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The New Answers DVD

STUDY GUIDE



Quick answers to 10 of the most-asked questions from The New Answers Book 1

Featuring Ken Ham, Dr. Terry Mortenson,
Carl Kerby, Dr. David Menton, and others.

Plus 2
NEW
questions!

12. Genesis: Today's Answer to Racism

Before viewing:

1. Define the term *racism*. What are some of the horrible things done throughout history because of hatred of other "races"?
2. Does the Bible say anything about racism?

After viewing:

1. How have some evolutionists explained the different races?
2. What is the biblical answer to racism?
3. Why are there different people groups in the world today? How does the Bible explain their origin?
4. Could you explain the biblical answer to racism to someone else? Use the following Scriptures: Genesis 1:26ff, Genesis 3:20, Acts 17:26.
5. How would you correct another Christian who thinks interracial marriage is wrong?

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11. How to Survive Secular College

Before viewing:

1. Would you recommend a Christian attend a secular university? Why or why not?
2. What about a creationist pursuing an advanced degree in the sciences? What are some of the problems he or she might encounter?

After viewing:

1. Jason Lisle shared several things that a Christian student should do in order to survive a secular college. Can you remember them?
 - Regularly read and study the _____.
 - _____ regularly.
 - Be in a good _____ church.
 - Find other _____ students.
 - Get _____ resources.
 - Learn _____ to think.
 - Be _____ about who you tell you are a creationist, particularly if you are pursuing a degree in _____, or _____.

Introduction

This DVD was created to provide short answers to the most-asked questions from *The New Answers Book 1*. Topics covered include such issues as the age of the earth, dinosaurs, radioactive dating, racism, and the Genesis Flood. These are all questions that Bible-believing Christians must be equipped to answer. It is our hope that this DVD will strengthen you (and your group) so that you will be equipped to defend the Bible's authenticity and authority, and demonstrate that the Bible is reliable, and that Genesis 1–11 is a true historical account.

Using *The New Answers DVD* with Groups

We suggest that you view one segment per study, allowing plenty of time to cover the topic and answer any questions. First, introduce the topic to the group and discuss the questions listed under “Before viewing.” Next, watch the DVD segment together. Finally, discuss the questions listed under “After viewing.” If someone has a question that you cannot answer, direct him or her to www.AnswersInGenesis.org or to any of the recommended resources that are listed at the end of each video segment.

1. Is There Really a God?

Before viewing:

1. How would you answer someone who asks you why you believe God exists?
2. How has God revealed His existence to mankind? (Read Psalm 19:1–2.)

After viewing:

1. What does Romans 1:19–20 tell us about God's creation?
2. What kinds of design in the created world point to a Creator?
3. How has the Bible been confirmed by science and history?
4. Ultimately, how do we know that the God of the Bible is real?

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10. Did Dinosaurs Turn into Birds?

Before viewing:

1. According to most scientists, where did birds come from?
2. Has anyone heard a news report about the discovery of a feathered dinosaur?
3. According to the Bible, where did birds come from?

After viewing:

1. How does the order of creation during the Creation Week argue against the idea of dinosaurs evolving into birds?
2. How is a reptile lung different from a bird lung? Could one have evolved into the other?
3. Does the fact that both birds and dinosaurs have three fingers point to an evolutionary connection? Why or why not?
4. How are scales different from feathers? Could one have evolved into the other? Why or why not?

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9. Is Natural Selection the Same Thing as Evolution?

Before viewing:

1. How would you define *evolution*? How about *natural selection*?
2. What are some examples you have heard of or read about that supposedly demonstrate “evolution in action”?

After viewing:

1. What is the definition of natural selection?
2. What is the definition of evolution?
3. How does the development of antibiotic resistance in bacteria demonstrate natural selection but not evolution?
4. What are the two things that evolution requires?
5. How does natural selection operate today to make species fit for their environment?

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2. Why Shouldn't Christians Accept Millions of Years?

Before viewing:

1. How old do most scientists say the earth is? How old does the Bible indicate the earth is?
2. Where do some people try to add millions of years into the Bible? (Gap Theory, Day-Age Theory, Theistic Evolution, etc.)

