



The Creation Experience Workshop **for Home and Christian Schools and Other Interested People**

*Learn about World Views, Biology, Geology, and Physics
 from a biblical, creationist perspective!*

**Thursday, September 15, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
 at Hibernia Baptist Church, 7100 Highway 17 S, Fleming Island, FL 32003**

Cost for Adults: \$30.00
 Children 12 - 18 years old: \$10.00
 Children 5 - 11 years old: Free
 Maximum \$60.00 per family (Parents and Children)
 Please Note: Preschool child care is not provided.

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The Creation Experience Workshop - Schedule

Instructors: RO = Dr. Richard Overman BMC = Bill & Merilee Clifton
 DF = Dr. Danny Falkner KJ = Kyle Justice PR = Pat Roy

Time:	World Views	Biology	Physics	Geology
8:00 - 8:55 a.m.	Origins, Beliefs, & Moral Views - RO	For the Birds - BMC	Philosophy of Science - DF	Noah's Flood: Fact or Fantasy - KJ
9:05 - 10:00 a.m.	Roman's Road Begins in Genesis - RO	The Hidden Kingdom - Insects & Arachnids - BMC	Thermodynamics - DF	Ice Age - KJ
10:10 - 11:05 a.m.	The Importance of Teaching Creation - PR	Marine Science - A Sea of Evidence - BMC	Relativity - DF	Demystifying Radiometric Dating - RO
11:15 a.m.- 12:10 p.m.	Made in God's Image - PR	Walk with Dinosaurs - BMC	Quantum Mechanics - DF	It's a Young Earth After All - RO
12:10 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch and Time with the Instructors			
1:30 - 3:30 p.m.	<i>The Creation Experience</i> – Matinee Performance			

Workshop Descriptions

WORLD VIEWS:

- **Origins Beliefs & Moral Views - Dr. Richard Overman**

Does one's belief about whether we were specially created by God or evolved naturally (origins) affect their moral views? This question is explored by Dr. Overman using his own groundbreaking research. You will see clear evidence why a true understanding of where we came from is important to the development of our world view and the training up our children in the way they should go (Proverbs 22:6).

- **Roman's Road Begins in Genesis - Dr. Richard Overman**

Jesus is our Creator and Redeemer. This session shows the biblical connection between creation and the cross. It puts the evangelism in Creation Science to help you effectively share the love of Jesus with others.

- **The Importance of Teaching Creation - Pat Roy**

What's wrong with evolution? The issue of origins is primarily a spiritual battle between the biblical worldview and the non-biblical worldview. Teaching of any form of evolution, whether it be secular evolution, theistic evolution, progressive "creation," or any other old-earth view, is teaching a non-biblical worldview. It is important that children grow up learning the truth of God's Word so they will have the right worldview foundation.

- **Made in God's Image - Pat Roy**

What makes humans different from all other animals? The answer is that humans are made in the image of God while all other animals are not. This session describes what it means to be made in the image of God and the worldview ramifications.

BIOLOGY:

- **For the Birds - Bill & Merilee Clifton**

Join us as we focus on "*orni-theology*" – looking at birds from a creationist, biblical perspective. Did birds evolve from dinosaurs? Do all birds fly? What specific design features do birds have? What one design feature among all animals is unique only to birds? Are birds mentioned in the Bible? Get answers to these and other questions as we learn how birds were specifically designed by their Creator to do what they do. This creation workshop includes a visual presentation as well as bird artifacts including bird skulls, eggs, nests, feathers, and more.

- **The Hidden Kingdom - Insects & Arachnids, Bill & Merilee Clifton**

Buzz on by as we discover more about our Creator's great design in insects and arachnids. Do you know the difference between an insect and an arachnid? Learn about the butterfly and its life cycle. Do butterflies grow? How do they smell? Do they migrate? What is "metamorphosis"? What does the Bible say about metamorphosis? This creation workshop includes a visual presentation and "bug" artifacts including preserved specimens of the world's largest insect, the world's heaviest insect, the world's most-collected insect, and more!

- **Marine Science, A Sea of Evidence - Bill & Merilee Clifton**

Mr. Clifton draws from his years of experience as head of SeaWorld Orlando's Education Department and his creationist perspective to share with us his knowledge of the sea its awesome creatures. Can a male sea animal give birth? Are there fish with their own lighting systems? What sea animal has eyes as big as soccer balls? Get answers to these and other questions in this creation workshop that includes a visual presentation as well as artifacts from the sea including shark jaws, megalodon teeth, stingray barb, horseshoe crab, and more.

- **Walk with Dinosaurs - Bill & Merilee Clifton**

If you have questions about dinosaurs and fossils, you can find answers here! Are dinosaurs mentioned in the Bible? Did they live along with man? Were they on Noah's ark? How big were dinosaurs? Why did they become extinct? What do we really know about them? What is a fossil? How do fossils form? How long does it take a fossil to form? This creation workshop includes a visual presentation as well as artifacts including authentic fossils, fossil replicas, and fossil casts of dinosaurs, woolly mammoths, sea creatures, and more!

Workshop Descriptions (continued)

PHYSICS:

- **Philosophy of Science - Dr. Danny Faulkner**

What is science and how is it done? The philosophy of science involves the definition of what science is and the description of how science is done. Unfortunately, the state of education in the philosophy of science today is not good. Most treatments of the subject are mere introductions, leaving the impression that "the scientific method" is a sort of recipe that one may follow. Rather than being a formal process, science is a process of drawing inferences about how the world works. There are trends in the attitude about science today that are hostile to theism. This presentation will open new doors into the way that you teach and do science.

