Turning history on its head Massive evidence of a global flood What does it all mean?

Part 7 – The REAL Age of All This



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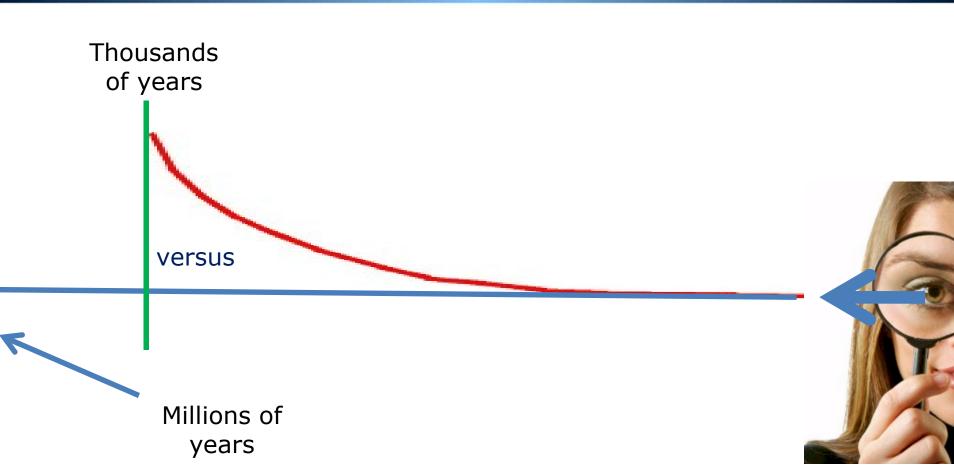
A massive hydraulic and tectonic event



- How long ago?
- Each stage of what has been discussed happened rapidly
- More likely to be weeks or months per stage rather than millions or billions of years
- ➤ There are written records that suggest this happened as recently as 2345BC
- Other widely held opinions state that these events took place millions or billions of years ago
- Which view is more reliable?

Exponential characteristics





The dilemma of the "God's Word" phenomenon



The Bible is the word of God and without error
The Bible says there was a flood
I believe the Bible
So that settles it!

THERE WAS A FLOOD!



- ▶ But nowhere in the book (Greek biblios = book) does the bible claim to be without error or to be "the Word of God"
- It IS a book containing a collection of historical records

The dilemma of the "my teacher told me" phenomenon



Professor ... told me
There was NO flood
This planet came into existence 4.55
billion years ago plus or minus 1%
Everything happened gradually

There is nothing to discuss



- But we have no way of knowing what happened millions of years ago
- It is pure speculation
- We must look at current practical facts

The problem of clean sharp corners



> All over the world we find clean rocks with sharp corners

Over millions or billions of years these corners would be weathered and rounded by thermal stressing and covered with

moss and lichen

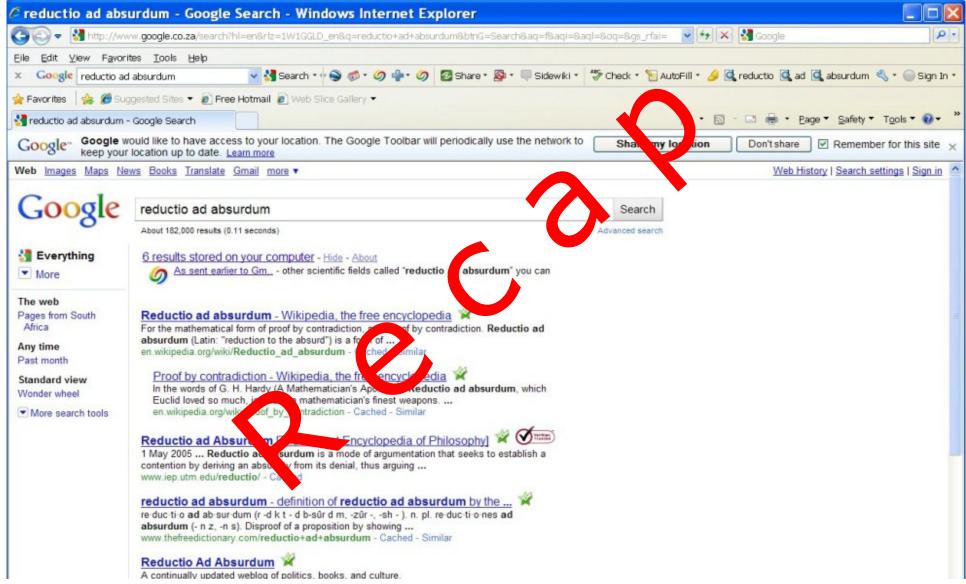
Millions of years is improbable

Are there other indicators of age?



