"Christianity Is Irrelevant"

Read Proverbs 22:6

Could it be true that we have unwittingly been telling our young people that Christianity is irrelevant?

As Creation Moments has presented the evidence for creation and explained to young people the problems with evolution, a similar pattern has emerged with each presentation. While the information is new to them, it rings true. Soon the questions start, and they begin to realize that they were misled by their teachers. Before long – though we did not encourage resentment in our presentation – many of them began to feel angry that they had been misled.

When we finish a presentation, many of them surround us to ask more questions and make comments. The words of one young man sum up why they are so vitally interested: "I just wish that my older brother had heard this message a couple of years ago. I talked with him a lot, and I just know that if he knew the Bible had intelligent answers, he would not have left the church and hurt my parents so. In fact, until I heard you, I was ready to follow him."

Other young people tell similar stories. They grew up learning about the creation and Adam and Eve in Sunday school. As they were exposed to evolution, they desperately wanted the Bible to offer an intelligent alternative to evolution. No one was there to offer it to them. The church's silence seemed to confirm what evolution suggests – Christianity is outdated. Could it be that through our young people the Lord is telling us that we cannot be neutral or ignorant about the question of origins?

Prayer: Dear Lord, give Your people a stronger desire to address the questions being asked today so that more may see that the Bible offers an intelligent alternative to the thinking of the world. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

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