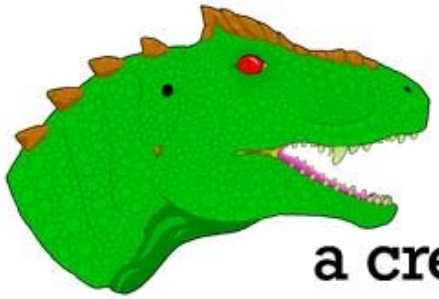

Faunal Timeline

a creation based faunal timeline model

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If you look through most Christian scientific literature there is always one thing lacking, a faunal timeline. Sure there are many timelines for when various people lived and died, but no scientific break down of faunal events. One man has done an excellent job of creating a geological model (see <http://www.uq.net.au/~zztbwalk/detail.html>), but at some points it leaves enormous spaces. This could be a problem when assembling a faunal timeline (I know, what's a few thousand years compared to millions, but hang with me on this one). The issue is more about dividing the fossil/sub-fossil/recent material of the fauna/floral regions of the world into time slots on a model. This would fit well into the focus of this site which is predominantly about fossil vertebrates in specific groups. For this reason, I've decided to try and assemble something that might be applicable.

Previously, I created a simple Creation-oriented faunal timeline based on a few general possibilities. This updated study is more in depth and incorporates a more scientific approach to the entire formulation and conclusion of a theory or theories. Actually, one of the main goals is to evaluate the feasibility of a post-flood faunal timeline that could account for not only fossil evidences, but include some environmental changes that have occurred since then and their impact on animal life. It is of particular note, that the formulas and data used are of a general nature, but it still gives a viable range to determine the feasibility of the events noted.

To begin with a list, of major events cited in Ussher, is given. Based upon that data and Biblical events cited in the Holy Bible, a general formulation of events was created. Then, following a more scientific approach, the determination of events through a feasibility study was performed. The first part of the study deals with sea level drop and the Great Ice Age. This is followed up by animal re-population rates, which may directly relate to the third part concerning expansion and migration rates. The entire study is summed up in a revised faunal timeline, with final conclusions at the end.

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Appendix IV: Faunal Timelines Table

This is a comparator of various kinds of animals and their possible range through time since creation. They are designated in periods assigned to the creation faunal timeline cited here in, and compare both radiation theories presented.

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