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**His Blessings are "new every morning, great is thy faithfulness." Lam 3:23**

**BE ENCOURAGED** as you never forget that the God who made all things, is the one even Satan has to seek permission from to be allowed to test you. We've done much study of the book of Job this year, as the ministry emerges from almost 3 years of Covid setbacks, when even some of our enemies were hoping the hard times would do us in. How good it has been and is, to know our God is King and King alone!

Yes we are \$50,000 behind budget at present. Yes the sickness amongst our immediate family, staff and supporters has not been pleasant and yes we do need a new office person and yes the increasing opposition from churches watering down their original stand on the Bible as God's Word is totally disappointing. But we serve a Sovereign God who truly understand all the things which the world, the flesh and the Devil attempt to destroy His people with. Jesus is the Winning Side!

So join us in full confidence that the gifts and calling of the Lord Jesus are without repentance (Romans 11:29). We look forward to ministering to you and to your continuing support as you become really encouraged by the good news in this newsletter.

PS. By the way this Creation News is late because of computer glitches in our office and at our designer, combined with sickness of our Artists and also printer, as well as in our Office. But it's here now so read and be blessed!



Our Tasmanian director Craig Hawkins was in Queensland during June to share three great pieces of news.

1) He's moving into full-time ministry with Creation Research. More on page 2.



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WITH THE WHOLE TEAM - Details [creationresearch.net](http://creationresearch.net)**

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**FROM FRONT PAGE**

2) Even the angels are rejoicing about those who have come to Christ through the Tassy Discovery Centre Museum ministry.

3) Finally after years of Covid Barriers we can set a real date for the official opening of the Tassy museum. More exciting details below:

We are very pleased to announce that long time Tasmanian representative Craig Hawkins will join Creation Research full time. Craig is currently manager of the popular Tasmanian tourism attraction Seahorse World which he owns with wife Rachelle. They are also founders of the Creation Discovery Centre Tasmania together with good friends Brendan and De Arn Foley.

The Hawkins have six children with 5 still at school, so it is a step of faith for Craig to leave the business. He comes to us with a science degree in forestry from the Australian National University and a Master's Degree by research in Plant Science from the University of Tasmania. His real passion is to see people reached for the Lord Jesus and sees his background in practical science and enthusiasm for the truth of God's Word as a great fit for creation outreach.

He will start in September after making appropriate arrangements for the running of the Seahorse World business over the next couple of months. Tasmania will be home base for the foreseeable future growing the ministry there and further developing the Creation Discovery Centre. The Centre has been having a positive impact on visitors with some making commitments to Jesus in the last few months after being challenged by their visit. One student told their teacher the day after their school visited, that he no longer believed in evolution and a middle-aged man says that the Creation Centre "changed his life" and gave him real trust in the Bible. These testimonies are why Creation Research does the work it does, so pray for Craig and the team in Tasmania that they will influence many for Christ.

To get Craig to your church, school or group, or to organize a field trip phone **0487 343 348**, email **hawkthe32@gmail.com**

**CRAIG'S NEXT ENGAGEMENT is the men's Pizza Night at Sheffield Friday 19th August.**

**DON'T MISS IT John Mackay will officially open the Creation Discovery Centre on 9th September 2022**

**HOW ARE JOHN AND ANNE?**

Be much in prayer for Anne Mackay's health as she now struggles with some five immunodeficient problems from arthritis through fibromyalgia through early onset dementia. Though she cannot handle her previous roles of computing etc, she still cheerfully handles the absolutely fundamental and somewhat humbling rolls of office cleaning, packing brochures for Ministry events, accompanying husband John much more than previously



and even repairing his famous jacket. Give much praise for this woman of God and pray much for her.

So yes we do need additional staff in the office as a result. Our main computer has just been upgraded, and Anne would certainly love the company of a capable Christian woman who knows a sure and certain calling to ministry. Get in touch with John - text 0488 098 130. John is still blessed with reasonable health and continues actively at Jurassic Ark, Vision Radio, YouTube seminars and preaching and seminar ministry. Pray for him that the Lord will give real wisdom so he can deal with issues we've never had to face before.

