

# SCIENTISM 2

## PSEUDO-SCIENTIFIC MYTHOLOGY and FUNDAMENTALISM QUIZ



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**#1) IS-WAS "SCIENTISM" a NEW**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ and MODERN CREATION**  
**"MYTH" TAKEN ON the BASIS of**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ "?"**

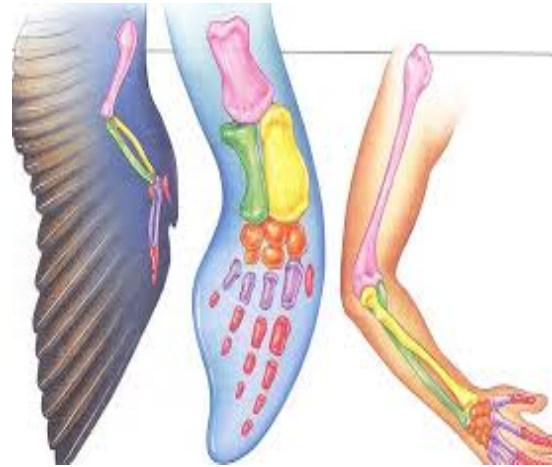
- **A) RELIGION ... BELIEF**
- **B) DOGMA ... FAITH**
- **C) CULT ... DECEPTION**



**#2**) Phillip E. Johnson:

”DARWIN’S THEORY \_\_\_\_\_  
IMPRESSIVE, BUT HOW ARE WE TO  
TELL [know] THAT IS *TRUE*?”

- A) PROVED
- B) TESTED
- C) SOUNDED



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**#3**) Phillip E. Johnson:

“DARWINISM WAS SO LOGICALLY  
APPEALING THAT RIGOROUS  
TESTING WAS  
NOT REQUIRED”.

- A)THEORETICAL
- B)EMPIRICAL
- C)MEDICAL



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#4) Phillip E. Johnson:



”The BARE STATEMENT THAT HUMANS EVOLVED FROM FISH is NOT IMPRESSIVE ... WHAT MAKES IT ... CREDIBLE is SHOWING \_\_\_\_\_ IT CHANGED” ...

- A)WHY
- B)HOW
- C)IF

#5) IS NATURAL SELECTION a  
\_\_\_\_\_ of BIOLOGICAL  
*CRAFTSMANSHIP* THAT COULD  
ACCOMPLISH WHAT PEOPLE  
THOUGHT REQUIRED a “CREATOR”?

- A) GUIDING FORCE
- B) SCIENTIFIC CONCLUSION
- C) UNCHANGING LAW



Although Darwin was able to persuade much of the world that a modern eye could be produced gradually from a much simpler structure, he did not even attempt to explain how the simple light sensitive spot that was his starting point actually worked.



**Michael Behe**

American Biochemist

Born 1952

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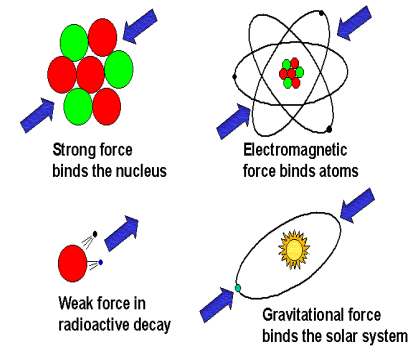
**"We come to exist through a divine act. That divine guidance is a theme throughout our life; at our death the brain goes, but that divine guidance and love continues. Each of us is a unique, conscious being, a divine creation. It is the religious view. It is the only view consistent with all the evidence."**



**-Sir John Carew Eccles**  
1963 Nobel Prize in Medicine and Physiology

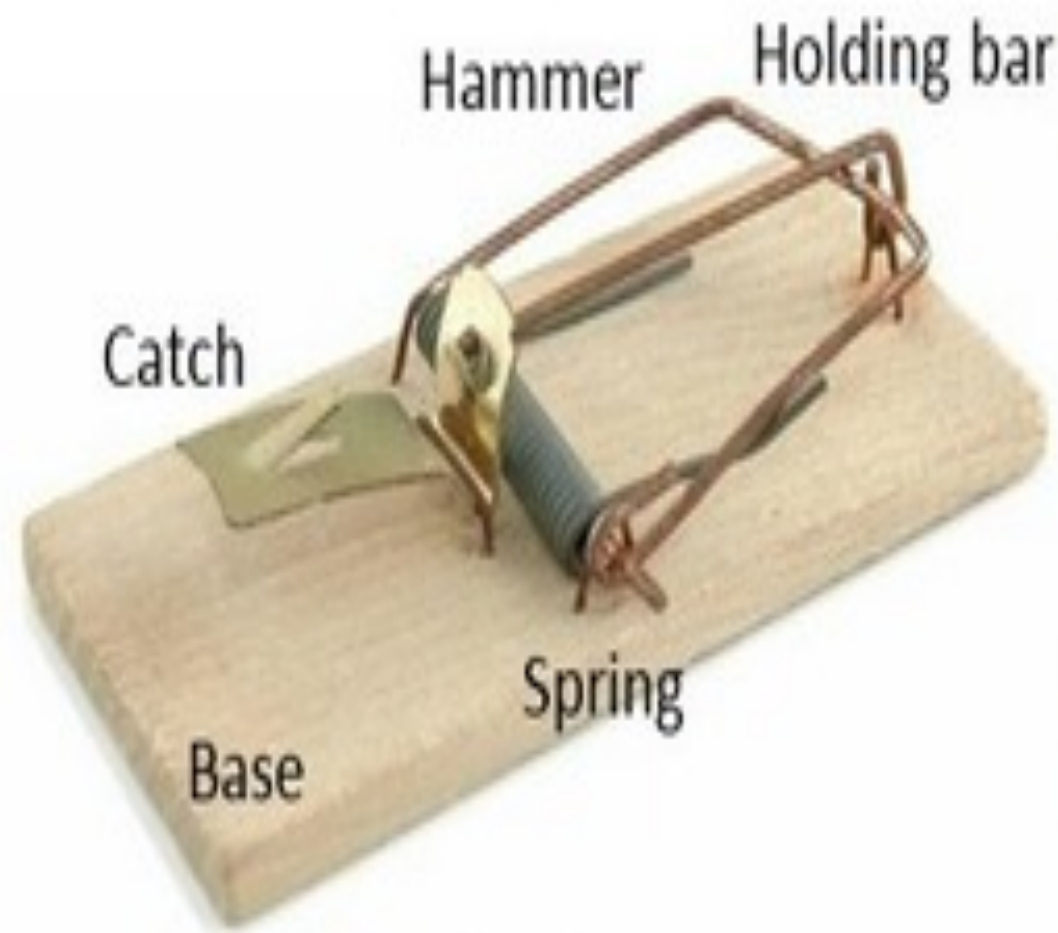
**#6)**” BIOLOGY is the STUDY of  
COMPLICATED THINGS THAT GIVE the  
APPEARANCE of HAVING BEEN \_\_\_\_\_  
FOR a[n] \_\_\_\_\_” – Richard Dawkins

