

## **Genesis 1 & Rom 5:12-17– Creation, evolution & what really matters**

*Clint growing up not hearing Genesis taught*

### **1. What Genesis says**

- Created in 6 days (v31 – meaning of ‘day’  
(2.4; 2 Pet 3.18; Ex 20:9-11)
- Genre of Genesis 1 – not poetry
- Problem of death  
Rom 5:12ff; Gen 2.17; 3.19; Rom 6.23; Gen 1.30)

A literal Adam, who brought death into the world

### **2. What Genesis doesn't say**

That species don't change

'Kinds' in Gen 1

Genesis not a science textbook, but...

Allows for micro, not macro-evolution

I believe world is 6,000-10,000 years old

### **3. What matters more**

Being a scientist and a Christian – glory to God

Answering the question: *Doesn't science contradict the Bible?*

Let's not divide over our particular views

Point people to Jesus and our need for him