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CHRIST OR CHRIST CONSCIOUSNESS

Which is it? And what are they? Christ consciousness has nothing to do with Jesus, the Christ (literally: anointed -> the Messiah or savior). Christ consciousness is, very simplified, this: We are spirit in nature. We are part of a consciousness of the universe. We need to tap into the cosmic consciousness to become better people and have contentment on earth. This is mostly an Eastern religious concept (Hinduism - being the parent religion to Buddhism and others). Therefore, many seeking christ consciousness believe we return to live additional lives until we get it right, so to speak. Again,

this is a very simplified explanation. There are variations.

How did Jesus, who taught something very different, get connected to this? Most explanations I have read are that early church leaders changed the Bible, especially at major conferences

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- Evidences of a Young Earth
- Evolution Cruncher
- Something on many fields of science.....

Age of the Earth - Sea Minerals (and more)

Last month we promised a series of articles that show there are many ways to estimate an age (or maximum age) for the earth. Radiometric methods are one way, but we have shown that they are unreliable. This month we will look at the possible age of the oceans.

Evolutionists say: the oceans are at least 540 million years old. Most sources say over 1 billion years old. **Reason:** The minimum age is set because that is how old the oldest

Cambrian rock is which is sedimentary rocks. But some Precambrian rock is sedimentary. The oldest proposed date is 3.5 billion years old.

Creationists say: The oceans are no more than 6000 years old. **Reason:** That is the age of the earth according to the Bible chronology.

Scientific Data:
1) Erosion of the continents takes

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Mountain Building

We have some interesting facts concerning mountain building and eroding. First, let's look at what evolutionists and creationists predict from their theories:

Evolutionists say: Mountain ranges would be of various ages. **Reason:** The continents have slowly drifted causing mountains to form at various times over the ages as crustal plates collide with each other. Also, the strata would have hardened into solid, inflexible rock. Each mountain range would be formed slowly over great ages.

Creationists say: All mountain ranges formed within a short span of time. The strata would

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MEETINGS

These meetings will feature a 1 hour video followed by discussion.

Meeting Day	Time(s)
Thursdays	7:00 PM
Saturdays	3:30 & 7:00 PM

Unlocking the Mystery of Life

- Several former evolutionists explain how they were force by the scientific evidence to accept the intelligent design of life.

Evidences - Explains how modern geologists, old earth & young earth, now believe at least 1/3 of all sediments were rapidly deposited as mud flows.

In the Beginning - Shows how Noah's flood best explains sediment layers, mountain building and the ice age.

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The Uptown Meeting Place
401 N. 89A

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For nothing is hidden that shall not become evident, nor anything secret that shall not be known and come to light. Jesus Christ - Luke 8:17

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with its various chemicals which are added to the oceans.

2) Rates of water flowing into the oceans today are probably typical for *most* of the past.

3) But, it is believed that rate of water flow into the oceans, and therefore the rate of material entering the oceans, has been *many times* greater at various times in the past, particularly during the melting of the ice age. Increases in water flow volume have a geometric (multiplied, not just added) effect in increasing the amount of material picked up and transported by water.

4) Based on scientific analysis it would take the following amounts of time for oceans to reach current levels of the following materials based on **today's** rates of entry via rivers and exit **and** assuming the oceans started as PURE water (very unlikely):

Uranium	10,000 - 100,000 yrs
Sodium	260,000,000 yrs
Magnesium	45,000,000 yrs
Potassium	11,000,000 yrs
Copper	50,000 yrs
Gold	560,000 yrs
Sulphate	10,000,000 yrs
Chlorine	164,000,000 yrs

Note that the oldest possible age is 100 million years less than the minimum

evolutionists claim and only 1/4 the years claimed as most likely for the age of the oceans.

At first glance, you may say, "But there are a lot more years here than 6000." You are absolutely correct. But, let's consider a few things:

1) It still shows the evolutionists are way off. Remember that our point is that evolution and old ages for the earth are just as religious as our belief that the earth is young. Neither side has all the answers. But evolution is called science when it is actually a religious view.

2) All of these calculations are based on the oceans starting as pure water. It probably had some quantity of all these elements in it from the beginning. So these calculations are *maximums*, not *minimums*. Actual times would be less.

3) The amounts of chemicals added during the melting of the ice age (evolutionists say there were several ice ages) would be massively larger during the hundreds of years of ice melting, cutting the times enormously.

The questions are these:

Does evolutionary theory have any hope of fitting the facts?

