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Part Three: Creation of Man

Genesis 1:27 & 2:7 (p. 1 & 2)

Is man a product of chance or design?

People are different than the rest of creation.

Spiritual:	Breath of God
Social:	Creation of Woman
Moral:	It is Good

EYE

- Contains 130 million light sensitive rods & cones...that convert light into electrical impulses
- 1 billion impulses are transmitted to the brain every second
- Can make over 1000 separate motions
- In darkness can increase it's ability to see 100 thousand times

BRAIN

- Weighs just over 3 lbs but can do what tons of electrical and electronic equipment can not
- Contains over 1 thousand billion (10^{14}) electrical connections (more than all the electrical connections in all the electrical appliances in the world)
- Every cubic inch contains a minimum of 100 million nerve cells interconnected by 10 thousand miles of fibers

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CELL

- Single bacteria cell is only 1/1000 of a millimeter yet it's complexity is comparable to a chemical factory
- Human beings have up to 100 billion of these self-contained cities (energy generators, defensive systems, transport system, food factories, protective barriers, waste removal structures and communicational processes)

Reasons for Believing by Frank Harper, New Leaf Press 1998, p29-30.

BEYOND SUNDAY

Pastor Gregg suggests the following resources to help extend today's message beyond Sunday.



"Hallelujahs" - Chris Rice, *Deep Enough to Dream*



Nehemiah 9:6 (p. 348)

Phillip Johnson's book "Darwin on Trial" is a great introduction to the creation/evolution debate as well as "Understanding Intelligent Design" by William Dembski. These books are now available at Corner Books.



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Precepts: Genesis, Pt. 1 & 2

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