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not come by evolution. His explanation was so clear and accurate. He was able to cross reference the verses with scientific evidence and research by the creationist.

I am so grateful to Dr David Catchpoole who also works in Creation Ministries because he was able to help me to understand that the creation by God according to the book of Genesis is indeed the truth, not a fairy tale, and it cannot be denied by anyone, not even the evolutionist.

All the sermons and seminars run by Creation Ministries have helped me immensely and I am certain it will also help our friends in Indonesia to have a better understanding that evolutionism is false and misleading. I am honestly concerned because evolutionism is taught in every school in Indonesia, starting at primary level all the way to high school level even to university level. I can see the huge impact evolutionism has caused to our educational system in Indonesia especially in the field of natural science and biology. Many students there do not realise that the teaching of evolution can be so damaging to them that in the long run it will poison their minds.

In conclusion, evolutionism must be stopped for good, but I feel it will be a very difficult task because the teachings of evolutionism in Indonesian schools have been going on for so

long that the teaching itself has taken root in the minds of many students. It will be a challenge to us Christians to help our brothers and sisters in Christ so that they will not be drawn away by evolutionism. Creation Ministries will have a very important role to play in the reformation of the natural science and biology teaching system in Indonesia. (Mario D. 15 June 2010)

2. Call to support CMI with Prayer

Dr Wieland and his valiant band of end time soldiers of the Truth of God will be much encouraged by our Prayer Support. They are in the forefront of the battle "for the word of God, and for the testimony of Jesus Christ" (Rev 1:9).

Who are "Dr Wieland and his valiant band"? They are scientifically qualified men who have been challenged, provoked and called to stem the tide of unopposed atheistic evolutionism being passed off as truth, and deceiving the masses. Once a person is convinced that evolution is true, then equally the teaching and belief in Creation and God and Bible and Gospel are no more valid! Man, then, becomes "god" and Christianity falls into disuse and disrepute! Pray for CMI!

*Faithfully in the Lord
Dr SH Tow, Sr Pastor*

AF RETREAT - 6 - 7 SEPTEMBER 2010

THISTLE JOHOR BAHRU

THEME: GODLY FAMILY

SPEAKER: REV DR QUEK SUAN YEW

We have seen the breakdown of the family in today's society – the family is under attack. What is God's plan for the family?

God's Word can surely show us the way to family peace and harmony, the roles of the husband, wife, parents and the children and how to be the godly family that is pleasing to God, serving the Lord together for the glory of God.

Plan to come..... drive to Thistle Johor Bahru in the morning of 6 Sept and the programme will end with dinner fellowship on 7 Sept and drive back to Singapore.

Registration outside the Sanctuary will start from today.



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THEME: *"Walking with God in Perilous Times"*

(2 Tim 3:1)

Senior Pastor: Rev Dr Tow Siang Hwa

Pastor: Rev Dr Quek Suan Yew

LORD'S DAY, 1 Aug 2010

PANDAN NEWS WEEKLY

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My dear readers,

1. CMI advance into Indonesia - Concluding

*By Dr Carl Wieland, Managing Director,
Creation Ministries International*

We conclude with an extract from the written testimony of Mario D., an Indonesian who moved to Australia as a young adult and who now attends church with David here in Brisbane. He has heard David present creation talks many times to that congregation, and writes:

Since I started primary school until high school, I was taught by my science and biology teacher, that we as human originally came from an ape/monkey. They taught us that human has evolved for millions of years to be the human we know today. This was one of the teachings that I remember so clearly and my friends were also taught the same thing. At that time I did not realise that evolutionism is wrong, because maybe I was quite young and naive. However I kept thinking about it.

