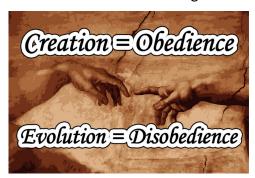
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Creation or Evolution?

Mankind, the human race, we, who were created in the image of Yahweh Elohim, seem to have some difficulty trying to decide just where Yahweh fits into the whole picture. Not only do we fail to see Yahweh for who He is, but we insist on re-inventing Him in our own personal image.



Since Adam and Eve, people have denied Yahweh or simply ignored the Creator all together. What was their sin? What was the sin of Cain? What was the sin of Israel? Their sins may have been manifest in many different ways, but the underlying sin was that of denying Yahweh. To deny Yahweh and His advice, rules, laws... and to do

things, whatever they were, their own way. To eat the fruit because "we shall not surely die and our eyes will be opened." To offer a sacrifice of vegetables, grain and fruit... never mind that Yahweh asked for a blood sacrifice. To worship other elohim and bow to foreign idols and to turn our backs on the Creator of the Universe. Simply, because we wanted to do it our way!!! Yahweh's reaction to His people rebelling... Matthew 23:37-39, Jerusalem, Jerusalem, who kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to her! How often I wanted to gather your children together, the way a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, and you were unwilling. Behold, your house is being left to you desolate! For I say to you, from now on you will not see Me until you say, "Blessed is He who comes in the Name of Yahweh!" (NASB used throughout).

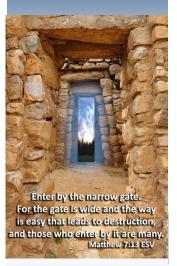
He wanted to gather His children as chicks to a hen but they would not... we had other ideas, we always have other ideas... but as it says in verse 39, "Blessed is He who comes in the Name of Yahweh."

Evolution denies the creative power of Yahweh. It's a deceptive device used by billions, knowingly or not, to deny Yahweh's power. A powerful deception given by men to men so that we may believe a lie. A fairy tale for grownups that allows us to make our own decisions in spite of what Yahweh says.

You see, if everything just happened... if it all came about from some oozing goo... if we are the product of random chance... then we can "make

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Call to Me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know. Jeremiah 33:3 NIV



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it up as we go." We can decide day to day what our course of action will be. The ethics that we exhibit at any given time are the result of an analysis of the situation. Is it wrong to murder... well, it depends. Is it wrong to steal... well, it depends. Is it anything... well, it depends? How many times have we heard that answer???

In order for the social theories to be correct... In order for us to be allowed the luxury of situational ethics... In order for us to behave as we want, any time we want... Evolution has to be the way that we came into existence on this planet. We had to arrive here by random chance.

You see, if we are the product of special creation, we are obligated to exist according to the rules established by the one that created us.

So What????

Nehemiah 9:5, 6, Then the Levites, Jeshua, Kadmiel, Bani, Hashabneiah, Sherebiah, Hodiah, Shebaniah and Pethahiah, said, Arise, bless Yahweh your Elohim forever and ever! O may Your glorious Name be blessed And exalted above all blessing and praise! You alone are Yahweh. You have made the heavens, the heaven of heavens with all their host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them. You give life to all of them and the heavenly host bows down before You.

Mankind has chosen a road different from that of the Creator. Evolution is mans substitute for Elohim. We



have a new religion and the scientists in white lab coats are the high priests. If we can just deny Yahweh's hand in this old world we can do whatever we want to do. We will build a tower and make for us a great name.

Actually, most secular scientists do not believe the fairy tale. From a logical standpoint the odds are just too long. "God does not play dice" is a famous quote uttered by Albert Einstein. The evidence for creation is abundant. The evidence for evolution is practically non-existent. Whatever evidence there is has to be force fitted into a particular mold.

From a professional standpoint, evolution is more about money than science. Imagine, having a perfect government contract. A contract that identifies a deliverable (a widget) that does not exist but as soon as you find it the contract is complete. So you keep looking for the widget and you keep getting government money and you never find the widget.

Sure, once in a while you find something that you frame to look like evidence of the possibility of finding the widget. But you never actually find the widget. When does the funding run out? How many universities and museums employ anthropologists? How many universities and museums employ evolutionary biologists? What would happen to *National Geographic* and the *Public Broadcasting System*? Can you imagine how many billions and billions of dollars are spent every year in search of something the Scriptures say does not exist? Searching for an elohim they can call their own..... And denying the existence of the Elohim of creation!

When I refer to "we," I am referring to mankind. We believe what we are told. We are told that evolution is correct. Therefore, we believe evolution. We are not taught how to think independently and learn from facts; we simply believe what we are told.

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WE ARE LEMMINGS!!!!!!!

We choose to accept those things that make us comfortable. We are comfortable in the majority. We do not want to make waves.

2 Timothy 4:1-4, I solemnly charge you in the presence of Elohim and of Messiah Yahshua, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by His appearing and His kingdom: preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort, with great patience and instruction. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but wanting to have their ears tickled, they will accumulate for themselves teachers in accordance to their own desires, and will turn away their ears from the truth and will turn aside to myths.

