Devil's Plan: Evolution

What is the Devil's Plan on Evolution?

- God has a plan, which lets us receive His eternal life and His many blessings.
- Devil also has a plan, which will drag us into bondage and end in death and destruction. (John 10:10)
 - He has used different strategies at different times. Currently, one of his main strategies is evolution.



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Beginning of life: I come from <u>nothing</u>

Life is **nothing**

End of life: I will be <u>nothing</u>

We need to Arm Ourselves for the Battle

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- "Behold, I am sending you out as sheep in the midst of wolves; so be as wary as serpents, and as innocent as doves" (Matthew 10:16, NASB).
- We need to be wise and discerning of the schemes of the enemy.
- Devil often comes as an angel of light. This is how he deceives.
- One of the ways he deceives the church is by thinking creation/ evolution is not a salvation issue, so it is not important what exactly you believe about the beginning (Genesis).
- We can and must do battle for the minds and hearts of the next generation who is being taught by the man's word and man's way of thinking instead of God's.

Stage 1: Evolution Leads to Atheism

- Devil's Plan: He tries to convince us that the world is formed by random processes; we are products of evolution.
 - His plan is to undermine the Word of God.
 - He wants us to believe God created the world by using random processes, and that God is limited in power because He does not know what He is doing.
 - He wants us to believe, if it took billion years for God to create the world, then God must not be loving and good.
 - ► God left the earth cold and stark for billions of years He is not loving
 - Before God created human, death and disease were already in the earth He is not good.
- The wrong belief of God that is weak, unloving, and bad leads to Atheism.



What is Atheism?

When God judged the Jews in the Old Testament, the first accusation was that they rejected the Lord and worshiped other gods:

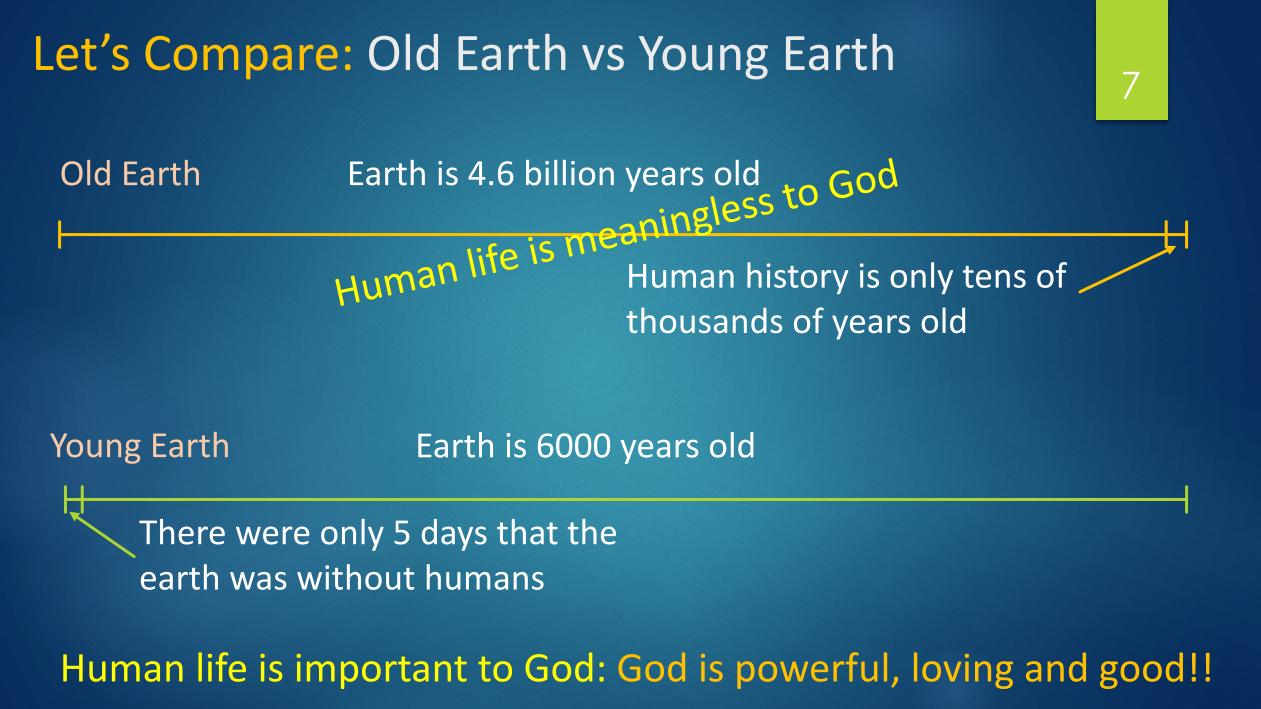
- * "They (Jews) have abandoned the Lord, They have despised the Holy One of Israel, They have turned away from Him." (Isaiah 1:4b, NASB)
- There is a "god" for the atheists, and its name is:
 - "Myself"
 - Instead of God's word, mankind's word becomes truth.
 - This is pride and rejects the power that comes from God.
- Therefore, currently, God wants us to repent for ignoring Him as Lord and humble ourselves.
- To win against the devil's plan: We need to believe in a young earth!



