Jesus lives in history- May 11, 2025

I. In the Beginning

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"Faith is the confidence that what we hope for will actually happen; it gives us assurance about things we cannot see. Through their faith, the people in days of old earned a good reputation." Hebrews 11:1-2 "By faith we understand that the entire universe was formed at God's command, that what we now see did not come from anything that can be seen." Hebrews 11:3

II. What does God say about Science?

"And without faith, it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him." – Hebrews 11:6

A. Seeking truth about God and His creation-

"Great are the works of the Lord; they are pondered by all who delight in them." – Psalm 111:2

"The heart of the discerning acquires knowledge, for the ears of the wise seek it out." – Proverbs 18:15

"For the Lord gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding." - Proverbs 2:6

"Blessed are those who find wisdom, those who gain understanding." – Proverbs 3:13

"Wisdom is a shelter as money is a shelter, but the advantage of knowledge is this: Wisdom preserves those who have it." – Ecclesiastes 7:12

B. Scientific facts in the Bible

"He hangs the earth on nothing." (Job 26:7) Free floating earth

"For He draws up the drops of water; they distill rain from the mist, which the clouds pour down. They drip upon mankind abundantly." (Job 36:27-28) Evaporation, condensation and precipitation

"From the earth comes food, And underneath, it is turned over [transformed] like fire." (Job 28:5) <u>Earth's molten core//subduction</u>

"You must have a designated area outside the camp where you can go to relieve yourself. Each of you must have a spade as part of your equipment. Whenever you relieve yourself, dig a hole with the spade and cover the excrement." (Deuteronomy 23:12-13) Managing human waste

Job 38:16 "Have you entered the springs of the sea, And walked in the depth of the ocean?" Springs in the deep ocean

III. Summary and application of Science and History

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