

The Relevance of Genesis

1 To the Chief Musician. [A Psalm]
of David. I put my trust in the

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how to make ready their arrow

Genes

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heart.

3 If the foundations are destroyed,

what can the righteous do?

4 The LORD [is] in His holy tem-

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Heaven; His eyes behold, His eye-

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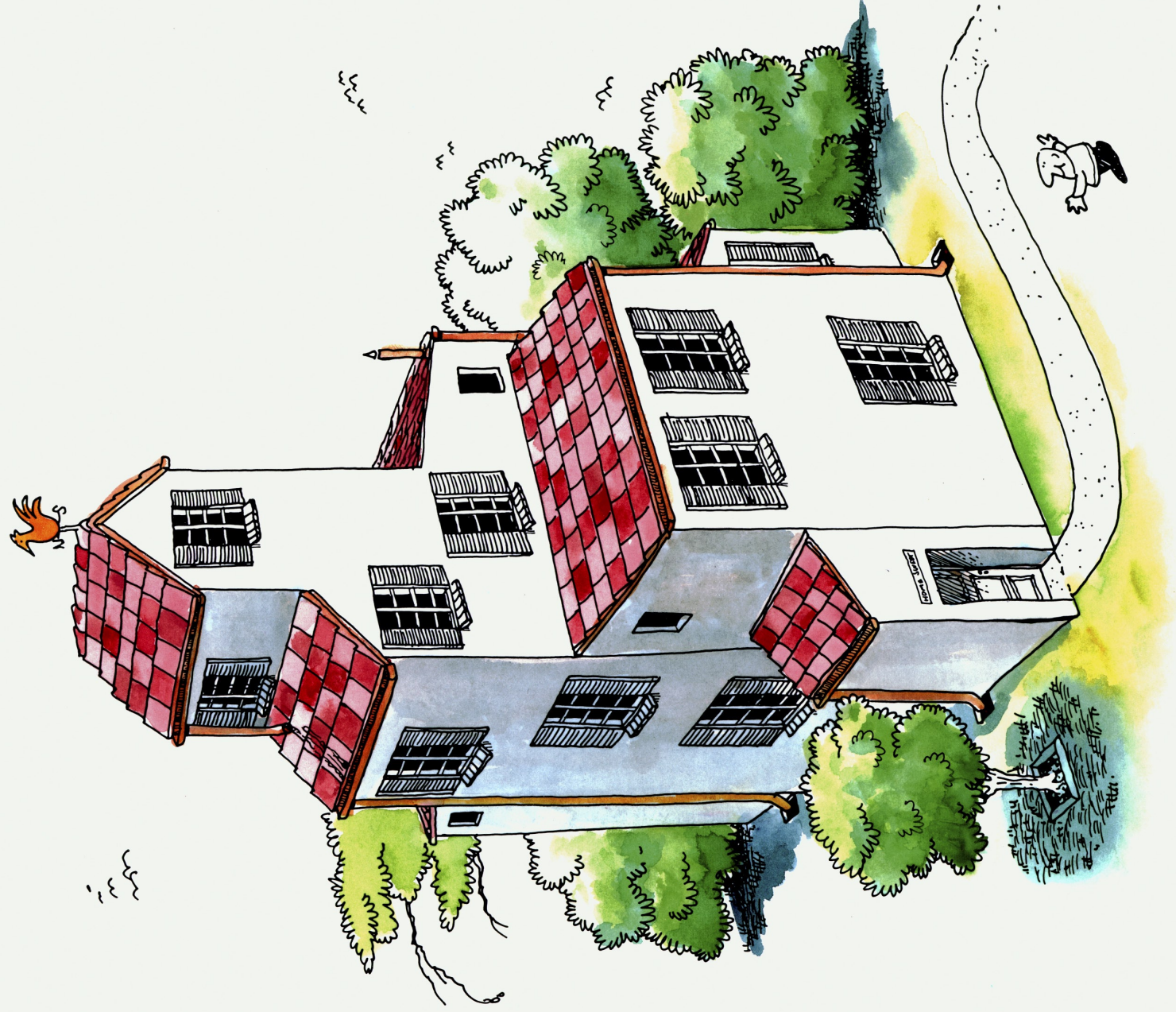
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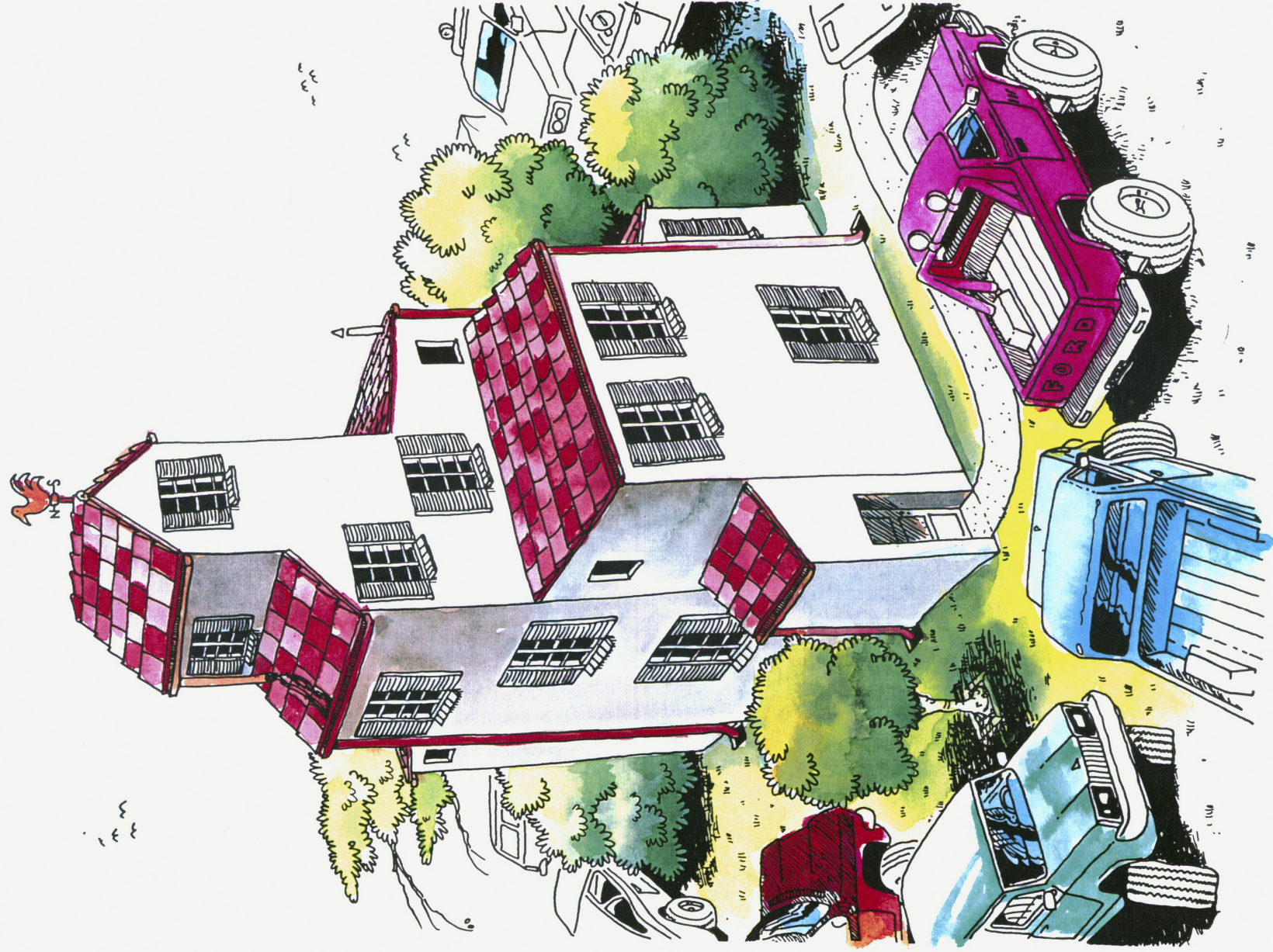
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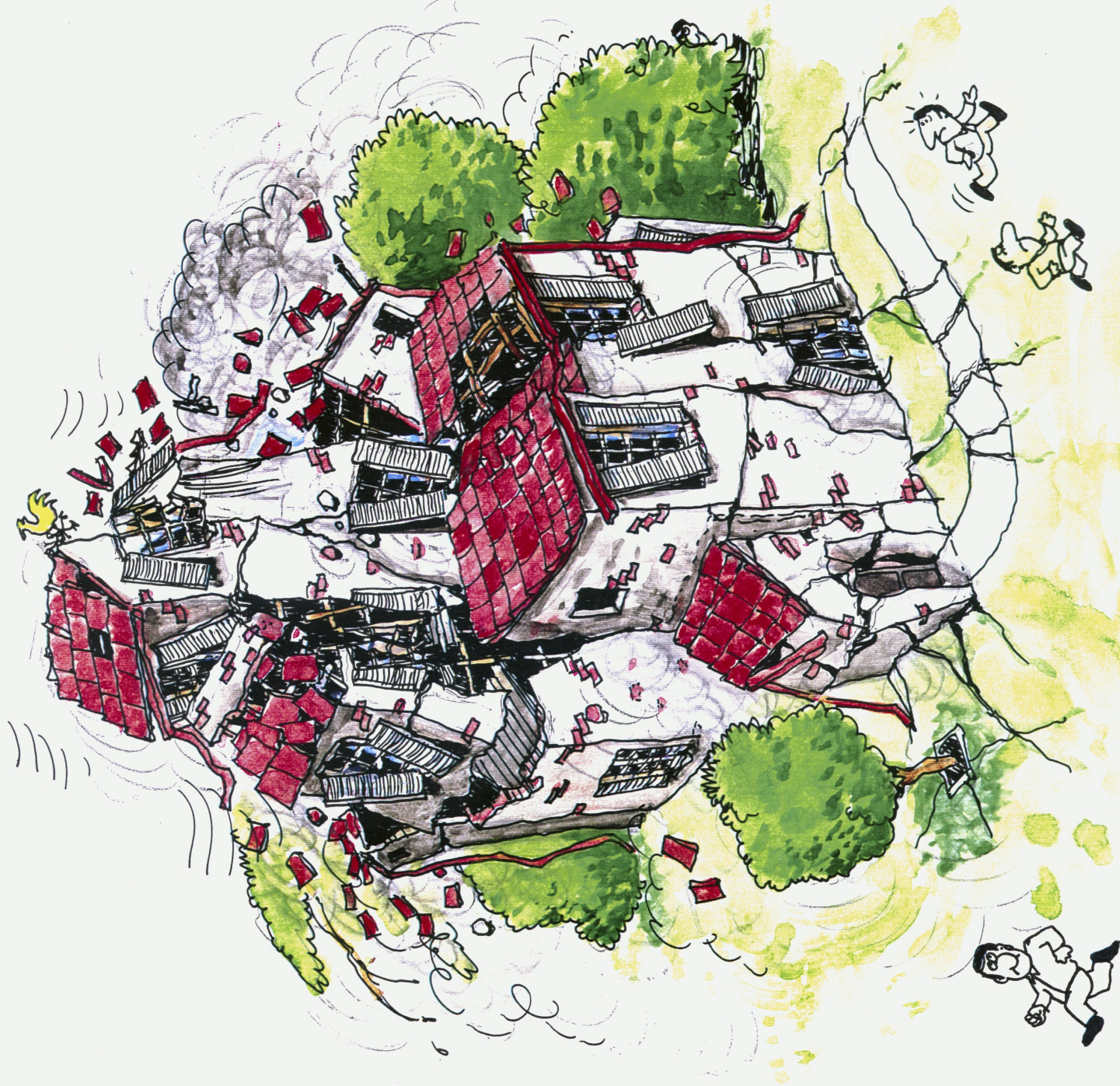
Psalm 11:3