Just to give you a bit of my background. I come from a Christian family, but I was not a

true Christian until I was born again in 1997 when I was a university student. I began to understand how to be a true Christian, but I was still confused and always asking myself about the origin of man. I know according to the book of Genesis that we were created by God, but not according to evolutionism by which I was taught at school. Evolutionism never claimed that man is a creation but simply a result of chance that occurred over millions of years. Because of this I was lost and had a conflict in my mind because I realise the Bible and evolution are never compatible with each other. I asked some of the pastors at my local church about this matter but none of them was able to give me the correct answers.

I started to think that there must be an answer to this issue. Throughout my life, I always feel in my heart that man cannot be descended from apes. Eventually I found the answers when I joined [the Brisbane Church] in 2006. One of the Elders in that church, Dr David Catchpoole explained to me in his sermon about a topic that related to evolutionism and creationism. From his detail explanation using the Bible and other scientific means, I began to understand and I then realised that man is indeed a unique creation made by God and did

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SUNSET GOSPEL BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

Theme: The Jewish People In History and Prophecy

1 August (6 pm)

8 August (6 pm)

Topic: Seeds of Arab-Israeli War

Genocide Through The Ages

Preacher: Dr SH Tow

Dr SH Tow

Worship Leader: Elder Chew Chong Kiat

Elder Jeffrey Cheong

**A very warm welcome to visitors and friends in the name of
our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ**

PANDAN FACTS & FIGURES

Ring Pastor Quek 6566 5716; Mobile - 9671 9310 any time; Email - suanyew@gmail.com

10.00 am **Pre-Service Prayer Meeting: JW Sanctuary**
Today: Dn Chia Chung Seng; **N/W:** Elder Jeffrey Cheong

10.15 am Pre-Service Singspiration: **Today:** Elder Chew Chong Kiat; **N/W:** Ko Lingwei

10.30 am **Lord's Day**
Today **Worship Leaders** : Dn Han Whie Kwang / Elder Sim Siang Kok
Speaker : Dr SH Tow
Message : "Stand Fast in One Spirit!" (Phil 1:25-28)

Next Week **Worship Leaders** : Dn Chia Chung Seng
Speaker : Rev Dr Quek Suan Yew
Message : "Call to Suffer" (Phil 1:29-30)

Last Week's (25.07.10) Attendances and Offerings

English Worship	10.30 am	1,167	\$18,536.10	RM1
Junior Worship		149		
Mandarin Worship	8.00 am	166	\$ 5,985.30	
Mandarin JW		43		
SGBF	6.00 pm	326	\$ 3,362.45	
Prayer Meeting (Tuesday)	8.15 pm	126		

Lord's Day Activities

Basic Bible Knowledge 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, Cryroom
Today: Lesson 4: Sin i/c Preacher Lek Aik Wee
N/W: Lesson 5: Jesus Christ: His Life and Death i/c Pr Lek

DHW 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, Sanctuary, 2nd level
ABC 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, Rooms #02-05-07
Teens' Meeting 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, JW Sanctuary, #02-03
Young People Discn Gp (17-20) 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, New Sanctuary Cryroom
Library 12.15 pm - 1.30 pm, Room #03-04
AV Library 12.15 pm - 1.15 pm, Room #02-02
Choir 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm, Rooms #02-05-07
Tracting 1.45 pm, Lobby outside Sanctuary (2nd & 4th Week)

Lord's Day Duties

Musicians Morning	1 Aug Adrian Ho / Sharon Lim	8 Aug Michelle Chiang / Lois Teo
<i>SGBF (6 pm)</i>	Adrian Ho / Lee Yu Jie	Samuel Eio / Rachel Han
Greeters	Lim Soon Seng & Jessica	Mark & Chiew Ping
Welcomers	Vincent & Esther Fong	Timothy & Constance Tan
Lunch Coupon Sale	Henry Chua & MannYee	Kiong Tay & family
Kitchen Duty	YAF	Tan Heng Wee & Irene, Andrew Chiang & Lee Pin, Patrick & Josephine Lim, James & Jessica Lim
Ushers	Choir	Steven Lee, Nam Moon, Kwok Weng, Heng Wee,

