

AN UNSHAKEABLE FAITH
Review Questions With Answers

Review Questions on the Bible's Nature

1. What does Psalm 119:89 mean when it says God's Word was settled in heaven?
Answer: It was settled in God's mind before it was given to the prophets.
2. What passage (2 verses) says all Scripture is given by inspiration from God?
Answer: 2 Timothy 3:16-17
3. What does "holy Bible" mean?
Answer: The Bible is set apart by God, different in character from other writings
4. What does Paul mean when he says the Scripture is given by inspiration?
Answer: Scripture is the product of God; it is breathed out by God.
5. What is the meaning of plenary inspiration?
Answer: Full, complete
6. What is the meaning of verbal inspiration?
Answer: Inspired in the words
7. How do we know that the Bible is not merely a collection of disconnected religious writings?
Answer: It is one book with one theme.
8. What is the theme of the Bible?
Answer: Salvation in Jesus Christ
9. The Scripture is able to make the child of God perfect. How is this defined in the context?
Answer: Thoroughly furnished unto all good works
10. How does this prove that the Bible is the sole authority for faith and practice?
Answer: If the Bible is able to make the man of God perfect, nothing else is needed.
11. In what passage (book and chapter) did Peter say that the Bible is a light shining in a dark world?
Answer: 2 Peter 1
12. According to Peter, how did God give His revelation to mankind?
Answer: Holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.
13. What did Peter mean when he said that "the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man"?
Answer: The prophets spoke God's words, not their own.
14. What did Peter mean when he said that "no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation"?
Answer: The prophets did not write of their own understanding and wisdom
15. In what passage (book and chapter) did Paul say that God has given His revelation in "words"?
Answer: 1 Corinthians 2
16. How do we know that the Bible contains the deep things of God?
Answer: Paul says so in 1 Corinthians 2.
17. How do we know that the Bible contains the mind of Christ?
Answer: Paul says so in 1 Corinthians 2.

18. What Bible passage (book and chapter) says the early churches received the writings of Paul as “the word of God”?
Answer: 1 Thess. 2
19. What did Paul mean when he said that the word of God “effectually worketh in you”?
Answer: It has power to sanctify the believer.
20. What is the complete canon of Scripture?
Answer: The 66 books
21. What does the word “canon” mean?
Answer: Testing something by a rule
22. What passage (book and chapter) says God committed the Scriptures to the Jews for safekeeping?
Answer: Romans 3
23. When was the Old Testament collected together in its final canon?
Answer: By Ezra and his successors
24. What verse says the church is the pillar and ground of the truth?
Answer: 1 Tim. 3:15
25. What does Matthew 28:18-20 have to do with the preservation of Scripture?
Answer: The churches are to keep the Scripture in order to teach every generation to observe all things.
26. In what passage (book and chapter) did Jesus promise that the Spirit of God would guide the apostles into all truth?
Answer: John 16
27. In what passage (book and chapter) did Jesus say that He had given his words to the apostles?
Answer: John 17
28. In what passage (book and chapter) did John say that the early churches had the unction of the Holy Spirit to teach them?
Answer: 1 John 2
29. William Albright said the New Testament was written between when and when?
Answer: 25-80 AD
30. What is the significance of the writings of Clement, Ignatius, and Polycarp in regard to the canon of the New Testament?
Answer: These men knew the apostles and their extant writings witness to the complete canon.
31. What man said in AD 208 that the writings of the apostles still existed in Philippi, Thessalonica, Ephesus, and Rome?
Answer: Tertullian
32. Why is it impossible that things were removed from the Bible after it was completed?
Answer: It was multiplied greatly.
33. In what passage (book and chapter) did Paul say that the words of the gospel went unto the ends of the world?
Answer: Rom. 10
34. In what passage (book and chapter) did Paul say that the Scripture had been made known to all nations?
Answer: Rom. 16

35. What were the most frequently copied and widely circulated books of antiquity?
Answer: The New Testament books
36. How many ancient manuscripts of the New Testament in Greek still exist? How many in Latin?
Answer: Greek 5,600 - Latin 10,000
37. How old is the oldest extant fragments of the New Testament?
Answer: They date to before 68 AD.
38. Where were these fragments found?
Answer: Cave 7 of the Dead Sea caves
39. The fragments are from how many books of the New Testament?
Answer: Five
40. What expert identified the fragments as belonging to the New Testament and in what year?
Answer: Jose O'Callaghan - 1972
41. This man's work was confirmed by what other expert?
Answer: Carsten Thiede
42. About how old is the oldest complete New Testament?
Answer: AD 250
43. If all of the ancient New Testament manuscripts did not exist, the New Testament could be reconstructed through what means?
Answer: Writings of early church leaders
44. What scholar indexed 86,000 quotations from ancient church writings?
Answer: John Burgon
45. What did his research prove about the Greek Received Text?
Answer: It is the text quoted most frequently in the writings dating to before AD 400.
46. A gap of how many centuries exists between the writing of Homer's *Iliad* and the earliest existing copies?
Answer: 500 years
47. A gap of how many years exists between Plato's writings and the earliest existing copies?
Answer: 1250 years
48. How long were the Hindu scriptures transmitted orally before being committed to writing?
Answer: Hundreds of years
49. What New Testament passage (book and chapters) divides men into three categories?
Answer: 1 Cor. 2-3
50. What are these categories?
Answer: Natural, spiritual, carnal
51. What is the "natural man"?
Answer: The unsaved man
52. Why can the "natural man" not understand the things of God?
Answer: He does not have the Spirit of God.
53. Why does the "carnal man" only understand simple Bible teaching?
Answer: He is not controlled by the Spirit.

Review Questions on the Bible's Proof, the Dead Sea Scrolls, Bible Difficulties

1. What verse says that without faith it is impossible to please God?
Answer: Hebrews 11:6
2. What verse says that faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God?
Answer: Romans 10:17
3. What verse says that Christ's resurrection is based on many infallible proofs?
Answer: Acts 1:3
4. In what passage (book and chapter) did Peter say that the Bible does not contain cunningly devised fables?
Answer: 2 Peter 1
5. What are four evidences that Jesus rose from the dead?
Answer: (1) The candor of the Gospel accounts (2) The eyewitnesses (3) The evidence in the lives of disciples (4) The empty tomb
6. What did Jesus teach about the Old Testament?
Answer: It is the Word of God
7. In what verse did Jesus say that not one jot or one tittle shall pass from the law until all be fulfilled?
Answer: Matthew 5:18
8. In what verse did Jesus say that the Scripture cannot be broken?
Answer: John 10:35
9. How does the Bible's unique construction prove that it is the Word of God?
Answer: It was written by about 40 authors over a period of about 1,600 years and yet it is one book with one theme.
10. What is one of the books and chapters in the Old Testament that says predictive prophecy proves that the prophets were of God?
Answer: Isaiah 41
11. What prophecy describes Christ's birthplace?
Answer: Micah 5:2
12. What prophecy (book and chapter) describes Christ's crucifixion?
Answer: Psalm 22
13. What are five details of Jesus' death that were foretold by the prophets?
Answer: He did not resist; justice perverted; numbered with transgressors; death by crucifixion; soldiers gambling for His robe; words spoken from the cross; mocked by the people; people sitting and staring at Him; no bones broken; burial in a rich man's tomb
14. What book and chapter says the earth is hung upon nothing?
Answer: Job 26
15. What book and chapter teaches that the air has weight?
Answer: Job 28
16. What book and chapter says there are paths in the sea?
Answer: Isaiah 43 or Psalm 8:8

17. What does the statement “the life of the flesh is in the blood” mean?
Answer: The blood carries oxygen and other things necessary to life.
18. In what way does the Bible’s candor prove that it is the Word of God?
Answer: Man’s natural writings do not have this attribute.
19. In what way does the Bible's doctrine of salvation prove that it is the Word of God?
Answer: No other religious book teaches salvation by grace without works.
20. In what decades were the first Dead Sea Scrolls discovered?
Answer: 1940s and 1950s
21. What percentage of the Dead Sea Scrolls are books of the Bible?
Answer: 25%
22. The biblical Dead Sea Scrolls have been carbon dated to when?
Answer: 335 to 107 BC
23. There are portions of how many of the Old Testament books?
Answer: All of them
24. What is the most complete book among the Dead Sea Scrolls?
Answer: Great Isaiah Scroll
25. How long is this scroll?
Answer: 24 feet
26. How do the Dead Sea Scrolls prove that the prophecies of Christ were written before His birth?
Answer: The Old Testament Dead Sea Scrolls date to before Christ
27. In what language were most of the scrolls written?
Answer: Hebrew
28. When was the first Hebrew Bible printed?
Answer: 1488
29. What is the Hebrew text called that was first printed and that was used for the translation of the major Bibles in the Reformation era?
Answer: Masoretic
30. Which of the Isaiah scrolls best represent the Masoretic text?
Answer: The b scroll in cave 1 and the scrolls in cave 4
31. In what way is the Great Isaiah Scroll a poor example of Scripture?
Answer: It was poorly copied and contains many corrections.
32. About how many years separate the Dead Sea Scrolls from the Masoretic Hebrew text?
Answer: 1000
33. What did Paul say about the advantage of the Jews in Romans 3:1-2?
Answer: Unto them were committed the oracles of God
34. In what century was the Aleppo Codex made?
Answer: 10th AD
35. In what city was the Aleppo Codex made?
Answer: Tiberias

36. Why was the Codex named “Aleppo”?
Answer: It resided in the synagogue in Aleppo, Syria
37. Who was Aaron ben Asher?
Answer: He was a master scribe who produced Masoretic manuscripts.
38. What is the Hebrew name for the Aleppo Codex and what does this mean?
Answer: Ha-Keter - the Crown
39. Where does the Aleppo Codex reside today?
Answer: Israel Museum (Shine of the Book)
40. In which book and chapter does one of the Bible writers say that there are “things hard to be understood” in Paul’s writings?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
41. When did the attack upon God’s Word begin?
Answer: Eden
42. What does “apostasy” mean?
Answer: Departure from the faith
43. What passage (book and chapter) says that apostates will be “ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth”?
Answer: 2 Timothy 3
44. What passage (2 verses) says end-times Christians will reject sound doctrine and be turned unto fables?
Answer: 2 Timothy 4:3-4
45. What passage (2 verses) describes preachers who will scratch the tickling ears of apostates?
Answer: 2 Timothy 4:3-4
46. In what book and chapter did one of the New Testament writers warn of false teachers who will teach “damnable heresies”?
Answer: 2 Peter 2
47. What is a “damnable heresy”?
Answer: A heresy that brings damnation; a heresy that cannot be held by a true believer
48. In what chapter and book does the New Testament warn about mockers who will deny the global flood and the second coming of Christ?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
49. What are the first three things that are required to develop a spiritual mindset so that we can understand the Bible properly?
Answer: (1) New birth (2) Faith (3) Obedience
50. What passage (book and chapter) says God’s thoughts are not man’s thoughts?
Answer: Isaiah 55
51. In what book and chapter did Jesus say that He spoke in parables to hide the truth from willful unbelievers?
Answer: Matthew 13
52. Simon Greenleaf said, “Christianity does not profess to convince the _____ and _____.”
Answer: Perverse - head-strong

53. Simon Greenleaf said, “All that Christianity professes, is to propose such evidences as may satisfy the _____, the _____, the _____, the serious _____”

Answer: Meek - tractable - candid - inquirer

14. What are four great principles of Bible interpretation?

Answer: (1) Context (2) Comparing Scripture with Scripture (3) Clear passages must interpret the obscure (4) The literal sense of Scripture must rule

15. What verse in Ecclesiastes do the Seventh-day Adventists use for their doctrine of soul sleep?

Answer: Ecc. 9:5

16. What three rules of interpretation do they ignore in this case?

Answer: (1) Context (2) Comparing Scripture with Scripture (3) Interpreting obscure passages by clear passages

17. What are three reasons for interpreting Bible prophecy literally?

Answer: (1) God gave Scripture to reveal truth, not confuse it (2) If the literal sense is not followed, it is impossible to be certain of the meaning. (3) The Bible’s prophecies have always been fulfilled literally.