The ministry continues to expand with our post Covid USA work kickstarting again with Dr Glen Wilson, and UK Ministry with Joseph Hubbard and Sarah Ann almost ready to move into a new building for our MUSEUM and admin. In Australia John is truly grateful for Craig Hawkins soon-to-be full-time help in the Aussie ministry. Special thanks to those of you who have donated through the past three Covid tough years. We estimate that over that time giving has been down by around \$50,000, so we are truly grateful the Lord has kept us through this exceedingly difficult time, but yes we would be truly thankful if you want to hop in and assist us financially. Now join us as we proclaim with King David: "The Lord is our light and our salvation whom shall we fear. The Lord is the strength of our life - of whom shall we be afraid!" Psalm 27:1.

**ADVANCE NOTICE OPEN DAY JURASSIC ARK SEPTEMBER 24**

**10.30am - 2.30pm FREE - YOU MUST BOOK**

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On June 22 at 4:10 pm we were parked at a stoplight with my wife Anne driving. A bushfire to the southwest of Brisbane had clouded the sky with dark smoke and the sun had gone behind it. In the old days we would use smoked glass to take pictures of the sun since it reduced the blinding glare of intense sunlight, as well as brought to light quite a few things that normally can't be seen with an ordinary camera lens ..eg. sun flares etc.

As my wife began to slowly turn away as the light went green, I clicked the shutter just as some mystery object travelled almost the full diagonal of the screen. Since I took two pics, one minus the object, and one with object - but both time stamped by the camera at 4:10pm, the object was moving incredibly fast.

What had we seen? That question would become 'what had I seen?' since my lovely wife saw nothing and checking elsewhere, media, uni etc, tells us nobody else had recorded this. Thankyou Jesus.

Now for a short explanation, a conclusion and a prayer point. In top picture, number 1) is the sun, number 2) is the smoke cloud.

Middle picture 3) is the trail of the mystery object spotted first. 4) is a barely visible second trail. Note the two trails are angled as if they had previously met one another somewhere above. In picture bottom left, the 5's) are possibly explosion/flare spots or even false lens effects. Point 6) is definitely an explosion as a new but definite tiny trail of material comes off which is very hard to see, while 7) is the mystery object. After discussion with the many people we have ruled out meteorite – note the smoke coming from both objects which usually indicate the presence of hydrocarbons such as man-made plastics, paint etc that will burn. Meteorites may flair at the front without much smoke in the trail. **So is it part of the stars beginning to fall that Christ mentioned in Matthew 24:29?**

Our Conclusion? We have seen two trails from most probably a space junk explosion that was not expected. Military sources and astronomy sources keep track and map all space junk as a warning to pilots etc. None was issued to our knowledge. Which brings us to conclude 1) it was not expected, 2) it may have been a collision between two different satellites or one satellite and another piece of space junk, 3) lots of space storms are occurring in the geostationary zone at present...climate change on a big scale and dragging satellites out of orbit (true by the way) or 4) we could also get really conspiratorial and suggest a foreign power practising laser ray destruction of satellites. Already been achieved by the way so it's not too wild a guess.

But there is one thing this object isn't! In Matthew 24 Jesus warned the disciples when they asked about end times – they would see wars and rumours of wars and even the stars would begin to fall. But falling space junk doesn't fit. This is definitely not a sign of the beginning of the end. So be careful what you say about end times, and remember how many well-meaning and usually Biblically ignorant Christians have seen a meteorite shower, left their house and job behind, and several months later embarrassingly limped back because Jesus hadn't actually returned. Rest assured Jesus is coming. Warn your friends and neighbours there is a real judgement coming which is why God in His mercy has provided Jesus as the one and only real Saviour.

## WORD FROM DIRECTOR

One of the first Christian hymns I learned was based on Ps 8.. how great God's work is. Verse 3 reminds us to consider the heavens as the work of His hands. But our Creator warns us (through the Prophet Jeremiah) there are some 'heavenly' things we will not be able to do, such as measure them. In fact our Lord God ties the certainty of His covenants to the fact that we can't measure His heavens (Jer 31:37). So beware of scientific attempts to do what we can't, and let us boldly acknowledge it is God who is great, not us and the heavens do declare His power, not ours.