- A) DENIED ... AGENDA
- B) INVENTED ... AGENDA
- C) DESIGNED ... PURPOSE

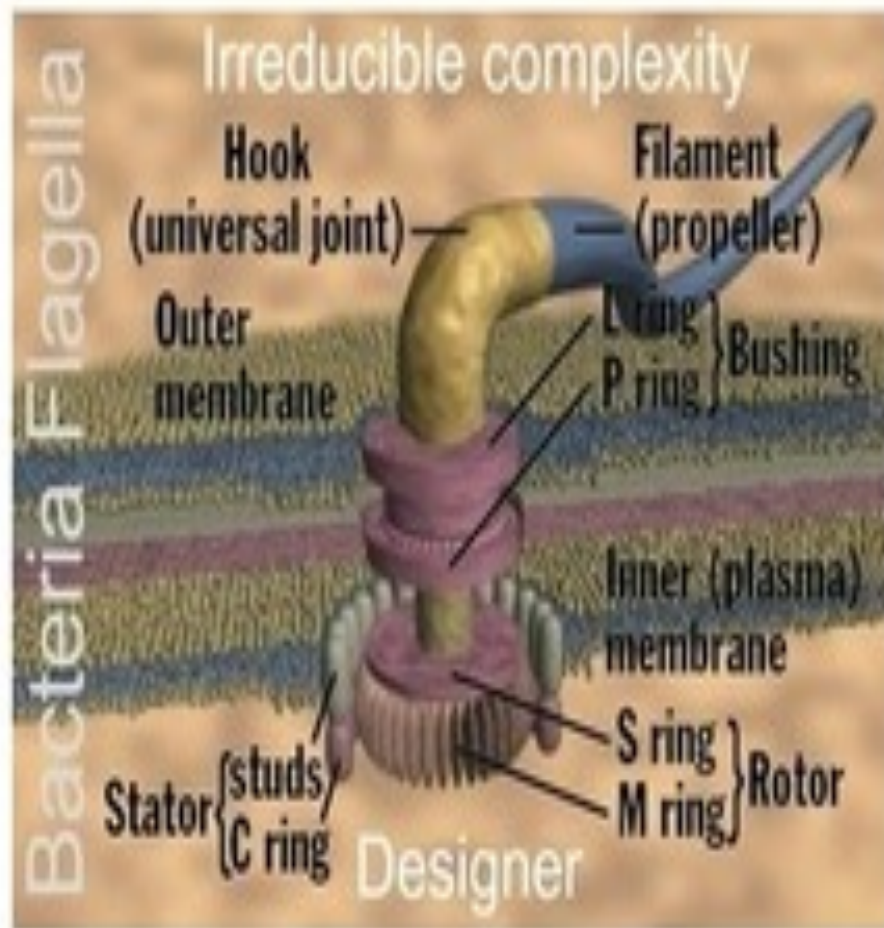




# Intelligently Designed Machines



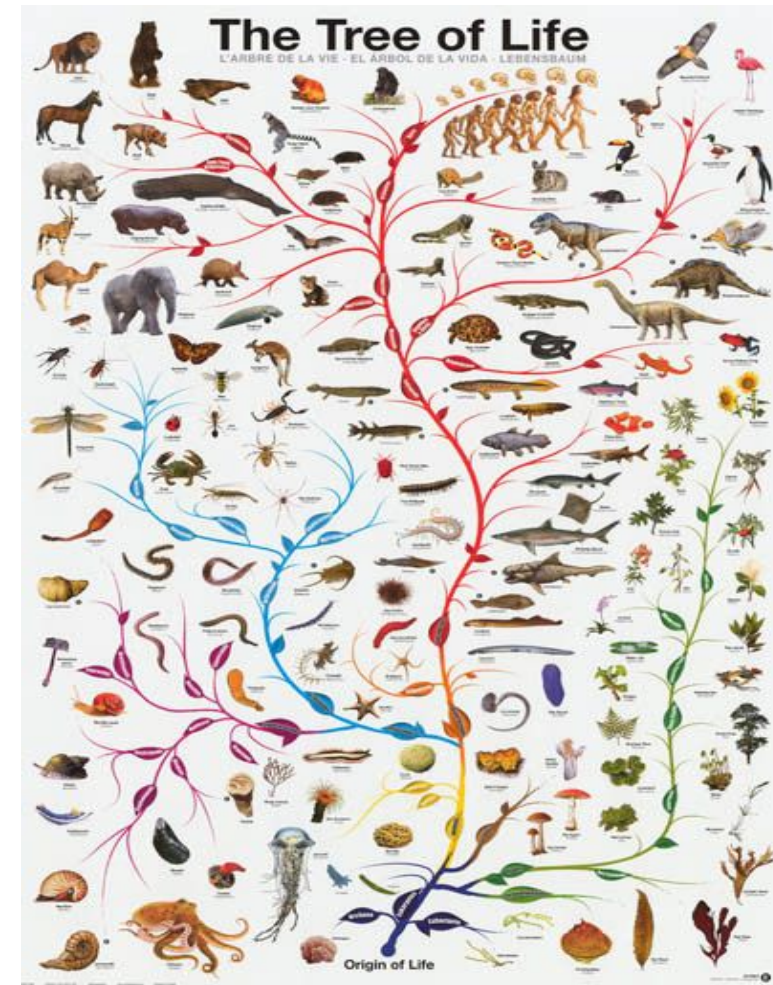
Mechanical machinery



Cellular machinery

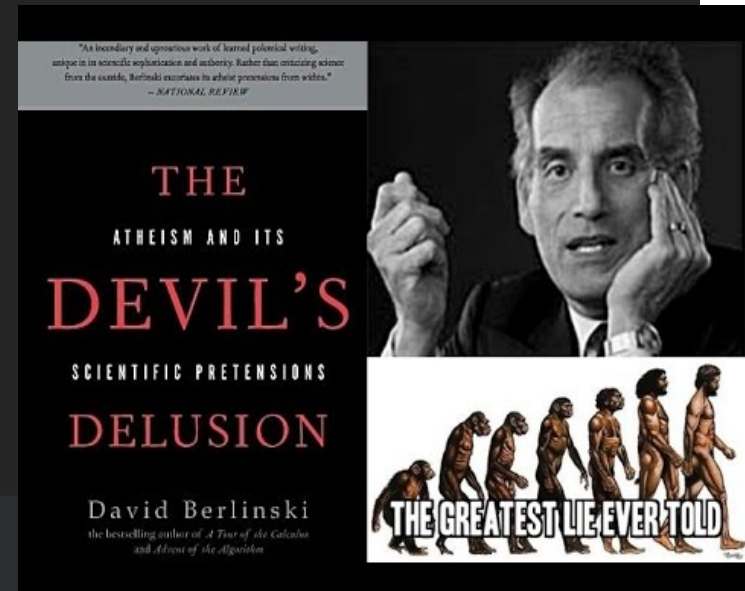
**#7) DARWIN SHIFTED the BURDEN of PROOF and \_\_\_\_\_ the QUESTIONS of “CREATION” and “CAUSE”**

- A)INVERTED
- B)INFERRED
- C)IGNORED



I DO NOT KNOW WHETHER ANY OF THIS IS  
TRUE. I AM CERTAIN THAT THE SCIENTIFIC  
COMMUNITY DOES NOT KNOW THAT IT IS  
FALSE.

- DAVID BERLINSKI -



**#8) DARWIN ASKED IS THERE  
NEGATIVE COUNTER EVIDENCE to  
\_\_\_\_\_ the IDEA? (random-ness)**

- **A) DEBATE**
- **B) DESTROY**
- **C) DISPROVE**



**#9**) Phillip E. Johnson:



”MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE for a  
SKEPTIC to PROVE that EVOLUTION  
COULD \_\_\_\_\_ CREATE COMPLEXITY.”

- A)EASILY
- B)NEVER
- C)SOMETIMES

**#10**) Colin Patterson:

“THERE is NO FOSSIL EVIDENCE  
FOR EVOLUTIONARY \_\_\_\_\_  
FOSSILS”.

- A) AMPHIBIOUS
- B) TRANSITIONAL
- C) NATURAL



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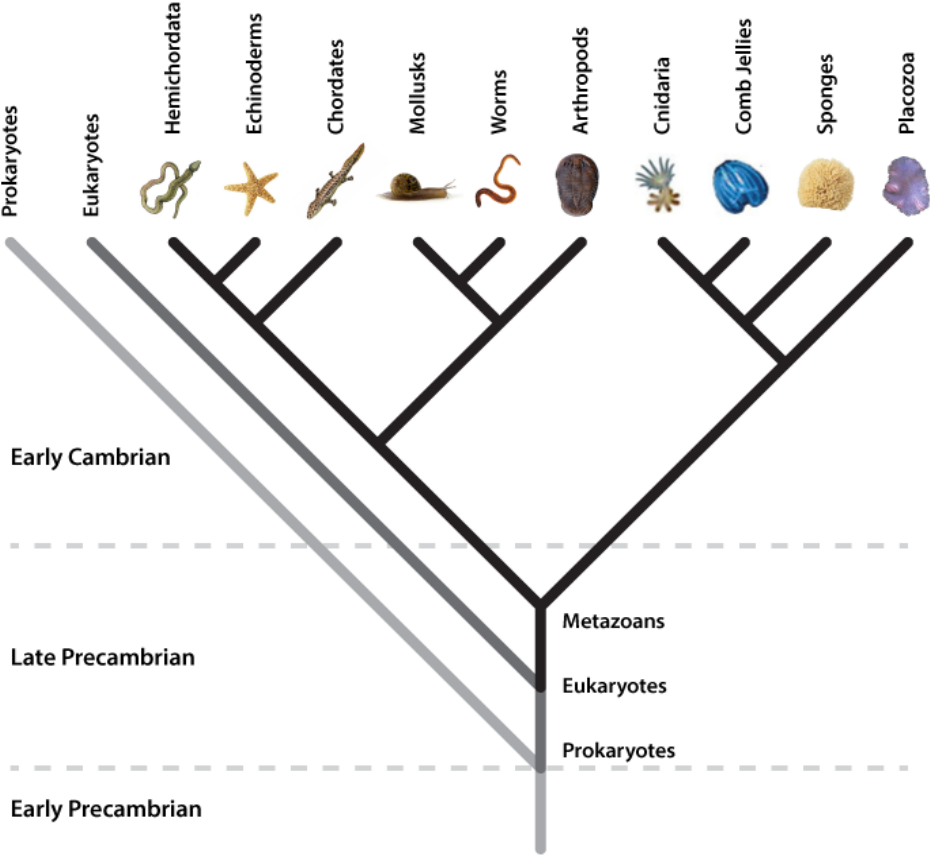
# British Museum of Natural History



**No one has ever** produced a species by mechanisms of natural selection. **No one has gotten near it....**

C. Patterson, Senior Principal Scientific Officer in the Paleontology Department of the British Museum of Natural History.  
Colin Patterson, "Cladistics," Interview by British Broadcasting Corporation (March 4, 1982).

# The “CAMBRIAN EXPLOSION”





Charles Darwin viewed the fossil record more as an embarrassment than as an aid to his theory...

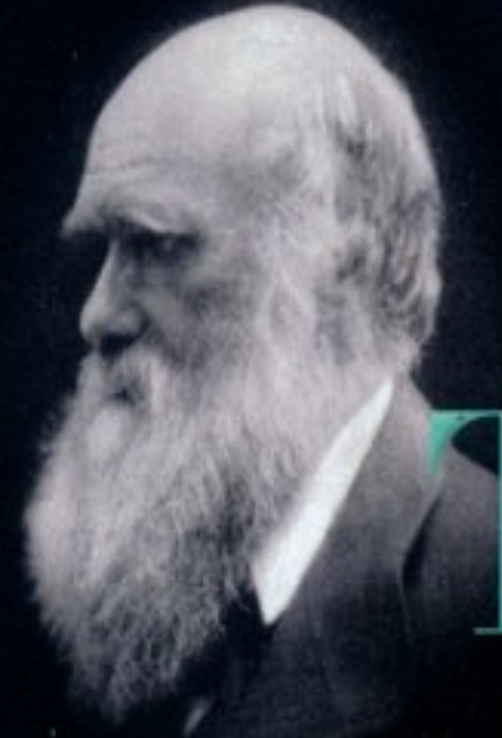
Stephen Jay Gould

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# Darwin

*on*

# Trial



PHILLIP E. JOHNSON

read by Frederick Davidson • unabridged

**#11) COLIN PATTERSON SUGGESTED**  
***BOTH* “EVOLUTION” and “CREATIONism”**  
are FORMS of  
PSEUDO-KNOWLEDGE, CONCEPTS WHICH  
SEEM to \_\_\_\_\_ KNOWLEDGE BUT  
DO NOT”

- A) IMPLY
- B) INVESTIGATE
- C) IMAGINE





# The Fossil Record

“I fully agree with your comments on the lack of direct illustration of evolutionary transitions in my book. If I knew of any, fossil or living, I would certainly have included them. . .I will lay it on the line, There is not one such fossil for which one might make a watertight argument.”

-- Dr. Colin Patterson, senior paleontologist  
at the British Museum of Natural History

150 years after Darwin, and still no credible transition form!



# #12) Karl Popper:

“TRUE SCIENCE HAS TRUE  
(observable) \_\_\_\_\_ POWER”.

- A) EXCUSE-atory
- B) EXPLANATORY
- C) INSPIRATIONAL



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**#13) DARWIN MADE “EVOLUTION” a  
SCIENTIFIC CONCEPT by SHOWING HOW  
\_\_\_\_\_ TRANSFORMATIONS COULD  
OCCUR in \_\_\_\_\_ STEPS, BY PURELY  
“NATURAL” \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS”.**

- **A) MOST ... GIANT ... SCIENTIFIC**
- **B) SOME ... OCCASIONAL ... PURPOSEFUL**
- **C) MAJOR ... SMALL ... RANDOM**

# Watchmaker

- The premise of Intelligent Design is that the universe is so unimaginably complex that it can't have arisen randomly.
- William Paley wrote in his book, *Natural Theology* that if you were to find a watch lying isolated on the ground you could tell something created it, as it is too complicated to have arisen on its own.



+Now apply this metaphor to an entire belief system and you have the basic tenet for intelligent design!

**#14) DARWINISTS CLAIM  
EVOLUTION “HAS a \_\_\_\_\_ SO  
POWERFUL ... GRADUALLY CRAFTING  
... PRODUCE ... “WONDERS”**

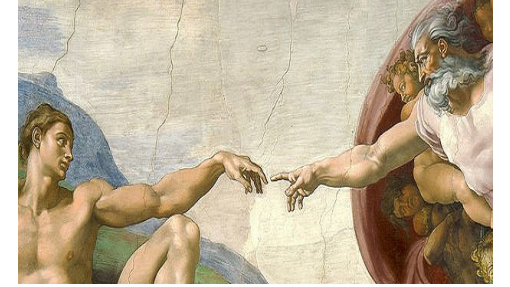
- **A) BUILDING EFFECT**
- **B) RANDOM PURPOSE**
- **C) MAGICAL ABILITY**

**#15) TIME, CHANCE and  
DIFFERENTIAL SURVIVAL COULD  
TAKE the PLACE of a[an] \_\_\_\_\_.**

- **A) MECHANISM (natural cause)**
- **B) MIRACLE (no “rational” explanation)**
- **C) ACCIDENT (random)**



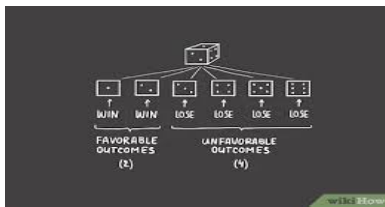
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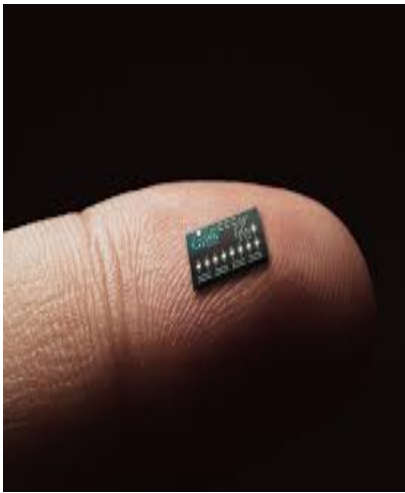
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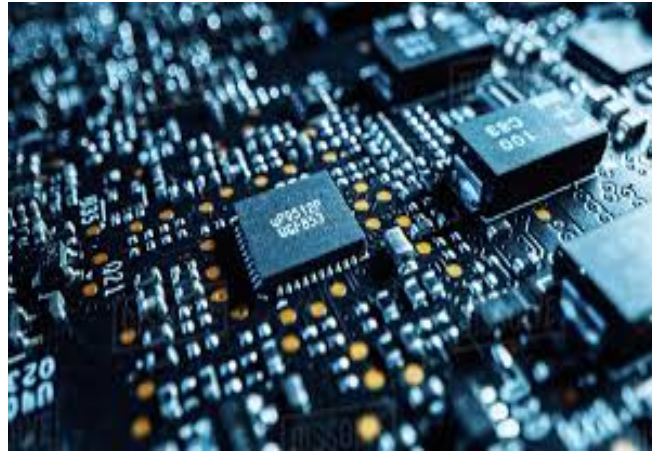
STATISTICAL PROBABILITY = MATHEMATICAL "MIRACLE"



