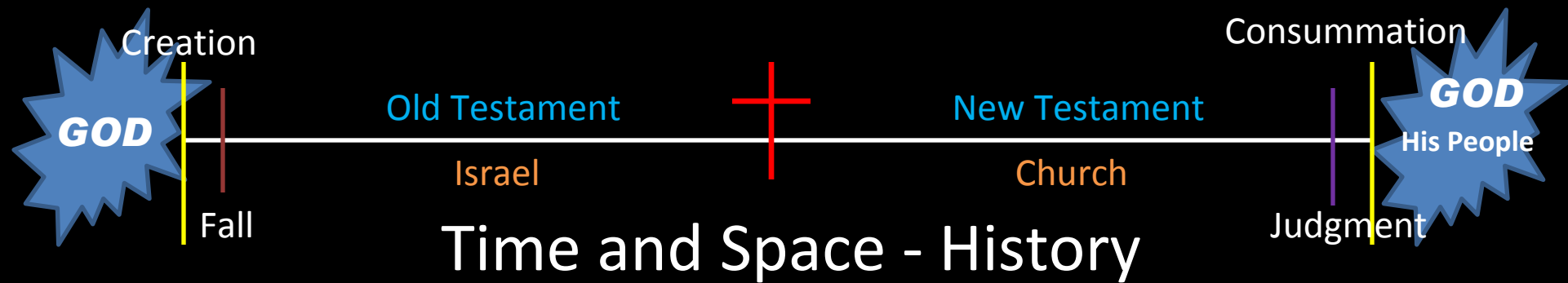


The Bible's Big Message



The
Damned

Creation

Introduction

The whole Bible presents creation as an unqualified, historical fact.

Introduction

Genesis 1:1

In the beginning, God
created the heavens
and the earth.

Introduction

Exodus 31:17

It is a sign forever between me and the people of Israel that in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day he rested and was refreshed.

Introduction

Psalm 33:6

By the word of the LORD the heavens were made, and by the breath of his mouth all their host.

Introduction

Jonah 1:9

And he said to them, "I am a Hebrew, and I fear the LORD, the God of heaven, who made the sea and the dry land."

Introduction

John 1:3

All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made.

Introduction

Acts 17:24-25

The God who made the world and everything in it, being Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by man, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything.

Introduction

Colossians 1:16

For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities--all things were created through him and for him.

Introduction

Revelation 10:6

and swore by him who lives forever and ever, who created heaven and what is in it, the earth and what is in it, and the sea and what is in it, that there would be no more delay

Purpose of Creation

*God Reveals
Himself*

Psalm 19:1

The heavens declare the glory of
God, and the sky above proclaims
his handiwork.

*God Reveals
Himself*

Jeremiah 10:12

It is he who made the earth by his power, who established the world by his wisdom, and by his understanding stretched out the heavens.

*God Reveals
Himself*

John 2:11

This, the first of his signs, Jesus did at Cana in Galilee, and manifested his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

*God Shares
Himself*

Isaiah 43:7

everyone who is called by my
name, whom I created for my
glory, whom I formed and made.

*God Shares
Himself*

Revelation 4:10-11

the twenty-four elders fall down before him who is seated on the throne and worship him who lives forever and ever.

They cast their crowns before the throne, saying, "Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created."

Extent of Creation

*God Created
the Physical
Dimension*

(Genesis 1)

Romans 4:17

as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations"--in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

*God Created
the Spiritual
Dimension*

Nehemiah 9:6

You are the LORD, you alone. You have made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth and all that is on it, the seas and all that is in them; and you preserve all of them; and the host of heaven worships you.

*God Created
Man*

Genesis 2:7

then the LORD God formed the man of dust from the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living creature.

*God Created
Man*

Genesis 2:21-22

So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and while he slept took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man.

*God Re-Creates
Man through
Salvation*

2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

*God Re-Creates
Man through
Salvation*

Ephesians 2:10

For we are his workmanship,
created in Christ Jesus for good
works, which God prepared
beforehand, that we should walk
in them.

*God Re-Creates
Man through
Salvation*

Ephesians 4:24

and to put on the new self,
created after the likeness of God
in true righteousness and
holiness.

*God Re-Creates
Man through
Salvation*

Colossians 3:10

and have put on the new self,
which is being renewed in
knowledge after the image of its
creator.

Responses to Creation

Submission

Exodus 20:10-11

but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

Faith

Hebrews 11:3

By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible.

Joy

1 Timothy 4:5

For everything created by God is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving,

Joy

1 Timothy 6:17

As for the rich in this present age, charge them not to be haughty, nor to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly provides us with everything to enjoy.



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Rejections of Creation

*Atheistic
Evolution*

Psalm 10:4

In the pride of his face the wicked
does not seek him; all his
thoughts are, "There is no God."

*Atheistic
Evolution*

Psalm 14:1

The fool says in his heart, "There is no God." They are corrupt, they do abominable deeds, there is none who does good.

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to Be an
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John 5:46-47

For if you believed Moses, you would believe me; for he wrote of me. But if you do not believe his writings, how will you believe my words?

Implications of Creation

God alone is
eternal and
deserves our
worship

Isaiah 45:18

For thus says the LORD, who created the heavens (he is God!), who formed the earth and made it (he established it; he did not create it empty, he formed it to be inhabited!): "I am the LORD, and there is no other.



God is
powerful and
able to do all
His will

Jeremiah 32:17

'Ah, Lord GOD! It is you who have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and by your outstretched arm! Nothing is too hard for you.

Man is
responsible to
God

Romans 1:20

For his invisible attributes, namely, his eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse.

Creation is the
starting point
of the gospel
message

Acts 14:15

Men, why are you doing these things? We also are men, of like nature with you, and we bring you good news, that you should turn from these vain things to a living God, who made the heaven and the earth and the sea and all that is in them.

Creation