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Matthew 19:4–5

4 And he answered and said unto them, Have ye not read, that he which made them at the beginning made them male and female,
5 And said, For this cause shall a man leave father and mother, and shall cleave to his wife: and they twain shall be one flesh?





DOCTRINE



GENESIS



MARRIAGE



GENESIS



DOCTRINE



GENESIS



CLOTHING



GENESIS



DOCTRINE

GENESIS

7-DAY WEEK

DOMINION

WORK

CURSE

LAST ADAM

1ST COMING

2ND COMING

GENESIS



DOCTRINE



GENESIS



SIN



GENESIS

Genesis 1:29–30

29 And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.

30 And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to every thing that creepeth upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so.



Genesis 9:3

Every moving thing that
liveth shall be meat for
you; even as the green
herb have I given you
all things.



Genesis 2:17

But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.





Genesis 3:21

Unto Adam also and to his wife did the LORD God make coats of skins, and clothed them.



Hebrews 9:22

And almost all things
are by the law purged
with blood; and without
shedding of blood is
no remission.





The secrets of evolution are time and death. Time for the slow accumulations of favorable mutations, and death to make room for new species.

Carl Sagan, program entitled "One voice in the cosmic fugue."

Q335

**MILLIONS
OF
YEARS =**

**FOSSIL
RECORD**

**DEATH
PAIN
KILLING
DISEASE
THORNS
STRUGGLE
SUFFERING
EXTINCTION**

EVOLUTION

DEATH
Bloodshed
Suffering
Disease

**MAN'S
EXISTENCE**



CREATION

**MAN'S
ACTIONS**

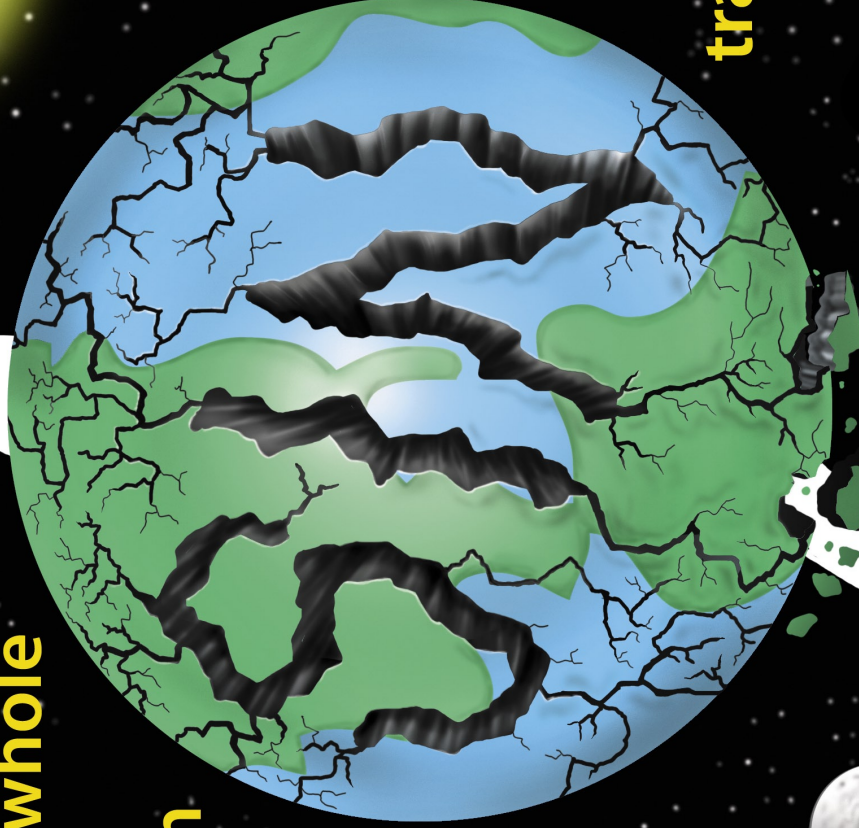


Genesis 3:15

And I will put enmity
between thee and the
woman, and between thy
seed and her seed; it shall
bruise thy head, and thou
shalt bruise his heel.



**For we know
that the whole
creation
groaneth**



**and
travailleth
in pain
together
until now.**

Romans 8:22



REINTERPRETATIONS

LOCAL FLOOD

**THEISTIC
EVOLUTION**

DAY AGE

GENESIS

**PROGRESSIVE
CREATION**

**GAP
THEORY**

**FRAMEWORK
HYPOTHESIS**

So, God's revelation is not limited exclusively to the Bible's words. The facts of nature may be likened to a sixty-seventh book of the Bible.

Hugh Ross, Creation and Time, page 56.

Q171

Not everyone has been exposed to the sixty-six books of the Bible, but everyone on planet earth has been exposed to the sixty-seventh book, the book that God has written upon the heavens for everyone to read. And the Bible tells us it's impossible for God to lie, so the record of nature must be just as perfect, and reliable and truthful as the sixty-six books of the Bible that is part of the Word of God.

Hugh Ross, Staley Lecture Series, Toccoa Falls College, March 18–20, 1997.

Q494

I attended the “Teaching Evolution” seminar yesterday—led by Eugenie Scott ... An awful negative was suggested to those experiencing opposition from students. The teachers were advised to suggest to the Bible-believers to consult their clergy who would usually assure them that belief in evolution is OK!!

