

Article # 4 - Truth

We will continue our pursuit of TRUTH regarding the origin of the Universe and the origin of life. In our previous three articles we examined Cosmologist Carl Sagan's assertions of the beginning of the Universe, the beginning of life and the origin of consciousness. We listed eight questions that Sagan left unanswered.

Next, we introduced a quick overview of the Biblical account of creation, that God in six literal 24 hour days spoke EVERYTHING into existence EX NIHILO, OUT OF NOTHING!

Then we examined the concept of Spontaneous Generation, which is the cornerstone of Materialistic Evolution and defines how life originated from inanimate, inorganic compounds.

Finally, we reviewed comments by well known evolutionists regarding the "certainty" of Spontaneous Generation given the availability of sufficient time.

To illustrate this I will once again quote from George Wald:

"Given so much time, the impossible becomes possible, the possible becomes probable, and the probable virtually certain. One has only to wait: time itself performs the miracle."

I am stunned by this statement. I am hard pressed to think of a more unscientific statement. If, and this is a huge IF, we gave credence to the validity of Miller's experiment in 1963 in showing that electrical sparks could produce Amino Acid, we would still be light years away from a fully functioning "CELL" with all the intricate "language of Life" information that is necessary for a replication process. (Miller's experiment was later discredited because he used different parameters in his experiment than those that could have existed in the primordial conditions.)

But, there is hope within the scientific community. A glimmer of hope indeed, that there are credentialed scientists who have cast doubts on the Darwinian model of the beginning of life.

In 1993 a meeting took place at Pajaro Dunes, CA. A number of distinguished, highly credentialed scientists participated in an event that critically examined the Darwinian Claims of Evolution and Natural Selection.

The result of that gathering produced a document titled "Scientific Dissent from Darwinism."

I quote: "A Scientific Dissent from Darwinism" states that: We are skeptical of claims for the ability of random mutation and natural selection to account for the complexity of life. Careful examination of the evidence for Darwinian theory should be encouraged. "

In the first couple years after that meeting 600 PhDs signed this document. Currently, that number has increased to over 1,400.

Some of these pioneers who openly questioned the Darwinian model are:

Scott Minich, professor of Microbiology at the U. of ID.

Michael Behe, Professor of Biology at Lehigh U in PA.

Robin Collins, professor of Philosophy at Messiah College, in PA.

Guillermo Gonzales, Astrophysicist at Ball State U. in IN.

Jay Wesley Richard's. PhD, School of business, at Catholic U.

Jonathan Wells, PhD in molecular and cell biology at UC Berkley.

These are just a few of enlightened Scientists who not necessarily embrace the Biblical account of creation in Genesis, but who understand the intricate complexity of living cells, and who cast serious doubts on the generally accepted Model of Evolution and Spontaneous Generation.

It should be noted that several of these people received stern rebukes and threats from their places of employment for their criticism of evolution. This gives testimony to the fact that our scientific community is a closed system, which does not encourage or willingly receive honest, scientific examination of established norms. The old Western culture of openness to question and examination of generally accepted principles has been shut down tightly. Society and educational institution will suffer as a result.

In our next article we will mention several "open" scientific enterprises which still engage in rigorous inquiry of old accepted laws and rules.

Psalm 139:14 KJV

I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.