# SYSTEMATIC SYNCHRONICITY



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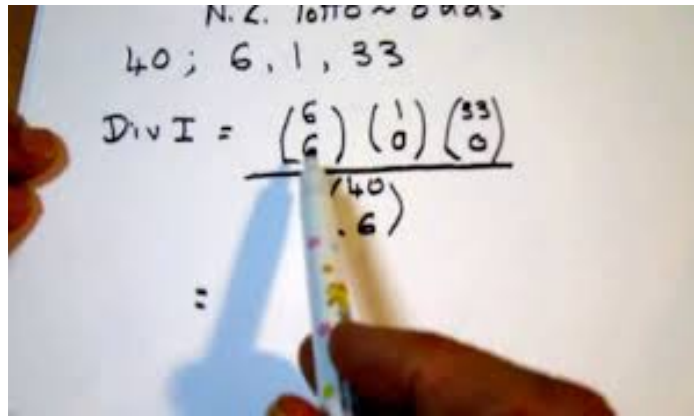


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## MATHEMATICAL "MIRACLE"

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Irish Lottery 6/47	10,737,573	1 is to 10,737,572
West African 5/90	43,949,268	1 is to 43,949,267
UK Lottery 6/59	45,057,474	1 is to 45,057,473
Euro Jackpot 5/50 + 2 balls	95,344,200	1 is to 95,344,199
Euro Millions 5/50 + 2 balls	139,838,160	1 is to 139,838,159
U.S. Powerball 5/69 + 1 ball	292,201,338	1 is to 292,201,337
U.S. Mega Millions 5/70 + 1 ball	302,575,350	1 is to 302,575,349
Italian Superenalotto 6/90	622,614,630	1 is to 622,614,629



1: 10<sup>40,000</sup>

In short, the proposition that God was in any way involved in our creation is effectively outlawed, and implicitly negated.

Phillip E Johnson

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According to the scientific naturalist version of cosmic history, nature is a permanently closed system of material effects that can never be influenced by something from outside - like God, for example.

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#16) Phillip E. Johnson:

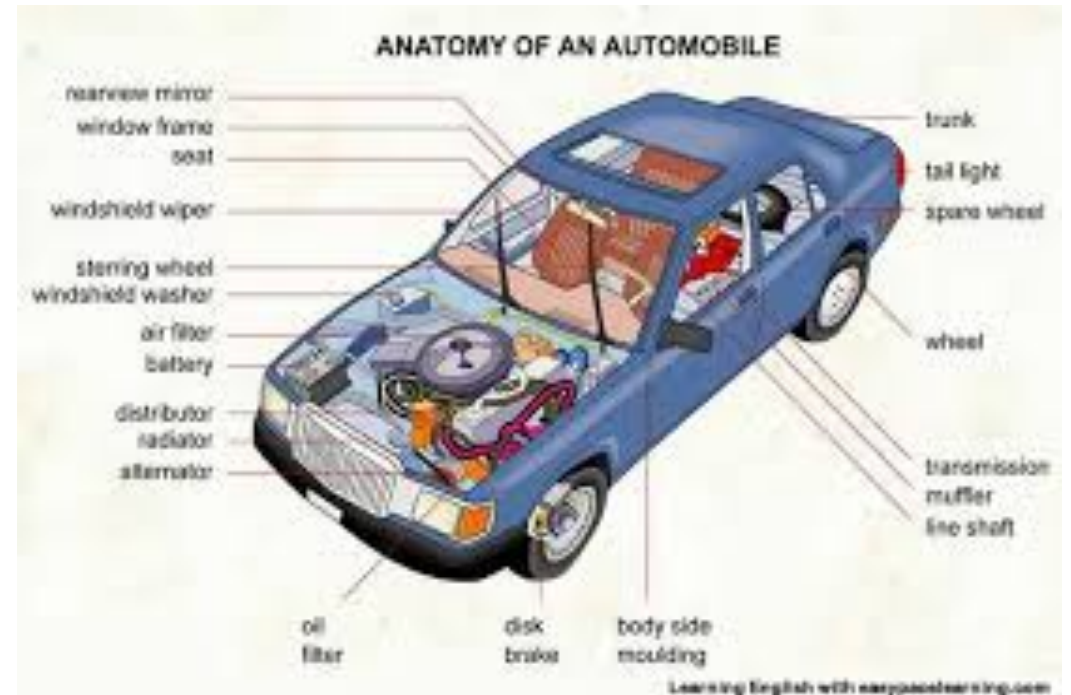
WHAT *EXACTLY* is the BIOLOGICAL  
           THAT CAUSED “CREATION”  
and COMPLEXITY?

- A)PHILOSOPHY
- B)MECHANISM
- C)RATIONALE (reason)



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HOW? DID "THESE"? = GET THAT WAY?

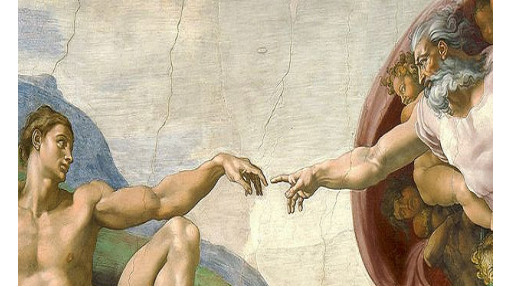


PARTS ? + PROCESS ? = PURPOSE ?

**#16) HOW EXACTLY DID  
RANDOM CHANCE \_\_\_\_\_ WITH  
UNCHANGING LAWS to RESULT in  
“COMPLEXITY” and “CREATION”?**

- **A) CONTRADICT**
- **B) COMBINE**
- **C) COEXIST**

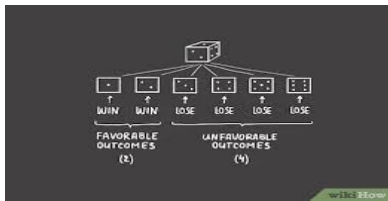
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**#17) "SCIENTISM" is BIOLOGICAL  
\_\_\_\_\_, REPLACING  
"SUPERNATURAL" with "NATURAL"  
EXPLANATION of LIFE'S "MYSTERY"**

- A) MIRACULOUS-NESS**
- B) MYSTICISM**
- C) ARROGANCE**



# MECHANISM ... MYTHOLOGY ... MYSTERY

**“Molecular evolution is not based on scientific authority. There is no publication in the scientific literature in prestigious journals, specialty journals, or books that describe how molecular evolution of any real, complex, biochemical system either did occur or even might have occurred. There are assertions that such evolution occurred, but absolutely none are supported by pertinent experiments or calculations.”**



In private many scientists admit that science has no explanation for the beginning of life.... Darwin never imagined the exquisitely profound complexity that exists even at the most basic levels of life.

— *Michael Behe* —

Evolutionary naturalism takes the inherent limitations of science and turns them into a devastating philosophical weapon: because science is our only real way of knowing anything, what science cannot know cannot be real.

– Phillip E. Johnson

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If modernist naturalism were true, there would be no objective truth outside of science. In that case right and wrong would be a matter of cultural preference, or political power, and the power already available to modernists ideologies would be overwhelming.

Phillip E Johnson

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**#18) "SCIENTISM" PROVIDES a  
PSEUDO-SCIENTIFIC,  
NON-EMPIRICAL, MYTHOLOGICAL  
ACCOUNT of the \_\_\_\_\_  
of LIFE".**

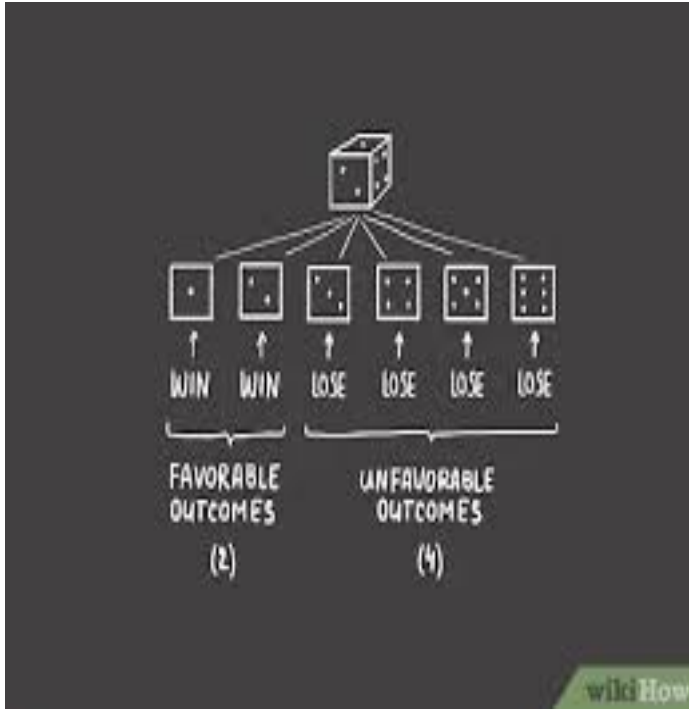
- **A) UN-PREDICTABLE CONCLUSION**
- **B) POINTLESS SPECULATION**
- **C) UN-SOLVED MYSTERY**



#19) SCIENTISM “BLIND FAITH” is a  
“MIRACLE” of MATHEMATICAL,  
\_\_\_\_\_ IMPROBABILITY and/or  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

- A) STATISTICAL ... IMPOSSIBILITY
- B) SCIENTIFIC ... UN-LIKELIEHOOD
- C) PRACTICAL ... SPECULATION

# The GOD of RANDOM ACCIDENT ?



N.Z. LOTTO odds  
40; 6, 1, 33

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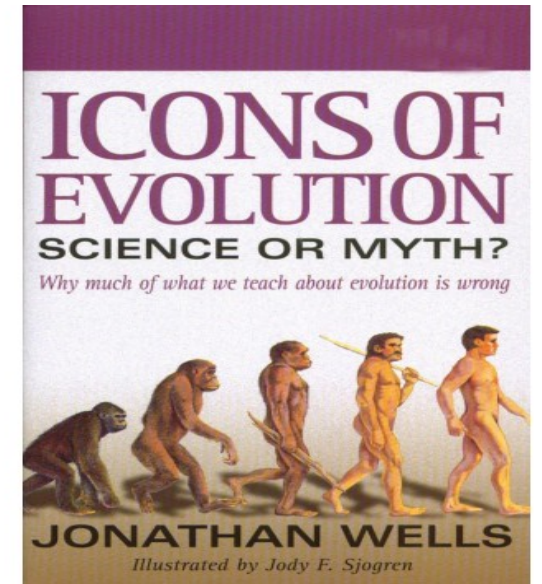
The fact that you are even here,  
alive, on this planet is a  
mathematical miracle, and you  
should not spend the time that you  
have being busy being miserable.