Personal Letter, April 13, 1996.

Q206

It becomes clear now that the whole justification of Jesus' life and death is predicated on the existence of Adam and the forbidden fruit he and Eve ate. Without the original sin, who needs to be redeemed? Without Adam's fall into a life of constant sin terminated by death, what purpose is there to Christianity? None.

Richard Bozarth, "The meaning of evolution," *American Atheist*, September 20, 1979, page 30.

Q071

If Adam may be held to be no more real a personage than Prometheus, and if the story of the Fall is merely an instructive “type,” comparable to the profound Promethean mythus, what value has Paul’s dialectic?

Thomas Huxley, *Science and Hebrew Tradition Essays*, 1897, page 236.

Q158

I confess I soon lose my way when I try to follow those who walk delicately among “types” and allegories. A certain passion for clearness forces me to ask, bluntly, whether the writer means to say that Jesus did not believe the stories in question, or that he did? When Jesus spoke, as of a matter of fact, that “the Flood came and destroyed them all,” did he believe that the Deluge really took place, or not?

Thomas Huxley, *Science and Hebrew Tradition Essays*, 1897, page 232.

Q159

And what about the authority of the writers of the books of the New Testament, who, on this theory, have not merely accepted the flimsy fictions for solid truths, but have built the very foundations of Christian dogma upon legendary quicksands?

Thomas Huxley, *Science and Hebrew Tradition Essays*, 1897, pages 207–208.

**Christianity is—must be—
totally committed to the
special creation as described
in Genesis, and Christianity
must fight with its full might,
fair or foul against the theory
of evolution.**

Richard Bozarth, "The meaning of evolution," *American Atheist*,
September 20, 1979, page 19.

**MEANING
OF LIFE**

STANDARDS

MARRIAGE

LAWS

CREATION

**GOD'S
WORD**

ABORTION

PORNOGRAPHY

**HOMOSEXUAL
BEHAVIOR**

**LAWLESSNESS
SCHOOL VIOLENCE**

EVOLUTION

**MAN'S
OPINION**

**CHRISTIAN
WORLDVIEW**

BARRIER



HUMANISM **THUD!**

CREATION
GOD'S WORD
IS TRUTH





**CREATION
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IS TRUTH**

9. How did sin arise?

(a) the Garden of Eden is a “myth,” i.e. a historical tale embodying spiritual truth. From the viewpoint of anthropology it is exceedingly unlikely that there was a First Man and Woman. Yet the “myth” contains great truths ...

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Q107a

(b) Human beings are the results of evolution, and shaped by natural selection. Self-centeredness and aggression were essential at every stage of evolution.

(c) Human beings naturally inherit this self-centeredness (“original sin”) and without it babies could not survive.

Hugh Montefiore, bishop of the Anglican (Episcopal) church,
Confirmation Notebook, page 20.

Q107b

What the cross is not:
(b) The Son standing in my place to take the punishment that I ought to have. Such a view is immoral. In any case no one person could suffer the whole world's punishments.

Hugh Montefiore, bishop of the Anglican (Episcopal) church,
Confirmation Notebook, page 22.

Q108

The day will come when the evidence constantly accumulating around the evolutionary theory becomes so massively persuasive that even the last and most fundamental Christian warriors will lay down their arms and surrender unconditionally. I believe that day will be the end of Christianity.

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Q070

As were many persons from Alabama, I was a born again Christian. When I was 15, I entered the Southern Baptist Church with great fervor and interest in the fundamentalist religion. I left at 17 when I got to the University of Alabama and heard about evolutionary theory.

**E.O. Wilson, professor of sociobiology at Harvard University,
The Humanist, September, 1982, page 40.**

Q624

... raised a Methodist in Indianapolis and went to church regularly as a child and teenager, "I believed all this God stuff," he said. "I was a good little boy and all that ... In school, we opened with the Lord's prayer. That was big stuff." That changed when he attended Purdue University in Indiana. After taking physics and chemistry, he began to question the veracity of the Bible. In particular, he doubted how the entire world could have flooded in the days of Noah's Ark.

Richard Suhre, suit to remove Ten Commandments from Haywood County Courthouse, North Carolina.

