

*Lesson
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Creation: Animals and Man

*God created the animals
and man on Days Five
and Six.*

Memory Verse

Psalm 8:3–4

When I consider thy heavens, the work
of thy fingers, the moon and the stars,
which thou hast ordained; What is man,
that thou art mindful of him? and the
son of man, that thou visitest him?

What makes man distinct
from the animals?

Review

What did God make on Day One?

Earth, light, day, and night.

What did God make on Day Two?

The atmosphere (firmament), which separated the earth from the heavens.

What did God make on Day Three?

The dry land appeared from under the waters to form land and the seas surrounding it, and then the plants were created with seeds to produce more of the same kind.

What did God make on Day Four?

The stars, planets, sun, moon, and other heavenly bodies were created to mark signs and seasons and to give light to the earth.

Genesis 1:20–21

20 And God said, Let the waters bring forth abundantly the moving creature that hath life, and fowl that may fly above the earth in the open firmament of heaven.

21 And God created great whales, and every living creature that moveth, which the waters brought forth abundantly, **after their kind**, and every winged fowl **after his kind**: and God saw that it was good.

Genesis 1:22–23

22 And God blessed them, saying, Be fruitful, and multiply, and fill the waters in the seas, and let fowl multiply in the earth.

23 And the evening and the morning were the fifth day.

Genesis 1:24–25

24 And God said, Let the earth bring forth the living creature **after his kind**, cattle, and creeping thing, and beast of the earth **after his kind**: and it was so.

25 And God made the beast of the earth **after his kind**, and cattle **after their kind**, and every thing that creepeth upon the earth **after his kind**: and God saw that it was good.

Genesis 1:26–27

26 And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

27 So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

Genesis 1:28–29

28 And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

29 And God said, Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.

Genesis 1:30–31

30 And to every beast of the earth, and to every fowl of the air, and to every thing that creepeth upon the earth, wherein there is life, I have given every green herb for meat: and it was so.

31 And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. And the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

Leviticus 11:13–15

13 And these are they which ye shall have in abomination among the fowls; they shall not be eaten, they are an abomination: the eagle, and the ossifrage, and the ospray,

14 And the vulture, and the kite after his kind;

15 Every raven after his kind;

Leviticus 11:16–19

16 And the owl, and the night hawk, and the cuckow, and the hawk after his kind,

17 And the little owl, and the cormorant, and the great owl,

18 And the swan, and the pelican, and the gier eagle,

19 And the stork, the heron after her kind, and the lapwing, and the bat.

Definitions

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Hebrew word meaning “bird,” “winged creature,” or “flying creature”

John 4:24

God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.

Colossians 1:15

Who is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of every creature:

Definitions

Communicable attributes

God's character reflected in humanity

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Numbers 33:52

Then ye shall drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images, and quite pluck down all their high places:

2 Kings 11:18

And all the people of the land went into the house of Baal, and brake it down; his altars and his images brake they in pieces thoroughly, and slew Mattan the priest of Baal before the altars. And the priest appointed officers over the house of the LORD.

Ezekiel 7:20

As for the beauty of his ornament, he set it in majesty: but they made the images of their abominations and of their detestable things therein: therefore have I set it far from them.

Amos 5:26

But ye have borne the tabernacle of your Moloch and Chiun your images, the star of your god, which ye made to yourselves.

God's Word in the Real World

Many evolutionists would suggest that humans are simply apes who have evolved the ability to reason and to communicate with speech. How would you explain to someone that this idea is absolutely incompatible with the Bible?

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What social implications does an evolutionary view of mankind have?

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How could you use Scripture to sit down with someone who does not believe there is a conflict in the biblical and evolutionary accounts of the origin of life and show them the conflicts?

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How could this discussion, the biblical explanation of the creation, lead to presenting the gospel to this person?

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How does knowing that Jesus is both the Creator and the Savior of the world help you to love Him more?