- **Thermodynamics - Dr. Danny Faulkner**

The laws of thermodynamics represent the most basic physical properties designed by God. By understanding these laws, we can make sense of many things that we observe. This presentation introduces you to the laws with practical applications.

- **Relativity - Dr. Danny Faulkner**

Sir Isaac Newton developed two versions of his relativity principles: general relativity and special relativity. Essentially, general relativity is a theory of gravity which, instead of being an invisible force that attracts objects to one another, gravity is a curving or warping of space. The more massive an object, the more it warps the space around it. Special relativity involves the speed of light, among other things. This is presented at the high school level.

- **Quantum Mechanics - Dr. Danny Faulkner**

What goes on inside an atom? Quantum mechanics is the branch of mechanics that deals with the mathematical description of the motion and interactions of subatomic particles, incorporating the concepts of quantization of energy, wave-particle duality, the uncertainty principle, and the correspondence principle. This is presented at the high school level.

GEOLOGY:

- **Noah's Flood: Fact or Fantasy - Kyle Justice**

Was it global or local? The flood of Noah's day is described in Genesis 6-9. It was literally a world-changing event. You will see the amazing geological features we observe in the world today and how they are easy to explain in the context of a worldwide flood. Grand Canyon, coal, stratified layers, and more are on the menu for this session.

- **Ice Age - Kyle Justice**

One or Many? The ice age is cool, but how many were there? What caused it? Could it happen again? What is the evidence for it? These and many other questions are answered in this session.

- **Demystifying Radiometric Dating - Dr. Richard Overman**

Radiometric dating techniques are used to "prove" that the earth and universe are billions of years old. This session provides a clear and simple explanation of these techniques and their weaknesses. Using his own research, Dr. Overman demonstrates the fallacy of the "Geologic Column" and how dinosaur bones cannot be "millions of years old based on carbon dating".

- **It's a Young Earth After All - Dr. Richard Overman**

The physical and biblical evidence shows that the earth is about 6,000 years old. In this session, Dr. Overman walks through this evidence in a way that you can use to teach your children and students. The session ends with a song written by Dr. Overman.

About the Instructors

Bill Clifton is a former evolutionist with a passion for God's creation! He holds a BS degree in Biology from the University of Alabama; a Master of Science Education from Florida Institute of Technology; and a Master of Divinity with Languages from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. For over 40 years, he taught a variety of science and Bible classes for public, Christian, and home schools and seminary. He was head of SeaWorld Orlando's Education Department and served on a local church staff before he and his wife **Merilee** founded *Science Partners* in 2000. For over 20 years, they offered homeschool science classes from a biblical, creationist worldview for grades 3-12. They still offer *Creation Adventures* (field trips and workshops) for homeschool families, Christian schools, and churches. Bill and Merilee are Florida Master Naturalists and Florida Fish and Wildlife program facilitators. They co-authored [*The Complete Aquarium Adventure: A Field Trip in a Book*](#) and were science editors for [*The Aquarium Guide*](#). They have edited articles for Answers in Genesis' *Answers Magazine* and were featured in its *Speak Up* section. Bill and Merilee have been married for 54 years. They have three children and eleven grandchildren.

Dr. Danny Faulkner holds an MS in Physics from Clemson University and an MA and PhD in Astronomy from Indiana University. He taught at the University of South Carolina Lancaster for over 26 years. He serves as a board member of the Creation Research Society and has published over 100 papers in various journals. He now works as a researcher, author, and speaker for Answers in Genesis.

Kyle Justice is the Emmy-nominated producer of many creation science DVDs and programs. He is the father of eight children and has been married for over 25 years to Dawn Justice. Their brand of creation videos is under the label of *Awesome Science Media*. Many of their video titles are used for science education in churches, Christian schools, and home school programs. Kyle is an independent television producer, creating content for major networks such as ESPN, National Geographic, the Outdoor Channel, Fox Sports, and Comcast SportsNet. Kyle continued producing creation science programming by developing *The Creation Network*, a weekly program airing nationally on Sky Angel. The Justice family is adventurous and dedicated to serving God in the area of media ministry, with a focus on science and the Bible.

Dr. Richard Overman has a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering, a Master of Science in Science Education, and a Doctorate in Biblical Studies. He has over 30 years of engineering experience. In 1992, he and his wife Ginger accepted God's call into a creation ministry. This led to the formation of *Creation Education Resources, Inc.* in 1994 where he is a researcher, lecturer, teacher, and president. He has spoken to numerous churches, homeschool groups, technical conferences, and the International Conference on Creationism. He has also published articles in technical journals and magazines about engineering, creation science, and other topics.

Pat Roy began in creation ministry at the Institute for Creation Research, where he eventually was the Director of Broadcast and Radio. He was very instrumental establishing and producing the ICR radio program, *Science Scripture and Salvation* with Dr. John Morris. Then in 2000, Pat and his wife Sandy created the *Jonathan Park Creation Radio Dramas*. After retiring from producing Jonathan Park in 2015, Pat and Sandy established *Creation Quest*, an outreach creation ministry. Pat began hosting creation-oriented camps and cavern tours, speaking at conferences, producing video segments, directing and writing the *Debunking Evolution* DVD, developing online learning programs, and holding *Creation Worldview* classes.