

Creation vs Evolution

Lesson 6: The Geologic Column

Introduction: What's the scariest natural disaster you've experienced?

1. Watch the video. Then fill in the blanks below with the help of the word bank.

WORD BANK

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The _____ column refers to _____ rock layers one can find around the world. These rock layers are in a specific sequence or order.

Many creationists speak against evolutionary claims by saying that the complete geologic column doesn't exist anywhere in the world, except in _____. But there is strong evidence for the overall sequence of the geologic column. It's much better to point out the assumptions that evolutionists make in regard the geologic column, namely, that evolutionists say there is no _____, there was no _____, and that the universe is billions of years old (_____ time).

Contained in these rock layers are _____. Fossils are _____ parts of once-living creatures. Until the 1700's, most Christians and scientists believed that fossils were a result of the _____ flood during Noah's day.

The false claim the evolutionists make about the rock layers of the geologic column is that they represent _____ million years of history. They also claim that the fossils found inside these rocks represent 500 million years of common _____ from a single-cell organism.

2. Evolutionists deny that there was once a worldwide flood. How do the following passages confirm that there was a worldwide flood, and that it was devastating to both life and land? (*references continued on next page*)

Genesis 6:13, 17

Genesis 7:1-4; 11-12; 17-24

Isaiah 54:9

Luke 17:26-27

2 Peter 3:3-6

The Flood & Grand Canyon (*left blank for notetaking*)

For Further Study

“Evolutionists and Creationists Often Agree.”

24 minutes to read; pages 17–32 of the spring 2019 LSI Journal at www.LutheranScience.org/2019spring.

“Evidence for Evolution.”

3 minutes to read; pages 24–25 of the LSI Lesson Book –2nd ed.

“Fossils in the Geologic Column—Problems for Evolution.”

21 minutes to read; pages 6, 17–32 in the spring 2018 LSI Journal at www.LutheranScience.org/2018spring.

“Fossils.”

11 minutes to read; pages 31–37 of the LSI Lesson Book –2nd ed.