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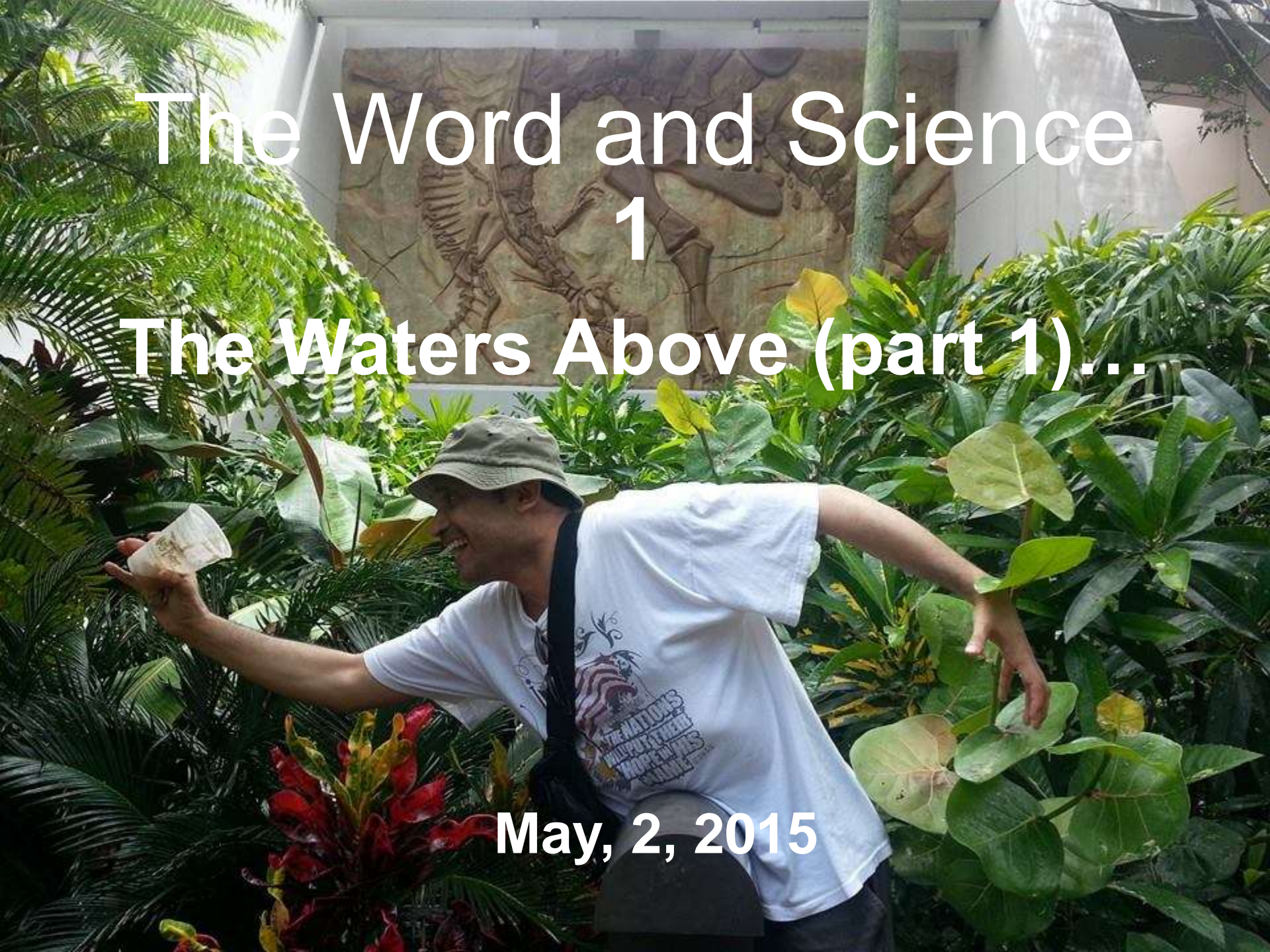
...that is, the word of faith, which we preach; That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, **thou shalt be saved...**

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord **shall be saved.**

The Word and Science 1

The Waters Above (part 1)...

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HOUSES OF WORSHIP

Science Increasingly Makes the Case for God

The odds of life existing on another planet grow ever longer. Intelligent design, anyone?



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The more we get to know about our universe, the more the hypothesis that there is a Creator gains in credibility as the best explanation of why we are here.

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As our knowledge of the universe increased, it became clear that there were **far more factors necessary for life,** let alone intelligent life, than Sagan supposed

Sagan's only two "criteria" for a planet to support life were: **1. The Right Kind of Star** and **2. A Planet the Right distance from that Star.**



200+ known parameters
necessary for a planet to support life
every single one of which must be perfectly met



The parameter that Eric Metaxas exemplifies is that of the importance of Jupiter as the shield protecting earth from the big impacts of comets.



To have randomly all of these >200 needed factors for the existence of life on the earth is equivalent to the impossibility of obtaining the same face of the coin some '10 with 18 zeros' times.

The odds **against** life
in the universe are
astounding



talking about
existing

a life-sustaining Earth
just happened to beat
the inconceivable odds?

Values of the four fundamental forces

1. Gravity
2. Electromagnetic
3. Strong Nuclear
4. Weak Nuclear

were determined less than

1,000,000th of a second

after **The Beginning!** [That Hoyle calls: The '*Big Bang*']

strong nuclear ■ electromagnetic



to exist at all

Each of these forces has to keep a precise balance with the other because even with the slightest variation the Universe couldn't have existed; *i.e.*: The Strong Nuclear Force has to keep a precise ratio in relation to the Electromagnetic Force for the Universe to exist at all.

At what point is it fair to admit that
it is science itself
that suggests that
we **cannot** be the result
of random forces?

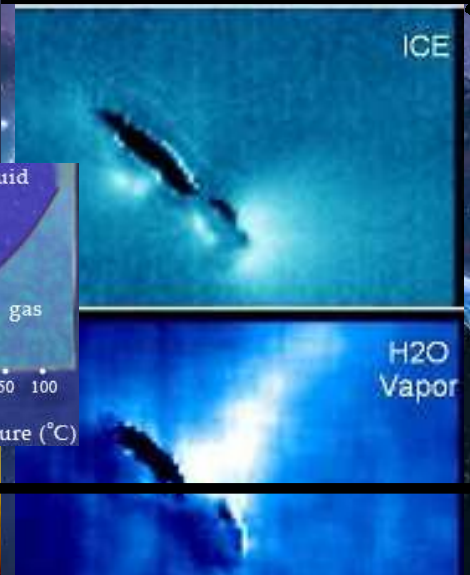
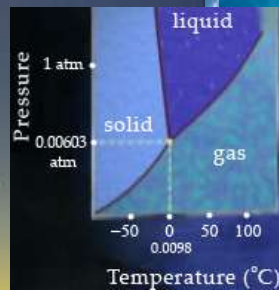
Science



God

Certainly, science studied objectively leads to GOD!

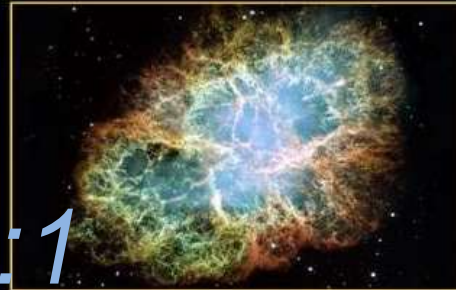
There is Water Outside the Earth!
The Bible tells us so...



Jer. 33:3

Water Vapor

CO₂
+ Ice



Ps. 19:1

The Heavens Declare the Glory of God 

**And the firmament sheweth His
handywork.**

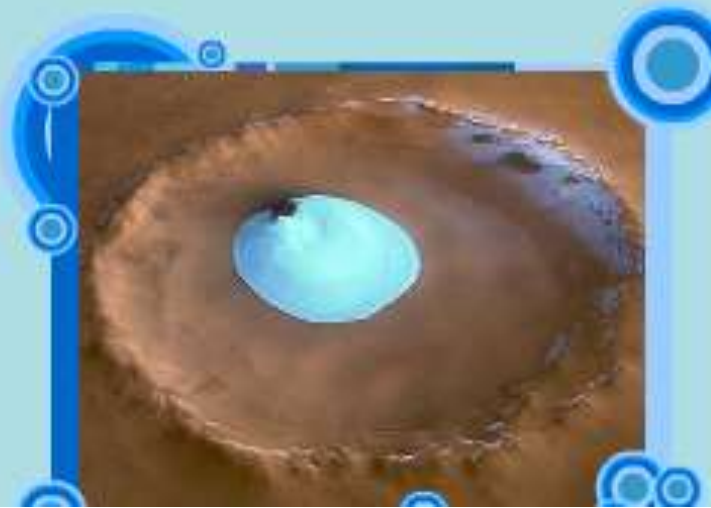




<http://wordlesstech.com/2014/03/14/fly-known-galaxies-universe/>

Frozen Lake?!

Recently, the ESA Mars Express found a frozen fresh water lake in a enormous crater at Mars' north pole!! It has been proven that this giantic marsian lake might have preserved primitive life. The frozen lake measures about 800 by 900 kilometers!!!

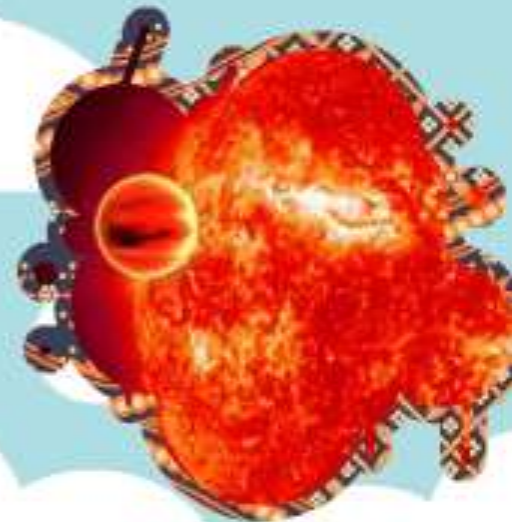




Water
Vapor!!!

