

BIOLOGY

Biology is the study of living things. This study is limited to the origin of life.

<i>Modern Humanism</i>	<i>Biblical Christianity</i>
<i>Origin of Life</i>	
<p>All Life Evolves. <u>Two theories</u>:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Darwinian Natural Selection, (i.e. gradual evolution theory.) 2. Punctuated Equilibrium theory. 	<p>All life was created by God</p> <p>All life was designed to reproduce after its kind.</p>
<i>Science</i>	
<p>Humanistic biology is founded on naturalism (viz., scientism). Humanists accept <i>only</i> science as means of acquiring knowledge regarding the origin of life.</p>	<p>Christian biology is founded on supernaturalism. Christians accept both science and divine revelation as means of acquiring knowledge regarding the origins of life.</p>
<p>Humanistic evolutionary worldview is inconsistent with development of science, e.g. world is accidental, by random chance, and therefore not verifiable.</p>	<p>Christian creationary worldview is consistent with development of science, e.g. world is orderly, predictable, and therefore verifiable.</p>
<p>Since evolutionary origin of life is not testable by science, then it is illogical for humanists to believe in evolutionary theories. For humanists to believe in evolutionary origins can be <i>only</i> by faith without valid evidence!</p>	<p>Since creation is affirmed by divine revelation, then it is logical for Christians to believe in creation. Christian faith is therefore based on evidence that is valid for Christians!</p>
<i>Time</i>	
<p>Enormous amounts of time are required for the theory of evolution. This demands a very old universe, which has not been proven.</p>	<p>A comparatively young earth is consistent with creation. This view is more consistent with scientific evidence.</p>
<i>Fossil Record</i>	
<p>The fossil record does not support humanists contention of missing links between species.</p>	<p>The fossil record indicates an explosion of species at the lowest forms of life without ancestors. Fossils support creationism.</p>
<p>Punctuated Equilibrium theory (designed to explain away Darwin's missing links between</p>	<p>Creation is proven by...</p>

species) by rejecting gradual evolution, finds itself without any supporting scientific mechanism.	<p>a. presenting scientific evidence showing that evolutionary claims are false.</p> <p>b. presenting scientific evidence of design in nature, thus, proving a Designer.</p>
<i>Natural Selection ("Survival of the Fittest")</i>	
Thought to be the mechanism by which evolution progresses in an upward way.	Biblical portrait of reality is that all things deteriorate. This is consistent with science!
<i>Spontaneous Generation</i>	
Even though spontaneous generation is not scientifically verifiable, humanists have no alternative, since they reject super-naturalism, but to accept the concept of pre-scientific spontaneous generation.	Christians reject spontaneous generation not only because it is scientifically not verifiable, but also because natural and supernatural revelation argue against it.
<i>Beneficial Mutations and Environmental Adaptations</i>	
Beneficial mutations and adaptations are also considered evolutionary mechanisms.	There are no proven scientific beneficial mutations or environmental adaptations!
Result:	
In spite of not one single shred of scientific evidence for any tenet of evolutionism, humanists argue that evolutionism is a scientific <i>fact!</i>	Creation (which requires design) is supported by scientific principles, e.g. Law of Biogenesis, DNA, and Second Law of Thermodynamics.

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