Knowing these are maximum time spans, does young earth fit the facts *better*?

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Whale Design

What kind of designer would put bumps on the leading edge of the humpback whale fin? An intelligent one!

According to *Duke News and Communications* at Duke University and an article in *Physics of Fluids*, May, 2004, those bumps create 8% more lift and 32% less drag than a modern airplane wing! It also resists stalling better than a modern aircraft wing.

Ocean Sediments

We have some interesting facts concerning the buildup of ocean sediments.

1) According to evolutionists, sedimentation of the ocean floor is occurring at the rate of 27.5 billion tons per year and sea floor spreading is removing 2.75 billion tons per year. Net gain is almost 25 billion tons per year.

2) Based on the evolutionist belief for the age of the oceans, there should be sediments totaling 90,000 feet thick at the bottom of the oceans based on sedimentation rates measured today.

3) Sedimentation rates were higher at times in the past, *much* higher due to melting of the ice age.

4) Current average sediment depth is 2100 feet.

If we calculate in the fact that sedimentation rates were higher at times in the past, the amount of sediment expected by evolutionists should be much more than 100,000 feet. The actual depth of 2100 feet is in line with an earth about 6000 years old, experiencing the melting of the ice age after the flood (glaciers still shrinking today).

QUOTE:

"Although at the beginning the paradigm (*the generally accepted perspective of a particular discipline at a given time-Ed*) was worth consideration, now the entire effort in the primeval soup paradigm is self-deception on the ideology of its champions. ...

"The history of science shows that a paradigm, once it has achieved the status of acceptance (and is incorporated in textbooks) and regardless of its failures, is declared invalid only when a new paradigm is available to replace it. Nevertheless, in order to make progress in science, it is necessary to clear the decks, so to speak, of failed paradigms. This must be done even if this leaves the decks entirely clear and no paradigms survive. It is a characteristic of the true believer in religion, philosophy and ideology that he must have a set of beliefs, come what may (Hoffer, 1951).

Belief in a primeval soup on the grounds that no other paradigm is available is an example of the logical fallacy of the false alternative. In science it is a virtue to acknowledge ignorance. This has been universally the case in the history of science as Kuhn (1970) has discussed in detail. There is no reason that this should be different in the research on the origin of life."

(Non-Creationist) Hubert P. Yockey, *Information Theory and Molecular Biology*, Cambridge University Press, UK, p. 336, 1992.

Why are the scientific leaders willing to allow the admission of ignorance in other areas of science, but never in evolution? Because scientific fact is irrelevant to them. They dislike the obvious available paradigm... Jesus is our Creator. He spoke us into existence about 6000 years ago.

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still be moist and somewhat flexible as all the strata sediments present during uplift (mountain forming) would have

just been laid down during a worldwide flood **Reason:** Genesis 7:11 tells us that **all** the fountains of the great deep opened at the beginning of Noah's flood. This worldwide disruption of the crust of

the earth would cause the continents to move apart quickly, forming mountains when plates collide with each other.

Let's see how the predictions stand up to the facts:

Evolution Prediction:

- 1) Mountain Ranges would vary in age as they slowly formed over the ages.
- 2) Strata would be hardened before the mountains formed from uplifting.
- 3) The Appalachian Mts. are 620 million years old.

Creation Prediction:

- 1) Mountain ranges would be of about the same age.
- 2) Strata would be somewhat soft and able to fold as they would be recent deposits from the flood of Noah.
- 3) All mountains are much younger than 620 million years old.

Scientific Data:

- 1) Most major mountain ranges appear to be of about the same age based on the layer of the geological column at the top of the mountains. See the blue chart below.
- 2) Folds in strata can be found in many places. The Appalachian Mts. are the result of folding in addition to uplifting (see *Appalachian Mt. Cut* and *Wall of Folds* below). Only quick uplifting soon after deposit can account for folding.
- 3) At the present rates of erosion, the Appalachian Mts. would have eroded away 44 times! All the mountains on earth would erode away in 14 million years. Erosion rates are known to have been higher in the past at times, probably never lower.

¹ Hardened rock cannot fold except - it is thought, not proven - under extreme temperatures and pressures deep in the earth. Current mountain strata has always been at the surface of the earth (they contain fossils). They were not subject to intense pressure or temperature.

Check our home page at <http://www.cryingrocks.org> for several links that detail how the traditional geological story of mountains is being seriously challenged because the data now known does not fit with the theory which was constructed on assumptions.