— *Philip DeFranco* —

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**#20) IS SCIENTISM WORSHIP at the ALTAR of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of “WISHFUL THINKING”?**

- A) DELUSION ... CHURCH
- B) PROGRESS ... OPTIMISM
- C) DYSTOPIA ... DECEPTION



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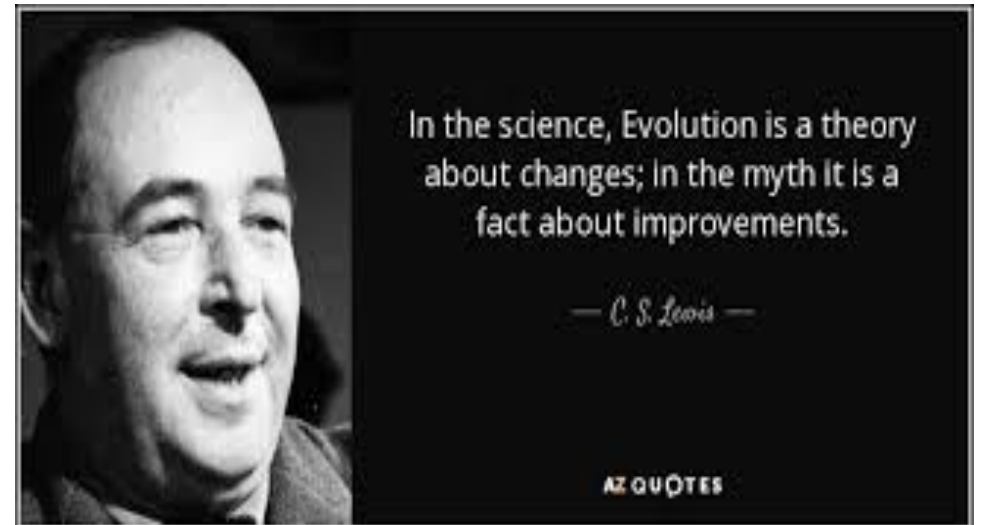
**C. S. Lewis wrote to a friend:**

**"What inclines me now to think that you may be right in regarding [evolution] as *the* central and radical lie in the whole web of falsehood that now governs our lives is not so much your arguments against it as the fanatical and twisted attitudes of its defenders."**



*Think About It! submitted by Gerda Peachey*

**IMPROVEMENTS  
(*micro*-evolution  
VS  
INNOVATION  
(*macro*-evolution)**



**VARIATION ... FLUCTUATION ... TRANSFORMATION**



#21) "NATURAL SELECTION" is a

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*'CIRCULAR REASONING'*  
(saying same thing twice") WHICH  
*DOES NOT EXPLAIN ANYTHING.*

- A) CONTRADICTION
- B) PARADOX
- C) TAUTOLOGY

# TAUTOLOGY

NOUN

**DEFINITION:** the saying of the same thing twice in different words, generally considered to be a fault of style.

*When they are in trouble, children often turn a deaf ear to their parents' tautological lectures.*

## TAUTOLOGY EXAMPLES:

"In my opinion, I think that..."

"Say it again, once more."

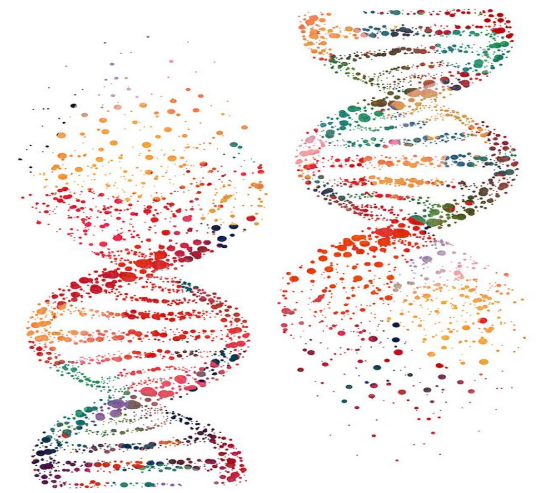
Hot water heater

ORIGIN: Greek. Tautologia, from tautologos "repeating what has been said," from **tauto** "the same" + **-logos** "saying."



#22) "NATURAL SELECTION" as  
"TAUTOLOGY": ORGANISMS THAT  
LEAVE the MOST \_\_\_\_\_ LEAVE  
the MOST \_\_\_\_\_"

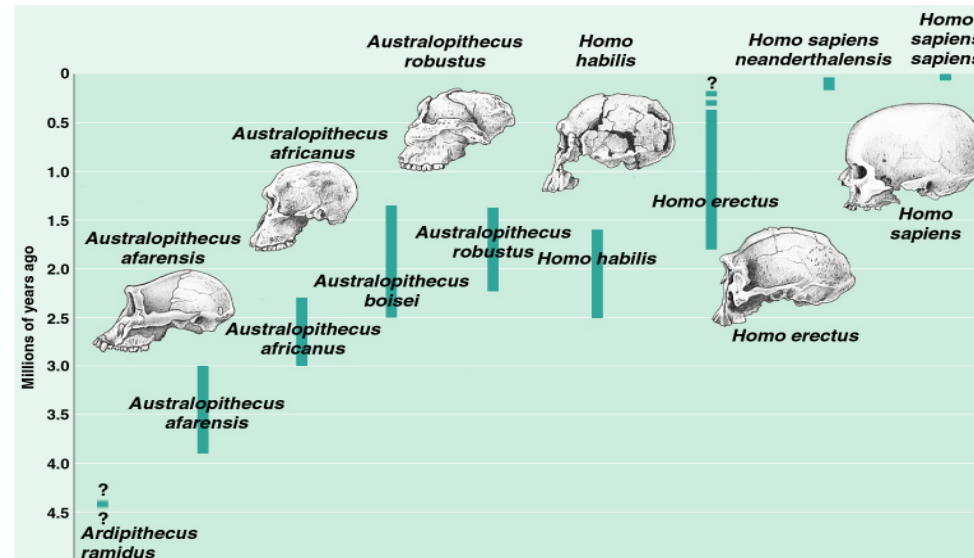
- A) MUTATIONS ... SURVIVORS
- B) OFFSPRING ... OFFSPRING
- C) OPINIONS ... CERTAINTIES



# #23) "EVOLUTION" IDENTIFIES "VARIATION" WITHOUT REALLY SHOWING US DIRECTLY IT CAME ABOUT."



- A) WHY
- B) HOW
- C) IF



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**First, Darwinian theory tells us how a certain amount of diversity in life forms can develop once we have various types of complex living organisms already in existence.**

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Phillip E. Johnson  
American Educator

## Watchmaker

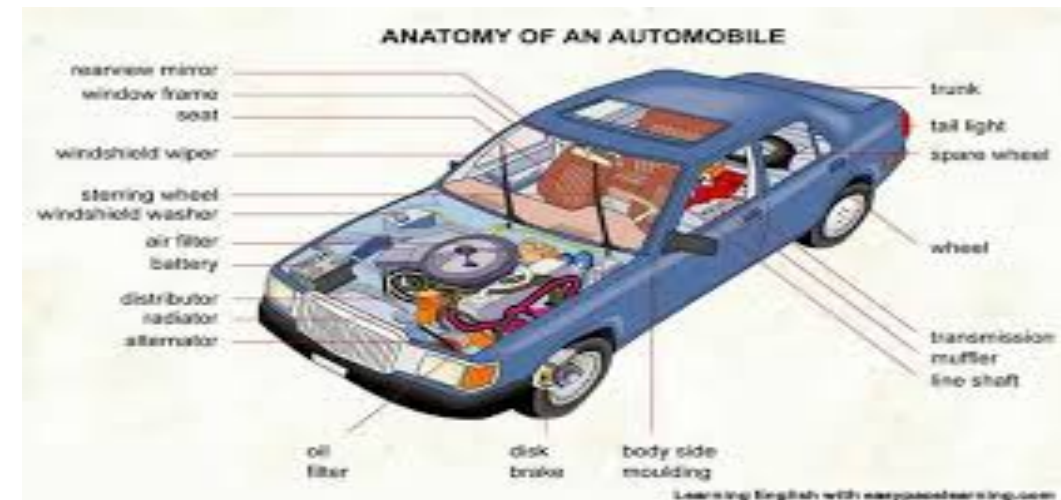
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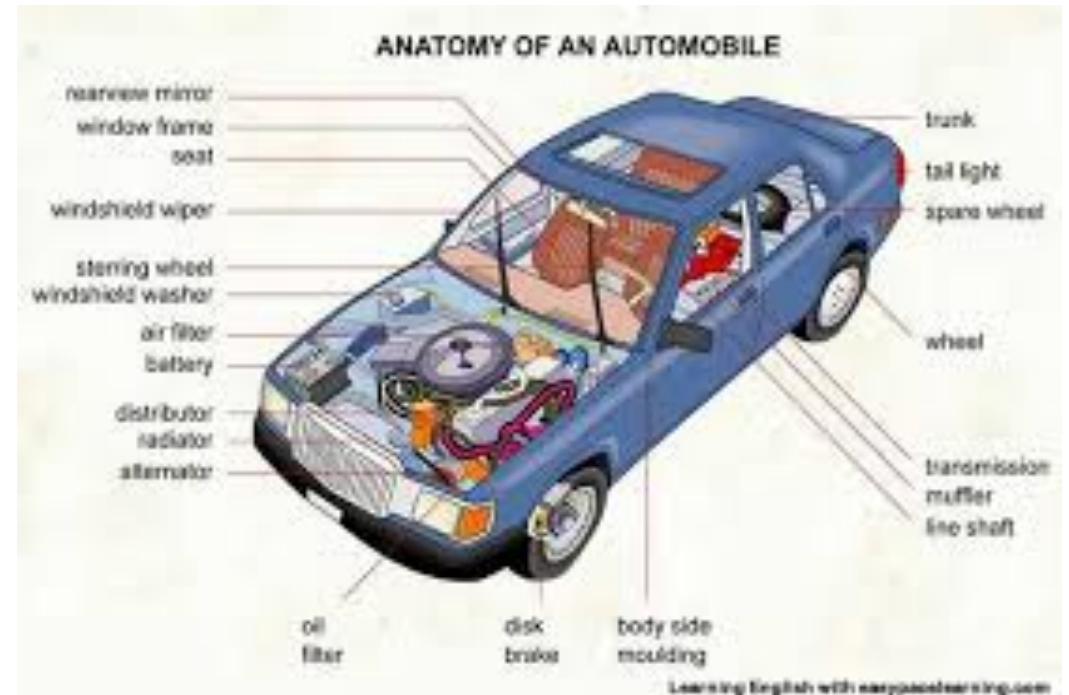
+Now apply this metaphor to an entire belief system and you have the basic tenet for intelligent design!

#24) WHAT *EXACTLY* is the BIOLOGICAL \_\_\_\_\_ THAT CAUSED “CREATION” and COMPLEXITY?

- A) METHOD
- B) MECHANISM
- C) THEORY



HOW? DID "THESE"? = GET THAT WAY?



PARTS ? + PROCESS ? = PURPOSE ?  
"SELF REPLICATION" in "NATURE" ?

#25) Stephen J. Gould:

“The EXTREME *RARITY* of  
TRANSITIONAL FORMS in the  
FOSSIL RECORD is the \_\_\_\_\_  
of PALEONTOLOGY”



- A) INCOHERENT CONCLUSION
- B) TRADE SECRET
- C) OBVIOUS CONTRADICTION



**#26)** Henry Gee:

”MANY of the **ASSUMPTIONS**  
WE MAKE ABOUT ... EVOLUTION ...  
the **FOSSIL RECORD** ... are \_\_\_\_\_.”

- **A) BASELESS**
- **B) BALANCED**
- **C) BELIEVABLE**



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No fossil is buried with its birth certificate. That, and the scarcity of fossils, means that it is effectively impossible to link fossils into chains of cause and effect in any valid way... To take a line of fossils and claim that they represent a lineage is not a scientific hypothesis that can be tested, but an assertion that carries the same validity as a bedtime story-amusing, perhaps even instructive, but not scientific.

— Henry Gee —

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# ASSUMPTIONS ? ... ARROGANCE ?

