

THE CREATION VIEWPOINT

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The interest shown in the creation viewpoint in Europe is very insignificant. In many cases libraries and scientific institutions refuse to receive, to read, and to acknowledge publications, which indicate the creation viewpoint. However, it is possible to be successful in forwarding books such as:

Klotz: *Genes, Genesis, and Evolution*. 1955.

Marsh: *Evolution, Creation, and Science*. 1949.

Morris and Whitcomb: *The Genesis Flood*. 1961.

However, there is a great interest in Europe as well as in the other parts of the world in regard to publications, which discuss the evolution problem without a direct reference to the Bible. Literature as to cosmic energy concerning space and time in the history of the earth always creates interest.

The director of a botanical garden in Scandinavia received such publications. He delivered these to a botanical laboratory, which immediately asked for a regular sending of such issues.

Likewise a director of a botanical garden in Asia received such numbers. The result: A scientific library in Asia has received such publications about 10 years.

A scientific society in West Germany published an exchange report. In this report such publications were mentioned. The result: A request from East Germany for such issues.

A university library in U.S.A. received a publication, which mentioned the life history of the trilobites — interpreted without the evolution

theory. This library showed the issue to another great library, which thereafter asked for a regular sending of such literature.

University libraries, polytechnic institutes, museums of geology, botany, and natural history in all parts of the world have shown interest in this respect.

Publications are forwarded to 1,297 universities and institutions of science in all parts of the world, to 251 gymnasiums in Scandinavia, to 225 teachers (gymnasiums t.) in Denmark, and to 140 students at University of Copenhagen.

We have accomplished the following:

Exchanged with 61 universities, museums, and societies.

Have since July 1, 1959—received 930 letters from all parts of the world.

Lectures have been given at 19 gymnasiums in Denmark. At the same time literature was distributed to pupils and to some teachers.

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An university in Asia writes: "These materials will not only serve this University as an important source of information regarding natural history in Denmark, but help to strengthen the cultural relationship between us . . . We are deeply grateful for your continuous assistance to our University Library."

Our Society of research scientists representing various fields of successful scientific accomplishment is committed to full belief in the Biblical record of creation and early history, and thus to a concept of dynamic special creation (as opposed to evolution), both of the universe and the earth with its complexity of living forms.

We propose to re-evaluate science from this viewpoint. Beginning in 1964, we are publishing an annual yearbook of articles by various members of the Society and thereafter a quarterly review of scientific literature. Our eventual goal is the realignment of science based on theistic creation concepts and the publication of textbooks for high school and college use.

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2. All basic types of living things, including man, were made by direct creative acts of God during the Creation Week described in Genesis. Whatever biological changes have occurred since Creation Week have accomplished only changes within the original created kinds.
3. The great Flood described in Genesis, commonly referred to as the Noachian Flood, was an historic event worldwide in its extent and effect.
4. We are an organization of Christian men of science who accept Jesus Christ as our Lord and Saviour. The account of the special creation of Adam and Eve as one man and woman and their subsequent fall into sin is the basis for our belief in the necessity of a Saviour for all mankind. Therefore, salvation can come only through accepting Jesus Christ as our Saviour.

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