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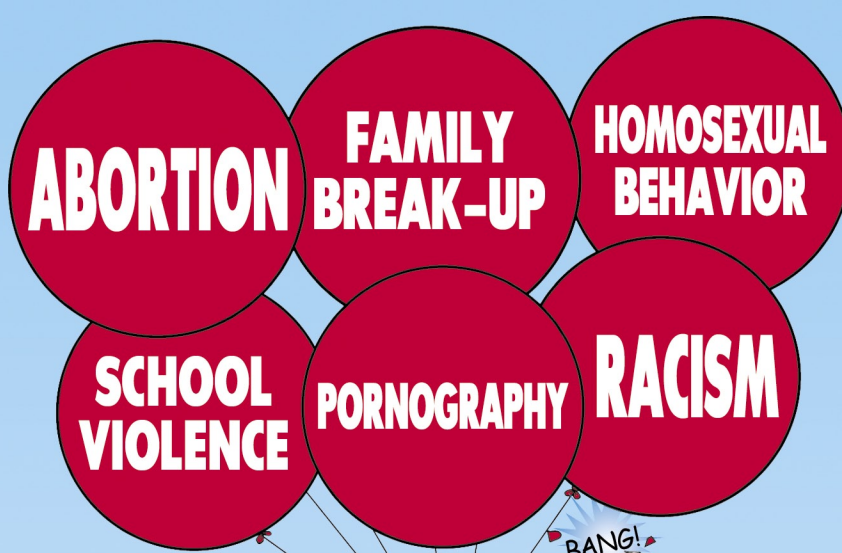
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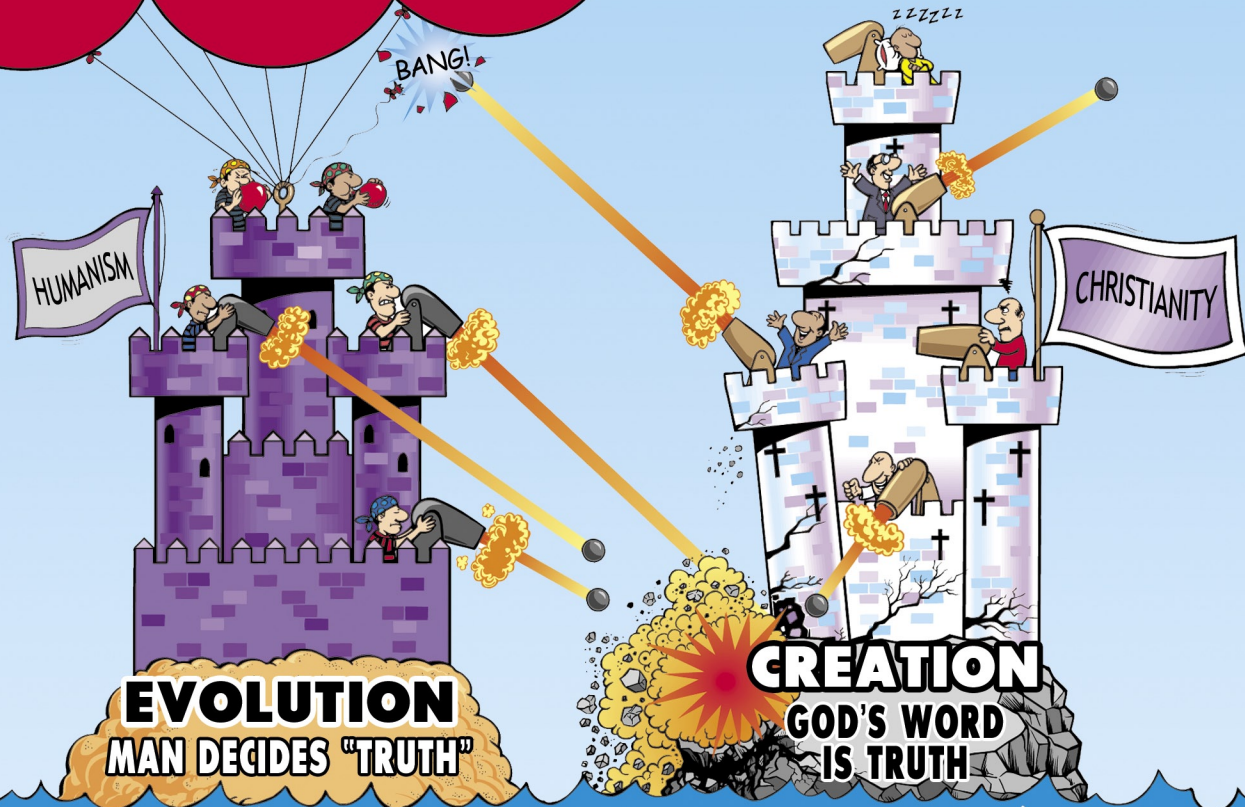