The question is this:

Which prediction, each made before many of the facts were known, fits the facts?

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such as the Council of Niacea in 325 AD. Dan Brown's *The De Vinci Code*, made this story popular throughout our culture. But, as Dan Brown says at the beginning of his book... it is FICTION.

The claim is that some of the **gospels** were removed from the Bible and words in the existing books were changed to remove the "true" message of Christ, which was really based on Hinduism. This allowed male dominance and suppression of the masses. The Dead Sea scrolls have shown that roles for males and females have always been in the Old Testament. Since Jesus is the God of the Old Testament, Jesus would proclaim the same gender roles.

Here is what really happened: By the year 300, it had been pretty well determined which books were appropriate for the Bible. It was a slow, careful process that took over 200 years. There was no single meeting where the books were decided. Other books were also written about Jesus, but were rejected



Age of Mountains - from <i>The Origin of Mountains</i> by evolutionists Ollier & Pain, 2000, pp. 304-306	
Mountains	Years since uplift
Swiss Alps	<2 Million
Pyrenees	2-5 million
Ural	1-2 million
Tibetan	3.4 million
Himalaya	<3.4 million
Taiwan	<5 million
Sierra NV	<2 million
Rocky	<5 million
Cascades	4-5 million
Andes (all)	<5 million
Ethiopian Rift	<2.9 million
New Guinea	2 million
17 additional ranges are listed - all fall in the same distribution.	

as being historically inaccurate, and for good reason.

Here is an example from the *Gospel of Thomas* which shows why this book is not included in the Bible. It concludes with these words:

114. Simon Peter said to them, "Make Mary leave us, for females don't deserve life."

Jesus said, "Look, I will guide her to make her male, so that she too may become a living spirit resembling you males. For every female who makes herself male will enter the kingdom of Heaven."

This passage is totally at odds with what Jesus and the Old Testament taught. Therefore it was rejected.

Everyone likes the Jesus of action... Healing the sick, giving sight to the blind. But what about His words? He claimed to be God. That doesn't sit well with many folks.

Next month, we will continue this investigation of Jesus and christ consciousness. We'll look at what Jesus taught with His words. Most importantly, we'll look at why Jesus is the only hope we have and how you can know Him personally. Until then...

From the Editor

Hello again.

As we write this, Guy is getting ready to take a class at Yavapai College on the geology of the Verde Valley. Hopefully, we will have some interesting geology regarding the Verde Valley to report on in the next issue.

This issue digs deeper into geology. Radiometric and C-14 dating, which we covered in the last two issues, are simply unreliable. Having looked deeper into C-14 dating since that issue,

Definitions

As we look at the history of the earth, naturalism and creationism, we need to keep a few definitions in mind if we are to understand what the discussion is all about.

Evolution: Change over time. This very loose definition is the favorite of believers in *Naturalism* (definition below). This definition enables the evolutionist to avoid the obvious: there are two types of evolution. The first type is called *Microevolution*. You and I know this as natural selection. This type of change is obvious and undeniable. There are many types of dogs. They look quite different and we all agree they had a common ancestor similar to a wolf. The fossil record is full of evidence of natural selection too. The second type is called *Macroevoluton*.

we must correct something. We pointed out that based on the current imbalance of C-12 to C-14, the earth should be less than 30,000 years old. It turns out, C-14 is so unreliable and fluctuating it is close to worthless to predict anything except ages less than 1000 years.

We'll keep digging for good science.

Thanks for joining us!

SPEAKER

We are available to speak to your organization or class. We will give lessons to home-schoolers, public school classes (we speak of weaknesses of evolution or Intelligent Design in the public schools), any church, individual person or group who would like to discuss the ideas we represent. If you are interested, please E-mail us at info@cryingrocks.org.



Guy & Cindy Forsythe

This is a change in kinds. This is what you and I think of as "evolution." For example, evolutionists think dinosaurs turned into birds. This type of evolution has **never** been observed in action or in the fossil record, nor caused artificially in a laboratory. So the evolutionist leaders say, "Creationists don't believe in evolution, but it is all around us." As you can see, this is a deceit.

Naturalism: Everything we see happened with no action by a god. It all happened as the natural course of matter.

Creation: Everything we see was created by Jesus 6000 years ago as described in the Bible. Incredible variation in the genetic code was designed into every kind of creature so we could all adapt to a changing environment. Dinosaurs do not turn into birds.

Which fits the facts best?

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Our Vision...

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Our Mission...

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