have been framed by the word of God, so that what is seen hath not been made out of things which appear.