

GENESIS 1 and SCIENCE

Part 2

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I. The Introduction

II. The Exposition of Genesis 1

A. The **Introduction** to Genesis 1

1. The **Background** of Genesis

a. The Authorship

b. The Occasion

c. The Polemic Nature

2. The **Structure** of Genesis 1:1-2:3

B. The **Primeval History**

1. The **History** of the **Creation**

a. The Creation of the **Universe** -

introduced

1:1-11:26

1:1-2:3

1:1-2

Creator/creation Distinction

absolute beginning

no Big Bang

origin of physics & chemistry

general relativity

earth is priority - water, gravity

b. The **6 Days** of Creation

1:3-31

1) The Day **One** -

light

1:3-5

beginning of cause & effect

origin of language, science, technology

electromagnetic spectrum

origin of optics

immediacy of fulfillment

2) The **2nd** Day -

expanse

1:6-8

stretching out of space

origin of astrophysics

separation of water mass

origin of Oceanography

3) The **3rd** Day -

separation & vegetation

1:9-13