18. Why are there two accounts of creation in Genesis 1 and 2?

Answer: They give two different perspectives; Genesis 1 is the overview of the creation week, and Genesis 2 focuses on man’s creation.

19. In what way did Adam die the day he ate of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil?

Answer: Spiritually

20. How was God justified in having the Israelites destroy the pagan nations in Canaan?

Answer: (1) He waited 400 years before judging them. (2) They were guilty of abominable practices.

Review Questions on the Historical Evidence for Jesus, Christ’s Resurrection, and Israel in Prophecy

1. What are the first three reasons why we do not doubt the existence of Jesus?

Answer: (1) The historicity of Jesus was not disputed until recent times. (2) The New Testament is an historical record of the highest authority. (3) There is evidence for the existence of Jesus from extra-biblical sources.

2. When did scoffers first begin to express doubt about the historical existence of Jesus?

Answer: End of the 18th century

3. *Encyclopedia Britannica* says, “These independent accounts prove that in ancient times even the _____ of Christianity never doubted the historicity of Jesus.”

Answer: Opponents

4. Name four secular writers who mentioned Jesus before the end of the second century.

Answer: Cornelius Tacitus, Suetonius, Josephus, Mara Bar-Serapion, Pliny the Younger, Lucian of Samosata

5. What verse says there are “many infallible proofs” of Christ’s resurrection?

Answer: Acts 1:3

6. Why do Jesus and the Bible and Christianity rise or fall on Christ's resurrection?
Answer: Jesus said He would rise from the dead.
7. In what book and chapter did Paul say that the Christian faith depends on the reality of Christ's resurrection?
Answer: Romans 1
8. What are four great evidences for the resurrection of Christ?
Answer: (1) The character of the Gospel accounts (2) The empty tomb (3) Eyewitnesses (4) Changed lives
9. What are two facts that prove that Jesus' tomb was empty?
Answer: (1) The Jewish leaders had to invent the lie that the disciples stole the body. (2) Peter preached Christ's resurrection in Jerusalem only weeks later.
10. Why is it impossible for Jesus to have merely swooned on the cross and to have recovered in the tomb?
Answer: The Roman soldiers pronounced Him dead and they were experts.
11. In what passage (book and chapter) did Paul say that the resurrected Christ was seen by more than 500 people at one time?
Answer: 1 Corinthians 15
12. Why is it unreasonable to think that all of the guards fell asleep while guarding Jesus' tomb?
Answer: They would have been put to death.
13. What tells us that the Jewish leaders didn't believe their own story about Jesus' body being stolen?
Answer: They paid bribes to the soldiers to lie about it.
14. How did Jesus prove that He had risen bodily and not merely as a spirit?
Answer: He showed the disciples His scars and ate food.
15. Humanly speaking, what did Paul have to gain by testifying that he had seen the resurrected Christ?
Answer: Nothing
16. Name three lawyers and judges who examined the evidence for Christ's resurrection and declared it to be a fact of history.
Answer: Simon Greenleaf, Lord Darling, Charles Darling, Thomas Caldecote, Edmund Bennett, Irwin Linton, J.N.D. Anderson, Albert Roper
17. What are three things that set Bible prophecy apart from pagan prophecy?
Answer: (1) Bible prophecy is clear. (2) It is detailed. (3) It has never failed.
18. In what books and chapters of the Bible is Israel's entire history pre-written before she entered the Promised Land?
Answer: Deut. 28, 30
19. When was this prophecy written?
Answer: When Israel was camped on the plains of Moab across from Jericho
20. What are three major events this prophecy foretold as found in the notes?
Answer: (1) Desertification of the land (2) Dispersion and persecution (3) Return to the land and conversion
21. God said that if Israel sinned against Him her rain would become what?
Answer: Dust
22. Moses prophesied that after Israel was plucked from the land, what would happen to her?
Answer: Israel would be scattered among all people.

23. When and with what event did the dispersion of Israel from the land begin?
Answer: Babylonian captivity - destruction of Jerusalem and the temple 586 BC
24. When was the Second Temple destroyed and by what armies?
Answer: AD 70 - Rome
25. Why is it miraculous that the Jews have survived as a people through 2,000 years of dispersion and persecution?
Answer: This has never happened to any other people.
26. Why did Bible believers in the 19th century know that Israel would return to her land?
Answer: Bible prophecy
27. What prophet and what chapter describes the return of Israel in two stages?
Answer: Ezekiel 37
28. What is the name of this prophecy?
Answer: Valley of dry bones
29. What are those two stages?
Answer: (1) Return in spiritual death (2) Conversion
30. In what year did Israel announce her new statehood?
Answer: 1948
31. What U.S. president recognized Israel's new state?
Answer: Harry Truman
32. Name three major wars that Israel has fought with her Muslim neighbors.
Answer: War of Independence, Suez War, Six-day War, War of Attrition, Yom Kipper War
33. What is Yom Kipper?
Answer: Day of Atonement
34. What is the first reason that we know that Israel is spiritually dead today?
Answer: Israel still rejects Jesus as Christ.
35. Who are the "most anti-Biblical forces in archaeology" today?
Answer: Professors at various universities in Israel

Review Questions on Introduction on Archaeology, Dates, Ancient Writing, Hammurabi's Law

1. Before the explosion of modern archaeology, Johann Gottfried von Herder described the evidence for ancient civilizations as "a few _____ leaves which contain stories about stories, _____ of history..."
Answer: faded - fragments
2. What are two benefits of archaeology for the Christian?
Answer: (1) It confirms the historical accuracy of the Bible. (2) It provides background information to better understand the Bible.
3. Why is the Bible's theological message authenticated when its history is authenticated?
Answer: The Bible claims to be an historical book.
4. Simon Greenleaf said, "Christianity does not profess to convince the _____ and _____."
Answer: Perverse - head-strong

5. What book and chapter of the Bible says that if men will not believe the Scripture they will not believe even if someone rose from the dead?
Answer: Luke 16
6. What are three limitations of archaeology?
Answer: (1) Only a tiny part of the historical record has survived. (2) Ancient empires did not record their defeats. (3) Pagan records are not dependable. (4) Only a small number of ancient sites have been researched. (5) Only a fraction of excavated sites are studied. (6) Only a portion of what excavators find actually survives. (7) Only a fraction of what is excavated is reported and published.
7. Most ancient documents perished because they were written on material such as _____, _____, and _____.
Answer: Parchment, papyrus, wax boards
8. Why did the Dead Sea Scrolls survive?
Answer: The dry climate
9. Why is it unreasonable for archaeologists to refuse to give the Bible the benefit of the doubt?
Answer: They give the benefit of the doubt to other ancient writings.
10. What Psalm describes the world in open rebellion against God and Christ?
Answer: Psalm 2
11. Archaeologist James Breasted subscribed to a _____.
Answer: New humanism
12. Where did Jesus say the Word of God cannot be broken?
Answer: John 10:35
13. How did Christ defeat the devil?
Answer: By the Word of God
14. How did William Albright hurt the cause of Bible believers?
Answer: Redating the conquest of Canaan
15. Nelson Glueck said, "It may be categorically stated that no _____ discovery has ever controverted a _____ reference."
Answer: Archaeological - biblical
16. Was Nelson Glueck a Bible-believing Christian?
Answer: No
17. What verse warns that evil communications corrupts good manners?
Answer: 1 Cor. 15:33
18. Where does the Bible say (book and chapter) that Adam's first children knew how to work with metal?
Answer: Genesis 4
19. The Bible believer must be very _____ of the skeptic.
Answer: Skeptical
20. Where does the Bible teach that man advanced gradually from the stone age?
Answer: Nowhere
21. Where does the Bible describe "prehistoric times"?
Answer: Nowhere

22. What supportive background evidence has archaeology found for the times of Joseph?
Answer: The details of his life in Scripture are supported by the facts that are known of those times.
23. What is the approximate date of the Flood?
Answer: 2348 BC
24. What is the date when Abraham departed Ur?
Answer: 1926 BC
25. What is the date of the Exodus?
Answer: 1491 BC
26. What is the date when Israel's kingdom was divided?
Answer: 975 BC
27. What is the date when the First Temple was destroyed?
Answer: 586 BC
28. Why did modernists in the 19th century say that Moses could not have written the early books of the Bible in about 1500 B.C.?
Answer: They said Moses and the people of that time were illiterate.
29. Archaeologists today believe that writing was developed in about when?
Answer: 3150 BC
30. Since the late 19th century, archaeology has discovered that the ancient kingdoms in the lands of the Bible were _____ societies full of _____ and _____ and international _____.
Answer: Literate - schools - libraries - correspondence
31. The Egyptian language dates to about when according to secular authorities?
Answer: 3200 BC
32. What were two great keys that led to the unlocking of ancient languages?
Answer: Rosetta Stone - Behistun Relief
33. What was cuneiform?
Answer: A wedge-shaped script impressed in clay
34. What was hieroglyphic?
Answer: A pictorial script
35. In what land and in what year was the Rosetta Stone found?
Answer: Egypt - 1799
36. What three languages does it contain?
Answer: Hieroglyphic Egyptian, demotic Egyptian, Greek
37. What was its significance?
Answer: It was the key to unlocking the ancient Egyptian language.
38. Where does the Rosetta Stone reside today?
Answer: British Museum
39. The Behistun Relief was carved in a rock face near what ancient city?
Answer: Ecbatana

40. The Behistun Relief contains an account of what king?
Answer: Darius
41. The Behistun Relief is written in what three languages?
Answer: Old Persian, Elamite, Babylonian
42. Who transcribed the Behistun Relief?
Answer: Henry Rawlinson
43. What is the significance of the Code of Hammurabi?
Answer: Complex law codes existed in the time of Moses
44. Where was the Code of Hammurabi first found?
Answer: The Persian palace at Susa
45. Who was Hammurabi and in what century did he live?
Answer: King of Babylon - 18th century BC
46. Hammurabi lived before or after Moses?
Answer: Before
47. Why is the Code of Hammurabi largely irrelevant for the Bible believer?
Answer: We know that Moses did not borrow from an existing law code.