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**EVOLUTIONARY
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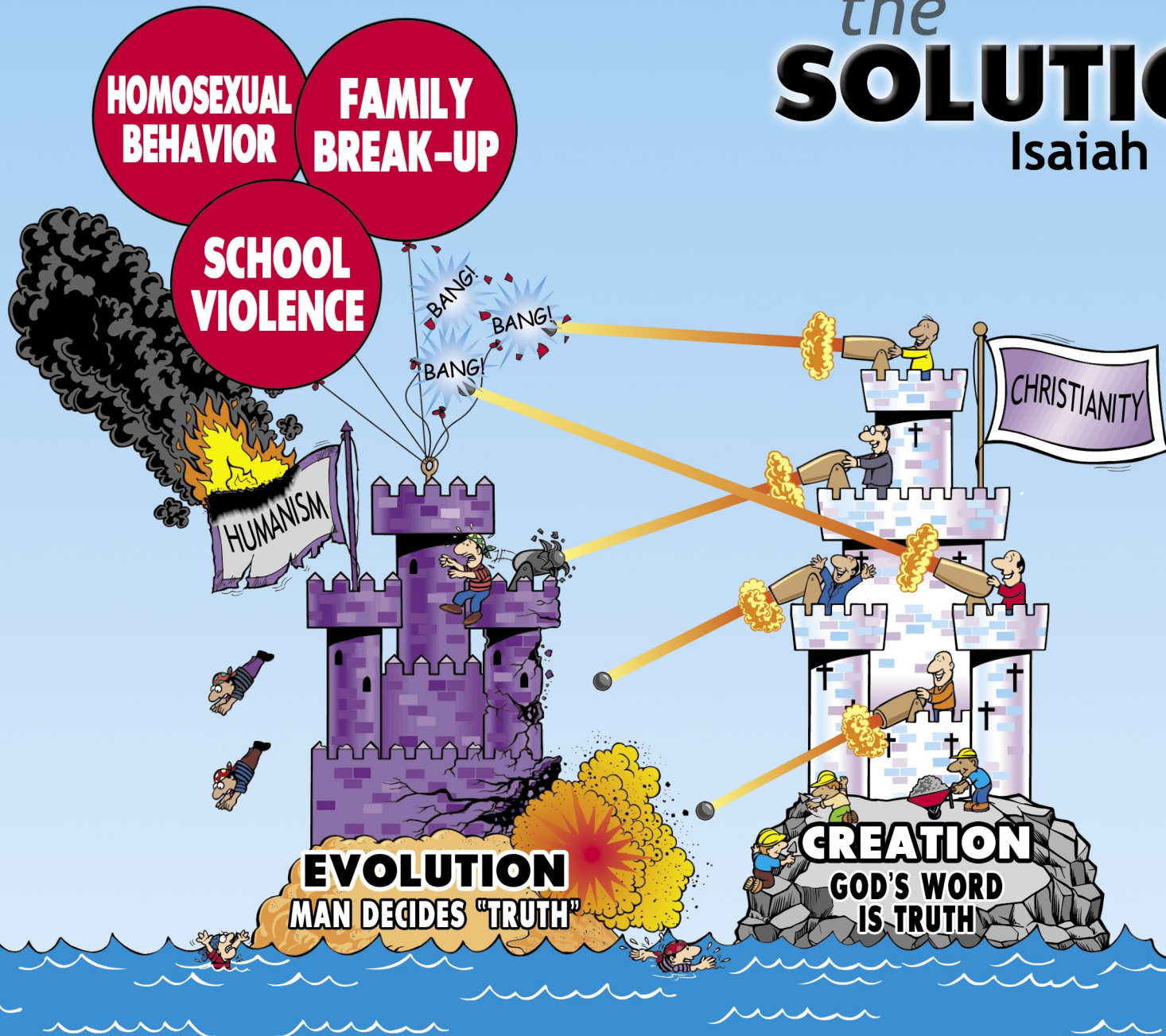