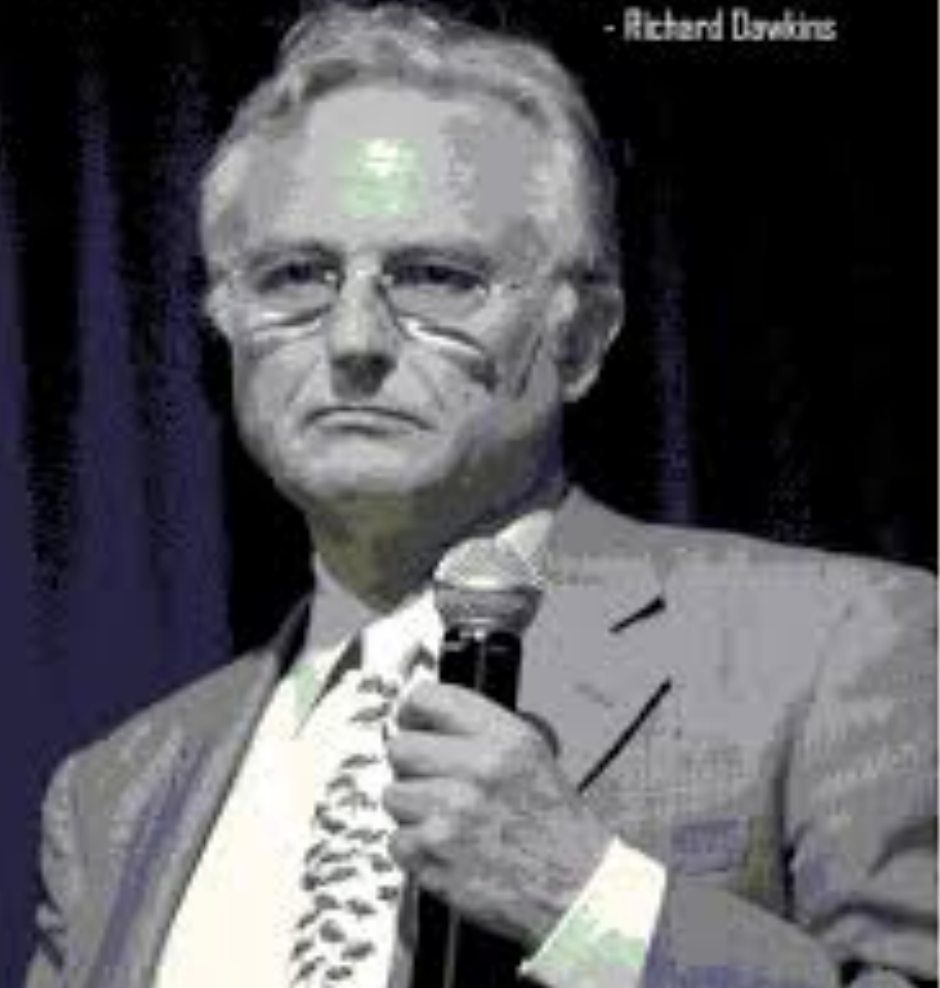
**According to the world's leading zoologist, Oxford's Richard Dawkins:**



**"Animals give the appearance of having been designed by a theoretically sophisticated and practically ingenious physicist or engineer."**

*Think About It!* submitted by [Gerda Peachey](#)

**"Religion teaches the dangerous nonsense that death is not the end."**  
- Richard Dawkins



#27) STEPHEN J. GOULD DESCRIBES SOME POPULARLY ACCEPTED EVIDENCES of EVOLUTION as an '*ICONOGRAPHY*' (images) of \_\_\_\_\_ . (propaganda)



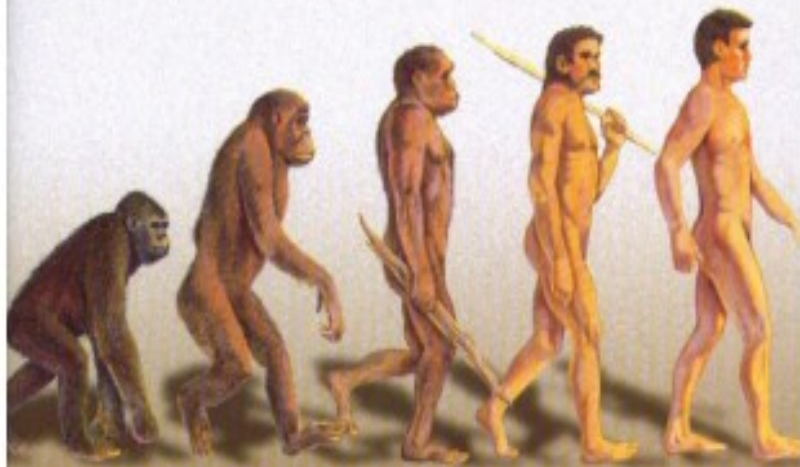
- A) INVENTION
- B) PERSUASION
- C) PERVERSION



# ICONS OF EVOLUTION

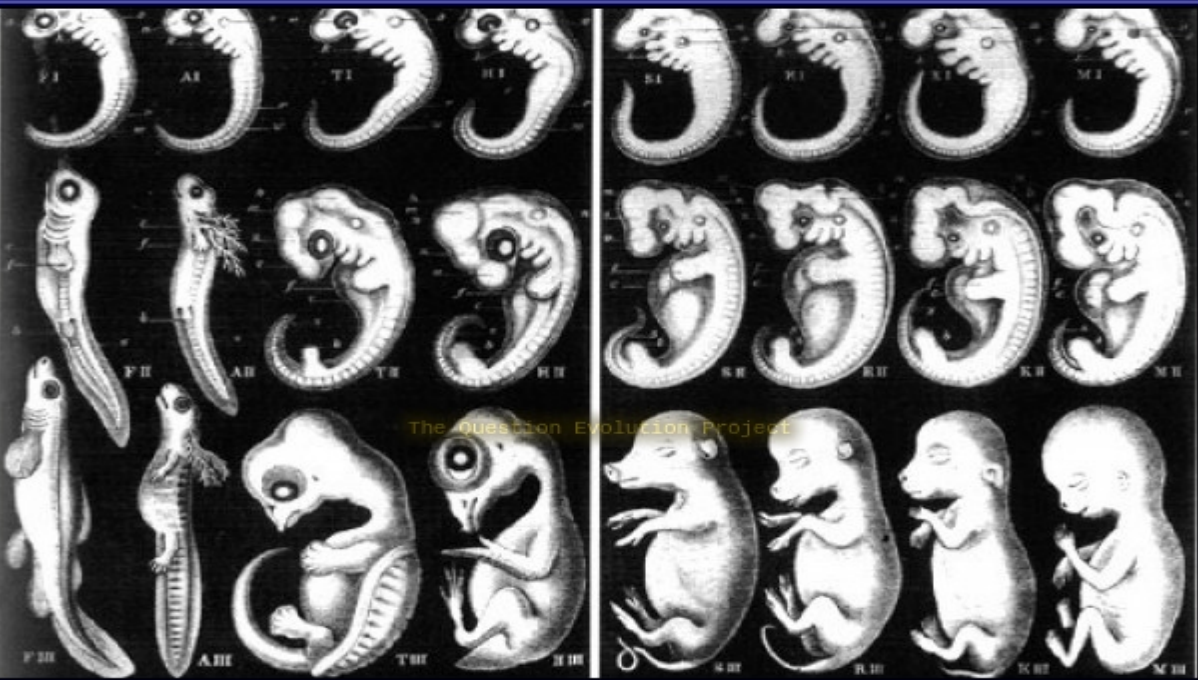
SCIENCE OR MYTH?

*Why much of what we teach about evolution is wrong*



JONATHAN WELLS

*Illustrated by Jody F. Sjogren*



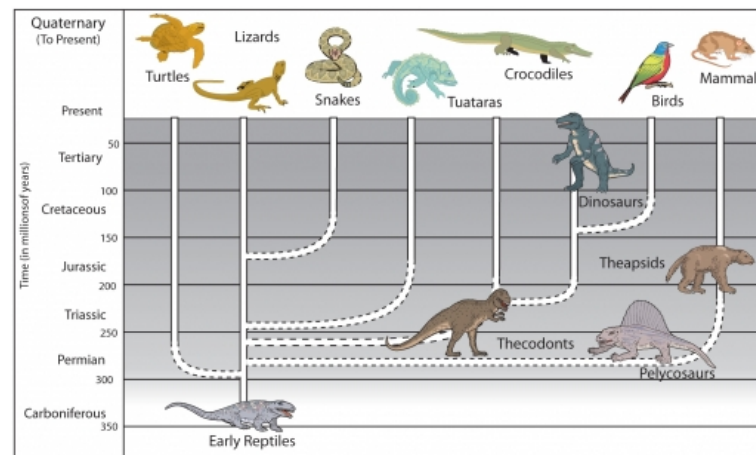
## HAECKEL'S FRAUD

Pharyngeal arches are not "gill slits", even in faked drawings.  
Deception to make people believe evolution is a good thing, yes?



**#28**) Phillip E. Johnson: "DARWINISTS FELT a DUTY to PROTECT US FROM ANY ERRONEOUS CONCLUSIONS WE MIGHT HAVE DRAWN IF WE HAD KNOWN the ACTUAL STATE of the \_\_\_\_\_."

- A) CONSENSUS
- B) EVIDENCE
- C) ARGUMENT



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**#29**) Stephen J. Gould:

“WE \_\_\_\_\_ THESE [fossil] STORIES  
AFTER the FACT to JUSTIFY the  
HISTORY of LIFE ACCORDING to  
OUR OWN \_\_\_\_\_.”



- A) IMAGINE ... POLITICS
- B) INVENT ... OBSERVATIONS
- C) INVENT ... PREJUDICES

"The evolutionary trees that adorn our textbooks have data only at the tips and nodes of their branches; **the rest is inference**, however reasonable, **not the evidence of fossils.**"

Stephen Jay Gould  
Harvard University  
"Evolution's Erratic Pace"  
Natural History Vol. 5 May 1977





**#30) Evolutionist Henry Gee:**



”CONCEPTS [fossils]

**MASQUERADING** as \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTIONS of NATURE”

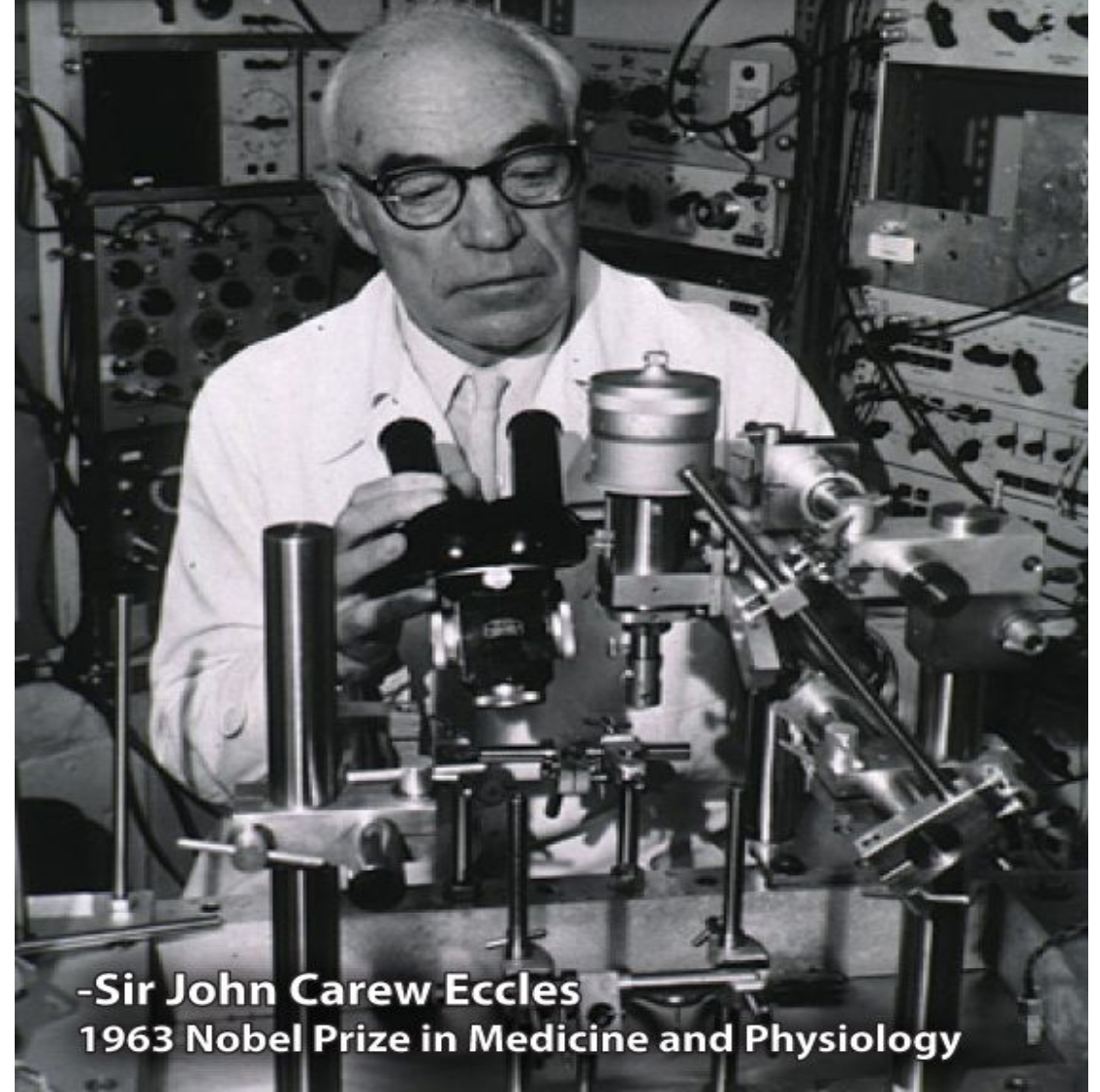
- A) NEUTRAL
- B) NEGATIVE
- C) CONCLUSIVE

# Atheism

The belief that there was nothing and nothing happened to nothing and then nothing magically exploded for no reason, creating everything and then a bunch of everything magically rearranged itself for no reason what so ever into self-replicating bits which then turned into dinosaurs.