Review Questions on Ur and Egypt

1. Ur was the birthplace of what famous Bible figure?
Answer: Abraham
2. Ur was first unearthed by what archaeologist in what decades?
Answer: Leonard Wooley - 1920s and 1930s
3. The excavations at Ur provide a glimpse into what?
Answer: The civilization that spread across Mesopotamia after Babel.
4. What was the approximate population of ancient Ur?
Answer: quarter of a million
5. Ur was a _____ and _____ center.
Answer: Trading - manufacturing
6. Ur's great agricultural fields have been compared to _____ wheat farms or the market gardens and fruit farms of _____.
Answer: Canadian - California
7. The typical home in ancient Ur was how many stories and had how many rooms?
Answer: 2 stories - 10-20 rooms
8. Water and waste were carried away by a city _____.
Answer: Drainage system
9. What are three types of industry that thrived in ancient Ur?
Answer: Carpentry, metalworking, leathercraft, textile, agriculture
10. How were the crops irrigated?
Answer: canals, reservoirs, dikes, and ditches

11. How did the Ur farmers get information on weather and guidelines for planting?
Answer: A farmer's almanac
12. What three types of musical instruments were used in Ur?
Answer: Harps, lyres, pipes
13. What does the Royal Standard of Ur depict?
Answer: It depicts a military battle and a victory banquet.
14. What type of animals pulled the Ur war chariots?
Answer: Asses
15. The chariots carried how many warriors?
Answer: 2
16. What type of weapons were used by the Ur soldiers?
Answer: Axe, spear, javelin
17. How do we know that music was used in the Ur banquets?
Answer: The banquet scene depicts a male and female singer and a harp.
18. Ur was involved in far-reaching _____ enterprise.
Answer: Shipping
19. How do we know that ancient Ur was a literate society?
Answer: Thousands of documents have been found there.
20. What was the name of Ur's chief god?
Answer: Sin the moon god
21. This god was also the chief god of _____ where Abraham's father died.
Answer: Haran
22. What was the symbol of Ur's chief god?
Answer: Crescent moon
23. What was the name of the chief goddess worshiped at Ur?
Answer: Ningal
24. What was another chief god of Ur?
Answer: Shamash the sun god
25. What was the central building at Ur?
Answer: The moon god tower
26. How many stages did it have?
Answer: Four
27. What are four ways the archaeological excavation of Ur confirms the Bible?
Answer: (1) An advanced literate civilization (2) Idolatry (3) Strong king (4) City states
28. What is the first mention of Egypt in the Bible?
Answer: When Abraham went there to escape the famine
29. What are five indirect evidences to the Bible's account of Joseph in Egypt?
Answer: (1) Joseph's position with Potiphar (2) The king of Egypt was called pharaoh. (3) The titles of chief of the butlers and chief of the bakers were used for pharaoh's officers. (4) The signet ring, vestures of fine linen, and gold chain are fitting to those times. (5) Mummification

30. Why does it not matter that we can't be certain of the identity of the pharaohs of the book of Exodus?
Answer: The Bible does not give his name.
31. What verse says we must be content with the things God has revealed in Scripture?
Answer: Deut. 29:29
32. Why is it significant that the Bible does not name the pharaohs until Shishak in the 10th century BC?
Answer: Before that the rulers of Egypt were not known by their names.
33. About when did King Tut die? About how long was that after Moses left Egypt?
Answer: 1350 BC - 150 years
34. Why are the artifacts from Tut's tomb significant for Bible believers?
Answer: They show the wealth and lifestyle of the ancient pharaohs.
35. What is the most ancient extra-biblical reference to Israel?
Answer: Merneptah Stele
36. What is the date of the stele containing this reference?
Answer: 1229 BC
37. What does this stele say about Israel?
Answer: Israel is wasted, bare of seed.
38. How does this fit the description of Israel in the Bible at that time?
Answer: During the period of the Judges, Israel was often judged by God.
39. How does this stele refute the liberal view that Israel did not enter the land of Canaan until about 1230 BC?
Answer: Israel was already in the land before that.
40. What is the "12th century emergence theory"?
Answer: The idea that Israel emerged from the Canaanite people beginning about 1150 BC

Review Questions on Babylon

1. In what two chapters of the Bible do we find the record of the beginning of Babylon's history?
Answer: Genesis 10-11
2. Where was Shinar?
Answer: Between the Euphrates and Tigris rivers
3. What is Shinar called today?
Answer: Mesopotamia
4. The Tower of Babel was about what "god"?
Answer: Man
5. According to the Ussher dating system, the Tower of Babel was constructed about how long after the Flood?
Answer: 100 years
6. Who was the first leader of the Babel kingdom?
Answer: Nimrod
7. What does the Bible mean when it says that this man was "a mighty one in the earth"?
Answer: He was a kingdom builder.

8. What does the Bible mean when it says that this man was “a mighty hunter”?
Answer: He was a hunter of animals and of men.
9. What are four characteristics of Naram-Sin that remind us of Nimrod?
Answer: (1) Bold leadership (2) Pride (3) Aspiring to divinity (4) Hunting/military prowess (4)
10. The Tower of Babel was preeminently an act of what?
Answer: Idolatry
11. The book of Revelation says that Babylon was the mother of _____ and _____.
Answer: Harlots - abominations of the earth
12. The development of idolatry is described in what New Testament passage (book and chapter)?
Answer: Romans 1
13. Who was Shamash and what was his symbol?
Answer: Sun god - wheel encircling a star or rays
14. Who was Sin and what was his symbol?
Answer: Moon god - crescent moon
15. What were two major symbols of Ishtar?
Answer: Star - lion
16. What is the major attraction of goddess worship?
Answer: Immorality
17. Where did the Roman Catholic Church get its doctrine of the Madonna?
Answer: Pagan mother-goddesses
18. What is a passage (book and chapter) in the Old Testament and New that says idolators worship the devil?
Answer: Deut. 32; 1 Cor. 10
19. What verse speaks of “the old serpent ... which deceiveth the whole world”?
Answer: Rev. 12:9
20. What was the symbol of Merodach?
Answer: Dragon
21. Where did the modern medical profession get the symbol of a serpent coiled around a staff?
Answer: The Greek god Asclepius
22. What is a ziggurat?
Answer: A stepped pyramid
23. How many stages did the Tower of Babylon have in 460 BC?
Answer: Eight
24. What did the different colors of the tower’s stages signify?
Answer: Astrology
25. What is burnt brick?
Answer: Kiln-fired bricks
26. What was the slime that was used to construct the Tower of Babel?
Answer: Bitumen or tar
27. Where do the modern system of weights and measures come from?
Answer: Babylon

28. In what year were bricks discovered bearing the name of Nebuchadnezzar?
Answer: 1880
29. How wide was Babylon's outer wall in the days of Nebuchadnezzar?
Answer: 80 feet
30. What goddess was Babylon's major gate named after?
Answer: Ishtar
31. What three Greek historians described the Hanging Gardens of Babylon?
Answer: Diodorus, Strabo, Philo
32. What record is contained in Nebuchadnezzar's Babylonian Chronicle?
Answer: The second capture of Jerusalem
33. What is Jerusalem called in this account?
Answer: City of the Judeans
34. The "Ration Dockets" describe the captivity of what Hebrew king?
Answer: Jehoiachin
35. What is the significance of the Nabonidus Cylinder and the Nabonidus Chronicle?
Answer: They confirm the Bible's account that Belshazzar was the king of Babylon at the time of its capture by the Medo-Persians.

Review Questions on Assyria

1. Who was the founder of Nineveh according to the Bible?
Answer: Asshur
2. What ancient kingdom got its name from this man?
Answer: Assyria
3. He was worshiped as the _____ god and his symbol was a _____.
Answer: Sun - winged disc
4. He was depicted as a warrior with a _____ in hand.
Answer: Bow
5. How does this depiction fit the Bible's description of Nimrod?
Answer: He is described as a mighty hunter.
6. What book and chapter of the Bible describes Nimrod's kingdom?
Answer: Genesis 10
7. What archaeologist discovered the ruins of eight Assyrian palaces?
Answer: Henry Layard
8. This was in what two decades?
Answer: Between 1840s and 1850s
9. Assyrian records mention how many kings of Israel?
Answer: Nine
10. Who are the first and last of these in order of time?
Answer: Omri - Manasseh

11. The Assyrian king's palaces were lined with stone slabs that depicted what?
Answer: Military and hunting scenes
12. What Assyrian king built a grand library?
Answer: Ashurbanipal
13. Why have most of the books in the library perished?
Answer: They were written on perishable material such as papyrus and wood.
14. The prophet Nahum called Nineveh the _____ city.
Answer: Bloody
15. How did the Assyrians treat the people they defeated?
Answer: With great cruelty
16. What type of siege engine did the Assyrians use to break down walls?
Answer: Battering ram
17. Traces of red paint have been found on the depictions of a castle siege. What did the red depict?
Answer: Fire
18. In what century and where was the first account of the Gilgamesh Epic discovered?
Answer: 19th century - Assyrian library in Nineveh
19. It is supposed to be the account that a man told Gilgamesh about how he survived the flood? What is the name of this man?
Answer: Utnapishtim
20. Gilgamesh was the king of what city?
Answer: Erech
21. According to the Bible, this city was the beginning of the kingdom of what man?
Answer: Nimrod
22. What Bible prophecy (book and chapter) specifically describes the skepticism of the end times?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
23. What are two major ways that the Gilgamesh Epic shows itself to be a pagan fable as contrasted with the Bible's account of the Flood.
Answer: (1) Its gods (2) Its ark
24. In the first half of what century was the Black Obelisk of Shalmaneser found?
Answer: 19th
25. What does it depict?
Answer: Five foreign kings bringing tribute to Shalmaneser
26. What Hebrew king is depicted?
Answer: Jehu
27. In what clothing are this king and his servants dressed?
Answer: Long robes with decorated hems, peaked caps, pointed shoes
28. Does the Bible describe Jehu's tribute to the king of Assyria?
Answer: No
29. The Stela of Shalmaneser mentions what Hebrew king?
Answer: Ahab

30. What five Hebrew kings are mentioned in the records of Tiglath-pileser?
 Answer: Menahem, Omri, Pekah, Hoshea, Ahaz
31. What was the Babylonian name for Tiglath-pileser?
 Answer: Pul
32. What does Bet-Omri mean?
 Answer: House of Omri
33. Why is the northern kingdom of Israel called Bet-Omri?
 Answer: Omri founded Samaria.
34. How are the Jews dressed in the Astartu Relief?
 Answer: Fringed robes, skull caps, pointed shoes
35. What are six facts about the destruction of Nineveh that were written beforehand in Bible prophecy?
 Answer: (1) Long siege (2) Palace breached by a flood (3) The defenders were drunk. (4) The fortifications were destroyed by fire. (5) The enemy's chariots ran abreast in the city's streets. (6) Nineveh would be left utterly waste.

Review Questions on Hezekiah and His Times

1. Hezekiah came to power about how many years after Nineveh repented at Jonah's preaching?
 Answer: 80 years
2. What are three types of cruelty that the Assyrians practiced against their enemies?
 Answer: Flaying alive, impaling, cutting off limbs, burning, decapitation
3. Samaria was the capitol of what kingdom?
 Answer: Northern Israel
4. What Assyrian king started the siege against Samaria?
 Answer: Shalmaneser V
5. In what year of Hezekiah's reign did this siege begin?
 Answer: 6th
6. Where is this siege described in the historical books of the Old Testament (book and chapters)?
 Answer: 2 Kings 17-18
7. What Assyrian king concluded the siege with the destruction of Samaria?
 Answer: Sargon II
8. How did the Samaritans originate?
 Answer: Northern Israel was repopulated with pagan people by the Assyrians.
9. When was Sargon's palace discovered by archaeologists thus disproving the Bible critics who doubted his existence?
 Answer: 1840
10. What three things do Sargon's own records confirm about the Bible's account of the destruction of Samaria and ensuing events?
 Answer: (1) Samaria was conquered, (2) the Jews were taken away captive (3) people were brought in from other countries to repopulate the land

11. What Assyrian king attacked the cities of Judah in the 14th year of Hezekiah and laid siege to Lachish?
Answer: Sennacherib
12. Where was Lachish located in reference to Jerusalem and how was its position strategically important?
Answer: Southwest of Jerusalem - it was located on the road from Nineveh to Egypt
13. How did the Assyrians breach the city gates to enter the city?
Answer: They didn't breach the gates to enter the city.
14. How did Sennacherib commemorate the destruction of Lachish in pictorial format?
Answer: He decorated the walls of his palace with pictures of its siege and destruction.
15. In what decade was Lachish first excavated by archaeologists?
Answer: 1930s
16. What things did they find to confirm the account of Sennacherib's bas-reliefs?
Answer: Siege ramp, counter ramp, arrowheads, ballistae stones
17. What accounts are written on the Taylor Prism?
Answer: Five of Sennacherib's campaigns, including Lachish
18. Why did Hezekiah build his water tunnel?
Answer: He was preparing for a siege by Sennacherib.
19. The tunnel runs from where to where?
Answer: Kidron spring to the pool of Siloam
20. What was discovered in 1880 to help date the construction of the tunnel?
Answer: An inscription commemorating the tunnel's completion
21. What other dating method has shown that the tunnel was built in Hezekiah's day?
Answer: Radiometric measurements of plant life and stalactites and stalagmites
22. What are two names for the ancient Assyrian record describing the siege of Jerusalem by Sennacherib?
Answer: Sennacherib Prism or Taylor Prism
23. What are three of the ways that the Assyrian record of the siege agrees with the Bible?
Answer: (1) Israel was a powerful nation in that time. (2) Sennacherib was a proud boaster. (3) Sennacherib shut up Jerusalem. (4) Hezekiah gave tribute to Sennacherib. (5) The tribute in gold was 30 talents. (6) Sennacherib did not conquer Jerusalem.
24. What event at the very end of Sennacherib's life is described both in the Bible and in ancient Assyrian records?
Answer: He was killed by his sons.
25. The representatives of the king of what nation visited Hezekiah after he was healed of his sickness?
Answer: Babylon
26. Why did this king send representatives to Hezekiah and why did Hezekiah respond so enthusiastically?
Answer: They were seeking a military alliance against the Assyrians.