In 2007, astronomers and scientists found in a planet far, far away from our Solar System, about 63 light-years away, water vapor!!

This gas water was found in a planet orbiting another star. This planet is called a "hot Jupiter" because it is a gas giant, just like the planet Jupiter in our Solar System.



"Hot Jupiter"

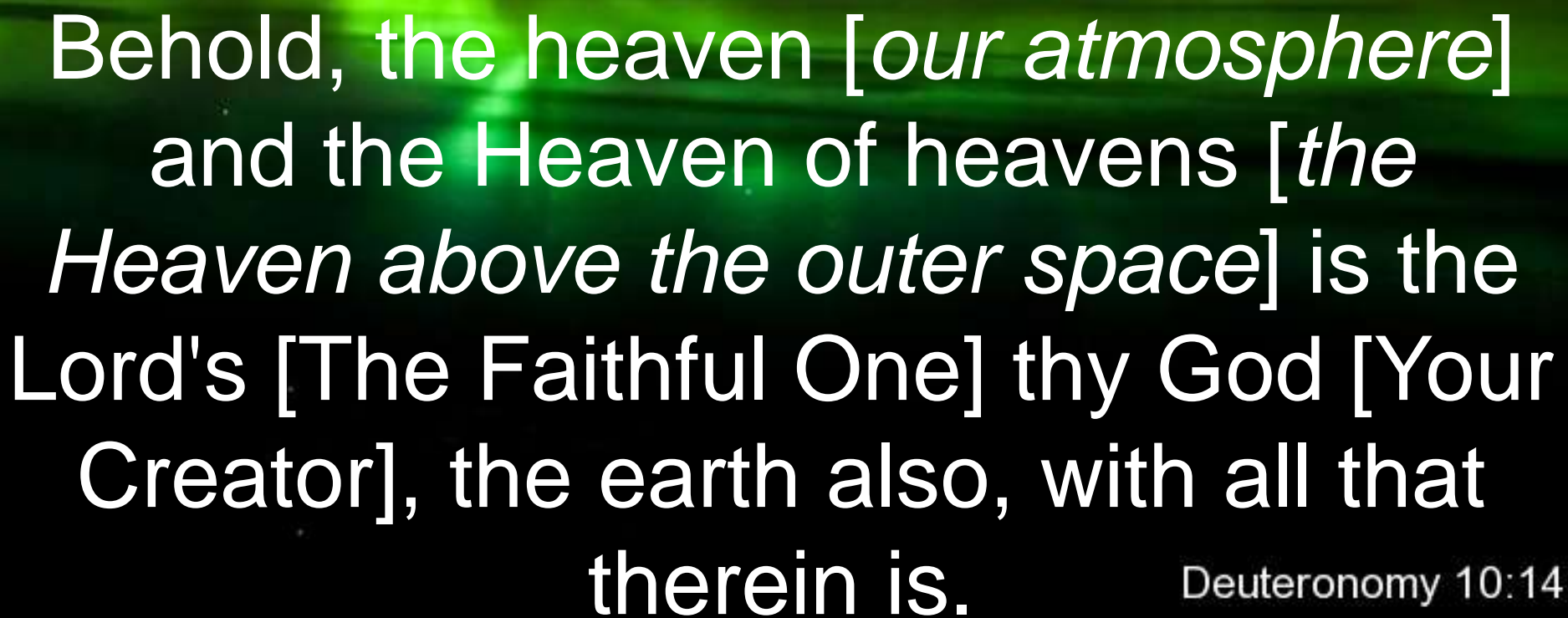
Water Geysers...

In 2004, Scientists found evidence that cold, Yellowstone-like geysers of water are active in a moon of Saturn called Enceladus.



WATER IN THE MOON!!!





Behold, the heaven [*our atmosphere*]
and the Heaven of heavens [*the
Heaven above the outer space*] is the
Lord's [The Faithful One] thy God [Your
Creator], the earth also, with all that
therein is.

Deuteronomy 10:14

A cinematic scene featuring two dinosaurs, possibly Triceratops, in a dark, starry space. They are looking towards a bright, glowing green light source in the background. The dinosaurs are in the foreground, with their heads and horns visible. The background is a deep blue/black space filled with stars and a nebula-like glow.

Gen. 1:1

In the beginning God [El-ohim, a plural word: The Spirit of spirits] created the heavens and the earth

Dt. 10:17

For the **LORD** [Yahweh] **your God** [Elohekem] {**He** [hu]} is **God** [Elohe] **of the gods** [ha elohim], **and Lord** [wa Adone] **of the lords** [ha adonim],
a great God, a mighty, and a terrible {**a God** [ha El] **a great** [hag gadol], **a mighty** [hag gibbor], **and a terrible** [wa han nowra]}, which regardeth not persons, nor taketh reward.



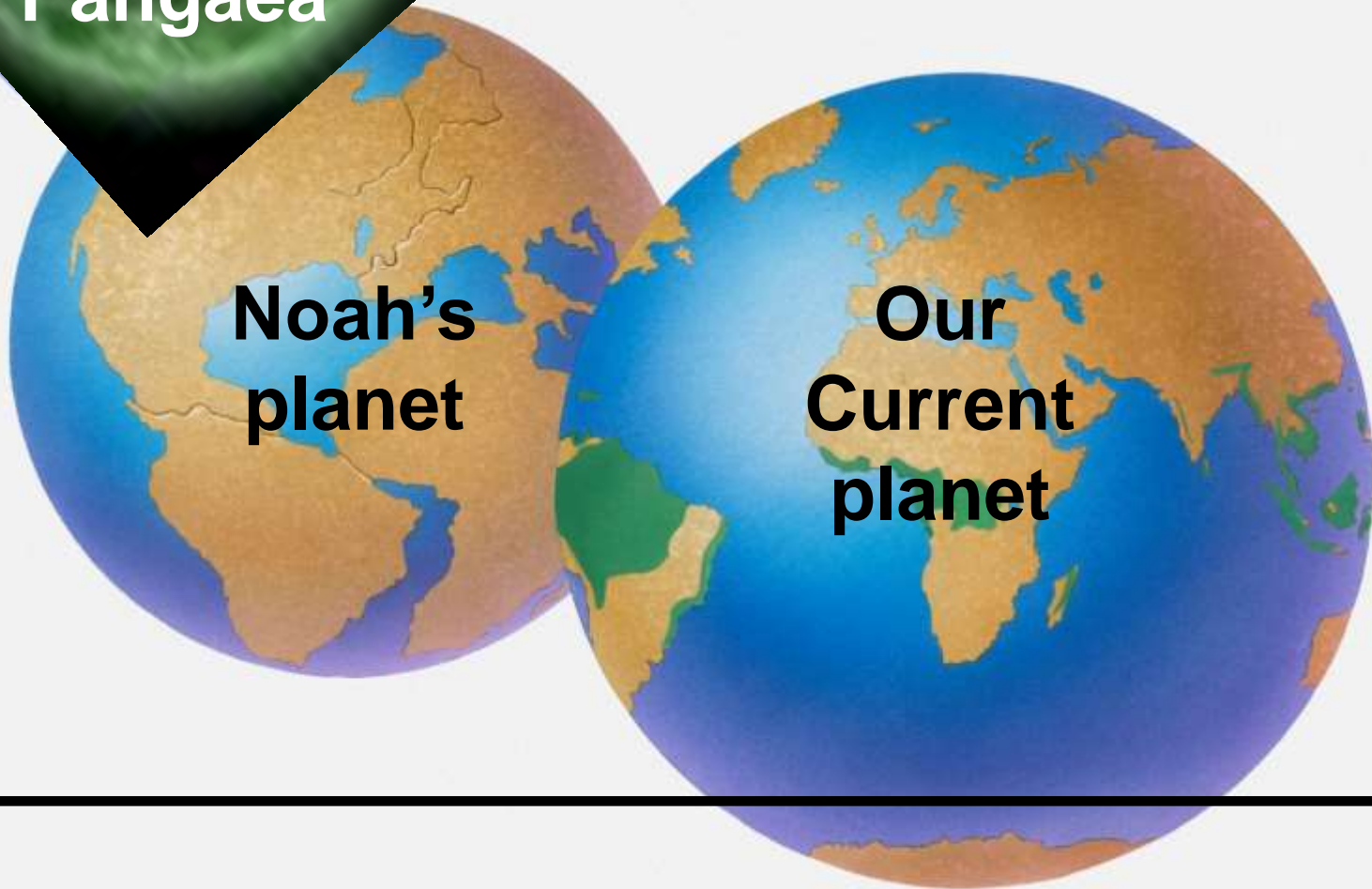
**The
dinosaur's
Pangaea**

Rev. 21:1

**...and there was no more sea [in
the future New Earth]**

**Noah's
planet**

**Our
Current
planet**



A TASTE FOR COMET WATER

WHEN COMET LINEAR BROKE APART LAST YEAR IT REVEALED WHAT MANY SCIENTISTS THOUGHT ALL ALONG: WATER IN EARTH'S OCEANS COULD HAVE COME FROM OUTER SPACE.



