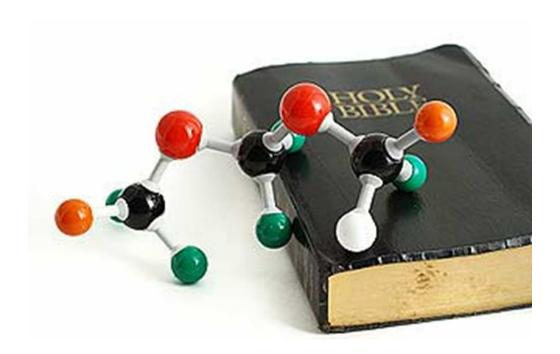
Following Christ in a Scientific World



What's next?

We live in a scientific world

How do we answer questions about science and faith?

How do we learn more about science and faith?

What do we do next?

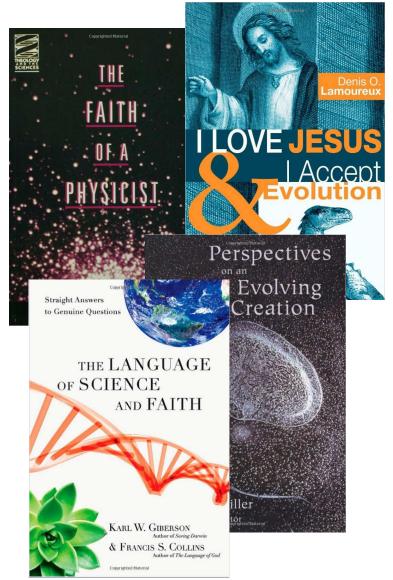


Monthly Book Club

Discuss topics on science & faith

Every 3rd Wednesday each month at 7:00pm

A dozen regular attendees

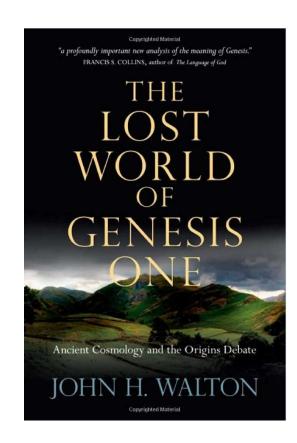


December Book Club

Wednesday, December 12th

7:00pm in Church Library

"Lost World of Genesis One" By John Walton



Science and Faith Courses

JJ 2011 - Are Your Children Safe in Science Class?

Teen 2011 – Wrestling with Science and Faith

AD 2012 – Following Christ in a Scientific World

Next - ???

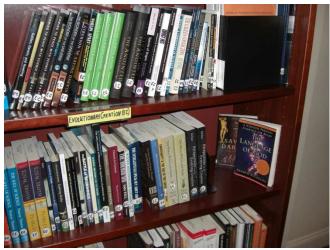


Library resources

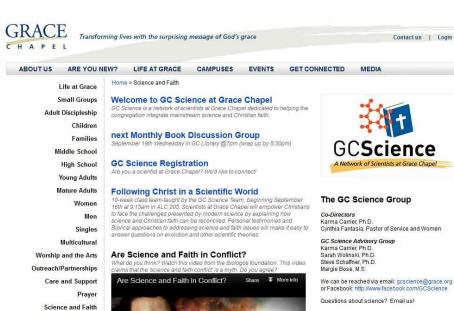
Dozens of new titles on science and faith

Take time to read more about science and faith





GC Science Web site



Questions and Comments welcome!

GC Science Blog Serving Others

> We'd love to hear your thoughts or questions about science and faith or suggestions for this website! Contact us at GCScience@grace.org

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Stop in to read some of the lively discussions about

D.C. wrote: You guys have really inspired me to accept theistic evolution. Or at least consider it more and show more openness to it. Aug 2012.

J.S. wrote: I just wanted to say this: Lam an agnostic who normally finds the Christian stuff online to be sickeningly closed-minded. This page, however is different It showed me that I was being closed-minded about Christians, and I need to open my heart to them once more. If God exists. I'm sure he would be proud of his people right now. Sept 2012.