Review Questions on Medo-Persia, Israel, Luke's Writings

1. What kingdom conquered the Babylonian Empire?
Answer: Medo-Persia

2. King Cyrus was named before his birth by what Hebrew prophet and what chapter?
Answer: Isaiah 44
3. What is the significance of the Cyrus Cylinder?
Answer: It shows that Cyrus had the custom of restoring captives to their lands and assisting them in rebuilding their temples.
4. What is the biblical name for Susa?
Answer: Shushan
5. What three Biblical figures lived in this palace?
Answer: Nehemiah, Esther, Mordecai
6. What was the Persian name of King Ahasuerus?
Answer: Xerxes
7. Who began the building of the palace?
Answer: Darius
8. The throne room contained how many columns
Answer: 72
9. What museum has a room filled with artifacts from Susa?
Answer: The Louvre in Paris
10. What are three evidences for Hezekiah in the Israel Museum?
Answer: Hezekiah seal, Hezekiah's tunnel plaque, a plaque to mark his burial place
11. What evidence for Jeroboam is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: A seal inscribed with "Belonging to Shema servant of Jeroboam"
12. What evidence for the Lachish siege by Assyria is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: A copy of the relief from Sennacherib's palace depicting this event
13. What idol mentioned by name in the Bible is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: Baal
14. What evidence for Ahab's ivory palace was found at Samaria and is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: Ivories
15. What is the significance of the Tel Dan Stele?
Answer: It is the earliest reference to David's dynasty outside of the Bible.
16. What does the word "beit" mean?
Answer: House of
17. What evidence for Hazael king of Syria is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: The Tel Dan Stele
18. What evidence for Jezebel is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: A signet ring
19. What are two of the pagan symbols that are engraved on this object?
Answer: Cobra, ankh
20. What evidence for Caiaphas the high priest is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: His ossuary

21. What evidence for Sargon king of Assyria is located in the Israel Museum?
Answer: Sargon's cylinder
22. What was the Trumpeting stone found and how did it get there?
Answer: On the street beneath Robinson's Arch - it was thrown there by Roman soldiers in AD 70
23. What great historical witnesses to the authority of the Masoretic Hebrew Bible are in the Shrine of the Book museum?
Answer: Great Isaiah Scroll, Aleppo Codex
24. What passage says God assigned the Jews the task of keeping the Scripture?
Answer: Romans 3:1-2
25. Though the Jews did not _____ the Scripture, they _____ it.
Answer: Obey - Preserved
26. Who were the Masoretes?
Answer: Jewish scribes who preserved the Hebrew Old Testament
27. Who was Aaron Ben Asher?
Answer: One of the greatest of the Masorete scribes
28. About when was the Aleppo Codex written?
Answer: AD 900
29. What does the word "codex" mean?
Answer: Book
30. What is "Aleppo"?
Answer: A city in Syria
31. When was the Great Isaiah Scroll found and where?
Answer: In the 1940s in cave 1 at the Dead Sea
32. About how old is the Great Isaiah Scroll?
Answer: 150 BC
33. How does the Great Isaiah Scroll confirm God's promise to preserve His Word?
Answer: It is almost identical to the Masoretic text that is 1,000 years younger
34. Who was Baruch and what two archaeological evidence were found for his existence?
Answer: Jeremiah's secretary - a seal; Lachish letters
35. What are five important biblical events that occurred at the valley of Megiddo?
Answer: Barak defeated the Canaanites; Solomon built a fortress; Saul was killed; Ahaziah was killed; Josiah was killed
36. When was the first archaeological excavation of Megiddo?
Answer: 1903-1905
37. What evidence was found for Solomon's fortress?
Answer: A six-chamber gate; ruins of stables; ruins of a palace
38. Where was Caesarea Maritima located?
Answer: On the Mediterranean coast
39. What are two biblical events that occurred here?
Answer: Cornelius was saved and baptized; Paul was imprisoned

40. What evidence for Pilate was found here?
Answer: The Pilate Stone dedicating the Tiberium
41. Who built the palace at Megiddo?
Answer: Herod
42. What event described by Josephus occurred at Masada and in what year?
Answer: The Roman 10th Legion captured Jewish rebels - AD 74
43. When was the pavement in Pilate's Court located by archaeologists?
Answer: 1920s
44. What part of the Temple Mount contains original stones from the days when the New Testament was written?
Answer: The Western Wall
45. The Southern Steps were excavated beginning when?
Answer: 1968
46. The Southern Steps led to what?
Answer: The gates to the temple
47. What are the Temple Stones that were unearthed along the Western Wall?
Answer: The stones thrown from the temple mount by the Romans in AD 70
48. What warning did the Jews give to non-Jews in the Temple area?
Answer: Whoever enters the temple can be put to death
49. David's Palace was excavated by what Hebrew archaeologist?
Answer: Eliat Mazar
50. What is the significance of the two silver scrolls that were discovered in Jerusalem in the 1990s?
Answer: They are the oldest portions of Hebrew Scriptures in existence.
51. In what valley were the scrolls discovered?
Answer: Hinnom
52. What Scripture portion (book and chapter) do they contain?
Answer: Numbers 6
53. What German critic said Acts was not written until the last half of the 2nd century?
Answer: F.C. Baur
54. What archaeologist debunked this idea?
Answer: William Ramsay
55. Did this archaeologist start out his career as a Bible believer?
Answer: No
56. What convinced him that the book of Acts is accurate?
Answer: Archaeology
57. How did this archaeologist debunk the idea that Acts 14:6 was wrong in saying that Iconium was not in Lycaonia.
Answer: He unearthed a monument proving that Iconium was a Phrygian city.

58. How did this archaeologist debunk the idea that Quirinius was not governor of Syria during the census described in Luke 2?

Answer: He found that Quirinius was governor of Syria for two terms.

59. How did this archaeologist confirm Luke's use of the Greek term *politarchs* in Acts 17:6?

Answer: He found inscriptions using that title.

Review Questions on Evolution Introduction

1. According to the Answers in Genesis survey, how many children who grow up in "conservative" churches are gone by college age?

Answer: 2/3rds

2. What caused Dr. Richard Lumsden to begin questioning evolution?

Answer: He was challenged by a student about the evidence for evolution.

4. What is the gospel of evolution in a nutshell?

Answer: No God, no purpose, no eternal life

5. If evolution is true, why does it not matter how men live or what they believe?

Answer: It doesn't

6. What book and chapter in the New Testament says that men are without excuse for not believing in God?

Answer: Romans 1

7. What are the two evidences that God has given of Himself to all men and what book of the Bible describes these evidences?

Answer: Creation, conscience - Romans

8. Even evolutionists describe the human body as _____.

Answer: Miraculous

9. What is the law of cause and effect?

Answer: Every effect must have a sufficient cause to explain it.

10. What verse in the Bible describes this law?

Answer: Hebrews 3:4

11. What example does this verse give of the law of cause and effect?

Answer: A house

12. Why did Jesus give the parables in Matthew 13?

Answer: To hide truth from those who will not believe.

13. In what book and chapter of the Bible does Abraham say that if a man will not believe the Scripture he will not believe even if we witness a resurrection?

Answer: Luke 16

14. Who was Simon Greenleaf?

Answer: Harvard law professor

15. Greenleaf said, "Christianity does not profess to convince the _____ and _____."

Answer: Perverse - head-strong

16. According to Romans 1, why do men suppress the evidence for God?

Answer: They love unrighteousness

17. What verse says that the devil blinds the minds of those who do not believe?
Answer: 2 Cor. 4:4
18. What verse says that before salvation men are dead in trespasses and sins?
Answer: Ephesians 2:1
19. What verse says that before salvation men walk according to the prince of the power of the air?
Answer: Ephesians 2:2
20. How does spiritual enlightenment first come?
Answer: Salvation
21. What book and chapter says that when man's heart turns to God the veil of darkness is taken away?
Answer: 2 Cor. 3
22. What book and chapter teaches that the believer has an indwelling unction or teacher?
Answer: 1 John 2
23. Why do some young people in Christian homes turn away from faith in Christ?
Answer: They aren't born again.
24. What does John 2:23-24 mean when it says that some believed in Christ, but He did not give Himself to them?
Answer: Christ knew that their faith was not saving faith.
25. In what way can every person be a scientist?
Answer: By investigating things for himself
26. What verse says that God has hidden truth from the "wise" and revealed them unto "babes"?
Answer: Matthew 11:25
27. What does this mean?
Answer: God reveals truth to those who humble themselves before Him.
28. What verse says that we must prove all things?
Answer: 1 Thess. 5:21
29. What verse commends the Bereans for proving all things by God's Word?
Answer: Acts 17:11
30. What book and chapter warns about "science falsely so called"?
Answer: 1 Timothy 6
31. What is science falsely so called?
Answer: It purports to be science, but it isn't true.
32. Who is the inventor of the MRI?
Answer: Raymond Damadian
33. According to this man, how much evidence is there for evolution?
Answer: Non-existent
34. What does this man call evolution?
Answer: Science fiction
35. What are three benefits of creation science material?
Answer: (1) Protecting believers (2) Teaching analytical thinking and sound argumentation (3) Teaching lessons about God's character

36. What book and chapter of the Bible contains a prophecy of the coming of scoffers in the end times?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
37. According to this prophecy, what kind of ignorance are these scoffers guilty of?
Answer: Willful
38. According to this prophecy, what motivates these scoffers?
Answer: Their own lusts
39. What are three Bible events that are denied by the scoffers?
Answer: Creation, Flood, Christ's second coming
40. What is theistic evolution?
Answer: The idea that God used evolution to create the world.
41. What phrase in Genesis 1 indicates that it is speaking of literal 24-hour days?
Answer: "the evening and the morning"
42. What did Jesus teach about Genesis 1-2?
Answer: He treats Genesis as history.
43. How many of the New Testament writers quote Genesis 1-11 as history?
Answer: Seven
44. About how many times are Genesis 1-11 cited in the New Testament?
Answer: 100
45. How many times is Adam named in the New Testament?
Answer: Nine
46. If there was not a literal fall of man as described in Genesis 3, what effect does this have on the gospel of Jesus Christ?
Answer: If there was no literal fall, there is no need for salvation.
47. Since Adam is in Christ's genealogy, what does this tell us about Adam?
Answer: He was a real man.
48. The Bible says everything was made to reproduce "after its kind." How does this differ from the teaching of evolution?
Answer: Evolution teaches that everything evolved from one creature.
49. According to the teaching of Genesis, how does man differ from the animals?
Answer: Man is made in God's image.
50. In what way are scientists motivated not to criticize evolution?
Answer: They are persecuted if they criticize evolution.
51. In what video documentary does Ben Stein examine the persecution of scientists and professors who dare to question Darwinism?
Answer: Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed
52. Who was Charles Lyell and what was his objective?
Answer: He invented the doctrine of uniformitarianism - he wanted to drive men "out of the Mosaic record."
53. What did Charles Darwin call the doctrine of eternal torment?
Answer: A damnable doctrine

54. What has driven some evolutionists to believe in space aliens?
Answer: They can't find a scientific explanation for life occurring on earth.
55. Julian Huxley said that Darwin's achievement was what?
Answer: To remove the idea of God as the Creator
56. Who was Julian Huxley?
Answer: Grandson of Thomas Huxley
57. Who said, "We cannot allow a Divine Foot in the door"??
Answer: Richard Lewontin
58. According to this man, what is the evolutionist's "prior commitment"?
Answer: Materialism
59. What is a recent example of how science has erred by its faith in evolution?
Answer: Junk DNA
60. What book and chapter teaches us how to deal with skeptics?
Answer: 2 Timothy 2
61. According to this chapter, what is the preparation necessary to deal with skeptics?
Answer: Bible knowledge
62. According to this passage, what are three characteristics of the right attitude of those who can help skeptics?
Answer: Gentle, meek, patient
63. What are foolish questions?
Answer: Questions that are designed to hide truth
64. Why should such questions not be answered?
Answer: They only result in debates.
65. What are two characteristics of the dogs and pigs of Matthew 7:6?
Answer: (1) They do not value truth. (2) They hate those who preach it.
66. What verse says the words of false teachers can deceive the hearts of the simple?
Answer: Romans 16:18
67. Why is it necessary for young people to separate from the things of the world in order to know the truth?
Answer: Worldliness produces carnality and lack of spiritual understanding.