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May 18, 2001 -- Last year comet C/1999 S4 (better known as "[Comet LINEAR](#)") surprised astronomers by breaking apart as it passed near the Sun. Now the long-dead comet has surprised them again: [New research](#) → shows Comet LINEAR was likely made up of water with the same isotopic composition as water found here on Earth. The finding supports a controversial idea that cometary impacts billions of years ago could have provided most of the water in Earth's oceans.

Comets born near Jupiter are rare today because the giant planet's gravity long ago flung most of them into interstellar space. Nevertheless, they would have been numerous during the solar system's formative years. Astronomers think the primordial Earth would have intercepted more comets from the "Jupiter zone" (which is comparatively poor in heavy water) than ones that formed in the outer solar system (which is rich in heavy water).

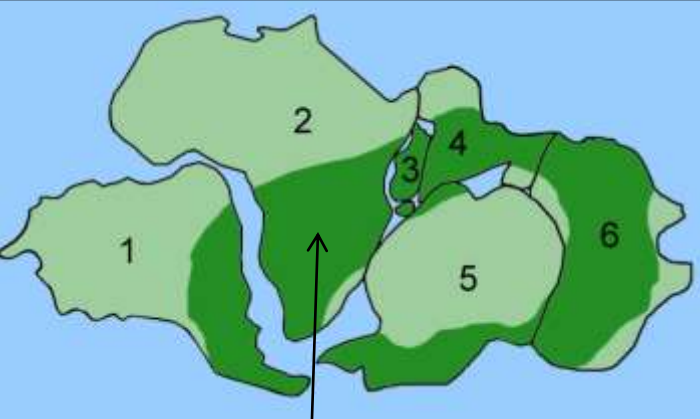
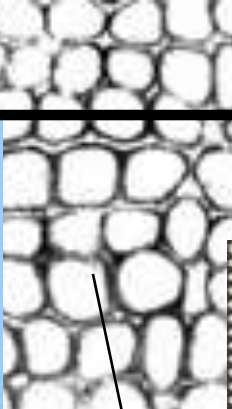
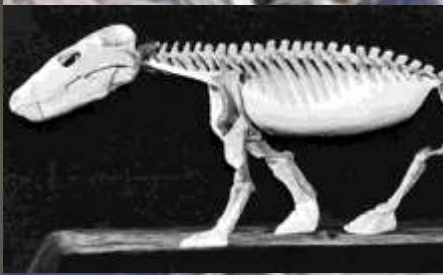
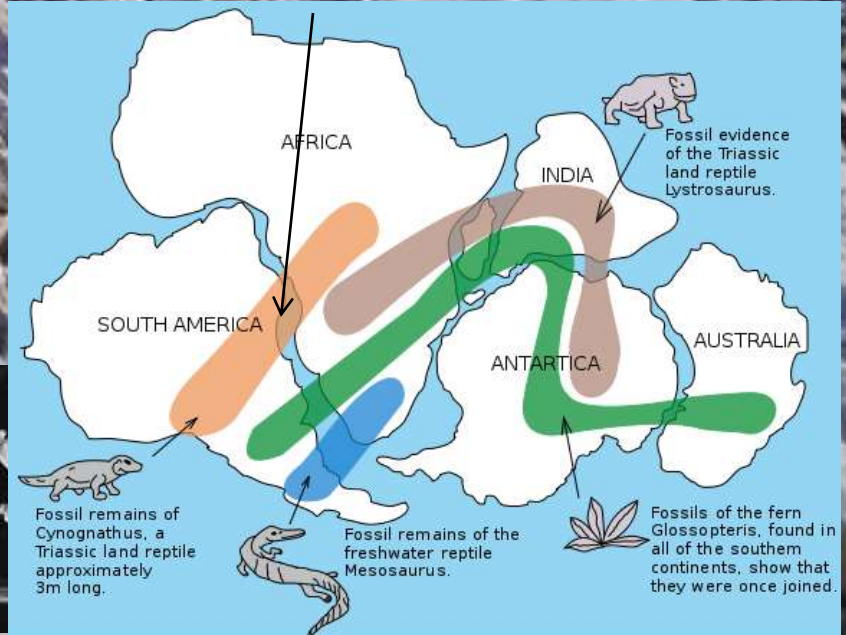
The "Jupiter zone" received more light and was warmer than the outer solar system. As a result, more reactions occurred in the gas near Jupiter and greater amounts of many complex organic molecules were available to wind up in comets. Also, Jupiter's powerful gravity kept collision speeds between comets near it high, preventing them from growing very large. Both factors may have given a boost to life on Earth.

Right: Comets born near Jupiter may contain the right flavor of water to explain Earth's oceans.

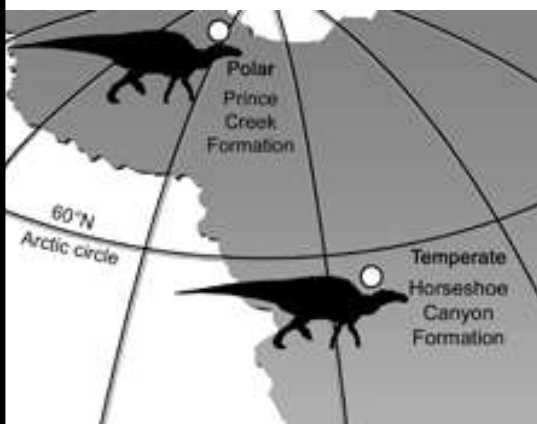


Editor's Note: In 1999 cosmochemist Geoff Blake and colleagues at Caltech showed that Comet Hale-Bopp contained too much heavy water → to match Earth's oceans. Those findings triggered widespread reports that comets couldn't be a source of terrestrial water. Now Comet LINEAR has shown us that Earth's oceans could hail from comets after all! But do they? Comets aren't the only candidate water sources for Earth. Our oceans may have been delivered by asteroids → (another controversial idea) or perhaps water was caught up in the body of Earth as it formed and later released by volcanic outgassing → (as many of us learned in school). Or all of the above! The origin of Earth's oceans remains a mystery, a topic for continued research.

Cynognathus

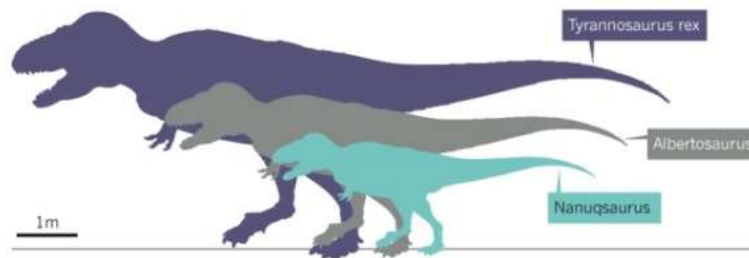


Glossopteris

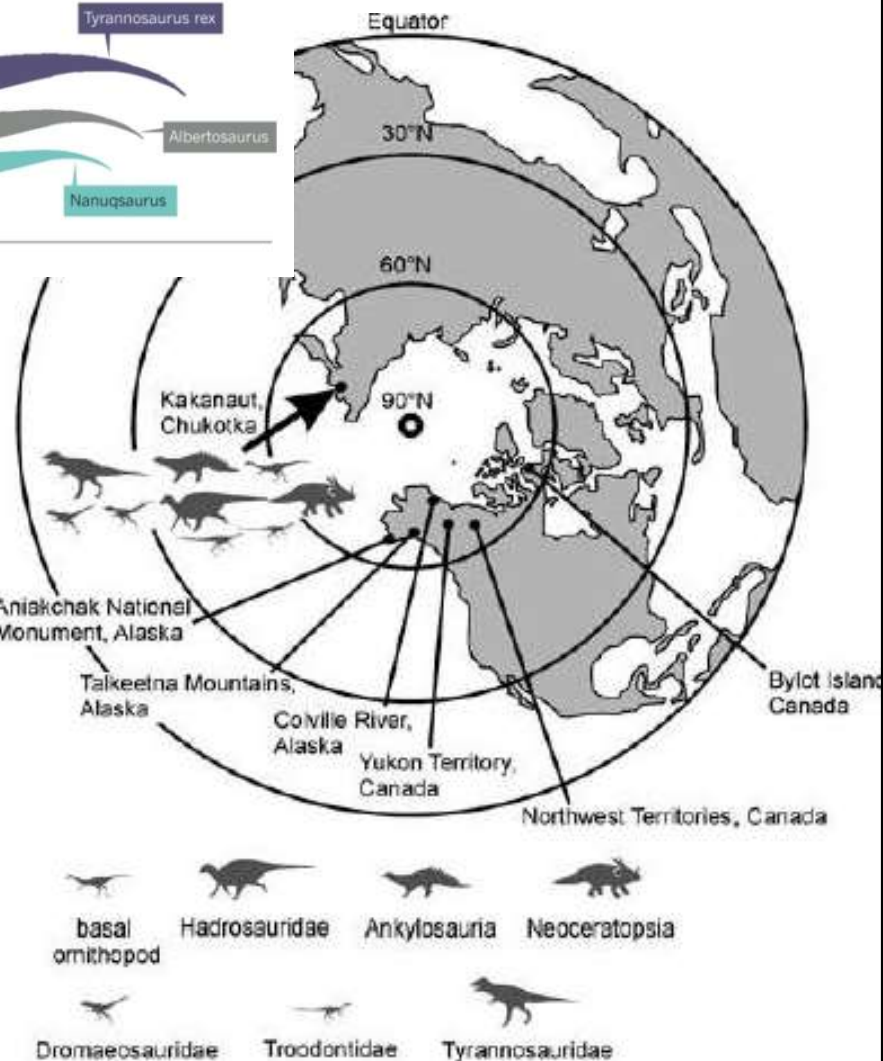
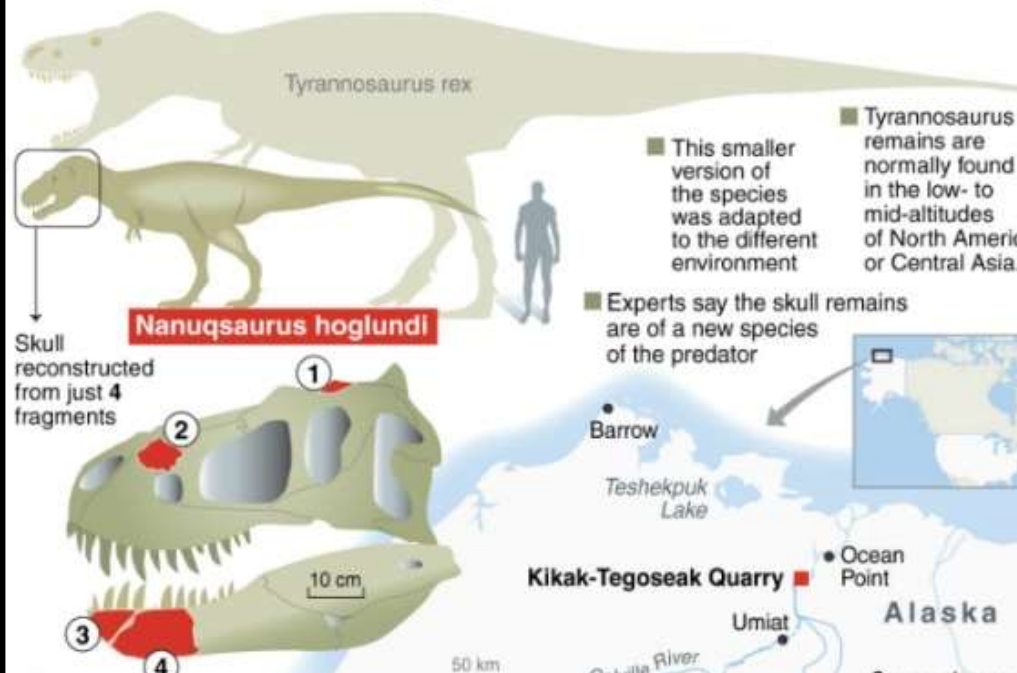