Mathematics and Law Reductio ad absurdem Reduce to the absurd





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- ➤ Google 182,000 occurences → widely recognized approach
- Reduce to the absurd or proof by contradiction
- Fundamental logical, mathematical and legal principle

Reductio ad absurdum (Latin: "reduction to the absurd") is a form of argument in which a proposition is disproven by following its implications to a logical but absurd consequence.[1]

A particular kind of reductio all absurdum, in its strictest sense, is <u>proof</u> by <u>contradiction</u> (also called indirect proof) where an assumption is proven false because it leads to a contradiction

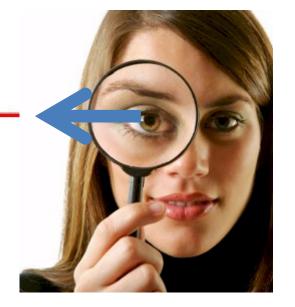
In <u>logic</u>, **proof by contradiction** is a form of <u>proof</u> that establishes the <u>truth</u> or <u>validity</u> of a <u>proposition</u> by showing that the proposition being false would imply a <u>contradiction</u>.

Millions or billions of years Reduce to the absurd



- > "We know the radioactive decay rate of ... "
- "We have no basis to assume that there has been a non-linear trend"

- Everything so far in this presentation indicates massively non-linear events
- Written records going back thousands of years indicate a recent event



Millions of years is therefore highly improbable, technically unsound and logically probably absurd

The "Bible" is the "Word of God" and without error -- reduce to the absurd



- > A collection of writings by assorted people
- Nowhere in the book is there a passage that unambiguously catalogues the content of the book and defines its scope
- ➤ There are books of the same name that have different compilations and literally hundreds of different English versions
- Nowhere in the book does it claim that the entire compendium of writings is without error
- Nowhere in the book does it claim that the entire compendium of writings is the "word of God" or "Yah" (the true name of the Creator
- > The "inerrant word of God / Yah" is therefore highly improbable

Could Genesis be correct?



- ➤ At this point I suggest that the most that we can say about the book {bible} is that it is a collection of writings the oldest of them generally accepted to be at least 2,500 years old
- > The book claims that there was a global flood in about 2345 BC
- ➤ At this stage let us NOT get into whether the flood was an act of a being whom is customarily referred to as "God" or "THE LORD" or even whether He exists or not
- Let us simply say that "Genesis claims there was a global flood" and examine that portion of that book further

"Genesis" is a broadly reliable historical text -- reduce to the absurd



- Genesis is presented as an historical account of REAL events
- Can we validate this?
- Minor errors are NOT a problem if we consider the writings to be the work of human beings who, like ourselves, make mistakes
- Most specifically, CAN we regard reports of a global flood about 4,500 years ago as reliable?

Noah's Ship (Ark) found (about 2345BC)



➤ Genesis 7:11-12 "In the six hundredth year of Noah's life, in the second month, the seventeenth day of the month, on that day all the fountains of the great deep were broken up, and the windows of heaven were opened. And the rain was on the earth forty days and forty nights."

NKJV



➤ Genesis 8:3-4 "And the waters receded continually from the earth. At the end of the hundred and fifty days the waters decreased. Then the ark rested in the seventh month, the seventeenth day of the month, on the mountains of Ararat." NKJV

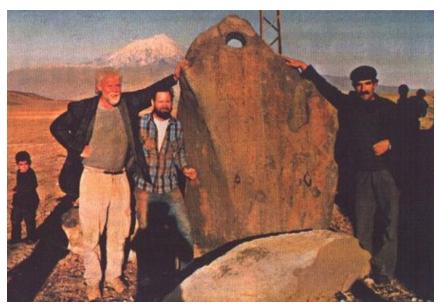
Remains of a huge wooden vessel submerged in a volcanic mudflow found in the mountains of Ararat in Turkey