**John Mackay**  
International Director of  
Creation Research

## UK MUSEUM MINISTRY TEAM



**Joseph Hubbard**  
Director



**Sarah-Ann Hubbard**  
Media & Office



**Sam Jenkyns**  
Media & Design



**Sandra & David Bird**  
Shop & Admin



**Roman Bojczuk**  
Ministry Assistant



**Ryan & Zoe Hubbard**  
Ministry Assistants

**A Message from Indiana Joe Hubbard.** Ten years ago, I placed a fossil on a display shelf in my family home, with a God-given vision that one day that shelf would grow into the UK Creation Research Museum. Now that time has come, the LORD has provided, and thanks to all your support, we have our first official home for the Creation Research Centre in the UK! For years it has been mine and John Mackay's dream we would one day create a research-focussed, gospel-based, hands-on museum facility in the UK, that would sustain a chain of multiple church-backed 'Creation Discovery Centres'. Over 25,000 items in our evidence collection, and with research that is cutting-edge, however to now we have had nowhere to display this remarkable volume of evidence the LORD has provided our ministry over the last 30+ years. We had a small display temporarily housed in an old Sunday School building, hoping this would be a permanent fixture, but it was not to be. Now, thanks to your support and the LORD's grace, we have found a new location in the border town of Oswestry, Shropshire!

This building, previously a retail showroom, consisting of two storeys with separate offices and a courtyard, is located in the centre of Oswestry, just off the high-street, and next to plenty of parking. We have permission from Town Council to use it for education purposes, provided we also feature a retail element. So prepare for a Creation Research Store & Indiana Joe's Fossil Shop! The offices are also a massive relief, as we have been running the ministry out of our caravan for the last 2.5 years! But the biggest opportunity is the building will be The Creation Research Museum in the UK! Some of our biggest specimens including fossil dinosaur nests, giant 'living fossil' sea-lilies, life-size dinosaurs, giant sea dragon fossils, and plenty of rapid-buried fossils will be on display. We also have historical artefacts – from Babylonian foundation bricks with the stamp of Nebuchadnezzar, to pot handles with the royal seal of Hezekiah, and Egyptian artefacts that help bring the Bible to life.

The centre will not just be a 'display' museum – but will include a hands-on element with the aim of 'bringing the Bible to Life' from beginning to end. Research will also take place, and visitors will be able to actively engage with cutting-edge projects and displays. We'll be able to exhibit live animals, answering questions like 'Why would a good God make venom and poison?' We'll be able to take on volunteers and interns, training the next generation of scientists and evangelists to take the gospel into the world. The ministry will have the opportunity to flourish like it never has before in the UK.

BUT we need your support! This has been a big step of faith for us as COVID has left the ministry fund-limited, and obtaining the building is just one small part of a massive project. The UK-based Creation Research Trust is committed to supporting this project so support the Trust – it's a tax-efficient way of supporting the Museum Project in the UK. Donations are also possible through both our UK and International websites – by supporting one Creation Research group, you are supporting them all!



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**THE LORD HAS BLESSED** our collection fabulously with great new artefacts such as a spectacular new Egyptian Scarab Beetle (left), helping show what Moses understood by the word 'day'.

The significance? The entire beetle shows how Egyptians understood what a day was - from the Sun-Disk in the centre, representing the form the sun god Ra took from one horizon to noon, to the wings representing the form Ra took from noon to the underworld on the other side of the horizon. In other words, the Egyptians recognised a day was a 'darkness and light, day and night 24 hour' period - very significant when considering what Moses (who was educated under the Egyptians) meant when he wrote God made the world in six days.

New opportunities have arisen as well - with BBC Antiques star Tim Wonnacott, attending a recent Timeline Auctions reception, where I had the privilege of giving a lecture. Pray for these opportunities, that the LORD would be glorified in them, and the ministry would be strengthened.