POLAR PREDATOR

At roughly 7 metres long, *Nanuqsaurus* – the first tyrannosaur discovered near either pole – is dwarfed by its cousins *Tyrannosaurus rex* and *Albertosaurus*.



New, scaled-down Tyrannosaurus found in Alaska

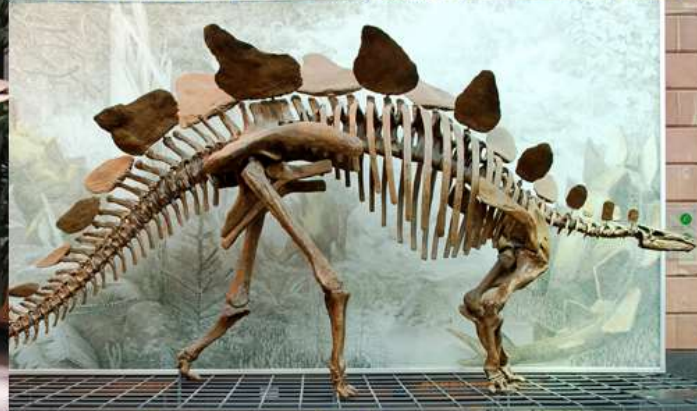


T. Rex



Apatosaurus louisae (giant sauropod)

Gastonia burgei (an armored ankylosaur)



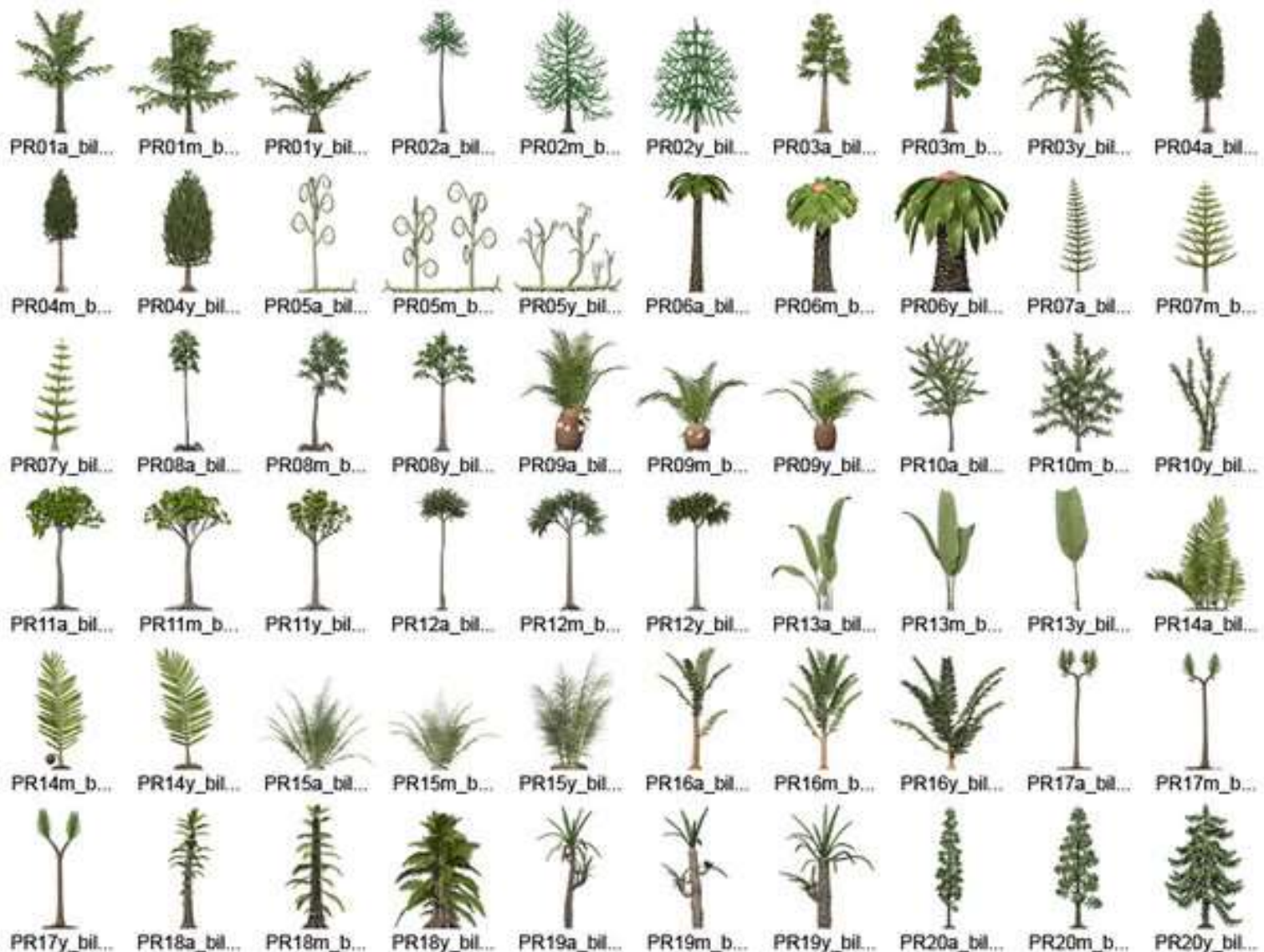
Stegosaurus stenops (plated stegosaur)

Edmontosaurus regalis (a duck-billed ornithopod)



Triceratops horridus (a horned ceratopsian)

XfrogPlants Billboards : Prehistoric





Is. 45:18

For thus saith the LORD that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; He hath established it, He created it not in vain [tohu], He formed it to be inhabited...

Gen. 1:2

And the earth became without form [tohu], and void; and darkness upon the face of the deep. But the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

◀ Isaiah 45:18 ▶

Isaiah 45 Interlinear

3335 [e]	430 [e]	1931 [e]		8064 [e]	1254 [e]	3068 [e]	559 [e]	3541 [e]	3588 [e]	
yō-šēr	hā-’ē-lō-hîm,	hū	—	haš-šā-ma-yim	bō-w-rê	Yah-weh	’ā-mar-	kūh	kî	
יִצֵר	הָאֱלֹהִים	הוּא	—	הַשָּׁמַיִם	בּוֹרֵא	יְהוָה	אָמַר-	כֹּה	כִּי	18
that formed	God	himself		the heavens	that created	the LORD	says	Thus	for	
Verb	Noun	Pro		Noun	Verb	Noun	Verb	Adv	Conj	

3335 [e]	3427 [e]	1254 [e]	8414 [e]	3808 [e]	3559 [e]	1931 [e]	6213 [e]	776 [e]	
yə-šā-rāh;	lā-še-bet	bə-rā-’āh	tū-hū	lō-	kō-wn-nāh,	hū	wə-’ō-šāh	hā-’ā-reš	
יִצְרָה	לִשְׁבֹּת	בָּרָאָה	תְּהוּ	לֹא-	כּוֹנֵנָה	הוּא	וַעֲשֶׂה	הָאָרֶץ	
he formed	it to be inhabited	he created	in vain it	not	has established	he	and made	the earth	
Verb	Verb	Verb	Noun	Adv	Verb	Pro	Verb	Noun	

5750 [e]	369 [e]	3068 [e]	589 [e]
’ō-wd.	wə-’ên	Yah-weh	’ā-nî
עוֹד:	וְאֵין	יְהוָה	אֲנִי
else	and none	the LORD	I [am]
Subst	Prt	Noun	Pro