SGBF Singspiration	Elder Chew Chong Kiat
SGBF Ushers	Choir
SGBF Greeters	Adrian & Carolyn Ho
SGBF Welcomers / Dinner Coupon Sales	Joe & Jeanie Chan
SGBF Kitchen Duty	Choir

Samuel Chiang, Joe Chan,
 Edgar Teo, Thian Guan,
 Joseph Lok, Andrew
 Chiang, SKY, Chee Weng,
 Kim Hai, Loke Wei Jun
 Dn Chia Chung Seng
 Steven Lee, Nam Moon,
 David Wong, Ming Kin,
 Wai Ho, Mark Woo
 Truth BPC
 Esther Chiang & Matthew

Truth

Activities for the week (2 - 7 Aug)

Tuesday 8.15 pm PRAYER MEETING i/c Rev Dr Quek Suan Yew

Friday 1.30 pm GOLDEN YEARS CARE GROUP BIBLE STUDY in the home of Mrs Evelyn Ong. Add: 682 Choa Chu Kang Crescent, #11-526. Tel: 67654456. Friends of Pandan and volunteers are welcome

8.30 pm GILGAL BIBLE STUDY at the home of Bro Arthur Ng. Add: 32 Burgundy Crescent. For more information, please contact Chia Chung Seng 96984418, Arthur Ng 97596861. All are welcome
 Book Study on Leviticus Pastor Quek Suan Yew

8.15 - 9.30 pm ADULTS FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY (AFBS): Room #02-10 Bible Study on 1st, 2nd & 3rd John Rev Dr Prabhudas Koshy
All Adults are welcome to join

Saturday 2.30 pm CMC (Calvary Mission to Children)

5.30 -8.30 pm YOUTH FELLOWSHIP: Cryroom, New Sanctuary, Level 3
 Praying Amiss Rev Dr Prabhudas Koshy
Come join us for our prayer meeting at 5.00 pm

5.00 pm YAF cottage meeting at the home of Walter Wei. Add: 54 Faber Hts Do Not Even The Publicans So? (Matt 5:43-48)
 Dr Paul Ferguson

7.00 - 9.00 pm MYANMAR FELLOWSHIP: Room #04-05

THURSDAY LADIES FELLOWSHIP MEETING **THEME: STUDYING FROM 1ST CORINTHIANS**

Date: 19 August, Thurs, 1.30-4.00 pm
Place: #02-14, Lounge (left of Tabernacle Bookroom)
Subject: **A Christian's Place in the Court of Law**
Speaker: Rev Dr Quek Suan Yew
"But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin." 1 Jn 1:7
All ladies are welcome to come and join us in fellowship

