**SCIENCE & SCIENTISTS**

***Our God – He Is Alive***

 “The first point to make about Darwin’s theory of evolution is that it is no longer a theory, but a fact. **No serious scientist** would deny the fact that evolution occurred, just as he would not deny the fact that the earth goes around the sun” - Sir Julian Huxley (famous scientist)

“Of the fact of organic evolution there can at the present day be no reasonable doubt; the evidences for it are so overwhelming that those who reject it **can only be victims of ignorance or prejudice.**” - M. J. Kenny (famous scientist)

If all we read about science and evolution is the writings of “famous scientists” (i.e. Isaac Asimov, Richard Dawkins, Stephen Jay Gould, Francis Crick, Carl Sagan, Charles Darwin), we would conclude that all who say “*God created the heavens and the earth*” are delusional or fanatical. School textbooks speak of science as the holy grail that will solve all man’s problems. After all, if science could put a man on the moon and cure polio then surely it can, given enough time, find answers to all our woes. As the *Humanist Manifesto 2* states so clearly in its opening statement in 1973 about the 21st century:

“The next century can be and should be the humanistic century. Dramatic scientific, technological, and ever-accelerating social and political changes crowd our awareness. We have virtually conquered the planet, explored the moon, overcome the natural limits of travel and communication; we stand at the dawn of a new age, ready to move farther into space and perhaps inhabit other planets. Using technology wisely, we can control our environment, conquer poverty, markedly reduce disease, extend our life-span, significantly modify our behavior, alter the course of human evolution and cultural development, unlock vast new powers, and provide humankind with unparalleled opportunity for achieving an abundant and meaningful life. … No deity will save us, we must save ourselves.”

If all we read is the inflated opinion of so-called experts, we would also conclude that “God is dead.” Friends, they are wrong! Atheistic and evolutionary scientists do not have a corner on the market of true knowledge (science means “to know”). Do not believe their false claim that God has no place in true science.

In my library are two books that promote a powerful rebuttal to Julian Huxley and others of his ilk who claim all real scientists are evolutionists. *In Six Days* and the sequel *On The Seventh Day* are published articles from 90 world-renown scientists who steadfastly believe in Genesis 1 as the origin of all life. These imminent scientists believe God created the world in six days. All of them have doctorate degrees in all the sciences from A (Astronomy) to Z (Zoology) and everything in between (biology, chemistry, engineering, geology, mathematics, medicine, physics, etc.).

Young people, and we older ones too, need to know that when Huxley said evolution is now an established “*fact*,” and Kenny said religious folks are “*victims of ignorance*,” they were foolishly deceived in wishful thinking. They are blowing so much hot air.

God claims to be omni***scient*** (omni = “all” + science = knowledge, thus, God is all-knowing). I will list but two of His hundreds of omniscient claims:

“*He* (God) *has made the earth by His power; He has established the world by His wisdom, And stretched out the heaven by His understanding*.” (Jeremiah 51:15)

 “*He* (God) *counts the number of the stars; He calls them all by name. Great is our Lord, and mighty in power; His understanding is infinite*.” (Psalm 147:4-5)

What science (thus scientists) needs to do is put God to the test. See if God knows what He is talking about. Read the Bible from cover-to-cover, front-to-back, and examine the evidence God has for centuries begged man to explore (see Psalm 19). They either will or will not find that “*the heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament shows His handiwork*.” They either will or will not conclude that:

“*The law of the LORD is* ***perfect****, converting the soul; The testimony of the LORD is* ***sure****, making wise the simple; The statutes of the LORD are* ***right****, rejoicing the heart; The commandment of the LORD is* ***pure****, enlightening the eyes; The fear of the LORD is* ***clean****, enduring forever; The judgments of the LORD are* ***true*** *and* ***righteous*** *altogether*.” (Psalm 19:7-9)

By putting God to the test, perhaps they will one day join us in singing:

“There is beyond the azure blue,
 a God concealed from human sight,

He tinted skies with heavenly hue,
 and framed the world with His great might.

There is a God, He is alive,
 in Him we live, and we survive;

From dust our God created man,

He is our God, the great I AM.”

Science is alive and well … living in heaven! Thank God. – Rick