◀ Genesis 1:2 ▶

Genesis 1 Interlinear

8415 [e]	6440 [e]	5921 [e]	2822 [e]	922 [e]	8414 [e]	1961 [e]	776 [e]
tə·hō·wm;	pə·nê	'al-	wə·hō·šek	wā·bō·hū,	tō·hū	hā·ye·tāh	wə·hā·'ā·reš,
תְּהוֹם	פְּנֵי	עַל-	וַחֹשֶׁךְ	וּבְהוֹ	תְּהוֹ	הָיְתָה	וְהָאָרֶץ 2
of the deep	the face	[was] on	and darkness	and void	without form	was	And the earth
Noun	Noun	Prep	Noun	Noun	Noun	Verb	Noun

4325 [e]	6440 [e]	5921 [e]	7363 [e]	430 [e]	7307 [e]
ham·mā·yim.	pə·nê	'al-	mə·ra·he·pet	'ē·lō·hîm,	wə·rū·ah
הַמַּיִם:	פְּנֵי	עַל-	מְרַחֶפֶת	אֱלֹהִים	וְרוּחַ
of the waters	the face	on	moved	of God	And the Spirit
Noun	Noun	Prep	Verb	Noun	Noun

Is. 14:12-15

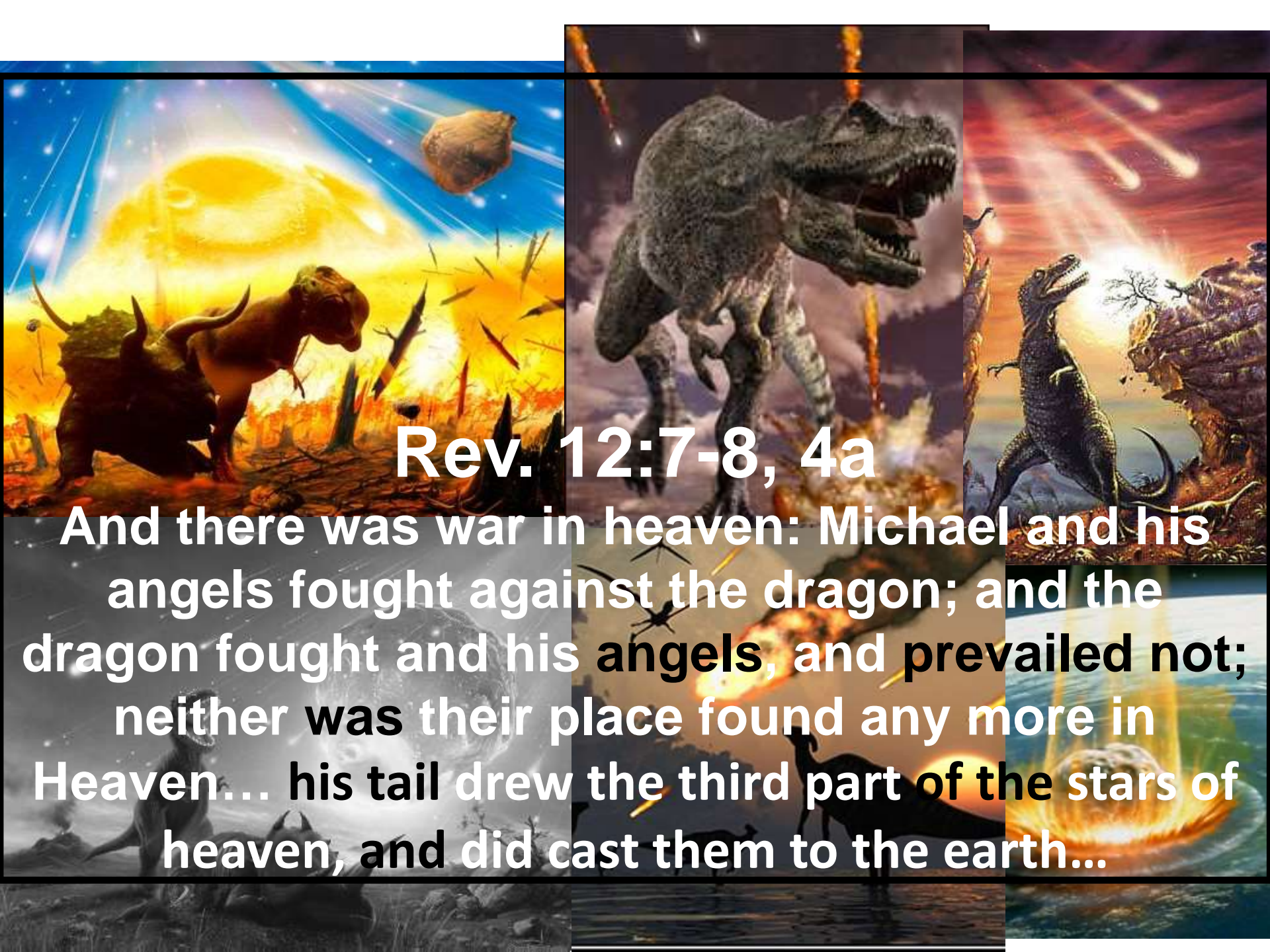


How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer...

For thou hast said **in thine heart**, I will **ascend into heaven**, I will **exalt my throne above the stars of God**: I will **sit** [enthroned, NIV] **also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north** [the sacred mountain, NIV]:

I will **ascend above the heights of the clouds**; I will **be like the most High**. Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides **of the pit.**





Rev. 12:7-8, 4a

And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, and prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in Heaven... his tail drew the third part of the stars of heaven, and did cast them to the earth...

Chicxulub Crater

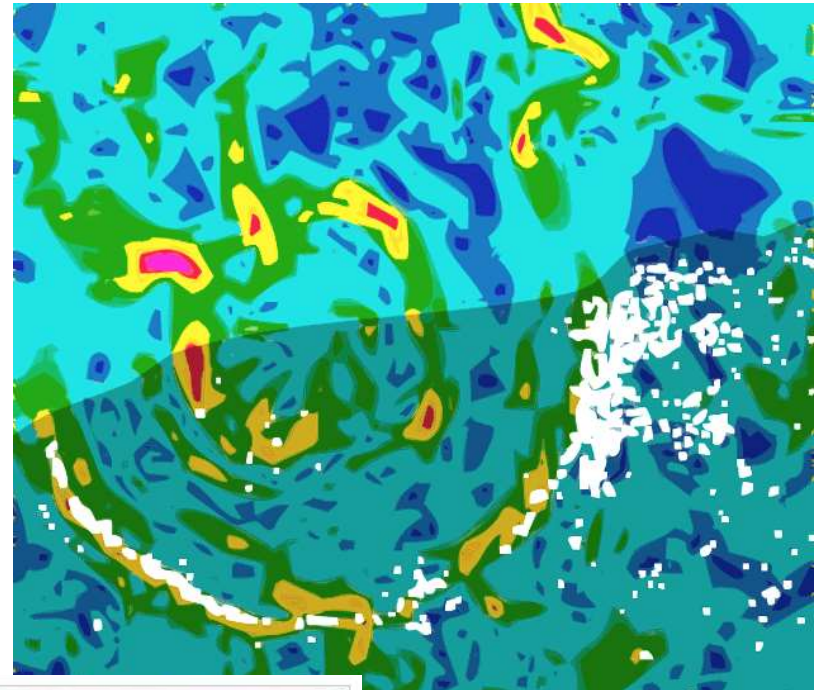
Yucatán Peninsula



Chicxulub

Trough

Cenotes
(sinkholes)



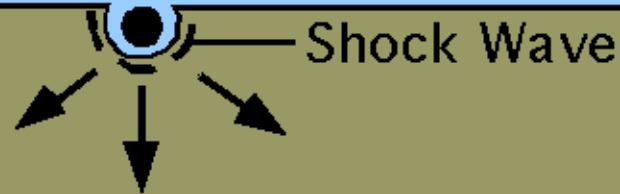
The piece of clay, held by Walter Alvarez, that sparked research into the impact theory. The greenish-brown band in the center is extremely rich in iridium.



Penfield with the sample of shocked quartz found at Well #2, Chicxulub

Imaging from NASA's Shuttle Radar Topography Mission STS-99 reveals part of the 180 km (110 mi)-diameter ring of the crater. The numerous sinkholes clustered around the trough of the crater suggest a prehistoric oceanic basin in the depression left by the impact.^[1]

Animation of impact and crater formation (U. Arizona, *Space Imagery Center*).



http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chicxulub_crater



Artist's impression of an asteroid striking Earth at the end of the Cretaceous



Badlands near Drumheller, Alberta, where erosion has exposed the K-Pg boundary (Cretaceous-Paleogene)



Complex Cretaceous-Paleogene clay layer (gray) in the Geulhemmergroeve tunnels near Geulhem, The Netherlands. Finger is on the actual Cretaceous-Paleogene boundary.



Hell Creek formation



A Wyoming (U.S.) rock with an intermediate claystone layer that contains 1000 times more iridium than the upper and lower layers. Picture taken at the San Diego Natural History Museum



The K-Pg boundary exposure in Trinidad Lake State Park, in the Raton Basin of Colorado, shows an abrupt change from dark- to light-colored rock. White line added to mark the transition.

