

Basic Creation Training Course

Course Outline

<p>Chapter 1: The Bible and Time</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The 7C's of history• Genesis and time (Creation)<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ The perfect creation▪ Genesis 1-11 and time• Establishing a biblical worldview<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Matthew 22:37▪ 2 Timothy 3:16-17▪ Challenges and warnings• The days of creation – Interpreting the days of creation using Scripture<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Hermeneutics – establishing the ground rules▪ The Bible and “day”• The issue of sin, death, and time (Corruption)<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Literal interpretation versus a non-literal interpretation▪ Genesis 1:31 and very good• Handling objections<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ 2 Peter 3:8▪ Plant death before the Fall▪ The gap theory▪ Genesis 2:4▪ Genesis is not real history• Did God use evolution?• Class exercise <p>Chapter 2: The Genesis Flood</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Genesis Flood (Catastrophe)<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why did God destroy the earth?▪ The Flood and hermeneutics▪ The Flood and critical thinking▪ The Flood and the New Testament▪ The Flood and geology▪ The Flood and the fossil record▪ Class exercise	<p>Chapter 3: Biblical Apologetics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is apologetics?• Why study and practice apologetics?• Three critical thinking questions• A question about fossils• Who did Cain marry?• How can the first three days be literal days without the sun?• Is the big bang compatible with the Bible?• The Gospel and apologetics• Why is the universe so big?• Class exercise <p>Chapter 4: Four Pillars of Evolution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cosmological evolution (the origin of the universe)• Chemical evolution (the origin of life)• Biological evolution (Darwinian evolution)<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Mutations and information▪ Natural selection – how does it work?• Methods used to date rocks and fossils<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Understanding assumptions▪ Conflicts in dating <p>Chapter 5: Application – Answering Challenges</p> <p>Answering challenges</p>
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