We have evidence of Yahweh's creative power since the creation of the world but we have chosen to ignore the evidence and make idols of our own.

Habakkuk 2:18-20, What profit is the idol when its maker has carved it, Or an image, a teacher of falsehood? For its maker trusts in his own handiwork When he fashions speechless idols. Woe to him who says to a piece of wood, "Awake!" To a mute stone, "Arise!" And that is your teacher? Behold, it is overlaid with gold and silver, and there is no breath at all inside it. "But Yahweh is in His holy Temple. Let all the earth be silent before Him."



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Evolution has become an idol of man's own hand and it is being covered with gold and silver and worshipped by our modern society. What's the big deal? The big deal is that evolution is one of haSatan's (the Adversary's) deceptions. HaSatan is willing that everyone on this planet should perish to prove a point about Yahweh's Character. HaSatan is trying to convince everyone on this cosmic rock that evolution happened and Yahweh didn't have a hand in any of it. When you believe the lie, you turn your back on Yahweh and Yahshua. That's the big deal!!

Leave the idol of this age... return to the creative power of Yahweh. The loving Elohim that created us for fellowship. The loving Elohim that provided for our rescue when destruction was called for. The loving Elohim that Personally came to earth to lead us to an eternity with Him.

Life is full of choices. Eternal life requires the right ones!

Brother Gary Hornickel

Pentecost is June 4th!

Pentecost, as noted on our calendar, is June 4th! Services will be held at various locations the in Philippines, Dominica, Trinidad, India, Africa, etc. Please check our International Assemblies page and find a location near you! In Kingdom City, Missouri, we will be holding services at 1:30pm. Hope you're able to make it to one of the Assemblies, in which, Yahweh has placed His Mighty Name!

New YAIY Employee

We welcome Brother Gary Hornickel to the YAIY team. He'll be working in a permanent part-time position with us as a general staff person. He has experience with networking and computers. Having spent many years leading Bible Studies doing prison outreach, he can also answer phone calls along with addressing letters which require a Scriptural response. Currently, he speaks on a regular basis on Sabbaths, besides writing articles. Welcome aboard Gary!

Synagogue, Church, or Assembly?

Synagogue: The place of assembly used primarily for worship by Jewish communities. Gk. synagōgḗ is originally a secular term denoting a "group of people" or a "collection of things." There is no clear reference to the synagogue in the OT. The word is commonplace in the NT, where it refers to an actual building, *Eerdmans dictionary of the Bible*.

The following is from the section, "Unscriptural Teachings Flourish," in our booklet called, **What Happened to Christianity?**



That the pagan temples were turned into churches or monasteries explains the heathen derivation of the word "church" used in the King James and other Bibles. The Greek word *ekklesia* literally means "the called-out ones," which carries the same meaning as the

Hebrew "kahal." Ekklesia refers to a body of people, not a building. The word "church" is a poor translation of ekklesia. Church refers to the building, coming to us through the Anglo-Saxon circe. Circe was the Greek goddess who turned men into swine. In Scottish the word is kirk, relating to the Hebrew kikkar, meaning a circuit or disc-the sun! The ancient link to sun worship (on Sun-day) is undeniable.

Synagogue and church are not the best words today to represent Yahweh's people, nor should they be used to describe us. We find that "Assembly," or, more specifically, "Yahweh's Assembly in Yahshua" is.



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don Newton and Family, Barnard van der Merwe, Byron Lamar, Hoshea Stanton, Lawrence Wayne Atkins, Gary Deerwester, Frances Domingues, David Flores, Henry Sunderman, Moses Kamau, Danny O'Connor and Family, Victor Karanja, Nombulelo Precious Mabele, Patricia Calhoun, Joseph Oganga Ontita, Paul Washington, Amelia Roberts, G. Kwasnica, Stella Rogers, Sean Rogers and Family, Loretta Reyes and Family, Michael Hutchinson, Georgiana Greene and Family, Skip and Linda Franchino, Helen Drisdel, Sharon Scott, Willie Koorzen, Al J. Pagano, Baby Jai'Ron, Margaret McCloud, Nava Family, Bongani Negwenya, Velvet Green, Catherine Terrado, Roberta Wishon, Dale Wayman, Janiq Madriz, Kareem Greene and Family, Ross Williams, Maryke Stanton, Chris Barnard, Trisha Aubin, Susana Malm, David & Nancy Wilson, Ina Swanson, Janet Price, Anthony Swanson, Adalberto Hernandez Jr, Lois Firth, Jordan Vira and Family, Michelle Broussard, Marianne Johnston, Lance Bullock and Family, Hap Tew, Richard Rodriguez and Family, Jim and Judy DeHart, Kathy English, Jeff Gilman, Arthur Jurney, Mark Strahan, Michael Davis, Shirley Morin, Mae Flowers, Alice Goodchild, Merle Tyler, Heidi Fleischmann, Chauncey Hargrove, brethren in Africa and other locations around the world. Also, for the peace of Jerusalem.