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Is The Bible Reliable?

Tuesday, April 16, 7:30, Totino Fine Arts Bldg, Room F2128, Northwestern College, 3003 N Snelling, Roseville

There are significant ways to check up on Bible reliability through secular sources, such as geography, archaeology, and history. Not only does the secular evidence confirm the Scriptures, it also adds important dimension and color to the people, places, and events we have known from Sunday School.

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All Meetings are free and open to the public, an offering will be accepted.

- ◆ Adventure Safaris Dinosaur Dig (SD), July 28-Aug. 2 and Aug. 4-8, call Russ McGlenn (805) 588-3353 or <http://tccsa.tc/adventure/dig.html> - Discounts for reservation prior to April 15.
- ◆ Alpha Omega Institute (CO), Mountain Adventures June 9-14, July 28-Aug. 2 and Creation Action Boot Camps June 23-28, June 30-July 5, Whitewater Rafting Aug. 24-30. (800) 377-1923, www.discovercreation.org.
- ◆ Lilydale Fossil Hunt (MN), May 10 others also planned. Don Slinger-scvcial@juno.com, (651) 430-0751
- ◆ Creation Camp (MN), www.islandcamp.org/content_71.php#young, (218) 583-2905

If we haven't heard from you for several years, we may remove your name from our mailing list. Please let us know if you want to remain on our newsletter list. On your mailing label there is a letter and a number following your name. The number is the year we last heard from you. R05 = 2005, M10 = 2010 The M number shows the most recent year you were a member.

Writing Contest

All Students K-12 who can write are encouraged to participate in our writing contest. Rules can be found at tccsa.tc/archives/contest/index.html. Our goal is to help your students become the next generation of writers from a Christian perspective. We want future writers to be grounded in what the Bible actually says. Without a background in what God tells us in His Word they won't be able to tell fact from fiction. Another writing contest is available at <http://midwestcreationfellowship.org/pages/misc/index.php>

Program DVD's

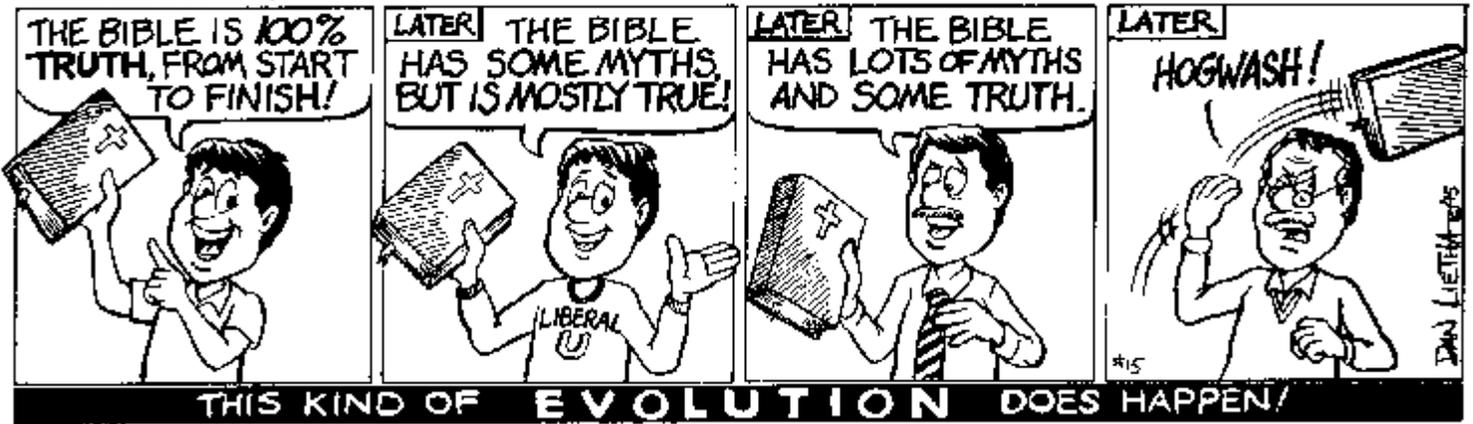
Have you wished you had a copy of a TCCSA meeting that you missed? Most of our programs have been recorded and can be purchased from Leherke Productions. They may be available at our meetings or from linda.lehrke@gmail.com.

Coming Up . . .

May 21—Dr. Charles (Bill) Lucas, Common Sense Science
Jun. 18—Brian Young, Facts that Support Creation and the Bible
Check for updates at www.tccsa.tc

On Facebook? So are we—www.facebook.com/pages/TCCSA/110571272303973?ref=ts

CREATIONWISE



THIS KIND OF EVOLUTION DOES HAPPEN!

Have you considered...

...the sparrow. When it flies through the air, it looks easy. The sparrow never touches branches and leaves as it moves through the forest because its feathers are continually being adjusted. Side winds are no problem, the feathers are adjusted. Sparrows are made to fly. For birds to fly, they need to be specially designed.

1. Bones need to be light weight. So they are hollow and filled with air. If they were filled with marrow, they would be too heavy and flying would be difficult.
2. Birds have a very short digestive tract. It's in and out quickly, often while flying. Extra weight would hold the bird down.
3. Omit the bladder which adds weight. Birds concentrate their urine. Uric acid needs very little water to be eliminated. We often observe this white paste on our cars as a bird takes off. The bird is just unloading extra weight.
4. Birds do not give birth to live young. A flying pregnant bird would weigh too much. Instead, birds lay eggs.
5. The lung system: It's a one way system that circulates air throughout the body through many large air sacs and hollow bones. Air is exchanged in one breath. This system allows maximum oxygen absorption and maximum carbon dioxide elimination.

These are but a few of the design features that birds needed right from the beginning in order to fly. If one were missing flight would be impossible. As God said to Job, "Does the hawk fly by your wisdom...?" Job 39:26.

...stop and consider God's wonders. Job 37:14/

Incredible Creatures That Defy Evolution II, Dr. Jobe Martin, DVD - *The Design and Origin of Birds*, Philip Snow, 2006, pp.17-18

TCCSA's STATEMENT OF BELIEF

We believe in God: The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God, and that all of its assertions are historically and scientifically true in the original autographs; this means that the account of origins in Genesis is a factual presentation of actual historical truths.

We believe that the origin of matter and all basic types of living things, including man, came about through direct creative acts of God during the six-day creation week described in Genesis. Whatever biological changes have occurred since the creation week have accomplished only changes within the created kinds.

We believe that the great flood described in Genesis, commonly referred to as the Noachian Flood, was an historic event, world-wide in extent and effect.

We accept the account of the special creation of Adam and Eve as the first man and woman. Their subsequent fall into sin, by disobedience of God's direct command, is the basis for our belief in the necessity of a Savior for all mankind.

Therefore, we believe that Jesus Christ is our Lord and only Savior and that personal faith in Him is necessary for salvation.

Help !

We sometimes have requests for rides from people who are unable to drive. Currently someone in Hopkins is looking for a ride to our meetings. Let us know if you can help. Contact info below.

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I want to become a member of **TCCSA** and I subscribe to the Statement of Belief. (Calendar year membership dues are \$20.00. Students do not pay dues.)

I want to renew my membership in **TCCSA** (note dues above).

Mail newsletter E-mail newsletter

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