HOME News & Announcements

- Last Week's LOVE GIFTS TO DESIGNATED FUNDS: S\$10,204.30**
Ajin Thu- Pontianak 50 = \$50; **Baraka BP Church** 100, 10 = \$100; **Bethel DC - Chiang Rai** 50, 500, 200 = \$750; **Bible College East Africa, Kenya** 50 = \$50; **Bible College East Africa - Tanzania** 20 = \$20; **Dignadice Rev (Police & Army Ministry)** 500, 700, 50, 100 = \$1,350; **FEBC** 50, 400, 1000, 50, 10, 200, 200, 50, 50, 30, 100, 10, 50, 50, 50, 50, 550 = \$3,400; **FEBC - Lawsuit** 50, 200 = \$250; **FEBC - Billy** 30, 100.80 = \$130.80; **FEBC - Damien Choong** 100 = \$100; **Golden Years** 50, 50 = \$100; **Hilltop** 25, 50, 50, 5, 16, 1 = \$147; **Hilltop Student** 100, 50, 500, 50.20 = \$700.20; **John & Eunice Tan** 50, 100, 50, 100 = \$300; **Jordan** 500, 50, 72, 50 = \$672; **Jose Lagapa** 50 = \$50; **Lek Aik Wee, Pr** 10, 10, 200, 10 = \$230; **Lim Wee Chian, Eric** 50 = \$50; **Pang Kok Hiong Rev** 50, 12, 200 = \$262; **Peter Yoksan, Pr** 50, 50, 50 = \$150; **Pontianak Kalimantan** 100, 10 = \$110; **Quek Suan Yew, Rev (Dr)** 50 = \$50; **RPG - English/Chines** 50, 500, 50, 50, 50.20 = \$700.20; **Saipan/China** 25, 20, 70, 106, 0.10 = \$221.10; **Sichun Relief** 50 = \$50; **Tow SH, Dr** 50, 50 = \$100; **CMC** 1 = \$1; **Ton Soung Kao, Rev** 100 = \$100
Building Extension (Cost \$2.1 Million) - Collection todate: \$1,906,764.29
Last week: 50, 20, 50, 1000, 50, 1000, 50, 50, 0.20, 10, 50, 1, 1, 3, 0.20, 700, 3000, 50, 5, 50, 50, 50, 200, 250, 50, 150, 50, 62, 10, 150, 50, 150 = **Total:** \$7,362.40
DESIGNATED LOVE GIFT ENVELOPES are available at RPG Rack.
- SR PASTOR** is preaching at Calvary Tengah B-P Church this afternoon. Please uphold him in prayer.
- SISTER CHRISTINA YUEN** thanks Pastors, Session, members and friends for their prayer support, condolences and visit during her recent bereavement.
- YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO CALVARY TENGAH B-P CHURCH'S 16TH ANNIVERSARY** - 1 August 2010 @ 2 p.m.- The Session, Calvary Tengah B-P Church.
- AF CHOIR PRACTICE** today 12.30 pm in Room #01-12. All adults are welcome to join the choir.
- LENTOR RESIDENCE** - the Teens will be ministering at Lentor Residence next Lord's Day, 8 Aug. Others who wish to minister as well are most welcome. Bus leaves church at 1.45pm under the charge of Woan Jiun, and returns to church by 5pm.
- TEENS KITE FLYING CUM FAMILY DAY** - all families with teens are invited to join us on Monday 9 Aug (public holiday) from 3-6pm at West Coast Park's Grand Lawn (near the playground and Car Park 3) for a picnic and kite flying. Kites will be provided! For any offers of food, kindly contact Dn Milton Ang at 96860070.
- LADIES' BIBLE STUDY GROUP** will resume on Wednesday 11 August.
- CALVARY PANDAN KINDERGARTEN** is looking for a poly graduate for a teaching position. Early childhood training (1-year advanced diploma course starting Oct 2010) will be provided free while you teach in the kindergarten. Application deadline: 15 Aug 2010. Please contact Lilian: 65603884 / 97682350

Adults Fellowship 30th Anniversary Thanksgiving Meeting

21st August 2010 (Sat). 6.00 pm. New Sanctuary, 3rd Level

“Christ's Second Coming - Are You Ready?”

Speaker: Senior Pastor Dr Tow Siang Hwa

Dinner buffet tickets at subsidized price of \$6.00 available from today.

70:1-5 respectively.² This is not to be interpreted as a mistake in or correction to God's Word. These were psalms written separately with different contexts.

2. The earlier collections of these Psalms were probably arranged differently from what it is today. The evidences are:

- * **Psalm 72:20**, "The prayers of David the son of Jesse are ended." But there are 15 more Davidic psalms after Psalm 72.
- * **2 Chron. 29:30**, "Moreover Hezekiah the king and the princes commanded the Levites to sing praise unto the LORD with the words of David, and of Asaph the seer. And they sang praises with gladness, and they bowed their heads and worshipped." This verse tells us that in the days of Hezekiah he had at least some of the songs of David and Asaph compiled so that he could command the Levites to sing their songs.
- * **The superscriptions of Psalms 120-134** have the phrase "songs of degrees" or "songs of ascent" which are pilgrimage psalms. These represent an early collection of Psalms for they were probably composed as the Jews went up Mount Zion. Mount Zion or Jerusalem was captured by David in about 1002 B.C. (about 8 years into his 40 year reign).

