



A NEWSLETTER TO PROVIDE CHRISTIANS WITH UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION ABOUT THE CREATION/EVOLUTION ISSUE AND PROGRESS ON THE CREATION MUSEUM

IS THERE REALLY A NEED FOR ANOTHER CREATION MUSEUM IN AMERICA?

According to Wikipedia Encyclopedia, there are about two dozen creation museums in America, 149 science museums, 246 natural history museums, and 158 zoos. While only two dozen creation museums support the Bible and biblically related scientific truth, over 550 museums and zoos are locked into presenting evolutionary philosophy.

In view of this massive pervading influence of evolutionary philosophy throughout America in public institutions of learning and the media, is it any surprise that so many people are evolutionized in their thinking and worldviews? It is well known to most church leaders and those in Christian ministry, that even youth who are raised in church all of their formative years are deciding that Christianity and regular Sunday attendance is not for them when they are old enough to decide for themselves.

Polls taken in recent times show that churches in America are losing about two out of every three young people to a lifestyle that does not include religious worship. What is causing this?

It is not difficult to figure out what is happening. People make choices either based upon what they have allowed themselves to be influenced by,

or by what they have had no choice in being influenced by because of parental teaching or public education. Even if a child of Christian parents attends church, Sunday school and a Christian youth group regularly, this only accounts for about two hours influence a week at the most. But these same young people would get about 30 hours of mostly humanistic teaching in public schools, plus another 30 hours per week in front of the TV. It should be obvious that many are succumbing to the heavier weight of influence.

The Bible says, "Train [or, start off in the right direction] a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it" (Proverbs 22:6). Unfortunately, we are seeing many "depart" from the truth because of where they are getting the bulk of their training.

How should we as Christians respond to this situation? First, we believe in the power of prayer to petition God for wisdom and help. Second, we are responsible to get the message of truth out by exposing false humanistic evolutionary teaching. Ken Ham told me to expect a lot of hard work and prayer to see our museum vision become a reality.

Is there a need for another creation museum? Absolutely! In fact, I would hope that there will be many more such museums raised up that will support the historical accuracy and absolute authority of the Word of God.

Blessings to all of you,

Rod Butterworth
President



Rod met with President of Answers in Genesis, Ken Ham on April 22, 2008, to give Ken an update on the status of our vision for *Creation Museum of the Ozarks*. CMOTO is not affiliated with AIG.

How fast is fast?

By Ron Walser

While waiting for a doctor's appointment recently, I thumbed through old issues of National Geographic. Of particular interest to me was the speed that scientists claimed they had clocked electrons circling the nucleus in a hydrogen atom. Modern-day chemists and physicists are still in disagreement as to what it is that holds our basic elements together.

The problems encountered in this area of research known as quantum mechanics include:

1. Huge mass (weight) differences between the nuclei and the electrons.
2. The incredible velocities of the electrons as they revolve around the nuclei. (Why don't they fly off—why don't they collide and implode into the nuclei?)

A *nanosecond* is 10^{-9} of a second, or one billionth of a second. In a nanosecond, light (at the speed of about 186,281 miles per second) can travel approximately one foot. This speed is actually very slow when compared to the speed an electron has to achieve around its nucleus. Incredibly, according to scientists it moves at the speed of 10^{-18} of a second—called an *attosecond*.

By comparison, the time it takes to blink a human eye is from 50 to 80 milliseconds. Therefore, a hydrogen electron could make approximately a million, billion revolutions in the time it takes a person to blink their eyes.

The truth is, there is still so much that science cannot understand or explain. Science doesn't even have a handle on the basics. Such

matters relating to light, gravity and molecular bonding, have all eluded any "sure fire" understanding of the actual process. A quote from *Encyclopedia Britannica* gives the impression that science is nearly clueless when trying to explain the processes of quantum mechanics.

"The behavior of matter...*seems peculiar*, and the consequences of quantum theory are accordingly *difficult to understand and to believe*. Its concepts frequently *conflict with common-sense notions* derived from observations of the everyday world (*emphasis mine*).

Man's attempts at speed records seem puny compared to how fast God can move around the invisible things of His creation (rockets reenter the earth at about 5,000 miles per hour). Our earth is rotating around the sun at 65,520 miles per hour—you could make it from Springfield, Missouri to St. Louis (212 miles) in 12 seconds!

The Bible declares what Jesus Christ has done in the past and what He is doing now:

"He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things were created by him and for him. **He is before all things, and in him all things hold together** (Colossians 1:15—17, NIV).

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Financial accountability is extremely important to us as it is to you. Therefore, *Creation Museum of the Ozarks* has been officially registered with the Secretary of State's Office in Missouri, as a Not For Profit Organization, and is currently in process of application for the 501(c)(3) tax exempt status. We have engaged the services of two reputable Certified Public Accountants from the office of James E. Cologna, CPA, in Springfield, Missouri.