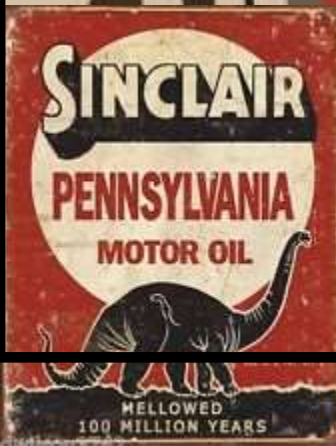
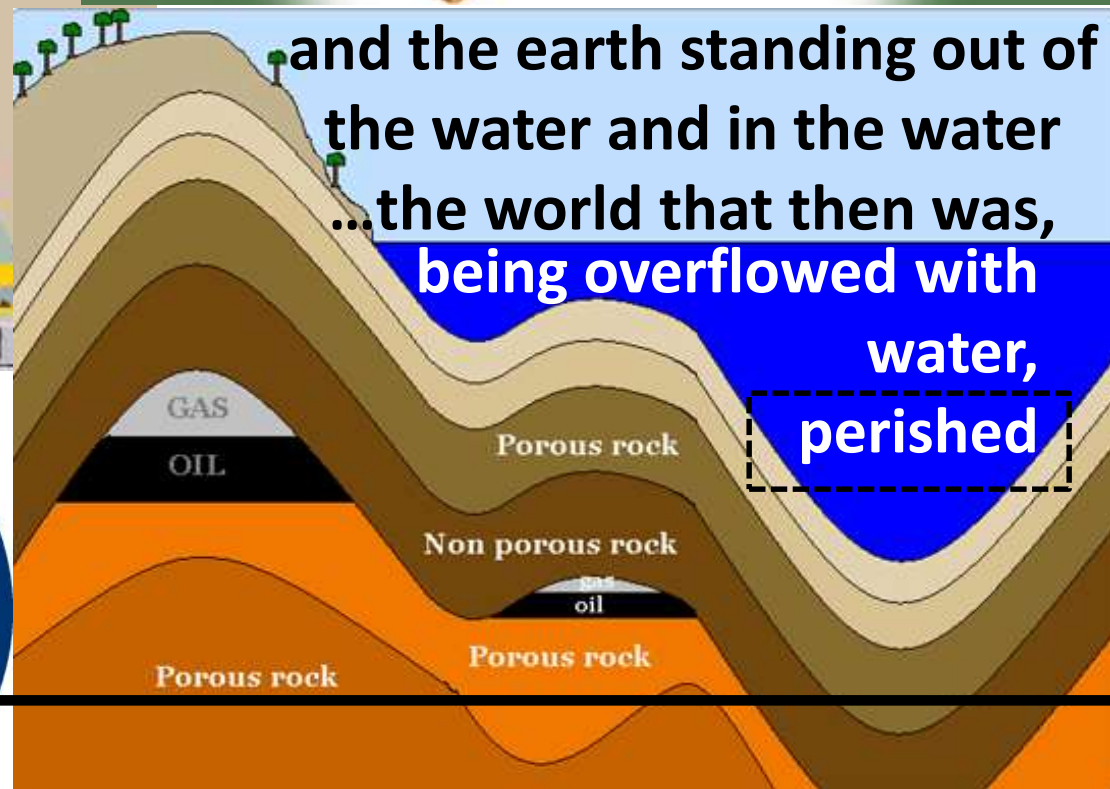
FOSSIL FUEL

2 Pe. 3:5-6

...by The Word of
God the heavens
were of old,



and the earth standing out of
the water and in the water
...the world that then was,
being overflowed with
water,
perished



◀ 2 Peter 3:6 ▶

2 Peter 3 Interlinear

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	di'	hōn	ho	tote	kosmos	hydati	kataklystheis	apōleto
6	δι'	ὧν	ὁ	τότε	κόσμος ,	ὕδατι	κατακλυσθεῖς ,	ἀπώλετο .
	through	which	the	at that time	world	with water	having been deluged	perished
	Prep	RelPro-GNP	Art-NMS	Adv	N-NMS	N-DNS	V-APP-NMS	V-AIM-3S

◀ Matthew 18:14 ▶

Matthew 18 Interlinear

	3779 [e]	3756 [e]	1510 [e]	2307 [e]	1715 [e]	3588 [e]	3962 [e]	4771 [e]	3588 [e]	1722 [e]
	houtōs	ouk	estin	thelēma	emprosthen	tou	Patros	hymōn	tou	en
14	οὕτως	οὐκ	ἔστιν	θέλημα	ἔμπροσθεν	τοῦ	Πατρὸς	ὑμῶν	, τοῦ	ἐν
	So	not	it is	[the] will	of	the	Father	of you	who [is]	in
	Adv	Adv	V-PIA-3S	N-NNS	Prep	Art-GMS	N-GMS	PPro-G2P	Art-GMS	Prep

3772 [e]	2443 [e]	622 [e]	1520 [e]	3588 [e]	3398 [e]	3778 [e]
ouranois	hina	apolētai	hen	tōn	mikrōn	toutōn
οὐρανοῖς	, ἵνα	ἀπόληται	ἐν	τῶν	μικρῶν	τούτων .
[the] heavens	that	should perish	one	of the	little ones	of these
N-DMP	Conj	V-ASM-3S	Adj-NNS	Art-GNP	Adj-GNP	DPro-GNP

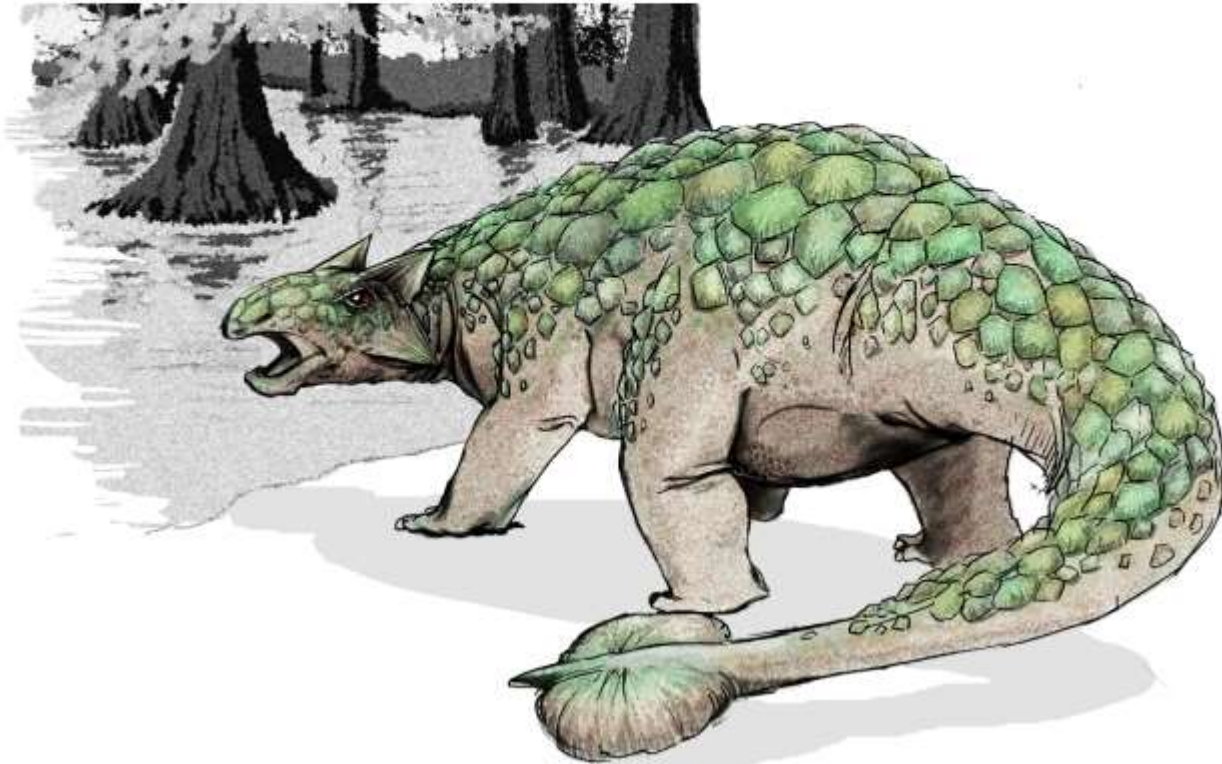
How did a heavily-armored dinosaur end up at the bottom of the ocean?



Alasdair Wilkins

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Notable specimens [[edit](#)]

Oilsands ankylosaurian [[edit](#)]

A complete ankylosaurian skeleton was discovered by accident on March 21, 2011 in approximately 110 million-year-old rock being excavated at the [Suncor](#) Millenium [oilsands](#) mine near [Fort McMurray, Alberta, Canada](#). It is the oldest complete dinosaur specimen from the

province.^[11] The fossil was found in the [Wabiskaw Member](#) of the [Clearwater Formation](#), a marine deposit, and represents a terrestrial animal that became entombed in the sea floor approximately 200 kilometres (120 mi) from the nearest known paleo-shoreline. The specimen

experienced no postmortem disruption, with all the bones, including [phalanges](#), in three-dimensional articulation. All the dermal armour appeared to be undisturbed and present. There are large areas with impressions of scales with alternating diamond and hexagonal shapes.

There is also a large cluster of unusual [pisolith](#)-like bodies (up to 2 cm in diameter) in the gut region that may represent stomach contents. Preparation of the specimen, which appears to be a nodosaur, began in April 2011 at the [Royal Tyrrell Museum of Paleontology](#) and is expected to take several years.^{[12][13]}

Gen. 1:3

**And God said, Let
there be light [a
light different than
the light of the
sun and the
stars]: and there
was light**

"LET THERE BE LIGHT"

The background of the slide is a deep space image featuring a dark blue and purple cosmic scene. In the center, there is a bright, glowing blue sphere with a spiral pattern, resembling a nebula or a distant galaxy. To the right, a large, orange-brown planet with visible atmospheric bands is partially visible. The background is filled with numerous small, distant stars and galaxies, creating a sense of vastness and depth.