Review Questions on a History of Evolution

1. Name an ancient Greek philosophy that taught evolution.
Answer: Epicureans
2. How was the spread of theological liberalism like ivy?
Answer: It slept in the 18th century, crept in the 19th, and leapt in the 20th
3. Who was Erasmus Darwin's famous grandson?
Answer: Charles
4. When did Erasmus Darwin die?
Answer: 1802

5. What was his family symbol and motto?
Answer: Three scallop shells - E. conchis omnia
6. What did this motto mean?
Answer: Everything from shells
7. Erasmus believed that everything has risen from an original _____.
Answer: Living filament
8. What did Erasmus call God?
Answer: The vast unknown
9. What was the name of Erasmus Darwin's two-volume book in which he taught the theory of evolution?
Answer: Zoonomia
10. Erasmus' wife was _____ in a religious age.
Answer: Non-religious
11. Erasmus called religious hope of salvation _____ hope.
Answer: superstitious
12. What did Erasmus believe about the fear of hell?
Answer: It is a psychological disease.
13. Erasmus was a close friend of what French skeptic?
Answer: Voltaire
14. The Unitarian Josiah Wedgwood was the grandfather of Charles Darwin's _____.
Answer: Wife
15. Who is the father of geological "uniformitarianism"?
Answer: Charles Lyell
16. How did he use geology to overthrow the teaching of the Bible?
Answer: He taught that the earth's layers were formed over millions of years.
17. This man wanted to "drive men out of the _____ record."
Answer: Mosaic
18. In what year did Charles Darwin die?
Answer: 1882
19. Charles' mother was what religion?
Answer: Unitarian
20. What religious view did Charles' father hold?
Answer: He was a skeptic
21. Charles said the Bible was "no more to be trusted than the sacred books of the _____."
Answer: Hindus
22. What was the name of Charles' most influential book?
Answer: On the Origin of the Species
23. What year was this book published?
Answer: 1859
24. Thomas Huxley was called Darwin's _____.
Answer: Bulldog

25. Huxley and his skeptic friends wanted to break the _____ shackles.
Answer: Creationist
26. What hammer did Huxley and his friends find to break these shackles”?
Answer: Darwinian evolution
27. Huxley wanted to “see the _____ of Science on the _____ of her Enemies.”
Answer: Foot - necks
28. Huxley’s largest book was on what subject?
Answer: Biblical criticism
29. What did Huxley believe about Jehovah God?
Answer: He is a product of evolution
30. What did Huxley call the Bible’s record of Jesus casting out demons?
Answer: Preposterous and immoral
31. In what way was Huxley’s day a great turning point in Western history?
Answer: The Bible’s authority was greatly diminished.
32. What preacher of that day said that skepticism was flashing from the pulpits?
Answer: Charles Spurgeon
33. What man preached in defense of the verbal inspiration of the Bible at Oxford University in Huxley’s day?
Answer: John Burgon
34. This man said, “At the root of the whole mischief of these last days lies _____ in the _____ as the Word of God.”
Answer: Disbelief - Bible
35. This man said, “The Bible is none other than the voice of him that sitteth upon the throne! Every _____ of it,—every _____ of it,—every _____ of it,—every _____ of it,—every _____ of it,—is the direct utterance of the most high!”
Answer: Book - chapter - verse - word - syllable - letter
36. This man said, “He who surrenders the _____ _____ of his Bible surrenders all.”
Answer: First page
37. Where was Charles Darwin buried?
Answer: Westminster Cathedral
38. What was the name of the organization that Huxley founded to control science in England?
Answer: X Club
39. What became a new religion in Huxley’s day?
Answer: Science
40. What are two things that Huxley used to promote evolution?
Answer: Education; the printed page
41. Who was the first victim of the Darwinian inquisition?
Answer: George Mivart
42. What video documentary describes Darwinian persecution today?
Answer: Expelled No Intelligence Allowed

43. What term did Huxley coin to describe his view of God?

Answer: Agnosticism

44. What does this term mean?

Answer: No knowledge

45. Why is it not possible to defend a code of absolute morality while believing in evolution?

Answer: According to evolution, there is no God, life has no purpose, and man is an animal, so there cannot be absolute morality.

46. What is a Bible command that Huxley's wife disobeyed when she married a skeptic?

Answer: 2 Corinthians 6:14

Review Questions on Natural Selection

1. What is another term for natural selection?

Answer: Survival of the fittest

2. Describe natural selection.

Answer: Traits that improve a creature's chance for survival are preserved for future generations, and in this way small beneficial changes direct evolution.

3. How did a drought on the Galapagos Islands result in finches with larger beaks?

Answer: The larger finches survived because they could eat the larger, tougher seeds.

4. Darwin wanted to provide a mechanism to explain _____ apart from _____.

Answer: Life - God

5. Douglas Futuyma defined Darwinism as what?

Answer: The theory of random, purposeless variations acted on by blind, purposeless natural selection.

6. Richard Dawkins said natural selection is the _____, unconscious process.

Answer: Blind

7. Peter Atkins said, "all the extraordinary, wonderful richness of the world can be expressed as growth from the dunghill of _____ interconnected corruption"

Answer: Purposeless

8. What are four reasons why we reject the doctrine of natural selection?

Answer: (1) Natural selection can only explain minor variations. (2) Natural selection can only "select"; it cannot build. (3) Natural selection cannot see the future or work toward a goal, so it would not select something that would not be helpful for the creature's immediate survival. (4) Natural selection requires competition for "survival of the fittest," but nature shows more symbiosis than fighting.

9. What was the full title of Darwin's famous book?

Answer: On the Origin of Species by Means of Natural Selection

10. Why is this title a false statement?

Answer: Darwin did not prove that species can arise by natural selection.

11. Why do evolutionists say that the apple maggot proves evolution?

Answer: It changed from eating apples to eating hawthorn fruit.

12. Why does the apple maggot *not* prove evolution?

Answer: It is still a maggot.

13. According to evolution, the bird evolved from what?
Answer: A small dinosaur
14. What are the first three great changes that would be necessary for this to happen?
Answer: (1) A heavy earth-bound body would have to evolve into a light-weight, aerodynamic one. (2) Solid bones would have to evolve into hollow bones that are light but strong. (3) Scales would have to evolve into complex flight feathers.
15. How could natural selection produce these changes?
Answer: It could not.
16. What does DNA stand for?
Answer: DeoxyriboNucleic Acid
17. What did Charles Darwin know about DNA when he wrote his famous book?
Answer: Nothing
18. What two men received a Nobel Prize for the discovery of the structure of DNA?
Answer: James Watson and Francis Crick
19. In what year did they receive this prize?
Answer: 1962
20. The DNA is packed into packages called what?
Answer: Chromosomes
21. About how many cells does a human have?
Answer: 10 to 100 trillion
22. Each cell is more complicated than a modern _____.
Answer: City
23. The DNA in each cell contains information equivalent to at least how many 500-page books?
Answer: 1000
24. DNA is like a _____ for a house.
Answer: Blueprint
25. DNA contains the _____ to make a person.
Answer: Instructions
26. If all of the DNA in your cells were stretched out it would reach to the sun and back at least _____ times.
Answer: Four
27. The sun is how far away?
Answer: 93 million miles
28. The cell builds the parts of the body by building _____.
Answer: Proteins
29. The child receives its DNA from its _____ and _____.
Answer: Father and mother
30. What is the name of the man who experimented with mice to test the theory of evolution?
Answer: Fredrich Weismann
31. What experiment did he perform and what was the result?
Answer: Cutting off the tails of mice for 19 generations - there was no change in the mice

32. What man had a theory about how the giraffe got its long neck?
Answer: Jean Lamarck
33. What was his theory?
Answer: The giraffe got its long neck by stretching to reach higher branches of trees.
34. Did “natural selection” actually create larger beaks in the finch in the Galapagos Islands?
Answer: No
35. Where did the information for the larger beaks come from?
Answer: From DNA
36. If a dinosaur grew part of a bird’s leg or part of a wing, how would this help it to survive?
Answer: It wouldn’t help it to survive.
37. According to evolution, how did the whale evolve?
Answer: A 4-legged land mammal went into the water and turned into a whale over millions of years.
38. If a land creature starting growing a flipper in the place of one of its legs, what would happen to that creature?
Answer: It would be crippled.
39. How does nature disprove the idea of “survival of the fittest”?
Answer: The fittest aren’t the only ones that survive.
40. According to Charles Townes, how do the laws of physics disprove evolution?
Answer: “If the laws of physics weren’t just the way they are, we couldn’t be here at all.”
41. What fish is the snapping shrimp dependent on for sight?
Answer: Goby fish
42. What are four ways that orchids pollinate?
Answer: Nectar; odor; color; mimicry; sexual deception; traps; roads; shooting pollen
43. What is a glaring problem with the idea of “co-evolution”?
Answer: It is impossible for such a vast amount of perfect genetic information to co-evolve at the same time.
44. Darwin predicted that a moth with an 11-inch proboscis would be found that pollinates the Madagascar orchid, and such a moth was found. Why does this not prove that his theory of evolution is true?
Answer: The existence of the moth doesn’t explain how the moth evolved.
45. What insight did Dr. Suzanne Simard gain from studying trees and how does this disprove Darwin’s theory of natural selection?
Answer: The community effect; interconnectivity - Darwin’s theory requires competition
46. What are mycelial networks?
Answer: Fungi below ground that interact with plants
47. What is mycorrhizae?
Answer: The fungi-root system
48. One thimbleful of healthy soil contains how much living fungal filaments?
Answer: Miles
49. How does natural selection account for the origin of life?
Answer: It cannot

Review Questions on Mutations

1. What field of research in the 20th century made scientists understand that natural selection cannot explain the evolution of creatures?
Answer: Genetic research
2. What are two names for the new evolutionary theory?
Answer: Neo-Darwinism - new synthesis
3. What are mutations?
Answer: Errors in the genetic process
4. Richard Dawkins says that mutations are the _____ in which new variation enters the species.
Answer: Only way
5. What are the first three reasons why we believe that mutations cannot cause evolution?
Answer: (1) Known mutations are either neutral or harmful. (2) Mutations do not add information to the DNA. (3) There are repair mechanisms within the cell that stop mutations.
6. Dr. Duane Gish says that mutations are “almost universally _____.”
Answer: Harmful
7. Proteins are made up of what components?
Answer: Strings of amino acids
8. Large proteins can have how many of these components?
Answer: Hundreds of thousands
9. What is the most complicated man-made machine ever made and how many parts did it have?
Answer: The Space Shuttle - 2.5 million
10. What does sickle cell anemia do to the blood cell?
Answer: Changes its shape.
11. What is the cause of sickle cell anemia?
Answer: A tiny error in the hemoglobin protein
12. How does the normal shape of the blood cell allow it to travel through tiny capillaries?
Answer: It can bend easily and recover its shape.
13. Dr. Michael Behe argues that sickle cell is about _____.
Answer: De-volution
14. What is the biblical explanation for mutations?
Answer: Man’s fall
15. What passage (book and chapter) says the whole creation groaneth and travails in pain?
Answer: Romans 8
16. Other than sickle cell anemia, what are two other diseases caused by mutations?
Answer: Cystic fibrosis, Progeria
17. What does mtDNA stand for?
Answer: Mitochondrial DNA
18. What is the function of mtDNA?
Answer: It produces ATP, which is the cell’s energy source.

