

Jesus
before Jesus was born



Open a bible at Genesis 1

Open it also at John 1 and put in a
card or strip of paper
at both locations

We will be looking at both...

John 1 New International Version (NIV)

The Word Became Flesh

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

²He was with God in the beginning. ³Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. ⁴In him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. ⁵The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome^[a] it.

⁶There was a man sent from God whose name was John. ⁷He came as a witness to testify concerning that light, so that through him all might believe. ⁸He himself was not the light; he came only as a witness to the light.

⁹The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. ¹⁰He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him.

¹¹He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. ¹²Yet to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God— ¹³children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.

¹⁴The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

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The Beginning

1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. **2** Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

3 And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. **4** God saw that the light was good, and he separated the light from the darkness. **5** God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

6 And God said, "Let there be a vault between the waters to separate water from water."
7 So God made the vault and separated the water under the vault from the water above it. And it was so. **8** God called the vault "sky." And there was evening, and there was morning—the second day.

9 And God said, "Let the water under the sky be gathered to one place, and let dry ground appear." And it was so. **10** God called the dry ground "land," and the gathered waters he called "seas." And God saw that it was good.

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and the Word was *with* God,
and the Word *was* God.
He was *with* God
in the *beginning*.

*Through him all things were made;
without him nothing was made
that has been made.*

Fact 1

In the *beginning* God created
the heavens and the earth.

13,7 billion years
ago?
(1600's they said 6000 years
ago but that is not accepted
nowadays)

There are 13 of these Facts that align with
science in the right order!!!

NO ... other creation story is as
accurate to the known facts!!!

GENESIS 1 In the *beginning* God created
the heavens and the earth.

Chiasmus

*Concept Poetry with central concept in
thought patterns being the most important*

GENESIS 2 Thus the heavens and the earth were
completed in all their vast array.

GENESIS 1 In the *beginning* God created
the heavens and the earth.

So God created
mankind
in his own image,
in the image of God
he created them;
male and female
he created them

Day 6

GENESIS 2 Thus the heavens and the earth were
completed in all their vast array.

Chiasmus



This is the account of the heavens and the earth when they were created, when the Lord God made the earth and the heavens.

Which Day does this paragraph end on?

Now no shrub had yet appeared on the earth and no plant had yet sprung up, for the Lord God had not sent rain on the earth and there was no one to work the ground, but streams came up from the earth and watered the whole surface of the ground

Half way through DAY 3 !!!

Then the Lord God formed a man from the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living being.

*Formed day 3, created day 6!
Took a while didn't it?*

John 1

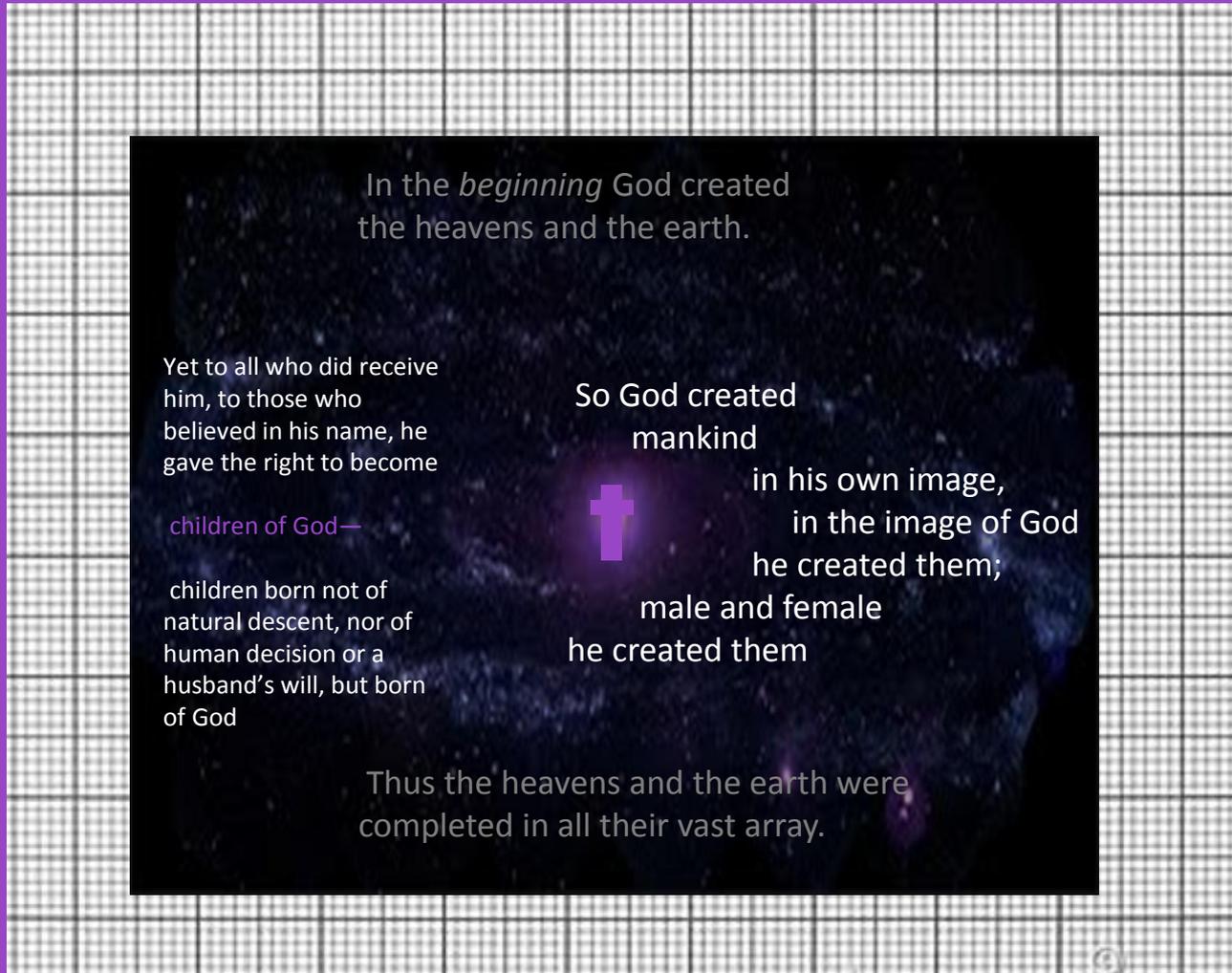
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Isn't it a wonderful gift of life and light
to be permitted and invited to be

children of God—



permitted and invited to life and light
by God's wonderful gift

JESUS

If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved

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