What is Young Earth (Creation)?

- Young Earth: According to the Bible, the earth is only about 6000 years old.
 - Sod created Adam on the 6th day (Genesis 1).
 - From Adam to Abraham is about 2000 years (Genesis 5, 11).
 - Abraham is a well-known historical character; he lived around 2000 BC. From Abraham to Jesus is about 2000 years.
 - From Jesus to the present is about 2000 years.
 - Therefore, the earth is only 6000 years old!
- A Young Earth reveals how powerful, loving and good God is.





Stage 2: Atheism Leads to Communism

Devil's Plan: If he can convince us to believe in atheism, he can now destroy our faith in God. From here, he can deceive us into making our own truths.

The devil will hide under the guise of "liberalism," socialism, and "inclusivity."

Socialism always leads to Communism.

Communism leads to rebellion and genocide.

The Devil needs to confuse us to achieve this. How?



How Can the Devil Confuse Us?

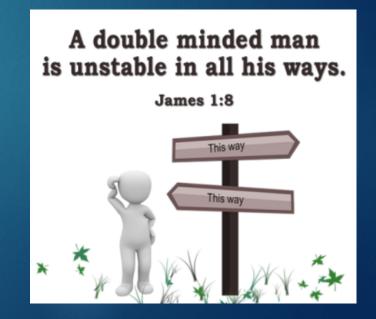
- He presents paradoxes:
 - On one hand, he wants us to <u>emphasize rights</u> for ourselves.
 - On the other hand, he wants us to <u>reject rights</u> of others.
 - For example, those that support the rights of the LGBTQ agenda emphasize "inclusion" and "diversity." Yet, they reject the right of any dissenting opinion.
 - So, in fact, the LGBTQ people support free speech and reject free speech at the same time. This is a paradox!



How Can the Devil Confuse Us? (cont.)

Then, he traps us in double-mindedness and confusion:

- Paradox mind always leads to double-mindedness.
- The Bible tells us that a double-minded man is "unstable in all his ways" (James 1:8, NASB) and people who are double-minded will be "like the surf of the sea, driven and tossed by the wind" (James 1:6b, NASB).
- This double-mindedness leads to confusion.
 - Do I believe in individual rights or not?
 - Am I a man or a woman?
 - Am I doing the right things or not?
 - Is God powerful or not? Does He even exist??



Consequences: Confusion Leads to Mind Control

- If the Devil can make us confused and believe in communism, he can use mind control to keep us in bondage.
 - If our mind is confused and we believe in no truth, devil can easily control us through emotional manipulation.
 - He tries to use negative emotions, e.g., fear, anxiety, guilt, shame...
 - He wants us to be in bondage to our negative emotions.



Hope: We can Defeat the Devil's Plan

- We need to remember that the <u>devil's plan on Communism will fail</u>.
 - Realize that if truth becomes relative, the enemy becomes divided and cannot come to agreement on one truth.
 - Small factions are formed, and devil's plan will fail due to internal chaos: "And if a house is divided against itself, that house cannot stand" (Mark 3:25, AMP)
- We need to guard our heart from devil's attack.
 - Check our hearts and ask God for revelation. If we have double-mindedness, we need to repent.
- We need to expose the lie of evolution and fill ourselves with the truth of young earth creation. <u>Only</u> this worldview is consistent with the authority of God's Word and does not undermine it!



Final Words and Suggestions

If you are a parent, I encourage you to become familiar with the three stages of this type of spiritual attack.

- To protect your children, pray specific prayers to protect your kids' hearts and minds.
- Examine the evidence for Young Earth Creation.
 - Take some time to study the evolution vs creation argument.
 - Ask the Lord to confirm this truth in your heart so that you can stand firm against Satan's schemes.