Links to Facebook, Videos and Blog

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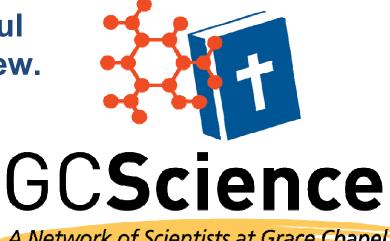
Join a discussion

Other Activities with **GC Science**

Huge interest in science and faith at Grace Chapel

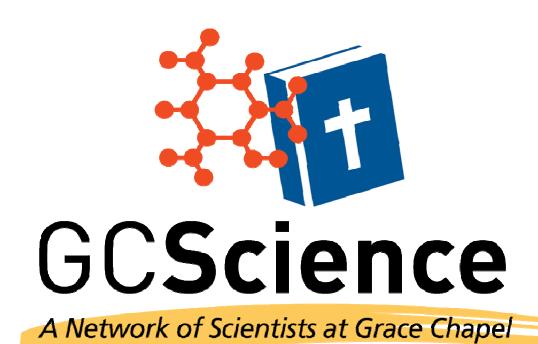
Lots of great ideas: internet blogs, social events, outreach functions, grants, collaboration, etc

The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few.



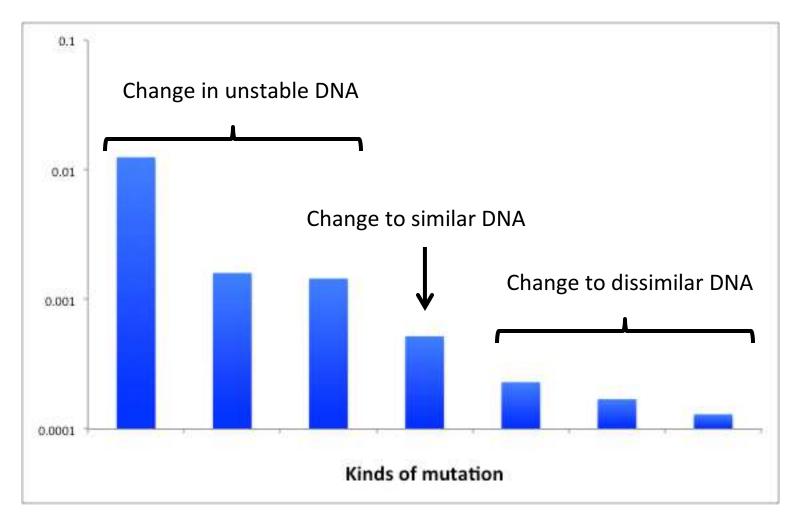
A Network of Scientists at Grace Chapel

Panel Discussion and Questions



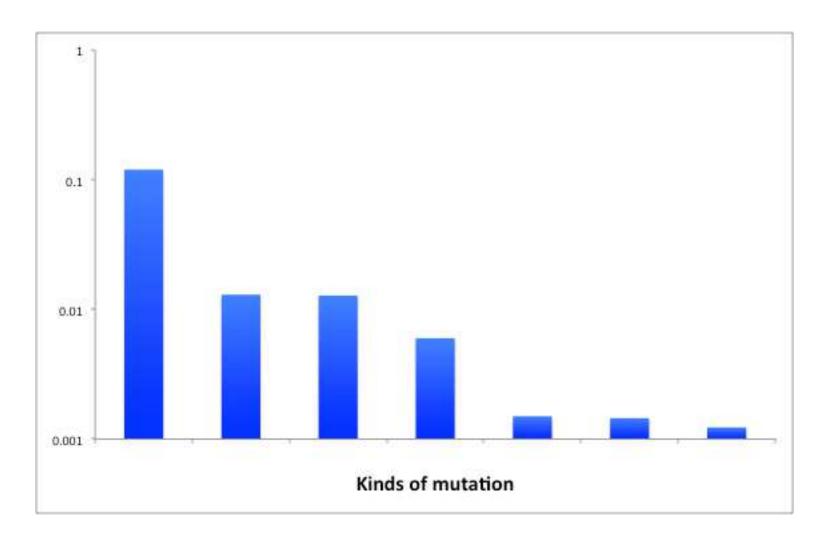
Is mutation the primary mechanism for adding diversity in the genome?