Gen. 1:6-8

And God said, Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters. And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the waters which were above the firmament: and it was so. And God called the firmament Heavens. And the evening and the morning were the second day.

Ps. 148:4

Praise

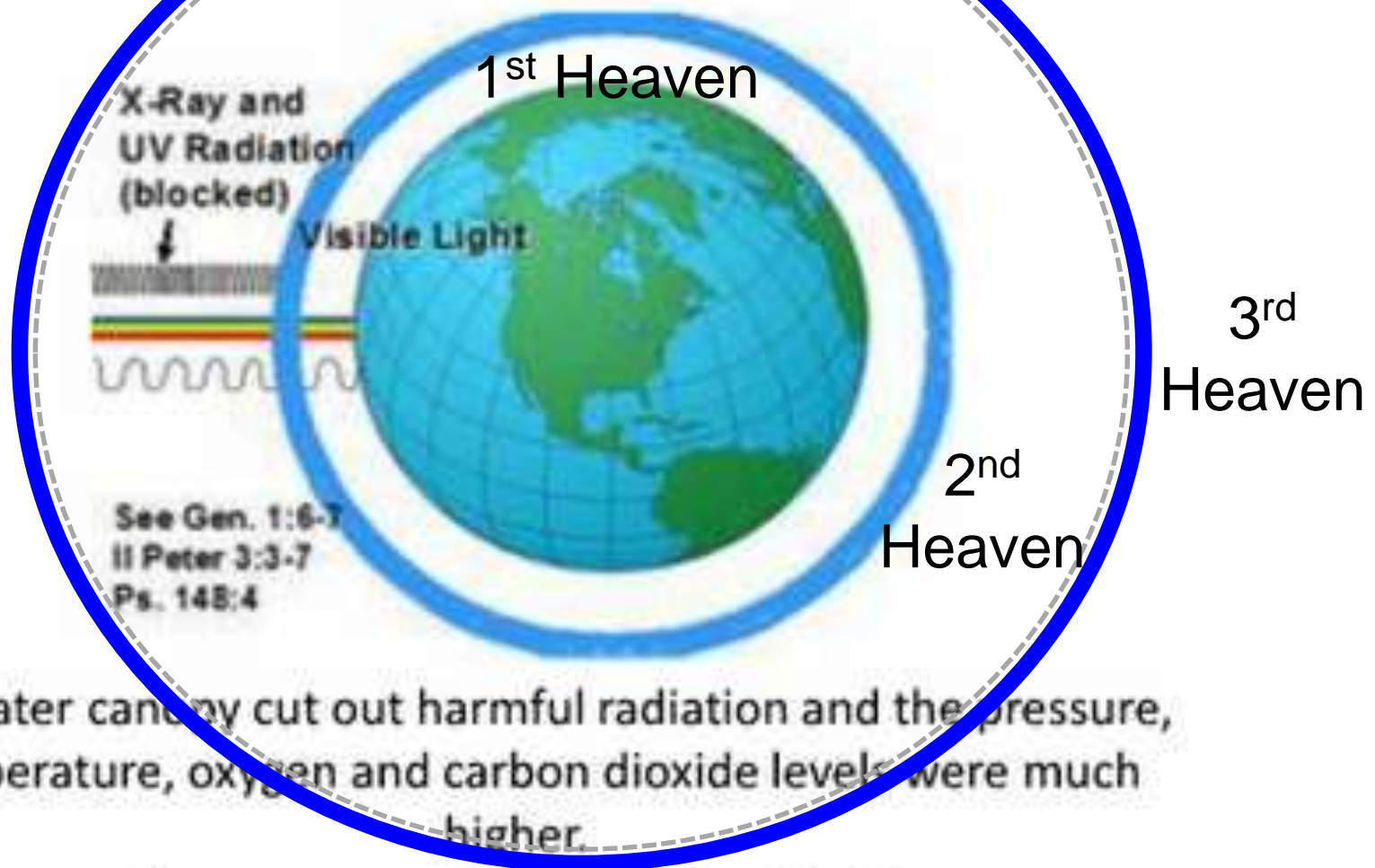
**Him, ye heavens of heavens [*outer space above
the atmosphere*],**

**and ye waters that be above the heavens [*waters
above the outer space*].**

Pr. 8:27

**When He [God] prepared the heavens, I [wisdom]
was there: when He set a compass [a circle]
upon the face of the depth**

Pre-Flood: there was a water canopy around the earth



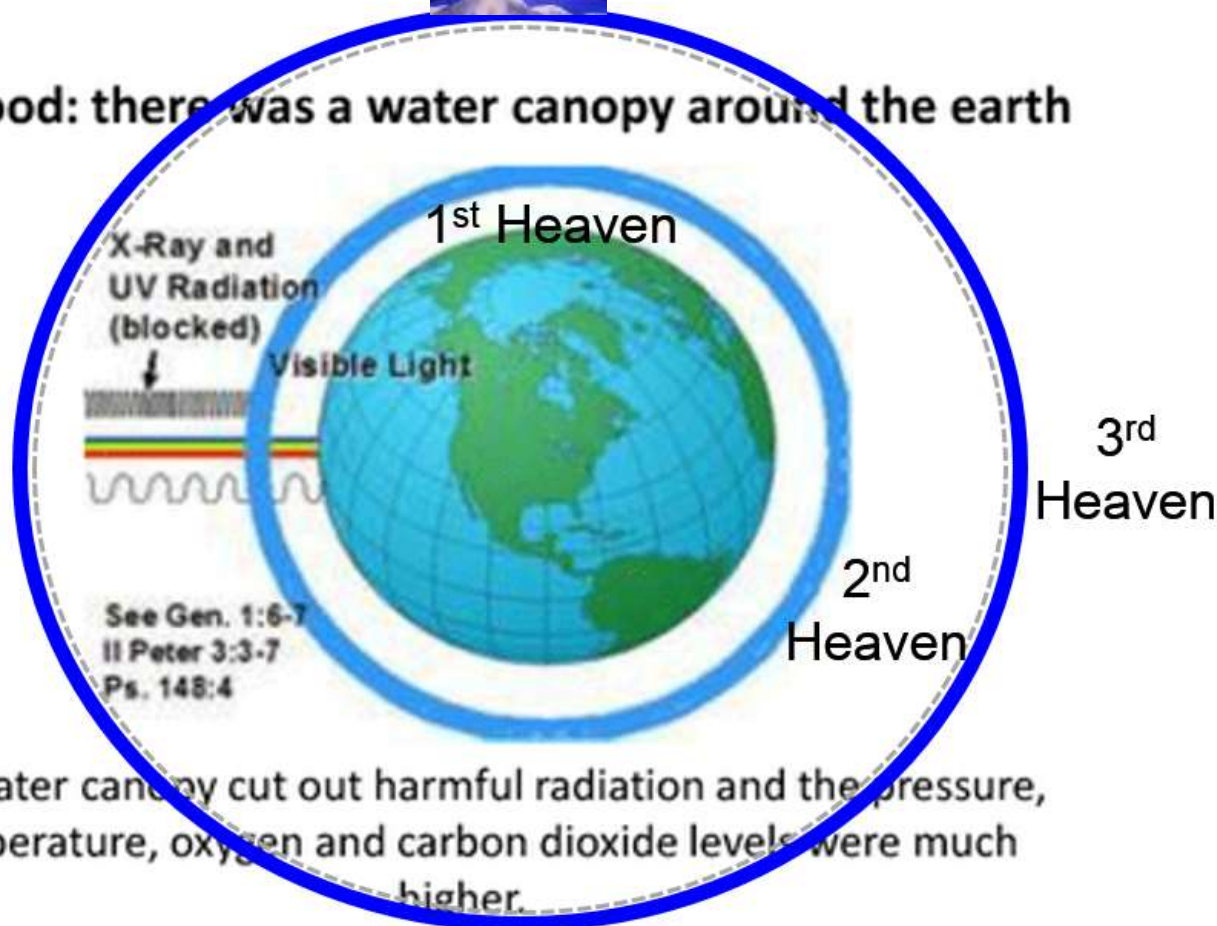
The water canopy cut out harmful radiation and the pressure, temperature, oxygen and carbon dioxide levels were much higher.

There was no rain before the Flood.

Rev. 21:16 And the city lieth foursquare... The length and the breadth and the height of it are equal.