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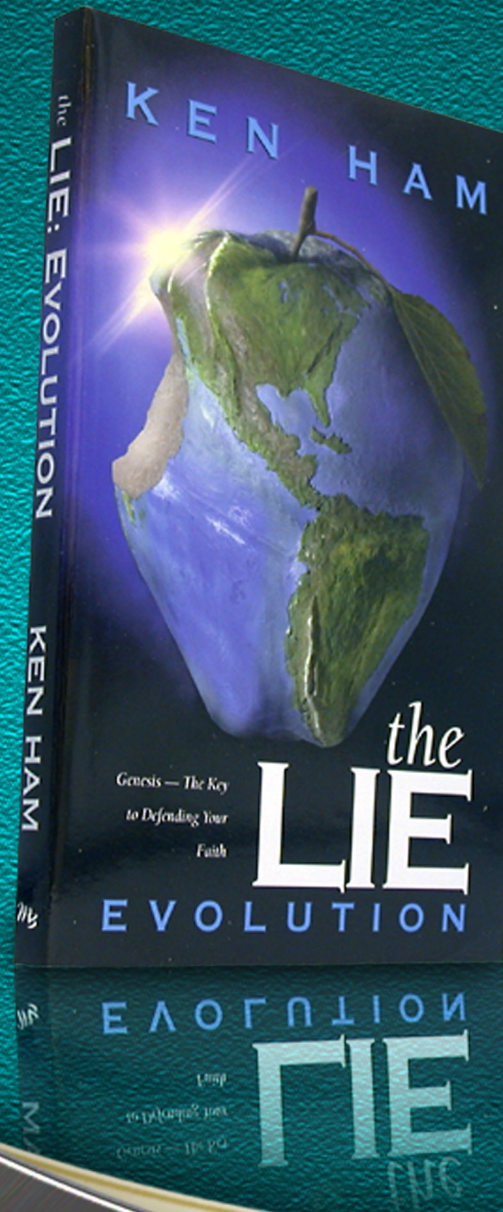
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Isaiah 58:12