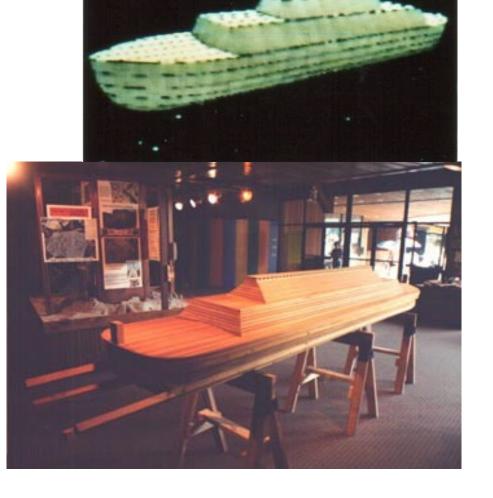
Size agrees with Genesis 6:15 length 150 meters, width 25 meters and height 15 meters

Noah's Ship (Ark) found (about 2345BC)



- Computer model of the Ark
- Physical model of the Ark
- > Also found:
 - Drogue stones
 - Noah's house and grave
 - Noah was about six (6) meters tall





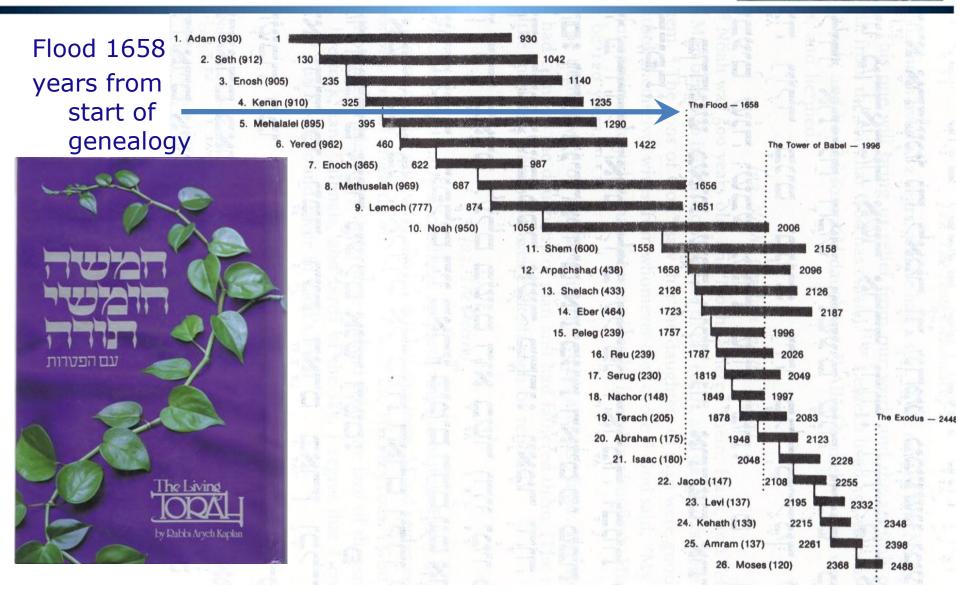
Genesis is a broadly reliable historical text - Noah's Ship (Ark = Container) found (about 2345BC)