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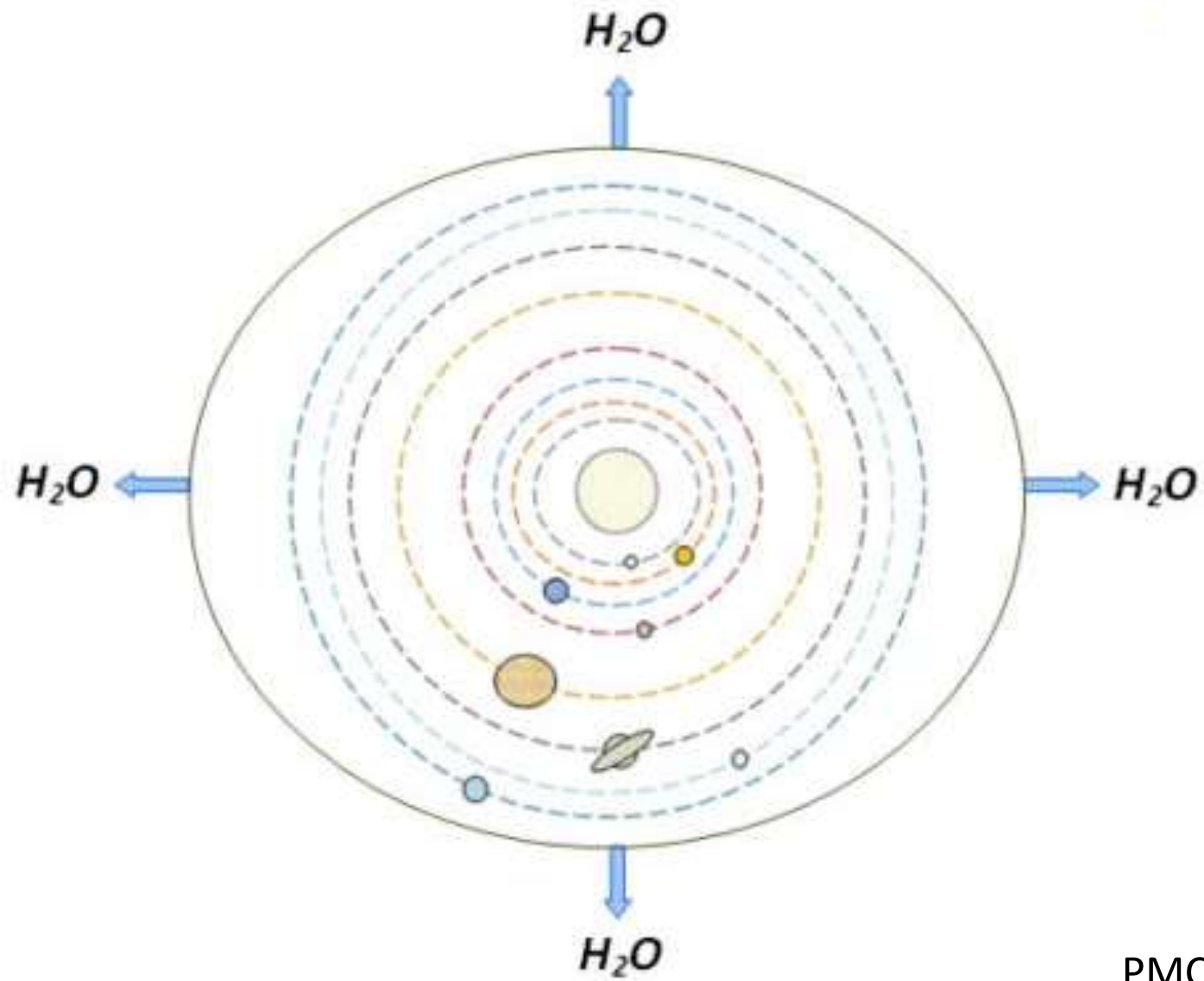
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Isaiah 40:22

**It is He [God] that sitteth upon [above]
the circle of the earth, and the
inhabitants thereof are as
grasshoppers; that stretcheth out the
heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth
them out as a tent to dwell in**



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Gen. 1:9-10

And God said, Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together unto one place, and **let the dry land appear**: and it was so. And God called the dry land Earth; and the gathering together of the waters called He Seas: and God saw that it was good.

Job 26:7

**He [God] stretcheth out the north
[“sacred mountain”, NIV]**



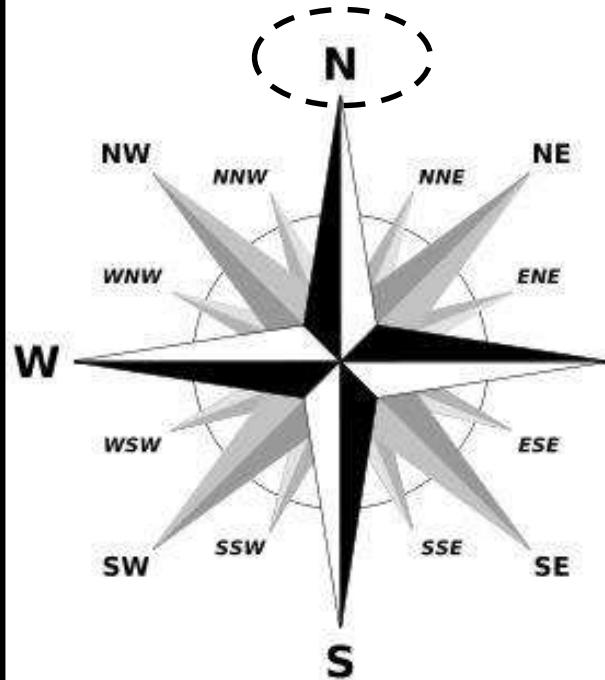
**over the empty
place [“space”, NIV],
and hangeth the earth upon nothing.**

Job 26:9

**He holdeth back the face of His Throne,
and spreadeth His cloud upon it.**

Psalm 75:6-7

For **promotion** cometh neither from the east, nor from the west, nor from the south. **But God [Elohim] is the judge:** He putteth down one, and **setteth up another.**



*["Therefore **it comes from the north.** The immediate place of God's Throne, to which Satan aspires." The Companion Bible.]*

Job 22:12

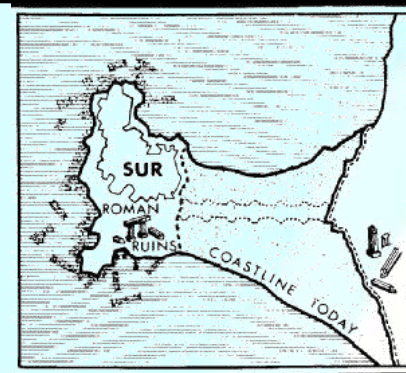
**Is not God in the height of Heaven? and
behold the height of the stars, how high
they are!**

Acts 7:55

**But he [Stephen], being full of holy spirit,
looked up stedfastly into Heaven, and saw
the glory of God, and Jesus standing on
the right hand of God**

Ez. 28:2b

...thou [Prince of Tyre] hast said, I am a
God, I sit in the seat of God, **in the
midst of the seas...**

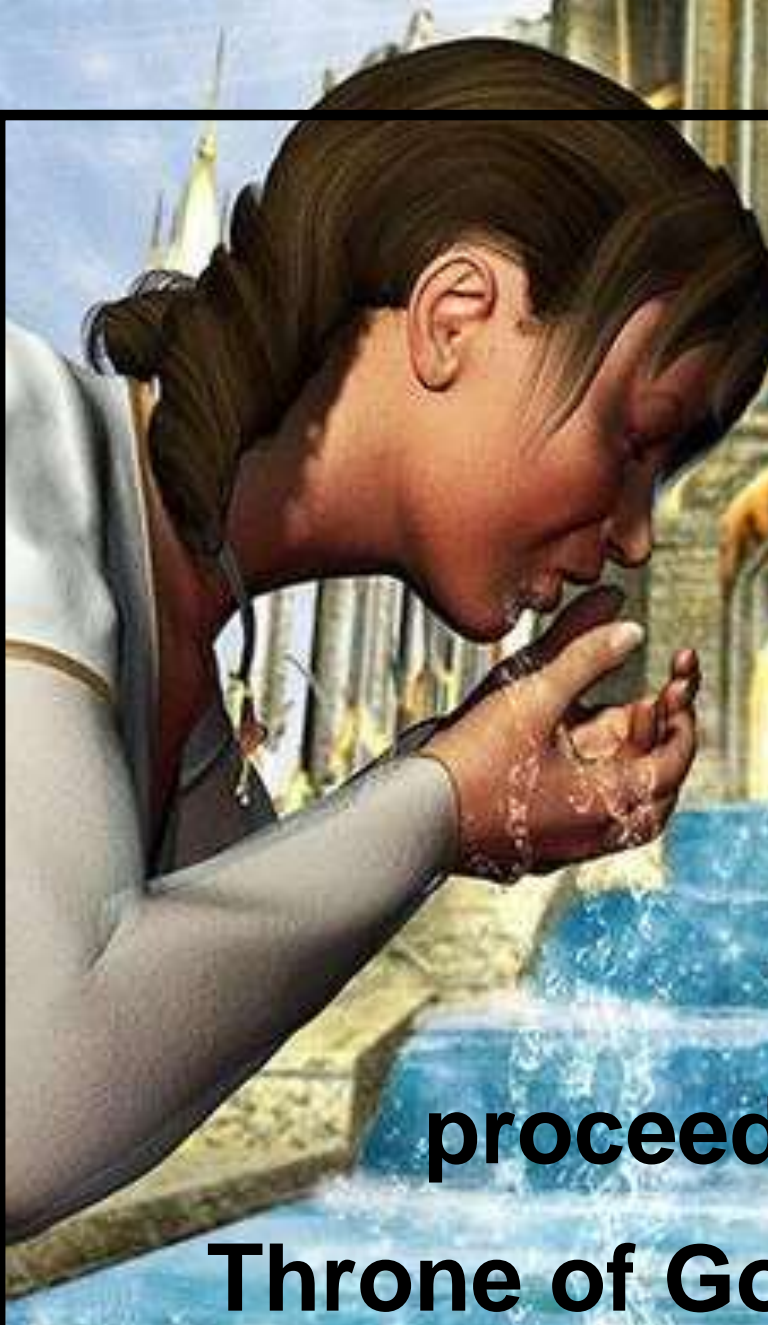


Siege of Tyre
July, 332 B.C.

Ps. 104:3

**...[God] layeth the beams of His
chambers in the waters: Who [God]
maketh the clouds His chariot: Who
walketh upon the wings of the wind**





Rev. 22:1
And he [the
angel] shewed
me [John] **a river
of water of life,**
clear as crystal,



**proceeding out of the
Throne of God and of the Lamb.**