The Genetics of Adam and Eve
Tuesday, April 15, 7:30, Totino Fine Arts Center, Rm F2128, Univ. of Northwestern, 3003 N Snelling, Roseville

One of the biggest debates in evangelical Christianity today is whether or not Adam and Eve were real people. Sadly, many Christian theologians and scientists believe that genetics has disproven the existence of an original couple specially created by God. In addition to accommodating a non-literal Adam and Eve, many have begun to redefine sin and salvation. In this presentation, we will explore both the theological importance of Adam and Eve to the gospel and how the science of genetics supports and is consistent with the fact that all humans have descended from an original couple created by God as described in Genesis.

Dr. Georgia Purdom earned her doctorate from Ohio State University in molecular genetics and spent six years as a professor of biology at Mt. Vernon Nazarene University. She is now a researcher and writer for Answers in Genesis—US, and she teaches online courses for Answers Education Online.

All meetings are free and open to the public, and a free-will offering will be accepted.

Have you considered…

...that the Garden of Eden was meant to be understood as real history.

Does this mean that there was a walking talking snake? If it were true, we would expect people to remember some of the details and carry that memory with them when they left the Tower of Babel. We find such details in a 13 foot bronze fruit tree that was excavated in 1986 near Guangham, China (dated 2,700 to 4,700 years ago by secular dating). Attached to this 13 foot bronze fruit tree was a human hand and a snake with feet. Genesis 3:6 records that Eve took fruit from the forbidden tree and ate. Genesis 3 continues with the snake being cursed by God and now “on your belly shall you go and dust shall you eat all the days of your life. (Gen. 3:14).” This implies that previously the snake had legs and walked. The temptation of Eve was a real event in history and the Chinese recorded it in one of their artifacts.

...stop and consider God’s wonders. Job 37:14

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Do you have a student interested in writing? Writing requires practice to achieve greater skill. Just like music or sports, practice gives better results. Good writers are in demand and we want to help your student develop a skill that will enhance their value as a student and beyond. Final turn-in date is May 15. For rules, suggestions and some possible topics go to...
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Coming Up...
May 20—Joe Taylor, Peru Discoveries
June 17—Brian Young
July 15—Flight: The Genius of Birds—Video
Aug. No meeting or newsletter
Sep. 16—TBA
Oct. 21—TBA
Nov. 18—Bruce Malone
Check for updates & other info at www.tccsa.tc

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**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.

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**Church Point People Wanted**

We would like someone in each church who can promote biblical creation in your congregation. Put up a poster, provide literature to interested people and/or car pool to meetings.

1. You are a Christian
2. Have a desire to promote creation science
3. Do not need to be a leader
4. Need only a basic understanding, not be an expert
5. Have a desire to learn more about creation science
6. Invite speakers or show videos. We can help.

If you are interested in becoming involved let us know so we can provide information and discuss ways to help your church family.

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