



# CREATION BULLETIN

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## Dragons, Myth or History?

August 15, 7:30 PM, Totino Fine Arts Room F2128, Univ. of Northwestern, 3003 N Snelling

Dragon stories are ubiquitous; nearly every ancient culture has one. Many ancient historians, including Herodotus and Josephus, report on dragons. Alexander the Great and Marco Polo reported seeing dragons. Cities around the world maintain monuments, sculptures and paintings of dragons. Ancient books, including the Bible and the Epic of Gilgamesh mention dragons. Dictionaries up to about 100 years ago, define dragons as a living creature.

Are dragons a myth? Or are they legendary? This talk endeavors to explore what we know about dragons from both history and other writings. Neil Smith is a TCCSA board member with an extensive background in looking for evidence to support investigations.

All Meetings are free and open to the public, an offering will be accepted.

Have you considered...

...stick insects? These insects are virtually found world wide. They are the masters of disguise, with most looking like sticks. Yet there are stick insects looking like leaves, bark, moss, or lichen, all this so they blend into their surroundings. Even their eggs are camouflaged; they look like seeds. The stick insects found in New Mexico glue their eggs on grass. These eggs resemble the very seeds of that species of grass they feed upon, having the same shape and position. Stick insects do not just look like a stick; they act like one too, when moving they act like they are swaying in the wind. These leaf eaters are nocturnal.

Evolution says they evolved this way over time. Well wouldn't they have been eaten if they looked like half a stick? If they were not eaten, then why evolve to look like a stick? When we see such disguises we know there must be a disguise maker. Disguises do not happen by accident and chance. God knew what these stick insects would experience after the Fall, sin with its curse, and so gave these insects superb disguises.

[https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stick\\_insec](https://simple.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stick_insec), <http://animals.sandiegozoo.org/animals/stick-insect>

Did you know that TCCSA with your support has been used to help supply books to 20,000 students in Fiji? Earlier this year Bruce Malone and Carl Baugh delivered 20,000 copies of *Inspired Evidence* to this island nation. They spoke to 15,000 students and 13,000 made a decision for Christ. Your support made it possible for about 1,000 of those books to be delivered. Funding is now being raised to supply these books to every student in the whole country, over 300,000 young people. Pray that this will happen soon.

Special field trip with Russ McGlenn!  
Vikings in Minnesota in 1000 AD. Come, find out the truth. This field trip is scheduled on a Saturday, so the whole family can come!  
DATE: September 16, 2017, TIME: Meet at 11AM in Sauk Center.  
More info **Russ McGlenn 805 588 3353**  
**Registration Deadline: September 15<sup>th</sup>**

### Coming Up (Lord Willing) . . .

Sept. 19—Russ McGlenn, The Drake Equation...  
Oct. 17—Richard Broadberry, God's Promise to the Chinese  
Nov. 21—Jay Seegert, Faith is Not a Four-Letter Word  
December—No meeting or newsletter

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We believe in God: The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We believe that the Bible is the inspired Word of God, and that all of its assertions are historically and scientifically true in the original autographs; this means that the account of origins in Genesis is a factual presentation of actual historical truths. We believe that the origin of matter and all basic types of living things, including man, came about through direct creative acts of God during the six-day creation week described in Genesis. Whatever biological changes have occurred since the creation week have accomplished only changes within the created kinds. We believe that the great flood described in Genesis, commonly referred to as the Noachian Flood, was an historic event, world-wide in extent and effect. We accept the account of the special creation of Adam and Eve as the first man and woman. Their subsequent fall into sin, by disobedience of God's direct command, is the basis for our belief in the necessity of a Savior for all mankind. Therefore, we believe that Jesus Christ is our Lord and only Savior and that personal faith in Him is necessary for salvation.

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