The conclusion on the compilation of the Book of Psalms is that there was probably an initial composition of individual poems followed by an earlier collection of psalms which, in the course of time, increased to its present number of 150 psalms.

Someone or maybe more than one person rearranged them into its present order as found in our Hebrew and Protestant Bible today.

AUTHORSHIP More often than not, the superscription of most of the psalms has the Hebrew word *lamedh* (preposition for "of," "to," or "for") prefixed to the names of the person. Sometimes it refers to authorship, "of," and other times it could mean "for the use of" or "dedication to." Out of the 73 Davidic psalms, it is not impossible to believe that David wrote all seventy-three of them. David's musical ability and activity are too generally attested and well known in the Old Testament to deny him the role in the composition of the Psalms. In 2 Sam. 23:1 David was known as the sweet psalmist of Israel, the inventor of musical instruments in Amos 6:5, the organizer of the Temple musicology in 1 Chron. 15:16-24; 16:7, 31; Ezra 3:10; and Neh. 12:24 and the composer of psalms in 2 Sam. 1:19-27; 22:1-51; 23:27; 1 Chron. 16:8-36.

Other authors mentioned in the Book of Psalms include Asaph (one of David's chief musicians 1 Chron. 6:39; 15:17), the sons of Korah, Solomon, Moses, Heman, and Ethan (1 Ki. 4:30-32).

(Footnotes)

¹This Yahwistic and Elohist observation is not based upon the JEDP theory of Wellhausen's high critical analysis of the text, which we reject thoroughly. The JEDP theory is a modernistic approach to the Bible that is based upon man's ideas and baseless assumptions. It must be rejected entirely.

²The Jewish explanation for the five book divisions was that it was a mirror image of the Pentateuch. The critique is that this is an arbitrary deduction that sees no real correspondence between the two. Herbert C. Leupold's explanation is more probable in that the division was due to a chronological development based upon a gradual process of accretion. This also explains the Yahwistic and Elohist emphasis between Books 1 and 2. The chronological development mirrors the Jewish avoidance of the usage of the proper name, *Yahweh*

The following is a Table depicting the authorship, dedication and collection of the Psalms taken from Bullock, 119.

Book 1 Psalms 1-41	Book 2 42-72	Book 3 73-89	Book 4 90-106	Book 5 107-150
<u>David</u>				
39; 11-32; 34-41	51-65; 68-70	86	101; 103; 108-110	122; 124 131; 133 138-45
subtotal (37)	(18)	(1)	(2)	(15) = 73
<u>Asaph</u>				
	50	73-83		
subtotal	(1)	(11)		= 12
<u>Sons of Korah</u>				
	42; 44-49;	84-85; 87-88		
subtotal	(7)	(4)		= 11
<u>Solomon</u>				
	72			127
subtotal	(1)			(1) = 2
<u>Moses</u>				
			90	
sub total			(1)	= 1
<u>Heman the Ezrahite</u>				
		88		
subtotal		(1)		= 1
<u>Ethan the Ezrahite</u>				
		89		
subtotal		(1)		= 1

1. The contrasting character of the first two divisions — The first book is primarily Yahwistic (the LORD) whereas the second is Elohist (God).¹ The statistical analysis indicates that —

Book 1 has 272 "Yahweh's" and 15 "Elohiym's"

Book 2 has 30 "Yahweh's" and 164 "Elohiym's"

The contrast becomes more apparent when we compare the duplicate psalms. We find that the word *Yahweh* in Psalms 14 and 40: 13-17 has been replaced by *Elohim* in Psalms 53 and