Different mutations happen at different rates

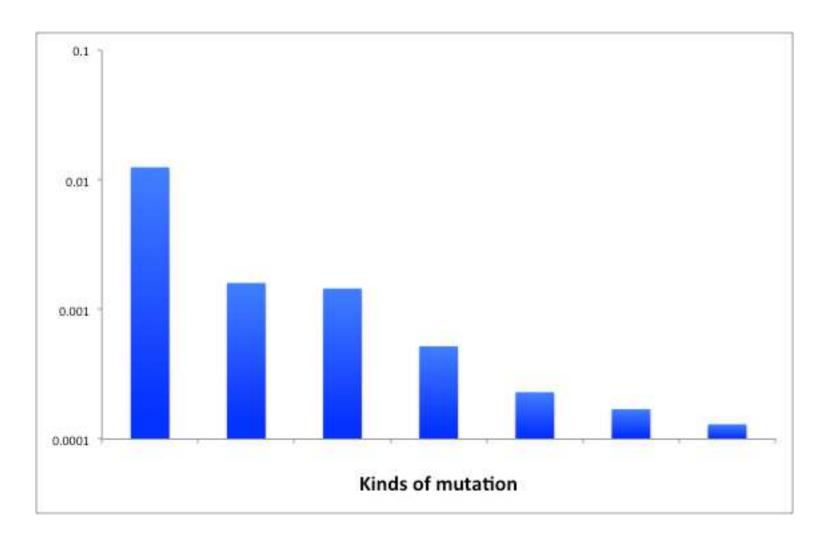


Genetic diversity matches the pattern of mutations

The same pattern appears for differences between species



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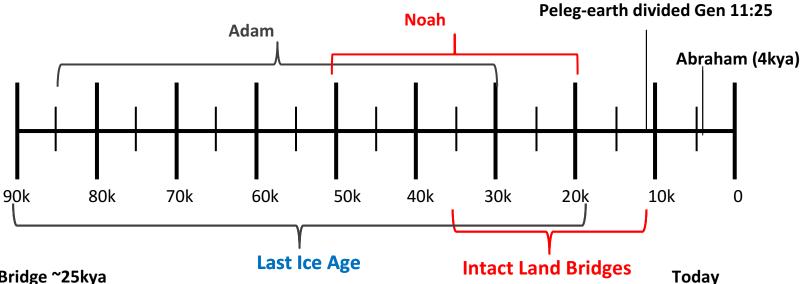


What is the evidence for evolution?

What do we make of the Garden of Eden?

How does the Flood match up with the history of life, including evolution, and geological history?

Flood of Noah- When? (Speculative)



Bering Land Bridge ~25kya



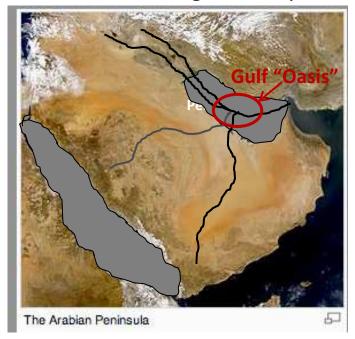
- Bering land bridge during last glacial max
- Warming at ~14,000ya for food sources needed for migration
- Bering opened ~11,500ya sets time of Peleg
- Warming end of glacial period ~500 ft change sea level



Flood of Noah-How? and Where?

- Persian "Gulf Oasis" landmass probable epicenter for flood
 - Landmass exposed periodically (150-12kya) (Rose, Curr. Anthro. 12/2010)
- Flood extent includes Mesopotamia, Persian Gulf and portion of southern Arabian peninsula
 - Rain, burst springs, plus ice and snow melt from mountains
 - Flood extent- assumed a region <300-400m above sea level

Middle East Region Today



Middle East Region 40-50kya

Flood extent- ~1000 x 300 miles



Why aren't there more intermediates between species?

How does the "science perspective" strengthen my faith?