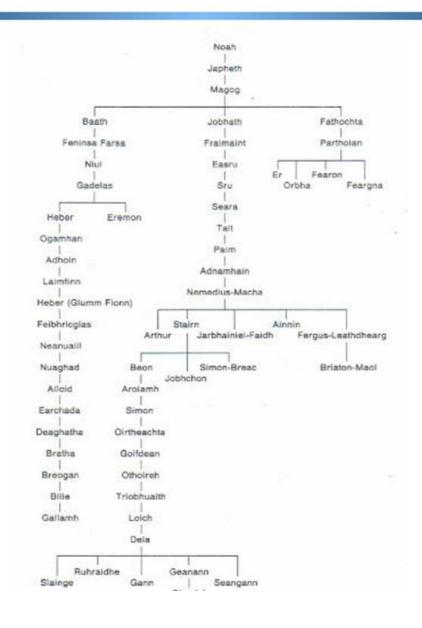
Detailed genealogies





Irish genealogies agree

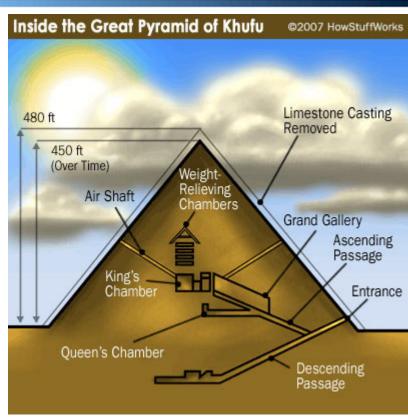




Egyptian time lines revisited



- Egyptian time lines support a flood date of about 2345BC
- Like many other advanced civilizations Egypt (Mitzraim) sprang up rapidly after the flood immediately with advanced technology
- Once certain wrong assumptions with regard to the Egyptian dynasties are resolved Egyptian timelines correlate
- Likewise other advanced civilizations around the world – Babylon, Matchu Pitchu, etc, etc, etc



It is doubtful whether we have the technology to build the Great Pyramid today!

Genesis is a broadly reliable historical text -- reduce to the absurd



- > Large boat in the mountains of Ararat -
- Genealogies -
- CONCLUSION: It is absurd to disregard Genesis as a source of historical information

Some useful references by Jonathan Gray



Killing of Paradise Planet – reconstruction of the earth before the flood





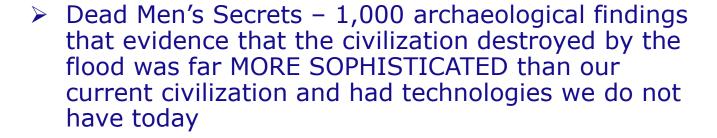






➤ The Corpse Came Back – reconstruction of the events following the flood, repopulation of the earth, dispersion of tribes and peoples







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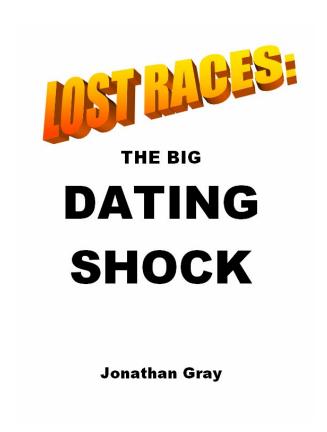


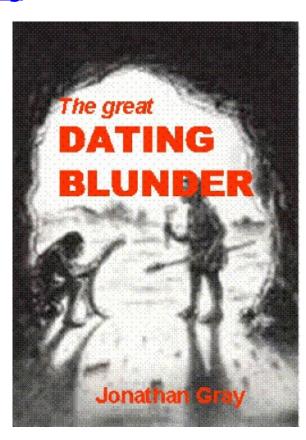
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Jonathan Gray regarding dating



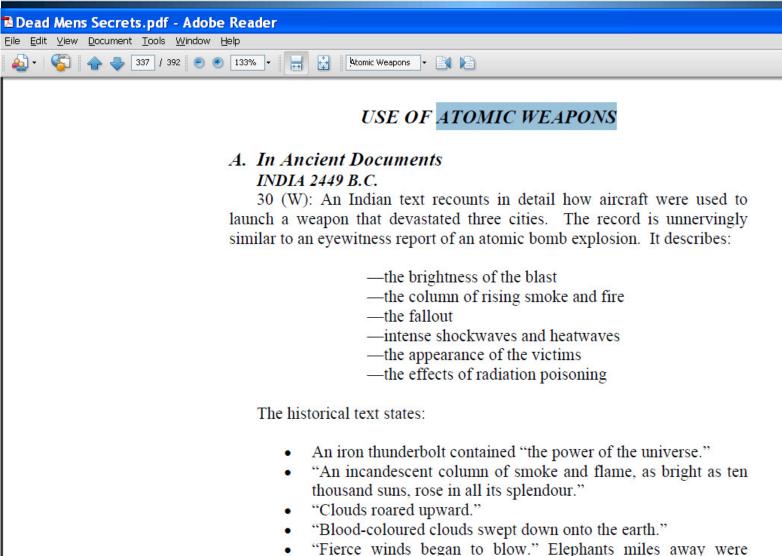
- Clearly there is a major problem with dating techniques
- Some useful reading on the subject of dating from www.beforeus.com or admin@ETIMin.org





Another complication Global nuclear war about 4,000 years ago?





knocked off their feet.