Makes perfect sense.

**"We come to exist through a divine act. That divine guidance is a theme throughout our life; at our death the brain goes, but that divine guidance and love continues. Each of us is a unique, conscious being, a divine creation. It is the religious view. It is the only view consistent with all the evidence."**



**-Sir John Carew Eccles  
1963 Nobel Prize in Medicine and Physiology**

**#31) DARWINISTS PASS ON THEIR  
*ASSUMPTIONS* OR HYPOTHESES  
as **THOUGH** THEY WERE**

- 
- **A) OBSERVABLE FACTS**
  - **B) SCIENTIFIC SECRETS**
  - **C) HYPOTHETICAL CERTAINTIES**



If modernist naturalism were true, there would be no objective truth outside of science. In that case right and wrong would be a matter of cultural preference, or political power, and the power already available to modernists ideologies would be overwhelming.

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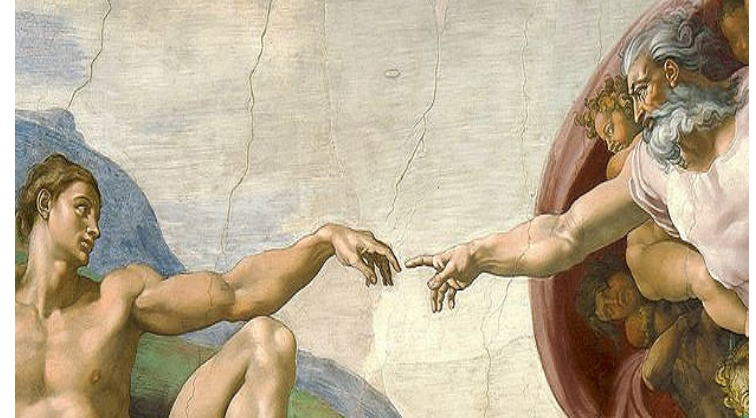
The most important scientific revolutions all include, as their only common feature, the dethronement of human arrogance from one pedestal after another of previous convictions about our centrality in the cosmos.

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**#32) CREATIONISTS-DARWINISTS**  
POINT to the “FACT”-RESULT of  
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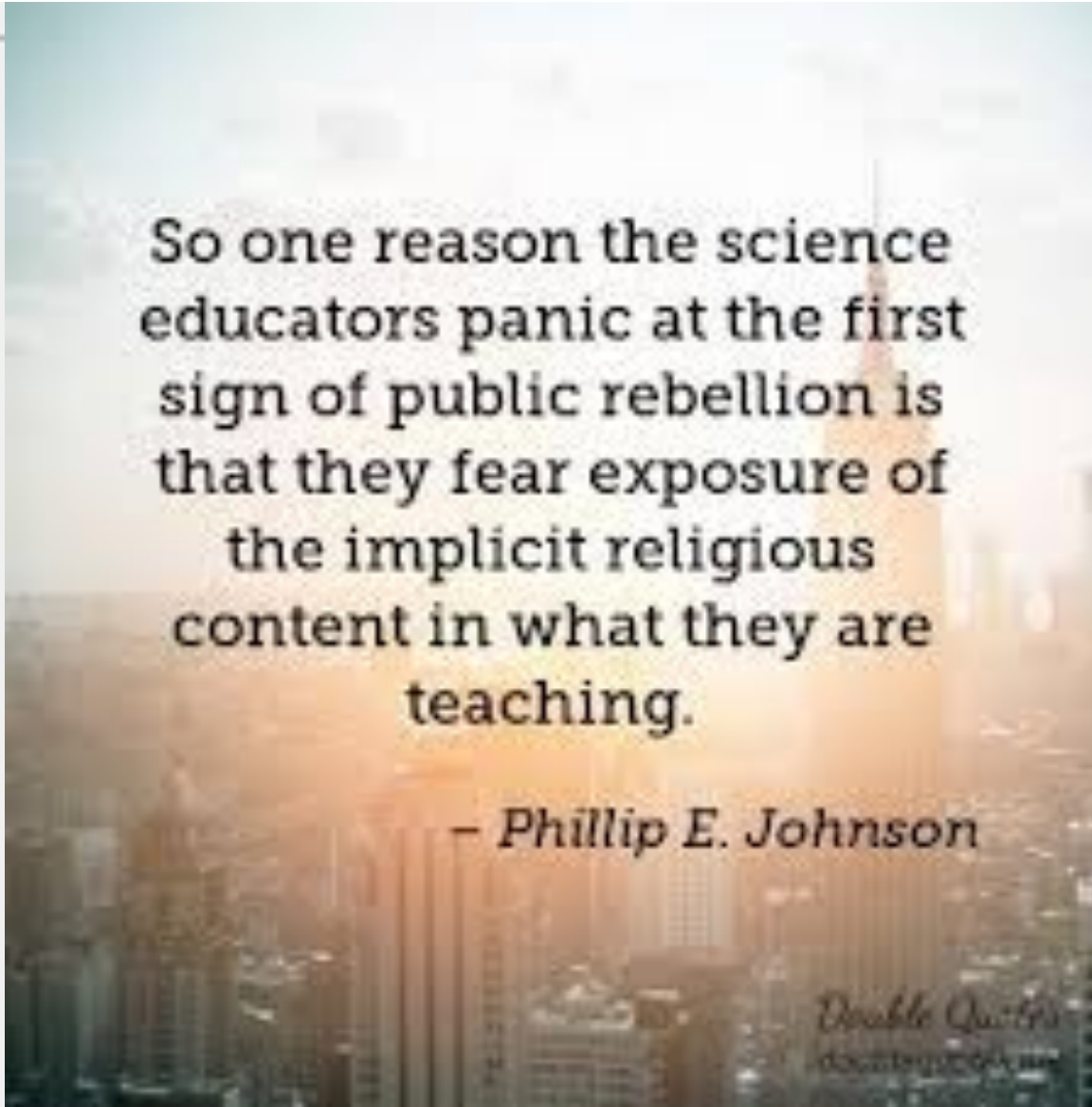
- A) CONCEDE IGNORANCE
- B) LOGICALLY DEBATE
- C) OBJECTIVELY OBSERVE



The monopoly of science in the realm of knowledge explains why evolutionary biologists do not find it meaningful to address the question whether the Darwinian theory is true.

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So one reason the science educators panic at the first sign of public rebellion is that they fear exposure of the implicit religious content in what they are teaching.

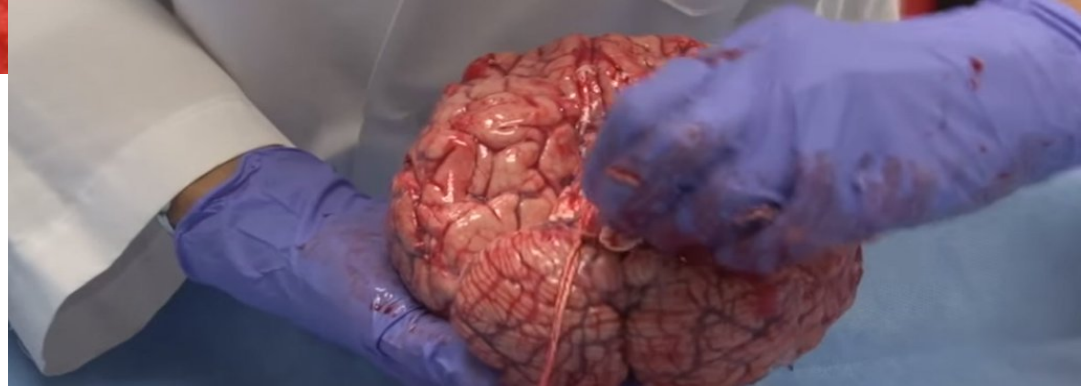
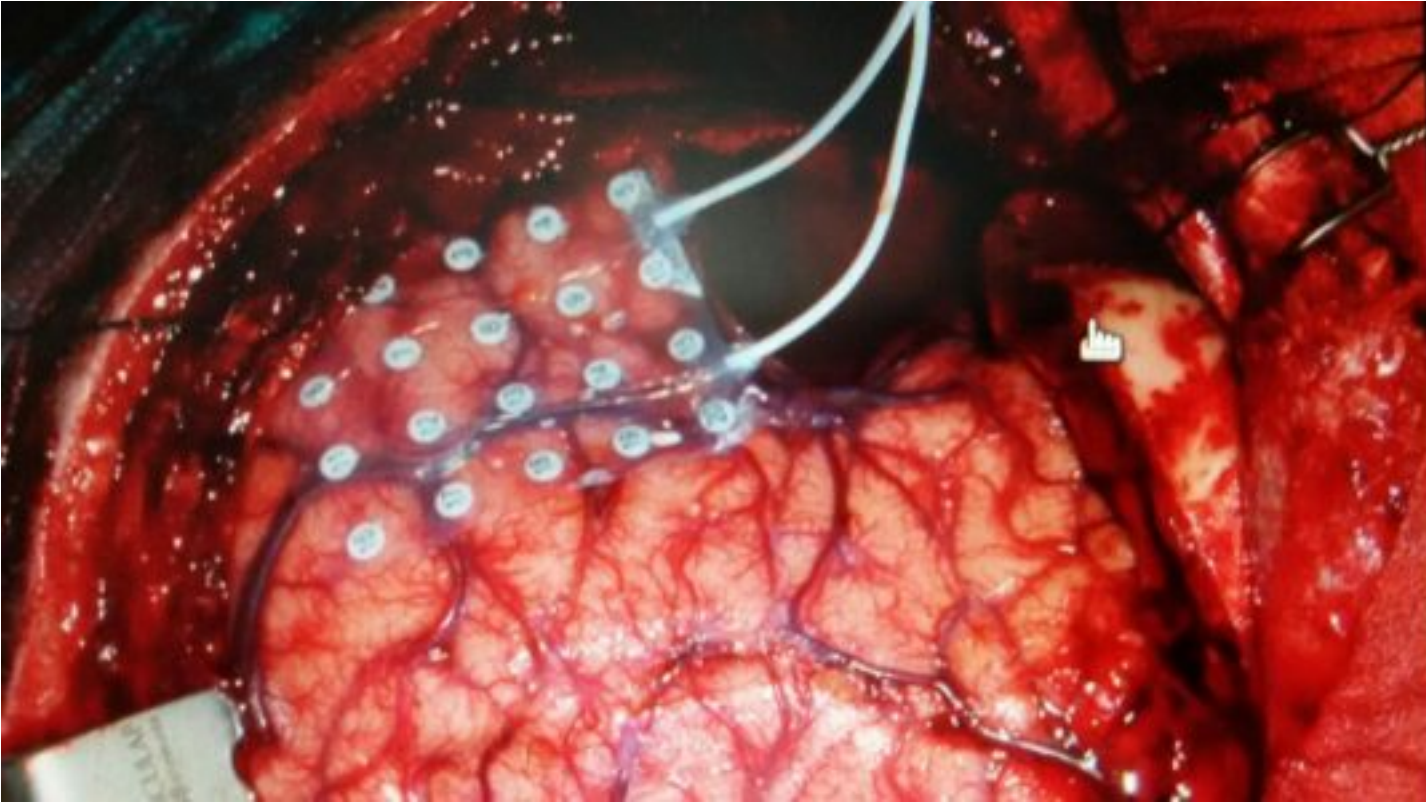
– Phillip E. Johnson