**UK OFFICE WAS BUSY** as we welcomed visiting Aussie Dr Diane Eager as she helped prepare the next stage of our museum project. Local volunteers needed now. Contact Joseph at [josephhubbard@creationresearchuk.com](mailto:josephhubbard@creationresearchuk.com)



**Diane Eager spent time during May and June in the UK.** She was in London working with an Anglican church who are developing a programme named Jesus in Science. This programme is designed to show that Christ the Creator is the source of all truth, and only the Biblical history of the world explains the observations that scientific investigations reveal in the world around us.

Diane also spent some time in Shropshire, where Joseph Hubbard has the Creation Research UK collection of fossils and artefacts we hope to eventually have on display in a permanent museum. Diane joined Joseph and Sarah Ann in photographing many specimens from the collection, including some beautiful trilobite eyes, and the Nebuchadnezzar brick Joseph recently acquired for the collection. They also made a series of videos discussing the significance of some specimens for understanding the real history of the real world as set out in the Scriptures.

Diane's visit was also a good opportunity to record an "Evidence News" video on topics covered in some recent newsletters, including the trilobite eyes, along with diseased dinosaurs, skydiving salamanders and how parrots defy a "forbidden phenotype". Both Diane and Joseph agree it is much better to both be in the same place at the same time when making such a programme. This video can be seen on our YouTube.

Joseph also took Diane to see the Chirk canal tunnel, where he and John Mackay had made important discoveries for our research in the rapid formation of stalactites. Diane also visited the Botanic Gardens at Kew and Oxford. At Kew there is a series of gardens called the "Evolution Gardens". In spite of this name the gardens were actually brilliant evidence of how plants are found in distinct kinds, have multiplied after their kind as long as they have been in existence, and are continuing to multiply after their kind.

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First named "Trilobite" in 1771 by European Theologian and Geologist Johann Walch who didn't know what they were, so he labelled them appropriately "three bit creatures" (TRI – LOBE – ITES). Now each week Creation Research sees more cataloging of our vast collection, getting ready some 40 years of finds. Pray for all who are involved in our fabulous Creation Museum project globally. (See separate UK museum report – Joseph Hubbard page 4)

1) Top left is Karen on a cold windy day at her work station. 2) Top right is a 'horse race' of trilobites showing the evidence of fossilized flow being suddenly trapped. 3) left is one of our magnificent gold pyrite trilobites, with microscopic 'eye' detail magnificently preserved in gold.



4 and 5 (bottom) show almost unbelievably well preserved spikes and spines. These incredibly rare trilobites show the amazing detail that with care and patience can be extracted by an incredibly skilled human.

It's our admiration of the skill involved in extracting these "live action fossil trilobites in their full glory", which tells us evolutionists are lying when they acknowledge the incredible talent of the Russian man who fully extracted this trilobite, yet deny seeing the even greater skill of Christ the Creator.



**AFTER HUNDREDS OF MLS OF RAIN** in the Gympie area this year plus three successive flood events with the main bridge to Jurassic Ark having a whole section washed away, and flooding extending to the entry road of our Jurassic Ark museum – it's been a tough time.

BUT to rejoice – as previously shared the reconstruction of our dam last year, including spillways and water drainage within the Ark has led to us being joyfully able to report no damage to the park itself, but sadly the same can't be said of the roads into Jurassic Ark. Shown down the right side are pictures taken in July where damage continues to grow.

With Gympie having many areas damaged or destroyed in the region by the floods, even getting onto a list of suppliers who can promise gravel for road repairs has been a lengthy process. Your prayer and support is much required.

To become a volunteer at Gympie's Jurassic Ark, simply text 0488 098 130, or email [info@creationresearch.net](mailto:info@creationresearch.net).

