

# Genesis 1:1-2

- Christmas Eve broadcast of Apollo 8<sup>1</sup>
  - the neo-atheist air that we breath

## Witness of the Word

faith is trusting in the Word <sup>2</sup>

- trusting in the Word is reasonable <sup>3</sup>

## Witness of the world

- the existence of the universe

- the order of the universe

- the fine-tuning of the universe

the beginning of the universe <sup>4</sup>

# (Bill's) Book Recommendations:

#### on creation & evolution

40 Questions about Creation and Evolution by Ken Keathley & Mark Rooker

# on the illogic of a self-generated universe and "chance" as a causal power

Not a Chance: The Myth of Chance in Modern

Science & Cosmology

by R.C. Sproul

### on the age of the earth

<u>Controversy of the Ages: Why Christians Should Not</u>
<u>Divide over the Age of the Earth</u>
by Theo Cabal & Peter Rasor

## 4 books by John Lennox

God's Undertaker: Has Science buried God? (on science & religion)

<u>Gunning for God: Why the New Atheists</u>
<u>are Missing the Target</u>
(on the new atheism)

God and Stephen Hawking:

Whose Design is it Anyways?

(on Hawking's book "The Grand Design")

Seven Days that Divide the World: the Beginning

according to Genesis and Science

(on the beginning of Genesis)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://rb.gy/qtzqpt

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Psalm 148:5; Isaiah 45:12; Hebrews 11:3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 2 Peter 2:21; 2 Timothy 3:16. Did Jesus believe the creation account of Genesis? Yes. He took the Old Testament as infallible (Jn. 10:35), and he believed it to be inspired, not just generally but right down to its very words (Matt. 5:17-18).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Our problem: Romans 1:18-32; but, our rescuer: John 1:1-18