DANGERS OF EVOLUTION

part 2: "Problems With The Theory of Evolution"



Leader's Guide

Overview

Famous atheist Richard Dawkins, says "It is absolutely safe to say that, if you meet somebody who claims not to believe in evolution ... that person is ignorant, stupid or insane (or wicked, but I'd rather not consider that)." Is this true? Has microbe to man evolution been scientifically proven? Where did the theory of evolution come from in the first place? Do variations and mutations prove evolution? What about the transitional ape men? I think you will be amazed to discover what public school teachers are not allowed to tell you regarding this "Theory" of evolution.

Specific Session Tips

- As an <u>ice breaker</u>, maybe ask each person to "Can you name the oldest known relative in your family tree? Do you know anything about them?" (Note: This will lead into a discussion about human evolution and the idea that our oldest relative was a microbe! ;-))
- Once again, keep in mind that most people in your group have ONLY heard one side of this story. Don't be surprised if they react negatively or strongly to this session. Make sure to give grace and encourage them to consider what God may say about this area.
- Just a reminder Do not to answer every question yourself. Your job is to draw people out.
- Possibly do some extra research using Ken Hamm's Answers In Genesis, https://answersingenesis.org/

Suggested Format (90 minute meeting)

- 15 minutes Greet & Treat. Welcome people and encourage them to mingle before the meeting.
- 35 minutes Intro & Video. Introduce the topic, hand out blanks and then show the video.
- 35 minutes Discussion. Lead the group through an honest discussion using questions below.
- 5 minutes Prayer. At the end of your time, ask for prayer requests, and have several people pray.

Weekly Reminders

- Pray! Before each meeting, pray for each person by name and ask God to speak to their hearts!
- At the end of the meeting, remind people of who is on for treats the next week & what your topic will be.
- Pray at the end. Make sure to <u>end ON TIME</u> (You can always tell people they are welcome to stay but give those who need to leave the option to make an exit as soon as the class time expires).

Possible Discussion Questions

- 1. What is your reaction to this video? What impressed you the most? Why?
- 2. What have you personally been taught about the Theory of Evolution? Have you ever heard what Bill shared before? Is what Bill shared hard to believe? Why or why not?
- 3. Discuss the various definitions of "Evolution" (Cosmic, Organic, Macro & Micro). Why is defining these terms important when discussing this concept with people?
- 4. Discuss why the process of "Natural Selection." Why is this process inadequate to explain the complex varied, and marvelous life forms that we see all around our planet. What explains it better?
- 5. Micro Evolution is really "Variations within a Kind (or species)" What does this mean? Give examples.
- 6. Doe we have ANY evidence for Human Evolution (microbe to man = Macro Evolution)? How does it make you feel that we are only allowed to teach Microbe to man Evolution in the classrooms?
- 7. Discuss the <u>lack</u> of fossils to support microbe to man Macro Evolution. Why is this significant?