# Mini-Creation Conference May 24-25th

Calvary Chapel East, Albuquerque (pastor Gary Cowan) (505) 243-2025 12820 Indian School RD NE Albuquerque NM, 87112 (North of Lomas Blvd., west of Tramway) Creation Science Fellowship of NM (CSFNM.org), Noah Webster College

**Friday May 24<sup>th</sup> Evening** 6:30 PM – 8:45 PM two (2) one hour talks w/ a 15 min break in between. **Saturday May 25<sup>th</sup> Morning** 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM four (4) one hour talks w/ 15 min breaks in between.

Dr. Russel Humphreys (Sandia National Laboratories – Retired)
Dr. John Baumgardner (Los Alamos National Laboratories – Retired)

#### Friday May 24th Evening 6:30 pm - 8:45 pm ---

1<sup>st</sup> --- (Biblical Apologetics)

6:30 "Scriptures pointing to a young world (Why the age issue is important)." - Humphreys

2<sup>nd</sup> --- (Science Apologetics)

7:45 "How ought a Christian respond to the claims of evolution?" - Baumgardner

#### Saturday May 25th Morning 8:00 am - 1:00 pm ---

1<sup>st</sup> --- (Earth science, biology, dating methods)

8:00 "Science evidence for a young earth" - Humphreys

2<sup>nd</sup>--- (Geology – Cataclysmic Flood Evidence)

9:15 "Noah's Flood: What was it actually like?" - Baumgardner

3<sup>rd</sup> --- (Astronomy)

10:30 "A more Biblical Cosmology." - Humphreys

4<sup>th</sup> --- (Geology – Flood Worldwide Fossils, & Sediments)

11:45 "Noah's Flood: How were the fossil-bearing rocks formed so quickly?"-Baumgardner

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#### Abstracts:

"Scriptures pointing to a young world (Why the age issue is important)."

Over a dozen scripture passages either clearly declare or strongly imply the world is young. There is no scripture which clearly says the world is old. I will discuss six of the young-world scriptures and show their relevance to the gospel and the reliability of the Bible.

#### "How ought a Christian respond to the claims of evolution?"

This talk will first provide a glimpse of what life is like at the molecular level, revealing a complexity no human being could ever have imagined. It will then show why Darwinian explanations fail utterly to account for this astonishing complexity that allows life as we know it to exist.

#### "Science evidence for a young earth"

Few people are aware that *most* of the relevant scientific data are in favor of a young world. Of the several hundred natural processes that have some bearing on the age issue, only about 10% favor billion-year ages. The other 90% — little publicized and therefore unknown even to most scientists — favor much smaller ages, ages that could be as small as the face-value Biblical age of 6,000 years. I will show over a dozen simple examples of such evidence and show you how to find an online article, with references, giving 101 such items.

The Radioisotopes and the Age of the Earth (RATE) project has found significant amounts of carbon-14 in fossils and diamonds. That means that carbon 14 has now become a friend of creationism! RATE has also found that helium leaks so fast from radioactive crystals in granite that the earth can only be about 6,000 years old. These findings do away with most of the 10% of items that favored an old world.

### "Noah's Flood: What was it actually like?"

Starting with the Genesis 7 text, the talk will review the physical evidences we have in the fossils, in the sediment layers that contain the fossils, and in the earth's rock record in general that provide an astonishing portrait for how the Flood cataclysm altered the entire face of the earth within the span of just a few months. It will then explore what these observations imply about the mechanisms responsible for such rapid large-scale change.

## "A more Biblical Cosmology."

Genesis 1 contains three strong clues that the speed of light **in the heavens** was extremely high during the first four days of creation. General relativity says the speed of light controls the "speed of time." Earth days were of normal length (Exodus 20:11), so the speed of light **on earth** was normal. The high speed of light in the heavens means that billions of years' worth of events would occur there before the end of the fourth day on earth. If at that time the speed of light in the heavens dropped suddenly to normal, then we would see no difference between things closer or farther than 6,000 light-years away. The heavens would have a real history of (seemingly) billions of years, allowing them to declare the glory of God (Psalm 19:1).

#### "Noah's Flood: How were the fossil-bearing rocks formed so quickly?"

This will explore what the observations of the fossils and the rocks that contain them imply about the mechanisms responsible for the rapid burial in water-borne sediment of so many animals and plants on a planetary scale.