19. Why is mtDNA more prone to mutations?

Answer: The mtDNA doesn't have the error correcting mechanisms that the DNA in the cell's nucleus has.

20. How many medical books have been written to describe beneficial mutations?

Answer: None

21. Mutations either _____ the existing genetic code or _____ it.

Answer: Subtract - modify

22. Who is Dr. Ian Macreadie?

Answer: Principal research scientist at the Bimolecular Research Institute of Australia

23. Dr. Macreadie says, "You _____ see any _____ information arising in a cell."

Answer: Never - new

24. Where did Dr. Lee Spetner work?

Answer: Johns Hopkins University

25. According to Dr. Spetner, "Not even one mutation has been observed that adds a little _____ to the genome."

Answer: Information

26. Dr. Spetner says that the failure to observe even one mutation that adds information is evidence _____ the theory of evolution.

Answer: Against

27. Who is Werner Arber?

Answer: Pioneer in DNA research who received a Nobel Prize in Physiology

28. Arber stated that "the deeper we penetrate in the studies of _____ exchange the more we discover a multitude of mechanisms" involved in human genetics that _____ the mutation plus natural selection core of macroevolution.

Answer: genetic - falsify

29. According to evolutionists, how does the *Staphylococcus* bacterium demonstrate that mutations can drive evolution?

Answer: It builds resistance to penicillin.

30. Why is this *not* an example of evolution?

Answer: There is no addition of genetic information.

31. At the end of the day, the *Staphylococcus* bacterium remains a _____ bacterium.

Answer: *Staphylococcus*

32. What is the evolutionist's bait and switch tactic?

Answer: They use the term "evolution" to describe simple adaptability within a species, and then use this to prove that kind-to-kind "evolution" is possible.

33. What are two ways that bacteria achieve immunity to antibiotics?

Answer: (1) Some of the bacteria already have immunity to a certain antibiotic. (2) Some bacteria gain immunity by a loss of genetic information.

34. Mutations such as bacterial immunity to antibiotics are the pathway to _____ rather than of upward evolution.

Answer: Degradation of the creature

35. The living cell has what mechanisms to stop mutations from happening or from being distributed?
Answer: Repair
36. Geneticist James Shapiro calls this a “_____ system.”
Answer: Multilayered proofreading
37. “All cells on planet earth are working very hard to _____ the very thing that supposedly created them.”
Answer: Prevent
38. When did the fruit fly experiments begin and what was the objective?
Answer: Early 1900s - to prove that mutations can change one creature into something else
39. How have the fruit fly experiments disproven evolution?
Answer: The fruit fly remains a fruit fly.
40. How have the fruit fly experiments proven that the Bible is true?
Answer: The fruit fly reproduces after its own kind.
41. What are the extra two “wings” on the four-winged fruit fly?
Answer: Halteres
42. Why are these extra “wings” not proof that mutations can produce new organs and creatures?
Answer: These are not new organs.
43. Dr. Jonathan Wells summarizes the result of the fruit fly experiments by saying there are only what three possible outcomes?
Answer: (1) A normal fruit fly. (2) A defective fruit fly. (3) A dead fruit fly.
44. Who was Luther Burbank?
Answer: A pioneer in agricultural science
45. After a lifetime of plant experiments, Burbank said, “There are _____ to the development possible.”
Answer: Limits
46. Francis Hitching says, “The genetic code in each living thing has its own _____.”
Answer: Built-in limitations
47. Why will the icon of evolution by mutation eventually disappear from textbooks?
Answer: Mutations do not produce new organs and creatures.
48. Why is it difficult to answer the claims of geneticists?
Answer: It is difficult to understand genetics without special training.
49. Where can the Bible believer get information to answer these claims?
Answer: Creation geneticists such as Georgia Purdom and Joseph Francis.
50. How many times does Genesis 1 say that God made everything to reproduce after its own kind?
Answer: 10

Review Questions on Billions of Years

1. Who was the father of uniformitarian geology?
Answer: Charles Lyell

2. What was this man's objective?
Answer: To destroy the authority of the Genesis record
3. What does "uniformitarian" mean?
Answer: Uniformitarianism is the idea that the earth's layers are the result of a gradual process that occurred over millions of years.
4. When was radiometric dating invented?
Answer: Early 20th century
5. Who received a Nobel Prize for the discovery of carbon-14 dating and when did he receive this?
Answer: W.F. Libby - 1960
6. What is the principle of radiometric dating?
Answer: The unstable isotope of an atomic element decays at a set rate to form a stable element.
7. Atomic elements are made up of what three parts?
Answer: Protons, neutrons, electrons
8. What is an isotope?
Answer: The form of an element, such as carbon and oxygen, that has a different number of neutrons
9. Carbon-14 can be used to date what type of things?
Answer: Things that were once composed of living plant or animal matter
10. What is radioactive decay?
Answer: An element that is unstable and adjusts to become stable
11. How does carbon-14 get into animals?
Answer: By eating plants or eating plant-eating animals
12. What is the half-life of carbon-14?
Answer: 5730 years
13. After how many years should carbon-14 be completely gone?
Answer: 100,000 years
14. What are igneous rocks?
Answer: Rocks made of the cooling of magma or lava
15. What are three assumptions that evolutionists make about radiometric dating?
Answer: (1) The original number of unstable atoms can be known. (2) The rate of change was constant. (3) The daughter atoms were all produced by radioactive decay.
16. How do scientists factor the creation and global flood into their dating methods?
Answer: They don't.
17. If you enter a room and find a burning candle, what are two reasons you cannot measure the rate of burn at the present and thereby determine how long it has been burning?
Answer: (1) You must know how high the candle was when it was last lit. (2) You must know how fast it was burning originally.
18. If you find an hourglass running, what are three reasons why you cannot measure the rate of flow at the present and thereby determine how long it has been flowing?
Answer: (1) You must know whether there was any sand in the bottom when the hourglass was first turned over. (2) You must know if any sand has been added or removed. (3) You must know if the sand has always been falling at a constant rate.

19. How has evolutionary dating been refuted by carbon-14 testing?
Answer: Measurable carbon has been found in coal which is supposed to be millions of years old, but if the coal is older than 100,000 years, it would not have any measurable carbon.
20. What was the full name of the RATE project by eight Ph.D. scientists to test radiometric dating?
Answer: Radioisotopes and the Age of The Earth
21. That radiometric dating systems give widely different dates is called what?
Answer: Anomaly factor
22. According to radiometric dating, rocks from the Beartooth Mountains were from _____ to _____ billion years old.
Answer: 1.5 billion to 2.6 billion
23. The published dates always conform to _____ dates.
Answer: Expected
24. How do polystrate fossils point to a young earth?
Answer: They prove that the layers were laid down quickly before the tree could rot.
25. How do comet tails point to a young earth?
Answer: Comet tails would have evaporated if the comets were millions of years old.
26. Horse hoof prints are found in rocks dating to dinosaurs. How does this disprove evolutionary dating?
Answer: The horse supposedly evolved millions of years after the dinosaurs.
27. Why do biomaterials found in fossils point to a young earth?
Answer: Biomaterials would have disappeared if the fossils are millions of years old.
28. What are three biomaterials found in a mosasaur fossil at the Dinosaur Institute in Los Angeles?
Answer: (1) Retina pigment (2) dried blood (3) skin structures
29. What biomaterial was found in a fossil squid?
Answer: Ink

Review Questions on Ape Men

1. Francis Hitching said that the search for man's past is littered with vain hopes and _____.
Answer: Invented hominids
2. Zolly Zuckerman warned that the study of human ancestry is mainly concerned with _____ and _____.
Answer: Conjecture - speculation
3. Who was the father of ape-man research?
Answer: Ernest Haeckel
4. According to this man, what is the black man?
Answer: The lowest form of human ascending from the ape
5. How did he doctor his drawings of ape-men?
Answer: He made the men look more apelike and the apes more humanlike.
6. Who discovered "Java Man"?
Answer: Eugene Dubois

7. This man found an ape skull and a human thighbone how far apart?
Answer: 50 feet
8. What evidence was there that the skull and thighbone were from the same individual?
Answer: None
9. What had this man find in the same place as the “Java Man” skull which he kept secret?
Answer: Two human skulls
10. What was the significance of this finding?
Answer: It proved that he had found humans living near apes at that time and place.
11. How long was Piltdown Man used as evidence for evolution?
Answer: 40 years
12. When was it discovered?
Answer: 1912
13. Who was the first man to find the bones?
Answer: Charles Dawson
14. Why was it called “Piltdown”?
Answer: It was found in a gravel pit at a place called Piltdown.
15. What had been done to the bones to deceive people?
Answer: They had been treated with chemicals to make them look old.
16. Nebraska Man was invented on the basis of what evidence?
Answer: A single tooth
17. What was the name of the scientist who promoted Nebraska Man as evidence for evolution?
Answer: Henry Osborn
18. What was the famous trial where this evidence was used?
Answer: Scopes Trial
19. Nebraska Man turned out to be what?
Answer: A pig
20. In what year were the first bones of Neanderthal found?
Answer: 1860
21. Why was it called Neanderthal?
Answer: The bones were found in the Neanderthal Valley in Germany.
22. Who was the first man to proclaim that Neanderthal was an ape-man?
Answer: Ernst Haeckle
23. When did evolutionists start re-examining Neanderthal?
Answer: 1960s
24. He was reclassified as what?
Answer: *Homo sapiens neanderthalensis*
25. Who discovered the bones of the fossil called “Lucy”?
Answer: Donald Johanson
26. In what year were the bones found?
Answer: 1974

27. About how tall was Lucy?
Answer: 3.5 feet
28. What is the evolutionary name for Lucy?
Answer: *Australopithecus afarensis*
29. Is there a scientific consensus of opinion that Lucy walked upright like a man?
Answer: No
30. Randy Susman and Jack Stern said Lucy's hands and feet are _____ and _____, typical of a _____ ape.
Answer: Long - curved - tree-dwelling
31. In 1984, what scientist at what school concluded that Lucy is "irrevocably removed from a place in the evolution of human bipedalism."
Answer: Charles Oxnard - University of Southern California
32. What are three ways that the models of Lucy are false?
Answer: They depict (1) human hands (2) upright walking (3) human feet
33. What are four major things that the ape would have to evolve to become human?
Answer: (1) Human posture (2) Human hand (3) Human intelligence (4) Human speech
34. The ape's hand has been called what?
Answer: The foot hand

Review Questions on the Fossil Record

1. Why did Darwin know that the fossil record did not provide evidence for his "theory"?
Answer: It didn't contain enormous amounts of "missing links."
2. How did he answer this problem?
Answer: He said the fossil record was too incomplete in his day.
3. Why can this no longer be used as an excuse?
Answer: There are an estimated 200 million fossils in museums.
4. What is the evolutionary geological column?
Answer: Layers of earth containing three ages of evolution.
5. What are the three major eras of the geological time scale and what are the evolutionary dates given for these eras?
Answer: **Paleozoic** (570 to 245 million years ago), **Mesozoic** (245-66 million years ago), **Cenozoic** (66 million years ago to the present)
6. These are further divided into how many divisions?
Answer: 12
7. In which of these eras was the Cambrian Age?
Answer: Paleozoic
8. What are four problems with the geological column?
Answer: (1) Missing strata (2) The eras are often jumbled together (3) Fossilized trees pierce geological layers (4) out-of-place fossils