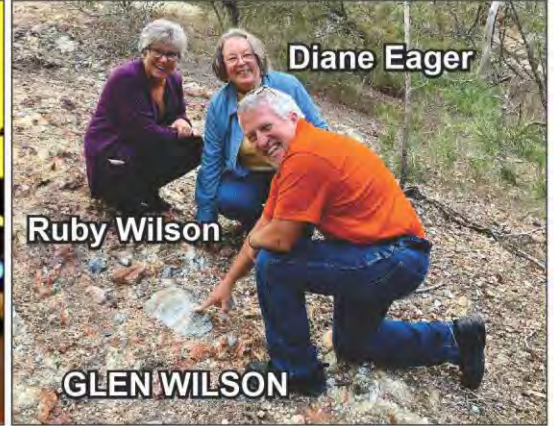


Following the success of the 'JA SHED' project we began last year to cover our fossil dig site for shading and protecting the fossils from rain and storm, as well as visitors, we have now added a new water pipeline plus installed new energy-efficient pumps to reduce our costs markedly. Praise and prayer for Murray, James, Clem and Daryl, who have done much of the work. Yes - we've still got one shed segment to finish. Praise the Lord we now have permission to do that.

Soon we will be opening new 'dig sections' for those coming to Jurassic Ark. Thank you for your prayers and support which enable us to achieve this progress.

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Dr Glenn Wilson has been representing Creation Research ministry in the USA with speaking engagements at Highlands Church of the Cumberland (HCotC), Jamestown TN and over the local radio station, WDEB (103.9). On 31 March and April 1, the radio station introduced Dr. Wilson to the community with two 1 hour long live broadcasts during the station's Speak Life session. On both occasions, he was interviewed by the station's owners, Kevin and Pam Baz, and their pastor, Jason Kerr who fired away with questions about creation and the truth of God's Word. April 24, Glenn spoke to about 400 people at HCotC on the critical connection of the gospel with the creation account using Romans 1 as the basis for the message. On June 15<sup>th</sup> he spoke at HCotC on Genesis 1-3 providing a verse-by-verse explanation of the creation account. Both of these messages were intended as introductions to a special creation series the church has asked him to present over a 6-week period after public schools start back in August. These will be Wednesday night messages focused on the Biblical and scientific evidences for creation and observations that defy evolution. The first week of June (6-10) Glenn spoke on the WDEB each morning with Kevin Baz during his Speak Life session on five common features of east Tennessee - Caves, Coal, Creatures, Canyons and Crust (Soil), and how their formation does not match evolution theories but are corroborated by the Bible's creation account. These sessions included guest speakers, John Mackay, Diane Eager, Joseph Hubbard and Nate Lopper.

We recorded 5 sessions titled "Soul Science Segments" on Caves, Coal, Creatures, Canyons, and Crust - common to Eastern TN which aired in the first week of June on WDEB Jamestown (103.9). We are thankful to Joe John and Diane, for contributing. Keep praying God uses them to reach the spiritually lost and encourage believers to trust His words from beginning to the end.

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Some of you know my husband Marius Strydom was threatened to be terminated last year, when refusing to provide his vaccination status to his work place. This forced us to relocate to a 'cheaper' area, which turned out to be Bundaberg, so I am now enjoying the challenges of running the Creation Research office remotely. It has been a steep learning curve and also a great challenge. I feel very blessed to still be able to serve in this exciting part of God's Kingdom.

We are slowly getting used to living in Bundaberg and love the slower pace and have found the people here are really friendly and always ready for a chat. There are some challenges because we have been spoiled for choice in Brisbane and have quickly learnt that if the only Bunnings in town doesn't have it, we go without! Internet buying has been very popular with us lately!

Marius and I feel very blessed to have this house. We know this is the Lord's will for us and we are excited to see where He leads us. Renovations are going very slowly due to a lack of tradesmen, so while we are waiting on tradesmen and quotes we have started on the garden. This is no mean feat, since there are only huge gum trees on the property. Once again we have experienced God's blessing as we have received a large amount of free plants from someone on Facebook - (who said social media isn't worthwhile!)

We love going for walks along our nearby beautiful beach. Most times we are the only ones on the beach! There's an abundance of birds including three resident kookaburras that come to feed every morning and afternoon, kangaroos in the suburb (sometimes even in our yard!) and green frogs all over the garden at night, which we enjoy. God has been good to us and we experience His blessings daily. We would value your prayers for us as we search for a church to call home.

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