

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

## **THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT**

### A Fly with Ants on Its Wings



For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made.... – Romans 1:20a

When most people look at a photo of the *Goniurellia tridens* fruit fly, they think it must have been created by a talented Photoshop artist. The images were actually put there by a Master Designer.

Dr. Brigitte Howarth, the fly specialist at Zayed University in the UAE who first discovered *G tridens*, said that the image on the wing is absolutely perfect. Each wing carries a precisely detailed image of an ant-like insect, complete with six legs, two antennae, a head, thorax and tapered abdomen. When threatened, the fly flashes its wings to give the appearance of ants walking back and forth. This confuses the predator, letting the fly escape.

As expected, the story and pictures of *G tridens* were soon flying all over the Internet. Evolutionists rejoiced, claiming that the fruit fly was a beautiful example of natural selection. But we have to point out that there is no evidence whatsoever to support that claim. As usual, evolutionists simply assume that evolution is true. What they fail to do is show how those images of ants got on the fly's wings.

Creationists don't need to provide a step-by-step explanation of how these extraordinary wings developed. The fact is, the design is in their genes. God designed them that way!

Ref: http://www.thenational.ae/news/uae-news/science/fruit-fly-with-the-wings-of-beauty. "Fruit fly with the wings of beauty", A. Zacharias, *TheNational*, 6/28/13. Photo: This is the photo that appeared with the story *in TheNational*. (Fair Use)

© 2016, Creation Moments. Churches and parents may freely copy these bulletin inserts.

#### CREATION MOMENTS, INC.

P. O. Box 839 • Foley, MN 56329 • 800-422-4253 If these bulletin inserts are a blessing to you, please consider making a donation of any amount so we can continue to provide this free resource: www.creationmoments.com/donate.



Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

# **THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT**

## A Fly with Ants on Its Wings



For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made.... – Romans 1:20a

When most people look at a photo of the *Goniurellia tridens* fruit fly, they think it must have been created by a talented Photoshop artist. The images were actually put there by a Master Designer.

Dr. Brigitte Howarth, the fly specialist at Zayed University in the UAE who first discovered *G tridens*, said that the image on the wing is absolutely perfect. Each wing carries a precisely detailed image of an ant-like insect, complete with six legs, two antennae, a head, thorax and tapered abdomen. When threatened, the fly flashes its wings to give the appearance of ants walking back and forth. This confuses the predator, letting the fly escape.

As expected, the story and pictures of *G tridens* were soon flying all over the Internet. Evolutionists rejoiced, claiming that the fruit fly was a beautiful example of natural selection. But we have to point out that there is no evidence whatsoever to support that claim. As usual, evolutionists simply assume that evolution is true. What they fail to do is show how those images of ants got on the fly's wings.

Creationists don't need to provide a step-by-step explanation of how these extraordinary wings developed. The fact is, the design is in their genes. God designed them that way!

Ref: http://www.thenational.ae/news/uae-news/science/fruit-fly-with-the-wings-of-beauty. "Fruit fly with the wings of beauty", A. Zacharias, *TheNational*, 6/28/13. Photo: This is the photo that appeared with the story *in TheNational*. (Fair Use)

© 2016, Creation Moments. Churches and parents may freely copy these bulletin inserts.

### CREATION MOMENTS, INC.

P. O. Box 839 • Foley, MN 56329 • 800-422-4253 If these bulletin inserts are a blessing to you, please consider making a donation of any amount so we can continue to provide this free resource: www.creationmoments.com/donate.