9. What is an unconformity?
Answer: Large chunks of geological history that are missing between layers
10. How many examples of unconformity are found in the Grand Canyon?
Answer: 14
11. What is one example of an unconformity in the Grand Canyon and how much evolutionary time is missing there?
Answer: There is nothing between the supposed Cambrian and Precambrian layers.
12. What is an “out of place” fossil?
Answer: A fossil that is found in a strata where it shouldn’t be found by evolutionary dating.
13. What is an example of an out-of-place fossil pertaining to horse hoof prints?
Answer: In Uzbekistan, horse hoof prints were found in rocks dating to the dinosaurs.
14. Why do fossilized trees that pierce multiple geological layers present a problem for evolution?
Answer: It is impossible for a tree to fossilize if it is exposed over millions of years.
15. What word did Charles Darwin use to describe the number of “intermediate varieties” of creatures that must have existed if his theory were true?
Answer: Enormous
16. What Ph.D. traveled to major museums in search of “missing links”?
Answer: Carl Werner
17. Francis Hitching said, “[The intermediates] are simply _____ in the evolutionary ladder-- disconnected links in a _____ chain”
Answer: Speculative candidates - hypothetical
18. Stephen Gould said the species of creatures appear in the fossil record “all at _____ and “fully _____.”
Answer: Once - Formed
19. According to evolutionists Raup and Stanley, animals appear in the fossil record _____.”
Answer: Abruptly
20. What is the Cambrian Explosion?
Answer: The sudden appearance of creatures in the Cambrian layer
21. When did this happen, according to evolutionists?
Answer: 500 to 600 million years ago
22. How does the Cambrian Explosion disprove evolution?
Answer: There is no evidence of evolution; the creatures appear fully formed.
23. How does the trilobite’s eye refute evolution?
Answer: It had as many as 15,000 lenses per eye and is not simple.
24. The fact that creatures appear in the fossil record and do not change is called what?
Answer: Stasis
25. How is this an evidence against evolution?
Answer: According to evolution, creatures continually evolved different features.
26. What famous geologist said, “The past is the key to the present”?
Answer: Charles Lyell

27. What did he mean by this?
Answer: Conditions have remained the same over millions of years of time.
28. What is the name of this theory of geology?
Answer: Uniformitarianism
29. In what way is this theory being rejected by geologists today?
Answer: They acknowledge massive local floods and other catastrophic events.
30. What are some geologists calling themselves?
Answer: Neo-catastrophists
31. What volcano has provided a laboratory to test evolutionary theories of geology?
Answer: Mt. Saint Helens
32. Where is this volcano located?
Answer: Washington state
33. In what year did this volcano erupt?
Answer: 1980
34. How did this volcanic explosion disprove the evolutionary theory that rock layers and canyons are formed over millions of years?
Answer: Rock layers and canyons were formed in a few hours, days, and weeks.
35. What is sedimentary rock?
Answer: Rock formed by sediment laid down by moving water
36. About how much of the earth is covered with sedimentary rock?
Answer: 70%
37. How many fossils are being produced under normal conditions?
Answer: Zero
38. When animals die, what happens to keep them from becoming fossilized?
Answer: They are quickly consumed.
39. What type of animal lived by the millions in North America and left no fossils?
Answer: Bison
40. What type of animal formerly lived in Israel and left no fossils?
Answer: Lions
41. The Chicago Field Museum says that fossilization occurs when dead creatures “soak in ground water for a long time.” Why is this not true?
Answer: Dead creatures that soak in water are completely and quickly destroyed.
42. The fact that there are millions of closed clams in fossil beds proves what?
Answer: The fossil claims were fossilized too quickly to open, as they normally do when they die.
43. How does the global flood explain the way that creatures are usually sorted in geological layers?
Answer: Bottom-dwelling sea creatures that lived near the shore are often found at the lower levels of the fossil strata.
44. What do evolutionists say about sea creature fossils that are found on mountains?
Answer: The land was lifted up over a long time to form the mountains with sea fossils on them.

45. Why is this theory not possible?

Answer: Fossilization doesn't happen over a long period of time.

46. How do we know that volcanic ash does not create fossils?

Answer: Mt. Saint Helens' ash didn't produce fossils.

47. What is rock made of volcanic lava called?

Answer: Igneous

Review Questions on Peppered Moth, Embryo Chart

1. Who was the man who first proposed the peppered moth as evidence for evolution?

Answer: Bernard Kettlewell

2. What famous photo did he publish?

Answer: A photo of two peppered moths seemingly resting on a tree trunk

3. What aspect of evolution is the peppered moth supposed to prove?

Answer: Natural selection

4. According to the theory, why did the number of dark moths increase?

Answer: The industrial pollution killed the lichen on the trees so that light-colored moths resting on the dark bark became more visible to birds and were eaten at a rate exceeding that of dark-colored moths.

5. What is the first reason why we reject the peppered moth as evidence for evolution?

Answer: The moths are still moths.

6. How have subsequent studies shown that the original conclusions were inaccurate?

Answer: The correlation between pollution and tree lichens and the color of moths is not consistent.

7. How was the evidence faked?

Answer: The moths were glued to the tree.

8. Where do peppered moths naturally rest?

Answer: Beneath small branches

9. Who is the author of *Icons of Evolution*?

Answer: Jonathan Wells

10. Who tried unsuccessfully to debunk this author's position on the peppered moth?

Answer: Kenneth Miller

11. What did this man charge the author of *Icons of Evolution* with?

Answer: Not presenting any data to back up his arguments

12. How was this charge not true?

Answer: *Icons of Evolution* provides a detailed examination of the scientific research.

13. How was the author of *Icons of Evolution* vindicated?

Answer: The man who tried to debunk *Icons of Evolution* changed his own textbook to remove the peppered moth.

14. Darwin said the embryo is "a _____ ... of the common parent-form of each great class of animals."

Answer: Picture

15. What Darwin disciple developed the law of recapitulation?
Answer: Ernst Haeckel
16. What does this “law” teach?
Answer: The human embryo progresses from a single cell to a fish to an amphibian to a reptile to a mammal to an ape to a human.
17. How does this man summarize his theory?
Answer: Ontogeny recapitulates phylogeny.
18. What do these words mean?
Answer: “Ontogeny” refers to the growth of the embryo; “phylogeny” refers to evolutionary history
19. What effect has the embryo chart had on many people such as Dr. Carl Werner?
Answer: It convinced them that evolution is true.
20. What famous child psychologist promoted Haeckel’s doctrine?
Answer: Benjamin Spock
21. Haeckel was guilty of _____ his embryo chart.
Answer: Fabricating
22. What embryologist exposed Haeckel in the 1990s?
Answer: Michael Richardson
23. This scientist called Haeckel an “embryonic _____.”
Answer: Liar
24. He said it is “one of the worst cases of scientific _____.”
Answer: Fraud
25. What are the supposed “gill slits” in the human embryo?
Answer: Wrinkles in the throat region
26. How has the evolutionary myth of recapitulation encouraged the modern abortion industry?
Answer: They claim that the human embryo is not fully human.
27. What did Haeckel recommend for physically or mentally handicapped infants?
Answer: A dose of morphine or cyanide
28. What famous astronomer argued for abortion on the grounds of Haeckel’s “theory”?
Answer: Carl Sagan
29. This scientist called the human embryo “a kind of _____.”
Answer: Parasite

Review Questions on Vestigial Organs, Homology, Bird Evolution

1. According to evolutionists, what are “vestigial organs”?
Answer: Organs left over from the evolutionary process
2. How many “vestigial organs” did Robert Wiedersheim list in his book *The Structure of Man* and in what year was this published?
Answer: 180 - 1893
3. How has science disproven the idea of “vestigial organs”?
Answer: Science has shown that the vestigial organs are fully functional.

4. By 1999, the number of “vestigial organs” had shrunk to how many?
Answer: Zero
5. What is the use of the tonsils?
Answer: Growth of the immune system
6. What causes wisdom teeth to develop improperly in some people?
Answer: Diet
7. What is the pinna?
Answer: Outer part of the ear
8. What are three functions of the pinna?
Answer: It amplifies, directs and filters sound.
9. What is a function of the appendix?
Answer: A storehouse for good bacteria to help digestion
10. What are two functions of the wings on the ostrich?
Answer: (1) To regulate body temperature (2) To act as rudders when running
11. What is the difference between the bones of an ostrich and the bones of a flying bird?
Answer: Ostrich bones aren't hollow.
12. What is homology?
Answer: Similarity between organs and creatures
13. How is the “Parade of Man” an example of homology?
Answer: It emphasizes the similarity between apes and man.
14. It could as easily be true that similar structures are the product of common _____ as common _____.
Answer: Design - origin
15. How much of the evolutionary argument from homology is based on assumption?
Answer: All of it
16. What is the major assumption underlying this argument?
Answer: Evolution has a mechanism that could create complex structures.
17. What are the two classic mechanisms of Darwinism?
Answer: Natural selection - mutations
18. Why is it impossible for natural selection to create complex structures?
Answer: Natural selection cannot create anything new; it can only select something already existing.
19. What is it impossible for genetic mutations to create complex structures?
Answer: They are overwhelmingly harmful.
20. Who was the father of the biological classification system?
Answer: Carl Linneaus
21. How do human digits and frog digits differ in their construction in the embryo?
Answer: In humans, cell death divides the ridge into five regions that then develop into digits. In frogs, the digits grow outward from buds as cells divide.
22. When was the first fossil *Archaeopteryx* found and in what country?
Answer: 1861 - Germany

23. Who first proposed that birds evolved from dinosaurs?

Answer: Thomas Huxley

24. What fossil did this man use as “evidence” for this?

Answer: *Archaeopteryx*

25. What is the title of Paul Chambers’ book about the history of *Archaeopteryx*?

Answer: Bones of Contention

26. What are the two major evolutionary theories about how birds evolved?

Answer: (1) Tree down (2) Ground up

26. Paul Chambers says, “Most now feel that the *Archaeopteryx* is actually a primitive _____ rather than a feathered reptile.”

Answer: Bird

27. World bird authority Alan Feduccia says the *Archaeopteryx* “is a _____.”

Answer: Bird

28. What type of feathers did the *Archaeopteryx* have?

Answer: Flying feathers

29. What type of bones did the *Archaeopteryx* have?

Answer: Hollow bones

30. A CT scan found that *Archaeopteryx* “had the keen sense of hearing, balance, spatial perception and coordination needed to _____.”

Answer: Fly

31. Francis Hitching says, “Every one of its supposed reptilian features can be found in various species of undoubted _____.”

Answer: Birds

32. What is significant about the fact that *Archaeopteryx* had teeth?

Answer: Nothing; a number of extinct birds had teeth.

33. What are the first four things that would be necessary for a reptile to change into a bird?

Answer: (1) A heavy earth-bound body would have to evolve into a light-weight, aerodynamic one. (2) Solid bones would have to evolve into hollow bones (3) Scales would have to evolve into complex flight feathers. (4) Bellows-like lungs would have to evolve into the avian sac-like lungs.

34. What are barbules and what is their purpose?

Answer: They are microscopic hooks that hold the flight feather together.

35. “Birds have a complicated system of air sacs, even involving the hollow bones. This system keeps air _____ in one _____ through special tubes.”

Answer: Flowing - direction

36. What is unique about the songbird’s voice box?

Answer: It enables the bird to produce independent sounds of two voices at once.

