



The Big Bang,  
Evolution and the  
Origin of Life

The big bang theory claims the universe came into existence when a singularity magically appeared from nothing, started spinning, turned extremely hot, and then exploded, creating the entire universe and everything in it. Many today simply believe this theory by faith because “science says” it happened, but stop and think about it for a moment. The theory of entropy states that order does not come from chaos. If you exploded a pile of metal, it would not make a car, or if you exploded a pile of wood, it would not make a house. Of course, the universe is far more complex than a car or a house, yet popular scientific theories claim that the universe brought itself into existence through an explosion, and many have fallen for it.

The theory of evolution then builds on the big bang theory, claiming that life appeared from non-life when lightning struck a chemical pond, suggesting that this first simple cell gradually evolved over billions of years. The theory claims that complex life evolved from mutations, but just stop for a moment and think of that word, ‘mutant.’ What image comes to mind? If you are honest with yourself, you will admit that the image is not good. That is because mutations turn out bad at an infinitely greater percentage than they turn out good, and yet the theory of evolution claims that life, reproduction, our amazing bodies, and more are the product of “good” mutations.

In addition, evolution claims that life evolved by gradual “numerous, successive, slight modifications,” but this could not happen in a body is full of complex coordinating systems, which the theory of ‘irreducible complexity’ tells us. In essence, it says that the blood cannot exist without the heart, which in turn cannot exist without the blood. Both have to be present at the same time to work. It’s like a car. If you remove one small part of the engine, the entire car fails. In natural selection, if one part evolved without its collaborating parts, it would die off according to natural selection, because it has no benefit. Systems could not have evolved this way. It is scientifically impossible.

If you think about this, it’s rather ironic. The big bang theory says an explosion created order, beauty, and structure. Not usually what explosions create. Evolution says mutations created order, beauty, and structure. Again, that is not usually what mutations create. Then evolution says that we evolved through slight modification, which again defies logic. Both of these theories defy simple common sense. They are not supported by the evidence we see in the practical world around us. Exploding wood does not create houses, and most don’t want babies to be born with mutations. Of course, at the foundation of both of these theories is the idea that things are evolving from worse to better, which again defies science.

Clothes wear out. Cars rust and break down. People grow old and die. Adding time to any equation is not usually helpful, but harmful. Time does not naturally make things better. It makes things worse, and yet these popular scientific theories defy this simple fact. Ironically, the Bible tells us what many are afraid to admit. It says people do not get better, but “grow worse and worse” (2 Tim. 2:13). It says, “our outward man is perishing” (2 Cor. 4:16). The universe is not getting better, but rather “the whole creation groans and labors” (Rom. 8:22). That’s why Jesus said not to store up treasures on earth, “where moth and rust destroy” (Matt. 6:19). The Bible gives us simple, practical science.

While science claims to use evidence for their theories, the Bible uses the same evidence. Check it out. Two main pieces of evidence used to support the big bang theory are the discovery of light particles in space in 1965 by Arno Penzias and Robert Wilson, along with the expanding universe, as seen through the Hubble telescope in 1923. They claim the light particles are evidence of the big bang, and since the universe is expanding, it must have been contracting; thus, reversing the process, they assume that it came from nothing, exploded, then spread outward into space. The problem is, these findings perfectly match the description of creation in the Bible.

Long before the scientist found light particles in space, the Bible said that the universe began with light in space. The process began when God said, "Let there be light," sending light into space (Gen. 1:3). Since this was written long before the big bang theory, it is more credible to say scientific evidence supports the Bible. Still, there is more. After creating the universe, God "stretched out the heavens" as the Hubble telescope revealed (Jer. 10:12). The Bible says He "stretches out the heaven" as an ongoing process (Job 9:8; Isa. 44:24). Again, this was written thousands of years before science discovered the expanding universe, so the Bible, creation, and God are all supported by the scientific evidence.

While some accuse Christians of believing a fairy tale because they claim that God created the universe, these same people claim that the universe created itself from nothing and yet if you were walking in the woods and you saw a house framed, you would assume that the house had a builder because houses don't build themselves. In the same way, when we see a planet perfectly adapted to life, we should be able to conclude what the Bible tells us, that "every house is built by someone, but He who built all things is God" (Heb. 3:4). The fact that the earth is perfectly adapted to human life should at least cause us to question the theory of creation.

Just think. Earth has more than sufficient water, with a built-in self-purifying water cycle. Water helps regulate temperature by absorbing heat. Earth has plants for food that can be reproduced with seeds, while plants also cleanse the air in our atmosphere to support and sustain life. Earth has breathable air sufficient to sustain life. Earth has a sun and moon, providing light and heat. If the sun were only a little closer to earth, the planet would burn up, and if a little further we would freeze. The moon is situated at the perfect distance, with the axel of the earth tilted at such an angle as to not only regulate the ocean waves to keep them from flooding us, but also to give us the seasonal changes, and so much more.

If the big bang is true, how did the laws of nature develop? These laws are so perfect that if you drop a penny from an airplane, you can calculate the minute it will hit the ground. You can also calculate the exact minute the sun will rise in one hundred years, and how does the scientist explain this? The scientific explanation to the amazing universe is, 'we are really lucky,' but this luck explanation can only go so far. Think about it. If someone picked the winning lottery one hundred times in a row, you would know that the odds were too high, and the lottery was fixed, and yet the odds of this world happening by chance are infinitely greater.

Today masses of people have been led to believe they are the offspring of apes, but there are multiple problems with this theory. Evolution claims that life began when lightning sparked some chemicals to life from non-life, but science has never proven this can happen. Still, even if something did spark to life, what are the odds of it surviving and reproducing before it fizzled out? And why would it reproduce if it didn't have a brain? Of course, science knows that the beginning is still so unclear that it is far from fact. That's why scientists continue to look for different theories, like aliens or multi-verses. While many flatter themselves that they are smarter because they "believe in science," the Bible calls these people fools. "The fool has said in his heart, 'There is no God'" (Ps. 14:1). The idea that the universe exploded into existence from nothing is foolish. The idea that life came from non-life is foolish. The idea that humans are the ancestors of apes is foolish. The Bible says, "the wisdom of this world is foolishness" (1 Cor. 3:19). The only reasonable explanation for the universe is God. Science and common sense affirm it.

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