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**CREATION  
MUSEUM  
ADVENTURE**

A FIELD  
TRIP IN A  
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while we were still sinners, He  
died for us. Thank You Jesus for  
revealing Your Word to us and also  
for giving us the opportunity to share  
Your truth and love with others.

This book is dedicated to  
children around the world who  
seek to know the truth about  
the Creator and the Savior.

And you will seek Me and find Me,  
when you search for Me with all your heart.  
Jeremiah 29:13

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Welcome Parents,

The Creation Museum Adventure Guide is a wonderful resource designed for you to teach and transform your child's thinking concerning the Bible and real science. It is an exciting walk through the Creation Museum, and features Buddy Davis, his robot dinosaur Proto, and two children, Cody and Kayla.

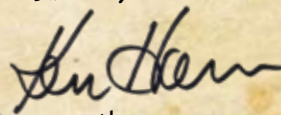
Just as Cody and Kayla enjoy their adventure, it is my hope that you and your family will also enjoy visiting the Creation Museum again and again. Both the Museum and this book are designed to work together in equipping young hearts and minds to defend their faith in a world constantly devising new ways to teach them a false reality.

Too often we are tempted to start with man's ideas like millions of years and "molecules to man" evolution and fit them into the Bible. It doesn't work like that because that's not how it's supposed to work. We should start with God's Word as our foundation, not the world around us.

I want to encourage you to read this guide with your child, using it as a "spring-board" to teach God's Word as true history from the very first verse. If you would like additional information to help you learn more about some of the topics covered in the Creation Museum and this guide, please visit us at our website, [www.creationmuseum.org](http://www.creationmuseum.org).

May God continue to daily strengthen your understanding in His Word.

Sincerely,



Ken Ham  
CEO of Answers in Genesis  
Creation Museum







Listed below are the major tools inside this book that will make your time at the Creation Museum even more adventurous. This book will prove to be a valuable resource, building a solid foundation to help you make the most of your visit to the Museum. Prepare to explore the wonders of creation from the true perspective of God's Word.

### At the Museum Section

"Digging Deeper" and "Setting it Straight" sections are found throughout the pages of this book. They feature stand alone "nuggets" of information, that can help equip children to understand the world and defend their faith by starting with God's Word.

### Digging Deeper

Designed to bring deeper understanding to a topic in the dialog. These are also great additions to each corresponding room at the Creation Museum.

### Setting it Straight

Designed to unravel some of the myths of our time by starting with the Bible.

#### LOCATION

The icons at the top of each "At the Museum" section will indicate where your family is located in relation to the actual Creation Museum. The icons correspond with the map inside the tool kit.



### Continue Exploring Section

This is the last section of the book. You can make copies and use this section to continue the adventure on your trip home, or anytime. The activities are meant to be exciting, while still teaching the truth of God's Word. You will find one-of-a-kind artwork and many engaging activities to use for classrooms and just for fun. Turn to the Introduction Page in the back for more details.



### The Tool Kit

**Location:**  
*Inside back cover.*

**Note:**  
*The Tool Kit is removable.*

The Tool Kit is one of the most interactive portions of this book, and can be used each time you go through the Creation Museum. It is designed to be fun and engaging, testing your child's detective skills as he or she goes through the museum. We provide a few different suggested ways to use each piece inside the kit. Turn to the last page of this book for the complete Tool Kit instructions.





# HOW TO USE THE TOOL KIT

Have you ever talked with someone who had questions about dinosaurs, fossils, or even God's Word? Cody and Kayla discovered a lot of answers on their adventure. Now it's your turn. Use the tools in the detective tool kit to go on your own adventure through the Creation Museum and equip yourself with answers to be ready to share.

## Description

Familiarize yourself with the contents of the tool kit before beginning your adventure through the museum. Each piece is designed to answer some of the common questions asked today. (This tool kit is the next best thing to Cody and Kayla's fictional Biblical Reality Glasses!)

