The Theory of Evolution

The theory of evolution states that the Universe was formed as a result of a big-bang explosion. Sometime later, and by chance, a single celled organism developed out of non-living matter. Over long periods of time, this cell multiplied, resulting in more complex life forms. Billions of years have passed, resulting in the world we have today.

Key Problems

Evolution is just a theory. And with any theory, it must be tested to see if it can stand up to scrutiny. A major problem with evolution is that it is unable to answer many basic questions. For example, evolution cannot explain:

- How did everything come from nothing? What brought everything into existence? Something/someone had to start the chain of events.
- How could non-life produce life? Billions of years cannot adequately explain this (odds of a protein being randomly formed was calculated as 1 in $10^{243}$)!
- How could a big bang produce such design and complexity (example – DNA, the human brain, the eye, etc.)? How does disorder produce order?
- How did we get our personhood (desires, thoughts, emotion, ability to make choices, etc.)?

Other Issues

Along with the questions that evolution cannot answer, an honest look at the facts does not point toward evolution either. For example: Mutations, which are said to be the cause of evolutionary change, are in fact extremely rare, resulting almost always in a negative effect and have never produced a new species. Fossil records do not give evidence of transitional forms. Plus, evolution is in direct disagreement with the 2nd Law of Thermodynamics.

Evolution is based on countless impossibilities and requires a faith that goes against logic. The only solution to these problems is the truth of our creation given in God’s Word.