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LIMITED DIRECT (observable)  
EVIDENCE"

- A)EXTRAPOLATING
- B)INVENTING
- C)IMAGINING

# *THINKING* "MEAT" ???



**MATTER vs SPIRIT**

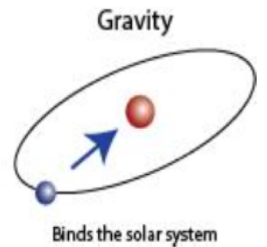
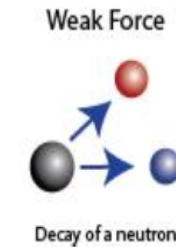
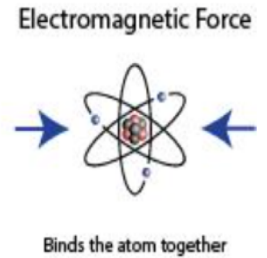
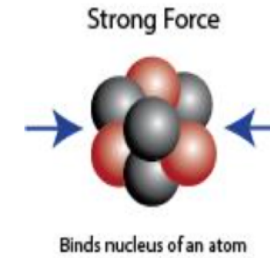




"There is no known law of nature, no known process, and no known sequence of events which can cause information to originate by itself in matter."

- Dr. Werner Gitt

# COMPLEXITY, DESIGN & PURPOSE *BEYOND* COMPREHENSION

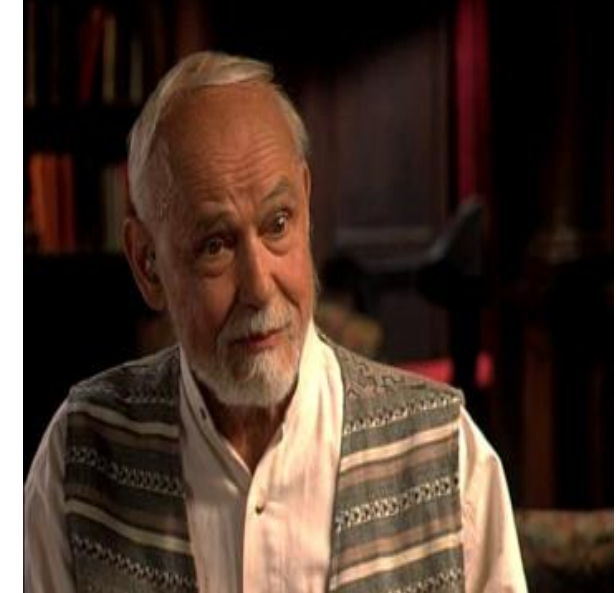
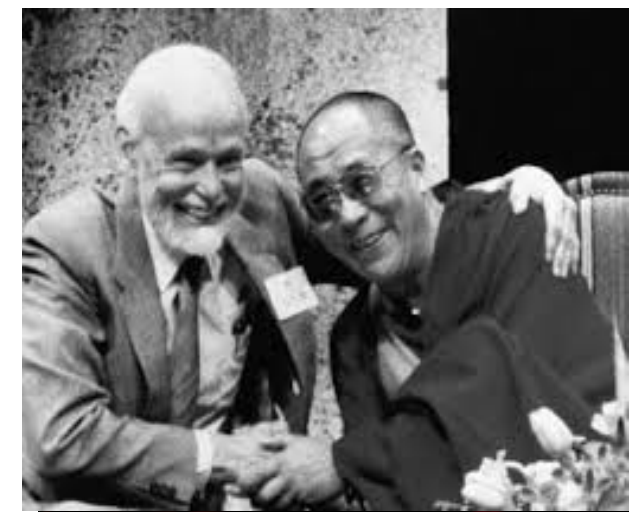


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**#34)Huston Smith:**  
**“WORLD VIEWS are**  
**EMPIRICALLY (observation)**  
**”**  
**\_\_\_\_\_.**

- A)INCONSISTENT
- B)UN-PROVABLE
- C)PREDICTABLE



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#35) Phillip E. Johnson:



”The CORRECT *SCIENTIFIC* (empirical) CONCLUSION’ – BIOLOGICAL CREATION is a[n] \_\_\_\_\_.”

- A) UN-PREDICTABLE OUTCOME
- B) POINTLESS ARGUMENT
- C) UN-SOLVED MYSTERY

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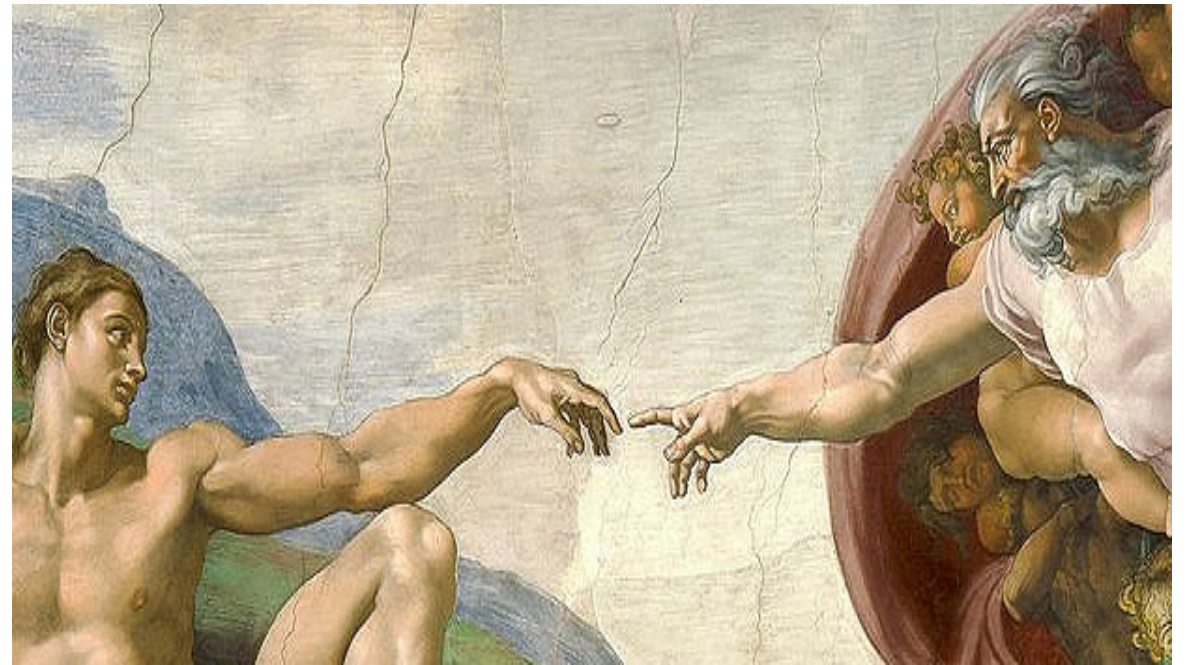
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# SCIENTISM 2

PSEUDO-SCIENTIFIC

MYTHOLOGY

and

FUNDAMENTALISM

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**#1) IS-WAS "SCIENTISM" a NEW**  
**\_\_\_\_\_ and MODERN CREATION**  
**"MYTH" TAKEN ON the BASIS of**  
**\_\_\_\_\_?"?**

**ANSWER KEY**

- **A) RELIGION ... BELIEF**
- **B) DOGMA ... FAITH**
- **C) CULT ... DECEPTION**



#2) Phillip E. Johnson:

”DARWIN’S THEORY \_\_\_\_\_  
IMPRESSIVE, BUT HOW ARE WE TO  
TELL [know] THAT IS *TRUE*?”

- A) PROVED **ANSWER**
- B) TESTED **KEY**
- **C) SOUNDED**



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#3) Phillip E. Johnson:

“DARWINISM WAS SO LOGICALLY  
APPEALING THAT RIGOROUS  
TESTING WAS  
NOT REQUIRED”.

**ANSWER**  
**KEY**

- A) THEORETICAL
- **B) EMPIRICAL**
- C) MEDICAL



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# RHETORIC VS TRUTH

- RHETORIC
- (INDIRECT) REASONING
- THIS HAS **TWO LEGS**
- THIS is a **MAN**
- **NO** – IT's a **CHICKEN**



- TRUTH
- (DIRECT OBSERVATION)
- THIS is a **MAN**
- MEN HAVE **TWO LEGS**
- TRUTH

#4) Phillip E. Johnson:



”The BARE STATEMENT THAT HUMANS EVOLVED FROM FISH is NOT IMPRESSIVE ... WHAT MAKES IT ... CREDIBLE is SHOWING \_\_\_\_\_ IT CHANGED” ...

**ANSWER  
KEY**

- A) WHY
- **B) HOW**
- C) IF

#5) IS NATURAL SELECTION a  
\_\_\_\_\_ of BIOLOGICAL  
CRAFTSMANSHIP THAT COULD  
ACCOMPLISH WHAT PEOPLE  
THOUGHT REQUIRED a “CREATOR”?

- **A) GUIDING FORCE**      **ANSWER KEY**
- B) SCIENTIFIC CONCLUSION
- C) UNCHANGING LAW

#6) "BIOLOGY is the STUDY of  
COMPLICATED THINGS THAT GIVE the  
APPEARANCE of HAVING BEEN \_\_\_\_\_  
FOR a[n] \_\_\_\_\_" – Richard Dawkins

