

★ Science Falsely So Called

Creation vs. Evolution

Lesson 9

The Teacher's Preparation

Scripture Passages to Study: II Peter 3

Study Guide: Read “Science Falsely So Called: Creation vs. Evolution” from *New Testament Highlights - Part 2*.

Lesson Objective: People today are making the same mistakes that were made during the time of Noah, saying, “All things continue as they were from the beginning” (II Peter 3:4), worshiping and serving “the creature more than the Creator” (Romans 1:25), and choosing to listen to false prophets instead of the man of God and God’s Word (Jude 1:4).

Lesson Application: I will believe what God’s Word says about creation.

Memory Verse: Hebrews 13:8



Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and forever.

—Hebrews 13:8

The Teacher's Checklist

- Activity Worksheets and Pencils
- Attendance and Record Notebook
- Lesson Plan
- Cue Card
- Memory Verse Card
- Music Player
- Visual Illustrations for the Lesson
- Attention Getter: Electric Fan

Teacher Tips

A teacher cannot teach effectively unless he continually teaches himself.

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People in Noah's day lived much longer than they do now. Noah was 500 years old when God told him to build the ark. For 100 years, Noah preached and told the people that God was going to destroy the earth with a flood. He told them they must believe God and come into the ark to be saved. The people laughed at Noah. It had never rained before. Why should they believe it was going to rain now? They thought Noah was a very foolish man.

People today are doing the same thing. Preachers warn people that they must be saved. Soul winners go from door to door to tell people that Jesus loves them and will save them. But very few people listen and believe in Jesus.

Do you remember how many people listened to Noah? Only Noah's family came into the ark with him. Everyone else died in the flood. Only those who accept Jesus as Savior can go to heaven. There is no other way to be saved.

Evolution Diminishes the Creation

For by him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by him, and for him.

—Colossians 1:16-17

The book of Genesis tells us that God spoke and all things appeared. He made the heavens, the stars, the sun, and the moon. He divided the land and the seas. He made every type of plant and animal. Each one is His wonderful creation. Then God did His greatest work—He made man and woman.

There are many different ideas about how man, the earth, and the universe got here. Some people believe gases exploded and created the universe. God is the only One Who saw creation. He is the only One Who can tell us how it happened. He told us in the Bible. If you don't believe God, you have to believe someone else. Who is easier to believe—God, Who was there, or a man, who wasn't there?

Evolution Distinguishes the Creature

Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and serve the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.

—Romans 1:25

People today are worried that our earth will burn up. They are afraid we will run out of water. They are afraid there will soon be too many people on the earth. They are afraid we are cutting down too many trees. They worry that some types of animals will all die off. They think that man is powerful enough to destroy the earth and the things in it. They think that, since man is using

