



## DID GOD CREATE USING EVOLUTION?

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"Dad, we were studying animals at our homeschool co-op today, and a new girl asked, 'Couldn't God have used evolution to make this world and all those different animals?'. I didn't know what to say to her."

"This is a question I have been asked more than once by children and adults alike. Your mother even asked those questions of her biology teacher in high school. The teacher's response was yes, 'God could have used the process of evolution to create.' As your mother and I genuinely studied creation and science we realized that evolution was untrue and went against the truth of God's Word. Let's examine some truths that the Bible teaches about the days of creation and how they differ from the false ideas of evolution.

"Most evolutionists believe that the Sun and stars were here before the earth. However, the Bible states the dryland was created on day three and the Sun and stars on day four [Gen. 1:9-10, 16]. Evolutionists also say the Sun was here before any light shined on the earth. However, Genesis 1:3 and 1:16 tells us that light was created on day one

and the Sun on day four.

"The Bible teaches that the seas were created on day two and land on day 3 [Gen. 1:6-7, 9-10], whereas evolutionists claim the land was here before the seas.

"Are you beginning to see how the two ideas disagree, Mary?"

"Yeah, they are different!"

"I know you have learned the Biblical account of what God created on each day of creation. So think about what is wrong with an evolutionary idea that sea creatures were here before the plants?"

"That's an easy one, Dad. Plants were created on day three before the sea animals on day five [Gen. 1:11, 21]."

"Good. Evolutionists also teach that land animals came on the scene before the trees, but the Bible states that land animals were made on day six [Gen. 1:25]. Now, how about the idea that the Sun was here before the plants?"

"Another easy one," exclaimed Mary. "As I said, plants were created on day three, but the Sun, moon, and stars were made on day four [Gen. 1:11, 16]."

"Correct. Here is another evolutionary statement: 'Fish evolved millions of years before birds.'"

"No way, Dad! The birds and fish were both created on the same day! Day five [Gen. 1:21]!"

"Evolution also teaches that reptiles were here before whales and birds."

"Hmm? Oh, wait! Whales are sea creatures, so they were made on day five, just like the birds. And reptiles are land animals that were created

on day six [Gen. 1:21, 25]. So, the Bible teaches that reptiles couldn't have been here before the sea creatures or birds."

"Excellent, Mary. There are so many reasons that evolution and Biblical creation don't agree, but I want to share just a few more. Evolution says that man evolved from apes. However, the Bible says we were created from the dust of the earth on day six [Gen. 2:7] in the image of God [Gen. 1:27]. Evolution also teaches that animals have changed and are still changing from one kind of animal into another. Yet God tells us that He made each animal after its own kind [Genesis 1:11,12, 21, 24; 1 Corinthians 15:39].

"Evolution states that the world evolved over billions of years and that everything is continuing to evolve/change. However, the Bible tells us that the world was created in six literal days [Gen. 1:31], and that on the seventh day, creation was finished, and God rested [Gen.2:2].