**ANSWER**



• A) DENIED ... AGENDA **KEY**

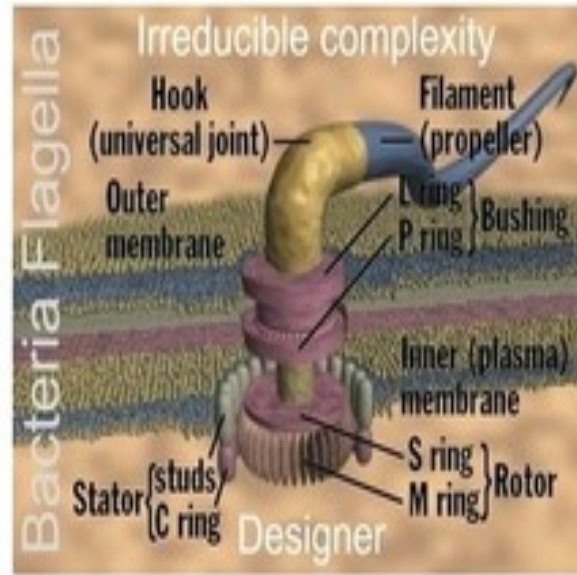
• B) INVENTED ... AGENDA

• **C) DESIGNED ... PURPOSE**

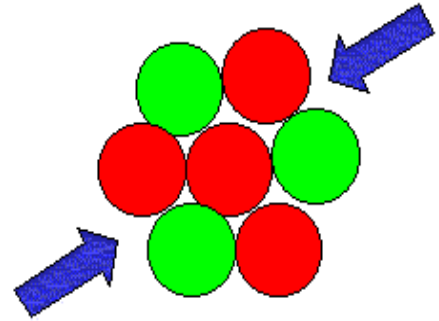
# Intelligently Designed Machines



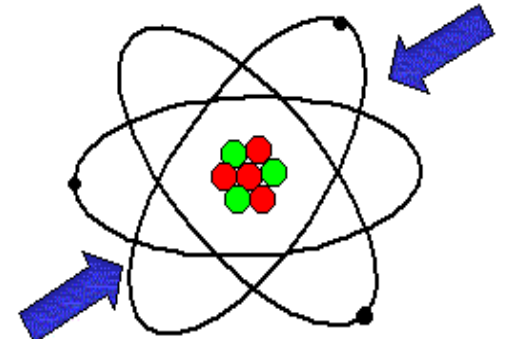
Mechanical machinery



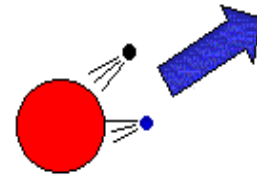
Cellular machinery



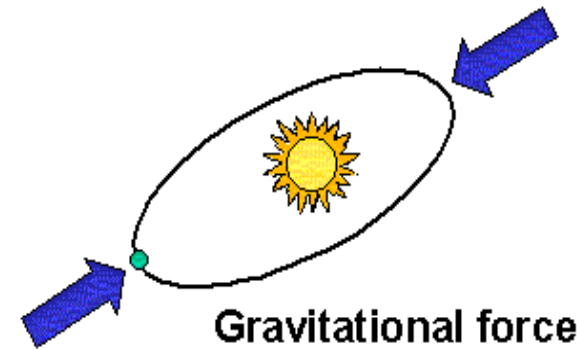
Strong force binds the nucleus



Electromagnetic force binds atoms



Weak force in radioactive decay



Gravitational force binds the solar system

**#7) DARWIN SHIFTED the  
BURDEN of PROOF and  
\_\_\_\_\_ the QUESTIONS of  
“CREATION” and “CAUSE”**

- **A) INVERTED**
- B) INFERRED
- C) IGNORED

**ANSWER  
KEY**

**#8) DARWIN ASKED IS THERE  
NEGATIVE COUNTER EVIDENCE to  
\_\_\_\_\_ the IDEA? (random-ness)**

- A) DEBATE
  - B) DESTROY
  - **C) DISPROVE**
- ANSWER  
KEY**

#9) Phillip E. Johnson:



”MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE for a SKEPTIC to PROVE that EVOLUTION COULD \_\_\_\_\_ CREATE COMPLEXITY.”

- A) EASILY      **ANSWER**
- **B) NEVER**      **KEY**
- C) SOMETIMES



#10) Colin Patterson:

“THERE is NO FOSSIL EVIDENCE  
FOR EVOLUTIONARY \_\_\_\_\_  
FOSSILS”.

**ANSWER**

**KEY**

- A) AMPHIBIOUS
- ***B) TRANSITIONAL***
- C) NATURAL

Charles Darwin viewed the fossil record more as an embarrassment than as an aid to his theory...

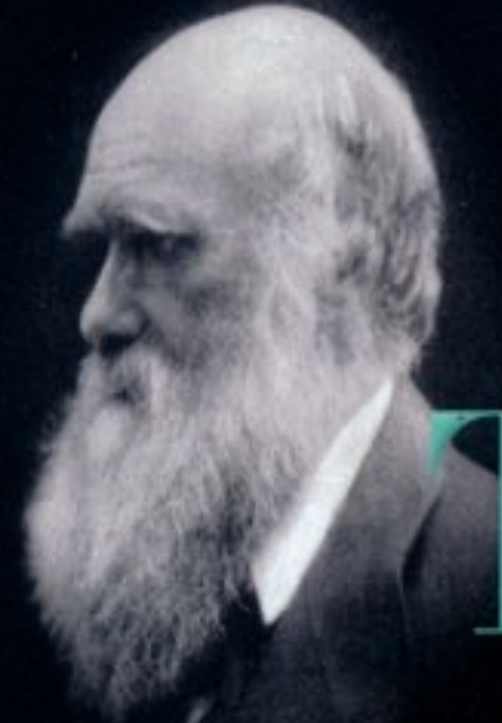
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# Darwin

*on*

# Trial



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**#11) COLIN PATTERSON SUGGESTED BOTH “EVOLUTION” and “CREATIONism” are FORMS of PSEUDO-KNOWLEDGE, CONCEPTS WHICH SEEM to \_\_\_\_\_ KNOWLEDGE BUT DO NOT”**



- **A) IMPLY**
- **B) INVESTIGATE**
- **C) IMAGINE**

**ANSWER  
KEY**

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#12) Karl Popper:

“TRUE SCIENCE HAS TRUE

(observable) \_\_\_\_\_ POWER”.



• A) EXCUSE-atory

• **B) EXPLANATORY**

• C) INSPIRATIONAL

**ANSWER  
KEY**

**#13**) DARWIN MADE “EVOLUTION” a  
SCIENTIFIC CONCEPT by SHOWING HOW  
         TRANSFORMATIONS COULD  
OCCUR in          STEPS, BY PURELY  
“NATURAL”          MEANS”.      **ANSWER**

- KEY**
- A) MOST ... GIANT ... SCIENTIFIC
  - B) SOME ... OCCASIONAL ... PURPOSEFUL
  - **C) MAJOR ... SMALL ... RANDOM**

**#14) DARWINISTS CLAIM  
EVOLUTION “HAS a \_\_\_\_\_ SO  
POWERFUL ... GRADUALLY CRAFTING  
... PRODUCE ... “WONDERS”**

**ANSWER**

**KEY**

- ***A) BUILDING EFFECT***
- **B) RANDOM PURPOSE**
- **C) MAGICAL ABILITY**

#15) TIME, CHANCE and  
DIFFERENTIAL SURVIVAL COULD  
TAKE the PLACE of a[an] \_\_\_\_\_.

**ANSWER KEY**

- A) MECHANISM (natural cause)
- **B) MIRACLE (no “rational” explanation)**
- C) ACCIDENT (random)

# #16) Phillip E. Johnson:

WHAT *EXACTLY* is the BIOLOGICAL  
                                 THAT CAUSED "CREATION"  
and COMPLEXITY?

**ANSWER**

• A) PHILOSOPHY

**KEY**

• ***B) MECHANISM***

• C) RATIONALE (reason)



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**#16)** HOW *EXACTLY* DID  
*RANDOM CHANCE* \_\_\_\_\_ WITH  
*UNCHANGING LAWS* to RESULT in  
“COMPLEXITY” and “CREATION”?

- A) CONTRADICT      **ANSWER**
- **B) COMBINE**      **KEY**
- C) COEXIST

#17) "SCIENTISM" is BIOLOGICAL  
  , REPLACING  
"SUPERNATURAL" with "NATURAL"  
EXPLANATION of LIFE'S "MYSTERY"

**ANSWER  
KEY**

- A) MIRACULOUS-NESS
- **B) MYSTICISM**
- C) ARROGANCE

**#18)** "SCIENTISM" PROVIDES a  
PSEUDO-SCIENTIFIC,  
NON-EMPIRICAL, MYTHOLOGICAL  
ACCOUNT of the \_\_\_\_\_  
of LIFE".

**ANSWER KEY**

- A) UN-PREDICTABLE CONCLUSION
- B) POINTLESS SPECULATION
- **C) UN-SOLVED MYSTERY**

#19) SCIENTISM “BLIND FAITH” is a  
“MIRACLE” of MATHEMATICAL,  
\_\_\_\_\_ IMPROBABILITY and/or  
\_\_\_\_\_. **ANSWER KEY**

- **A) STATISTICAL ... IMPOSSIBILITY**
- B) SCIENTIFIC ... UN-LIKELIEHOOD
- C) PRACTICAL ... SPECULATION

#20) IS SCIENTISM WORSHIP at the  
ALTAR of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_  
of “WISHFUL THINKING”?

**ANSWER  
KEY**

- **A) DELUSION ... CHURCH**
- B) PROGRESS ... OPTIMISM
- C) DYSTOPIA ... DECEPTION

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#21) "NATURAL SELECTION" is a

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*'CIRCULAR REASONING'*  
(saying same thing twice") WHICH  
*DOES NOT EXPLAIN ANYTHING.*

- ANSWER**
- A) CONTRADICTION
  - B) PARADOX
  - **C) TAUTOLOGY**
- KEY**

#22) "NATURAL SELECTION" as  
"TAUTOLOGY": ORGANISMS THAT  
LEAVE the MOST \_\_\_\_\_ LEAVE  
the MOST \_\_\_\_\_"

**ANSWER**

- A) MUTATIONS ... SURVIVORS
- **B) OFFSPRING ... OFFSPRING**
- C) OPINIONS ... CERTAINTIES

**KEY**

#23) "EVOLUTION" IDENTIFIES  
"VARIATION" WITHOUT REALLY  
SHOWING US DIRECTLY \_\_\_\_\_  
IT CAME ABOUT."

- A) WHY      **ANSWER**
- **B) HOW**      **KEY**
- C) IF



#24) WHAT *EXACTLY* is the  
BIOLOGICAL \_\_\_\_\_ THAT CAUSED  
“CREATION” and COMPLEXITY?

**ANSWER**

**KEY**

- A) METHOD
- **B) MECHANISM**
- C) THEORY

#25) Stephen J. Gould:

“The EXTREME *RARITY* of  
TRANSITIONAL FORMS in the  
FOSSIL RECORD is the \_\_\_\_\_  
of PALEONTOLOGY”

- A) INCOHERENT CONCLUSION
- **B) TRADE SECRET**
- C) OBVIOUS CONTRADICTION



**ANSWER**

**KEY**

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#26) Henry Gee:

”MANY of the ASSUMPTIONS  
WE MAKE ABOUT ... EVOLUTION ...  
the FOSSIL RECORD ... are \_\_\_\_\_.”

- **A) BASELESS**
- B) BALANCED
- C) BELIEVABLE



**ANSWER**

**KEY**

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#27) STEPHEN J. GOULD  
DESCRIBES SOME POPULARLY  
ACCEPTED EVIDENCES of  
EVOLUTION as an '*ICONOGRAPHY*'  
(images) of \_\_\_\_\_ . (propaganda)



- A) INVENTION
- **B) PERSUASION**
- C) PERVERSION

**ANSWER**  
**KEY**

**#28**) Phillip E. Johnson: "DARWINISTS FELT a DUTY to PROTECT US FROM ANY ERRONEOUS CONCLUSIONS WE MIGHT HAVE DRAWN IF WE HAD KNOWN the ACTUAL STATE of the \_\_\_\_\_."

- A) CONSENSUS
- **B) EVIDENCE**
- C) ARGUMENT

**ANSWER  
KEY**



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#29) Stephen J. Gould:

“WE \_\_\_\_\_ THESE [fossil] STORIES AFTER the FACT to JUSTIFY the HISTORY of LIFE ACCORDING to OUR OWN \_\_\_\_\_.” **ANSWER KEY**



- A) IMAGINE ... POLITICS
- B) INVENT ... OBSERVATIONS
- **C) INVENT ... PREJUDICES**

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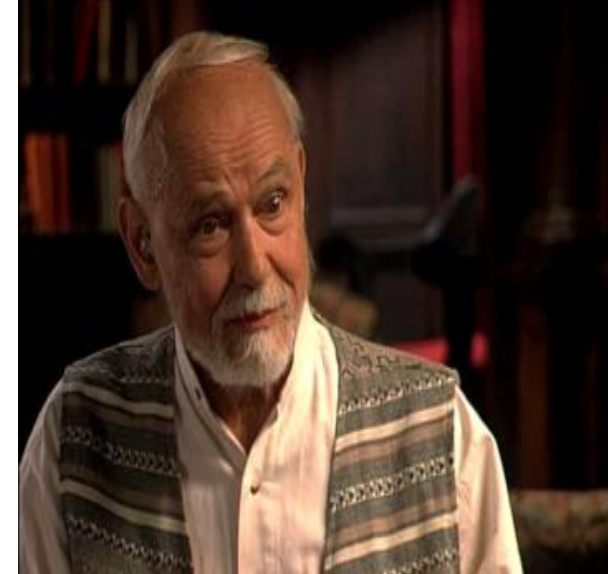
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