After viewing:

1. In what ways does Genesis support an earth that's only thousands of years old?
2. Read Exodus 20:11. Can millions of years legitimately be fitted into God's creation?
3. How have geologists misinterpreted earth's rock layers?
4. How does Mark 10:6 reflect Jesus's view of earth history?
5. Could God's “very good” creation have included death and suffering? Why or why not?
6. Has science proven millions of years of earth history?
7. What is the ultimate issue when it comes to the age of the earth?

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3. Cain's Wife—Who Was She?

Before viewing:

1. Do you know what one of the most common questions asked about Genesis is? *Where did Cain get his wife?* Why is that an issue?
2. Let's read Genesis 4:16–17. If Adam and Eve had two sons, Cain and Abel, then where did Cain find a wife?

After viewing:

1. How does Genesis 5:4 help answer this question?
2. Did God create more people for Adam and Eve's children to marry? How do we know for sure? (See Genesis 1:26–27, 3:20; Acts 17:26.)
3. Is it okay for close relatives to marry? Explain.
4. How do genetic mutations explain God's command at the time of Moses that forbade marriage of close relations (Leviticus 18:6ff)?

8. How Did Defense/Attack Structures Come About?

Before viewing:

1. Have you heard the phrase coined by Alfred Lord Tennyson, "Nature, red in tooth and claw"? What does this phrase mean?
2. How do we explain the violence of animals in light of God's goodness? Did God originally make animals to hunt and kill each other?

After viewing:

1. What are some examples of defense/attack structures (DAS)?
2. How does Genesis 1:29–31 relate to the issue of DAS?
3. What is the first way that people explain DAS?
4. What is the second way that people explain these structures?
5. What was the curse of the serpent in Genesis 3? Did this include physical changes?

7. Does Distant Starlight Prove the Earth is Old?

Before viewing:

1. Does anyone know how far away some of the stars are that we can see at night? Does anyone know the speed of light?
2. A common argument against the biblical time frame of creation (about 6,000 years ago) is called the “distant starlight” problem. Have you heard of this?
3. How could the light from stars billions of light-years away have made it to earth in only thousands of years?

After viewing:

1. What are some ways we can explain light traveling to a young earth from stars billions of light-years away?
2. How does gravitational time dilation solve the distant starlight “problem”?
3. Why would we not want to say that God created the beam of light already en route to earth?
4. What is the light-travel time problem with the big bang model?
5. Is this a question that we can answer definitively?

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4. Doesn't Carbon-14 Dating Disprove the Bible?

Before viewing:

1. How old do most scientists think the earth is? How do they determine its age?
2. Have you heard of Carbon-14 or radiocarbon? What do you know about it?

After viewing:

1. Can you date rocks with radiocarbon? Why or why not?
2. How quickly does radiocarbon decay?
3. If fossils were really millions of years old, should they have radiocarbon in them?
4. Has radiocarbon been found in coal seams? What does that demonstrate?
5. How does this confirm that the global Flood really occurred?
6. Is radiocarbon found in diamonds? Should there be radiocarbon in diamonds? What does this tell us about their age?

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5. Was There Really a Noah's Ark and Flood?

Before viewing:

1. What are some of the arguments skeptics use to dispute the historical nature of Noah's Ark and the Flood?
2. Does anyone know how large the Ark was? How long did it take Noah to build it?
3. How do we know the Flood was global and not just a local flood?

After viewing:

1. What do we find on the earth that confirms a global Flood?
2. Did Noah take all the species of animals on the Ark?
3. How is Noah's Ark a picture of salvation?
4. Why do so many various cultures have similar flood legends?

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6. What Really Happened to the Dinosaurs?

Before viewing:

1. According to most scientists, when did dinosaurs live?
2. What supposedly happened to the dinosaurs?
3. Does the Bible mention dinosaurs? Is it possible that man and dinosaurs lived at the same time?

After viewing:

1. How do we know that dinosaurs lived along with people?
2. About how many different kinds of dinosaurs are there?
3. How did the dinosaurs fit on the Ark?
4. What happened to most of the dinosaurs?
5. What happened to those dinosaurs that came off the Ark?
6. What are some of the evidences that dinosaurs lived recently?

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