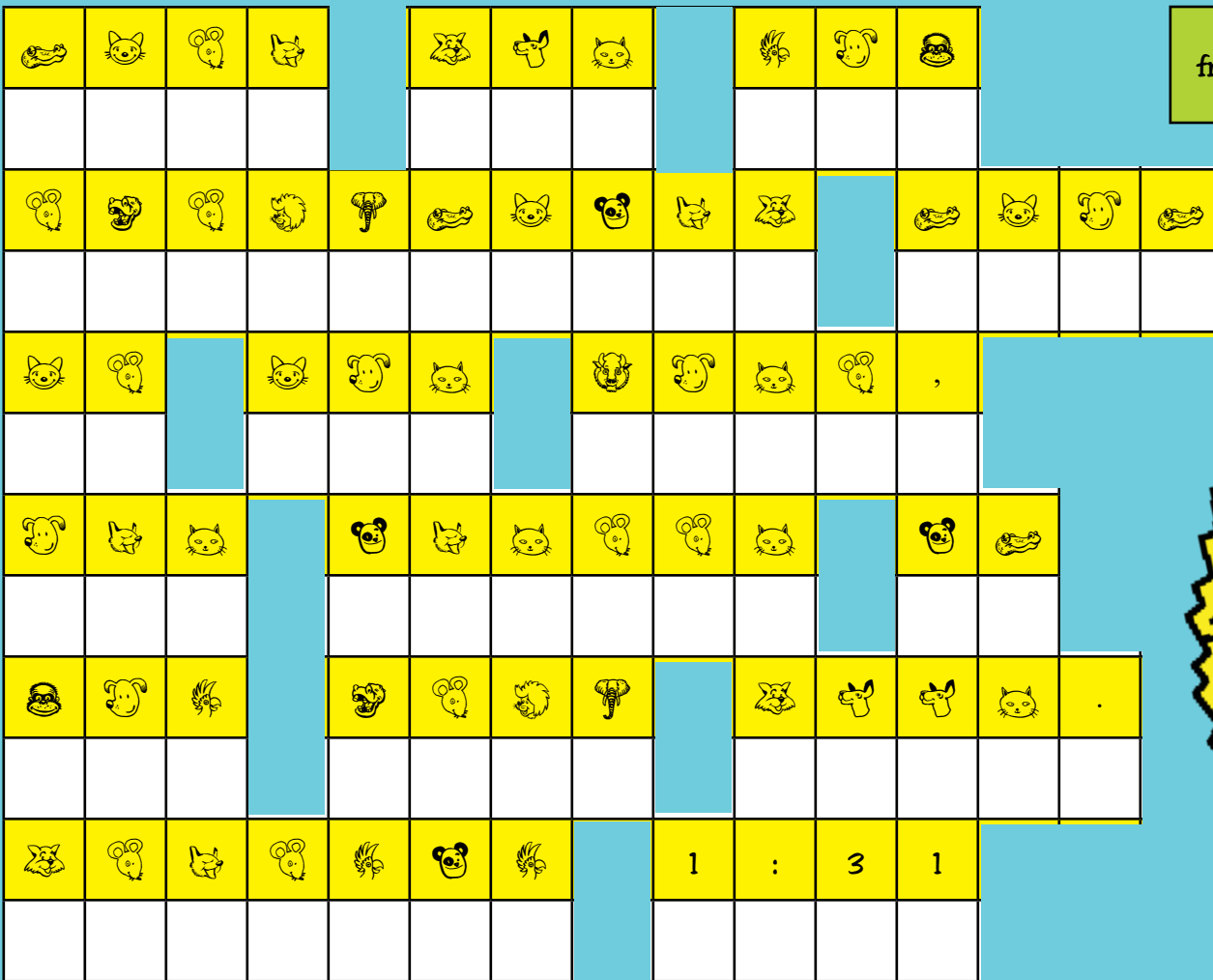
"One other very important disagreement between the two ideas is about death. Evolution teaches that life, struggle, and death were around long before the evolution of man. But the Bible states

that man's sin is the cause of death [Gen. 2:17; Romans 5:12].

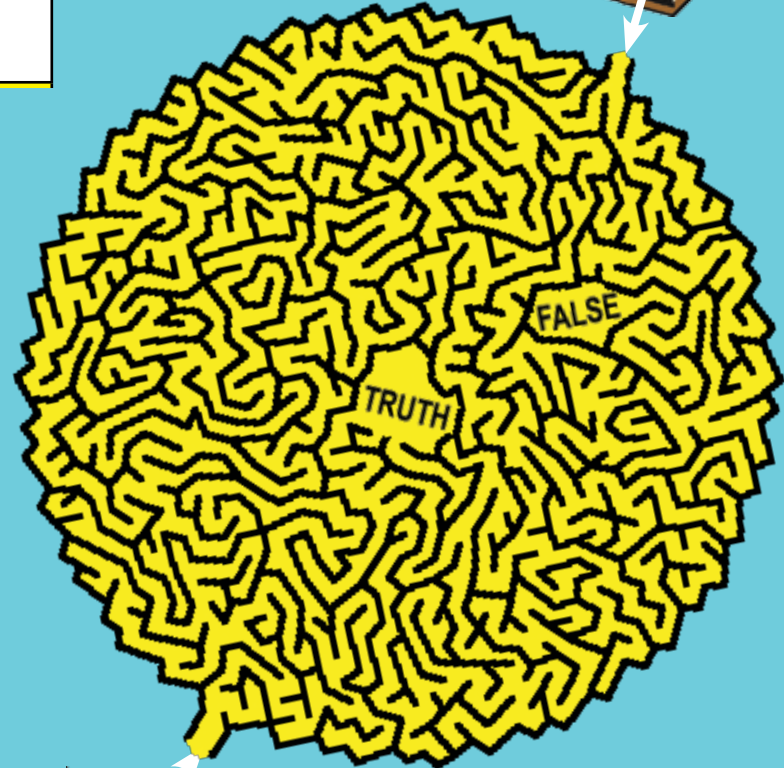
"These are just some of the differences between the Bible and the theory of evolution. Historical and scientific evidence supports the Bible as truth, not the false idea of evolution.

Evolutionary statements from: <https://www.icr.org/article/could-evolution-creation-be-telling-same-story-dif> and <https://answersingenesis.org/why-does-creation-matter/evolution-vs-creation-the-order-of-events-matters/>  
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Find the way through the maze from the Bible and from Evolution to see where it takes you.



Find the Biblical (NKJV) answer to WHO made EVERYTHING by using the KEY below to solve the secret code hidden in puzzle above.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z



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