Another complication Global nuclear war about 4,000 years ago?



- Remains of highly radioactive cities
- Similar destruction to Hiroshima
- Indications of nuclear bombs
- Indications of nuclear war
- Suggestions that Australopithecus are human beings deformed by exposure to nuclear radiation
- Throws all theories of steady state nuclear decay into further disarray



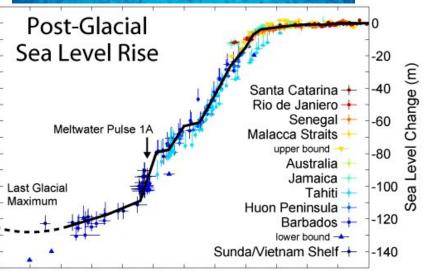


Total destruction of the surface of the earth less than 4,500 years ago disrupts many other theories



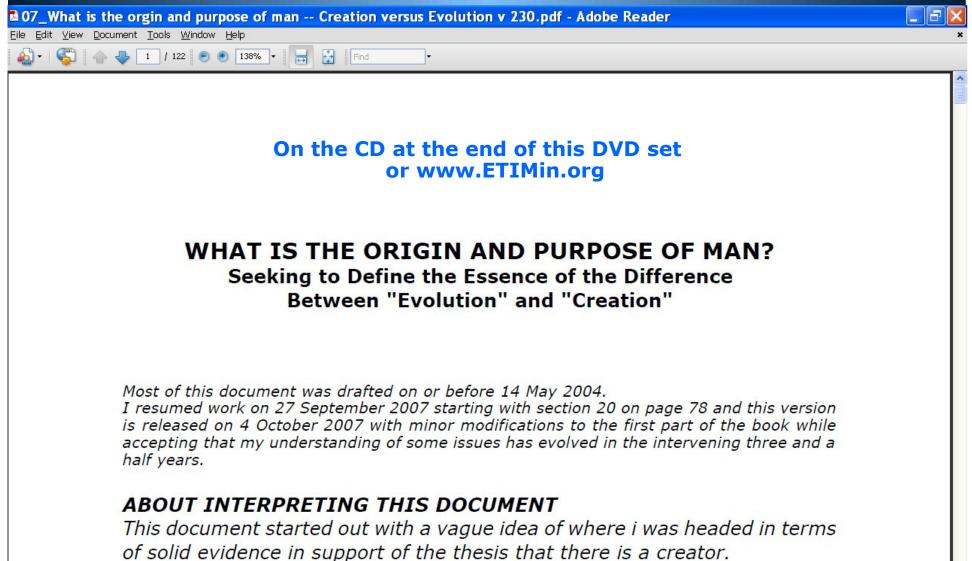
- Global warming is a result of the earth continuing to dry out as water drains from the continents
- So is the rising of sea levels cities have been submerged
- Races can all trace their origin back to Noah and his family – all differences are a consequence of degradation (negative evolution)
- Evolution over millions of years is invalid
- Dinosaurs lived recently, the Loch Ness Monster was probably real





What is the Origin and Purpose of Man? "Evolution" and "Creation"





An aside What DO I believe about the bible?



- What I DO believe about the book?
- A highly valuable resource in coming to know the Creator at a personal level
- The lack of certainty about the contents of the book has caused me to turn to Him and seek Him more which I hold to be His desire
- ➤ I hold much of the book to contain writings inspired by the set apart {holy} Spirit of the Creator
- ➤ The book is NOT a club to beat people into agreement and it IS subject to different interpretations only the Creator has all truth

The exact age is not critical but the principle is important



- ➤ A debate as to whether the flood occurred in exactly 2345BC or 10,000 or 20,000 years ago is not that critical
- > It IS important to decide whether there WAS a global flood
- Your view on this information may point you to some major decisions

Summing up



- There has to have been a MASSIVE global hydraulic and tectonic event ("flood")
- Engineering principles say that long range extrapolation is unwise and reckless
- Sharp young rocks everywhere point to a young age
- Historical accounts point to less than 4,500 years ago
- What should you do?
- And what questions should you ask?

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