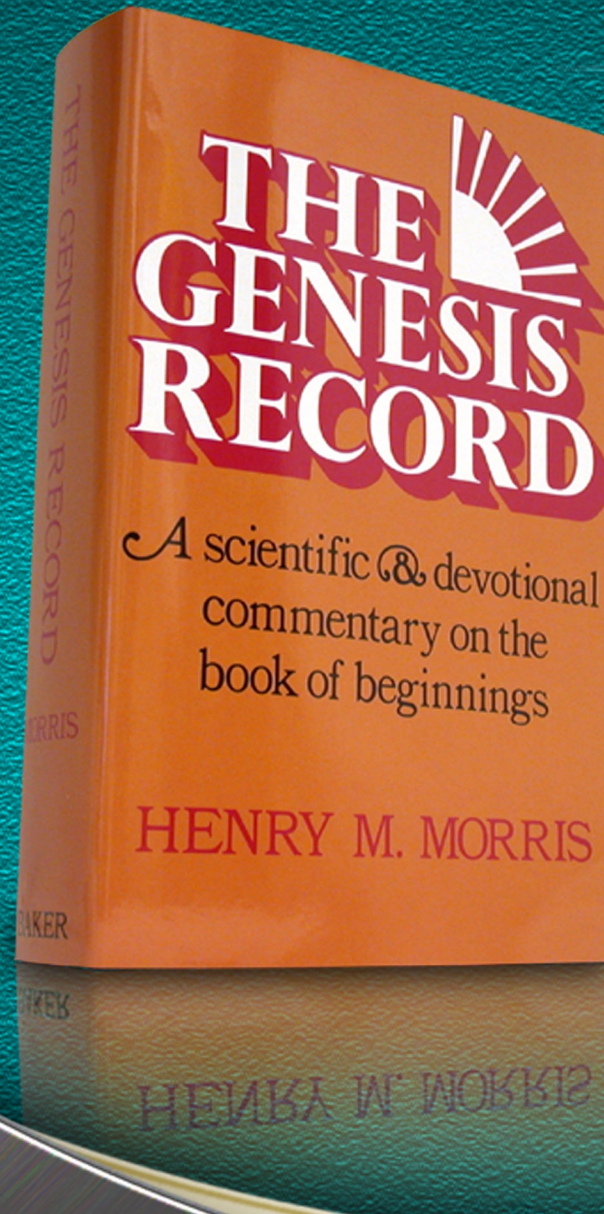


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The Genesis Record *by Henry Morris*

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