



Hurling a Great Insult at God the Creator

Genesis 1:20-31; John 1:1-3

Growing up in an evolutionary educational environment, I was repeatedly taught that all life-forms on earth evolved **from a simple cell**. Then, from this simple cell arose more and more complex forms of life, climaxing in the arrival of man, by way of ape-like creatures. Was it really a *simple* cell? What an insult to the all-wise Creator to speak of “a simple cell”!

Even evolutionists now recognize how amazingly complex single-celled organisms are: “Using high-powered electron microscopes and ingenious techniques borrowed from physics and chemistry, biologists have broken through the cell’s barrier of invisibility and have charted its interior. They have found a forbiddingly small yet enormously complex world; its magnitudes, like those of the cosmos, astonish and confound. Each cell is a world brimming with as many as two hundred trillion tiny groups of atoms called molecules. It would be mind-bog-

gling for the early cell biologists to see this. They had no idea the cell was so chock-full of things. The cell has turned out to be a micro universe” (*National Geographic*, September 1976, “The Awesome World Within a Cell”).

This article was written decades ago, and since then cell biologists have learned incredibly more about the complexity of what was once wrongly called “the simple cell.” In the same article this curious comment was made, “Exploring the basic topography of the cell is a challenge. But there is no other way to comprehend **what wondrously complex creations we are**” (emphasis added).

If we are wondrously complex **creations**, this begs the question: **Who then is the Creator?** *National Geographic* with its evolutionary world-view, never supplied the answer. “Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools” (Rom. 1:22). Spectacular complexity and amazing design are exactly what we would expect from the Creator, who is also our Saviour. All creatures are “fearfully and wonderfully made” (Psalm 139:14).

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“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him; and without Him was not any thing made that was made” (John 1:1-3).

“For the invisible things of Him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even His eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse” (Romans 1:20).

“God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that He is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands....For in Him we live, and move, and have our being; as certain also of your own poets have said, For we are also His offspring....And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent” (Acts 17:24, 28, 30).