37. The Arctic Tern migrates _____ miles from the _____ to the _____?

Answer: 9,000 - Arctic - Antarctic

38. The dino-bird hypothesis has been most successfully promoted as an icon of evolution via the use of _____.

Answer: Evolutionary art

39. In evolutionary art, features are added to dinosaurs to make them look _____.

Answer: More like birds

40. Dr. Storrs Olson of the Smithsonian Institute referred to the practice of adding bird-like features to dinosaurs as “_____, _____, _____, melodramatic, _____, _____, _____, and a _____.”

Answer: Propaganda - hype - wishful thinking - nonsense - spurious - fantasia - hoax

Review Questions on the Horse Series, Whale Evolution, Miller Experiment

1. What does the “horse series” depict?

Answer: The supposed evolution of the horse

2. Who devised the horse series?

Answer: Othniel Marsh

3. Who did this man consult with?

Answer: Thomas Huxley

4. Where did the horse series first go on display?

Answer: Yale University’s Peabody Museum

5. What is the first alleged horse?

Answer: Hyracotherium

6. How many evolutionary steps are presented in the Peabody Museum’s horse series?

Answer: Six

7. The horse series is an exercise in _____.

Answer: Homology

8. George Simpson, who published a textbook on horse evolution, changed his mind and said, “The uniform, continuous transformation of *Hyracotherium* into *Equus*, so dear to the heart of generations of textbook writers, _____ in nature.”

Answer: Never happened

9. A gathering of evolutionists at the Chicago Field Museum in 1980 said, “The popularly told example of horse evolution ... has long been known to be wrong. Instead of gradual change, fossils of each intermediate species appear fully distinct, persist unchanged, and then become extinct. _____ forms are _____.”

Answer: Transitional - unknown

10. What are two major problems with the horse series?

Answer: (1) The various types of “horses” co-exist in the fossil record. (2) There is no reason to consider the first alleged horse any type of horse.

11. A fossil graveyard in what place contains five species of horses co-existing?

Answer: Nebraska

12. What name did Othniel Marsh give to the first “horse” and what does it mean?

Answer: Eohippus - dawn horse

13. Why would it have been impossible for this creature to run like a horse?

Answer: Its rear legs were much longer than its front legs.

14. Charles Darwin thought the whale evolved from the _____.
Answer: Bear
15. Most evolutionists today believe that the whale evolved from one of what two types of creatures?
Answer: Mesonyx or sinonyx
16. In what way was the reconstruction of the *Rodhocetus* unscientific?
Answer: The drawing showed flippers and a fluke type tail though there was no evidence for this.
17. Why was it unscientific in 2001 to depict the *Pakicetus* swimming underwater like a whale, propelling itself with fin-looking paws?
Answer: There was no evidence for this.
18. What happened to discredit this view of *Pakicetus*?
Answer: The discovery of more bones proved that it was strictly a land animal.
19. The *Basilosaurus* was a _____, whereas whales are _____.
Answer: Reptile - mammals
20. What are the two supposed evidences of whale evolution?
Answer: (1) Homology (2) Evolutionary naming system
21. The blue whale weighs the equivalent of how many people?
Answer: 2,500
22. Its tongue is the size and weight of an African _____.
Answer: Elephant
23. The sperm whale can dive to what depth?
Answer: 10,000 feet
24. What are four ways that the whale is designed to give birth in the sea?
Answer: (1) The babies are born tail first. (2) The mother whale's mammary glands have muscles that squirt the milk into the baby's mouth. (3) The baby whale's mouth fits snugly into its mother's body. (4) Its windpipe is elongated so milk cannot flow into its lungs.
25. What are three reasons we know that the whale's "vestigial hind legs" are no such thing?
Answer: (1) They are not attached to the whale's skeleton. (2) There is no pelvis or any mechanism associated with legs. (3) The bones are associated with the reproductive organs and are different in males and females.
26. What is the primordial soup?
Answer: It is the evolutionary idea that life arose spontaneously in an ancient atmosphere.
27. What does "pre-biotic" mean?
Answer: Before biological life
28. When did Stanley Miller perform his experiment?
Answer: 1953
29. Miller worked with what scientist?
Answer: Harold Urey
30. Upon completion of the experiment, *New Scientist* magazine announced that "life _____ itself."
Answer: Assembled
31. The Miller experiment is based on evolutionary _____.
Answer: Assumptions

32. It has been demonstrated that _____ has always been present in large quantities, and this discredits the Miller experiment.
Answer: Oxygen
33. What are two of the ways in which Miller added unnatural elements to his experiment?
Answer: (1) He trapped the hydrogen. (2) He protected organic products from being broken down.
34. Michael Pitman says that “earth’s tendency is not to produce proteins, DNA and other complex molecules, but to _____ them.”
Answer: Destroy
35. Did the Miller experiment produce any type of living thing?
Answer: No
36. Graham Cairns-Smith said the product of the Miller Experiment was “grossly _____.”
Answer: Contaminated gunks
37. Just one _____ molecule prevents the creation of proteins.
Answer: Right-handed
38. What name did Ernst Haeckel give to the mythical life that forms at the bottom of the sea?
Answer: Monera
39. He believed it was the basis for what?
Answer: The tree of life
40. The information in the DNA of one human cell is equivalent to a library of how many 500-page books
Answer: 4,000
41. Who was Francis Crick?
Answer: Co-discoverer of the DNA’s double helix structure
42. He said “the origin of life appears at the moment to be almost a _____.”
Answer: Miracle
43. Fred Hoyle called the idea of life evolving by chance in a primordial soup “_____ of a high order.”
Answer: Nonsense
44. What is the fatal flaw of every evolutionary origin of life “theory”?
Answer: It cannot bridge the barrier between non-life and life.

Review Questions on Icons of Creation

1. What is the proof that Isaac Newton gave for God’s existence?
Answer: The thumb
2. What is the “elephant in the room” for evolutionists?
Answer: Intelligent design
3. What Bible passage (book and chapter) says that the invisible things of God are seen in the creation?
Answer: Romans 1
4. What invisible things about God are evident in creation?
Answer: His eternal power and Godhead
5. Why do many men not see this evidence?
Answer: Their minds are darkened by rebellion.

6. What verse says the god of this world has blinded the minds of them which believe not?
Answer: 2 Cor 4:4
7. What is the watchmaker argument?
Answer: Just as a watch testifies to a designer, the creation testifies to a designer.
8. Who published that argument and when?
Answer: William Paley - 1802
9. When was this argument successfully refuted?
Answer: Never
10. How has the watchmaker argument grown stronger?
Answer: Knowledge of the complexity of life has increased.
11. What is “co-evolution”?
Answer: The idea that creatures such as butterflies and flowers could evolve at the same time.
12. What are the four stages of the butterfly’s metamorphosis?
Answer: Egg, larva, pupa, adult
13. While in the pupa stage, the caterpillar dissolves into a cellular liquid referred to as _____.
Answer: Soup
14. Why is the generation of monarchs that flies to Mexico called the “Methuselah Generation”?
Answer: They live longer than normal monarchs.
15. Does that same generation of monarchs fly back to Canada?
Answer: No
16. How are the iridescent colors of the butterfly’s wings produced?
Answer: Overlapping scales that refract particular wavelengths of light
17. What does the butterfly use to drink nectar from a flower?
Answer: Proboscis
18. The monarch butterfly has a _____ eye composed of _____ lenses.
Answer: Compound - 6000
19. What does *trilobite* mean?
Answer: Three lobed
20. Where did the trilobite live?
Answer: Ancient seas
21. What are two ways that the trilobite defies evolution?
Answer: (1) It appears in the fossil record fully formed. (2) It was a highly complex creature.
22. How does the trilobite’s fossilization point to instant fossilization?
Answer: Minute details are preserved.
23. The trilobites appear in the geological record _____, _____ formed.”
Answer: Suddenly - fully
24. How does the trilobite give evidence for a global Flood?
Answer: It has been found fossilized in mountains and deserts throughout the earth.

Review Questions on Noah's Ark and the Worldwide Flood

1. The fact that most professing Christians do not believe the Flood was global is because of the accommodation to _____ theories.
Answer: Evolutionary
2. What are five reasons for believing that the Flood was global?
Answer: (1) The Bible's description (2) The mechanics (3) The length (4) The practical issues (5) God's promise (6) Peter's prophecy (7) Flood stories from all over the world (8) Global layers of sedimentary rock (9) Massive fossil graveyards (10) Sea creatures on the tops of mountains
3. The Flood was mechanically caused by what two things?
Answer: (1) A deluge of rain (2) The fountains of the great deep breaking up
4. The deluge continued for how long?
Answer: 40 days and 40 nights
5. The Flood prevailed on the earth for how long?
Answer: 110 days
6. If the flood was local, God could simply have instructed Noah to _____.
Answer: Move
7. How does God's promise to Noah after the deluge prove that the Flood was global?
Answer: He said He would never again destroy the world by a flood, yet many large local floods have occurred.
8. In what book and chapter of the New Testament is the Flood of Noah's day likened to the coming fiery judgment?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
9. How do the flood stories from throughout the earth point to a global Flood?
Answer: They describe a global flood.
10. What is sedimentary rock?
Answer: Rock made from sediment laid down by moving water
11. What are facies?
Answer: Continuous layers of sedimentary rocks having similar characteristics
12. How does the "persistence of facies" point to a global Flood?
Answer: The facies that exist required vast amounts of moving water.
13. How do fossil graveyards point to a global Flood?
Answer: They were made by a global cataclysm.
14. What fossil bed in what place is 12 feet thick and stretches for hundreds of miles and contains billions of fossils?
Answer: Devonian Thunder Bay Limestone Formation in Michigan
15. What fossil bed in what place contains more than 400 species of terrestrial, freshwater, and marine organisms with soft part details preserved?
Answer: Carboniferous Francis Creek Shale in Illinois
16. What fossil bed in what place contains chlorophyll preserved in leaves?
Answer: The lignite beds of Geiseltal in Germany

17. What are three examples of sea fossils that have been found on the tops of mountains?
Answer: (1) A whale skeleton on top of Sanhorn Mountain (2) Fossilized oysters on top of the Andes Mountains (3) Claim fossils on the summit of Mt. Everest (4) Ammonite fossils in the Himalayans
18. If the earth's surface were completely flat, there is enough water today to cover the earth to a depth of about _____.
Answer: 8,000 feet
19. The key to answering the charge that there isn't enough water to cover the earth is as follows: the Flood didn't have to cover the _____ Earth, but it did have to cover the _____ Earth, and the Bible teaches that the Flood fully _____ the earth.
Answer: Pre-flood - present - restructured
20. What New Testament prophecy describes the coming of mockers in the last days?
Answer: 2 Peter 3
21. How do we know that this reference to the last days began in the 19th century?
Answer: That is when skeptics began denying the global flood in a significant way.
22. What is the title of Dr. Andrew Snelling's book that answers the challenges by secularists and liberals?
Answer: *Earth's Catastrophic Past*
23. Does the Bible say that Noah brought every type of "species" of animal onto the ark?
Answer: No
24. The Bible says Noah brought every _____ of animal.
Answer: Kind
25. Dr. Andrew Snelling has calculated that there would be at the most about _____ animals on the ark with a median size of a small _____.
Answer: 16,000 - rat
26. About how long was the standard cubit and the royal cubit?
Answer: 18 inches - 20 inches
27. Using the royal cubit, what were the dimensions of the ark in feet?
Answer: 510 feet long, 85 feet wide, 50 feet high
28. How many stories high was the ark?
Answer: Three
29. How many windows and doors did the ark have?
Answer: One each
30. What is an example of an ancient wooden ship that was about as long as the ark?
Answer: Leontifera
31. A model of the ark made by Peter Jansen proved that it was almost impossible to _____.
Answer: Capsize
32. If the cubit was 18 inches, the ark had a carrying capacity of _____ standard railroad stock cars.
Answer: 522
33. What was the average size of the dinosaurs?
Answer: A sheep
34. What are a couple of possible ways that Noah got the larger dinosaurs on the ark?
Answer: (1) He could have taken eggs. (2) He could have taken juveniles.