

The Question of Origin Genesis 1:1-3

Who am I and how did I get here?

Point #1: We live in a world created by God. (Gen 1:1)

Reasons why this fits scientifically and philosophically:

1. Science and cosmology now admit that matter is not eternal. The universe has not always existed. It began at a finite period of time.

Two conclusions of science:

- a. The universe had a beginning.

(Scientists believe the Big Bang was the beginning.)

- b. Whatever has a beginning has a cause.

2. There are some unbelievably staggering "coincidence" that make the universe fit for life.

Note: Science wants us to believe that this universe just accidentally exploded into existence perfectly!

3. Life cannot arise spontaneously by random natural forces from nothing.

Note: There is absolutely no evidence of spontaneous generation (i.e. that living organisms develop from non-living matter)

Note: Only life produces life.

Point #2: We live in a world controlled by God. (Gen 1:2,3)

NOTE: We are a creation of God living under His sovereign control and this God has a purpose and a plan.

Point #3: We live in a world where we can be connected to God.
(Gen 1:26)

Do you believe you are here by
evolutionary chance or by divine choice?