"But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts, and always be ready to give a defense (answer) to everyone who asks you a reason for the hope that is in you, with meekness and fear."  
- 1 Peter 3:15

### Toolkit Contents:

- ✓ Adventure Map
- ✓ 7Cs Timeline Bookmark
- ✓ Fact Finder Cards
- ✓ Creature Feature Cards
- ✓ Eyewitness Cards
- ✓ Challenge Cards
- ✓ Case Note Cards

### Recommended (but not included):

- 1 notebook to record findings
- 1 pen or pencil



## CARD CATEGORIES



### Fact Finder Cards

**Mission:** Use the museum to find the missing information on each card.



### Challenge Cards

**Mission:** Follow in Cody and Kayla's footsteps through the museum to successfully complete seven new challenges.



### Creature Feature Cards

**Mission:** Use the clues on each card to locate fascinating creatures in the museum.



### Eyewitness Cards

**Mission:** Use the clues on each card to identify and locate biblical eyewitnesses.

Please note: The figures in the museum are based on careful biblical and historical research, but are only representations of what these eyewitnesses might have looked like. To learn more about these individuals, the best starting point is God's Word.



## Assignments Packs

To get started, we suggest dividing the cards into three separate assignments as indicated below. Before each section of the museum, pass out the corresponding set of cards. After the assignment is completed, collect the cards and then pass out the next set. Each set of cards is based on the layout of the museum, so review your included adventure map carefully.



Locate the Assignment Numbers on your cards.

Review the map carefully to track your progress.



### Assignment #1

**Main Hall** through **Time Tunnel**

- ✓ 9 Cards
- ✓ 3 Fact Finders
- ✓ 2 Creature Features
- ✓ 2 Eyewitness Cards
- ✓ 2 Challenge Cards



### Assignment #3

**Flood Geology** through **Dino Den**

- ✓ 9 Cards
- ✓ 2 Fact Finders
- ✓ 2 Creature Features
- ✓ 1 Eyewitness Card
- ✓ 4 Challenge Cards



### Assignment #2

**Wonders Room** through **Voyage Room**

- ✓ 10 Cards
- ✓ 2 Fact Finders
- ✓ 3 Creature Features
- ✓ 4 Eyewitness Cards
- ✓ 1 Challenge Card



## Tool Kit Tips:

Try passing out one card category to multiple participants. Everyone will be busy, but will be able to explore on his or her own. Next visit, switch up the assignments! Try using one category of cards per trip. Kids will be eager for their next visit and the opportunity to use the other sets of cards.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** The Biblical Reality Glasses (BRGs) featured in this story are simply a fictional tool to help discover clues during the story of Cody and Kayla's adventure. They are not included in the tool kit or available at the museum.



Creation Detectives,

Get ready for a fun-filled and life-changing experience! To get started you'll need some sharp detective skills, a taste for adventure, and a love for truth. Your assignment is to carefully uncover clues to solve the creation mystery. Use the case files, tool kit and activities at the back of this book to help you further explore God's Word and the world around you.

For all your questions and unsolved "mysteries" visit us online at [www.KidsAnswers.org](http://www.KidsAnswers.org).

And don't forget, when you need to solve life's toughest questions, always use your most important tool—the Bible.

Your fellow Adventurer,  
*Buddy Davis*

P.S. Hope to see you at the Creation Museum!



To: Creation Detectives



"I talked to my friend Micah about the Bible again yesterday," Cody said as he climbed up a big slab of rock. "He's asking some questions that I really don't know how to answer."

"What kinds of questions?" asked Kayla as she grabbed Cody's hand and pulled herself up. She tested a vine and swung down into a dry riverbed then turned and threw the vine back up to her brother.

"Well, yesterday he asked me more about dinosaurs — about how they lived way before people and supposedly died out millions of years ago," explained Cody as he swung down to meet her. "I know that millions of years and the Bible don't go together, but I really don't know why."

"That's a good question," said Kayla as they ran along the crumbly creek bank.

Just then Cody stumbled over something. "Ouch!"

They both looked down to see what he tripped over. It looked like a rock, but was longer and thinner than most rocks, and had really smooth, rounded edges. They grabbed a stick and carefully dug the dirt around the object to pry it loose. They couldn't believe their eyes.

*It was the find  
of the century!*

They picked it up and knew immediately that they had to show it to someone.

As the young explorers followed the path out of the woods, they heard a small plane come in for a landing in the field up ahead. They ran faster to get a better look. As the dust settled, a rugged outdoorsman dressed in a canvas Australian hat climbed out.

"Awesome plane!" yelled Cody.

"Thanks!" said the mystery man as he walked toward them. "How ya doin'! I'm Buddy Davis," he offered. "And you are?"

"Oh, my name's Cody. This is my sister, Kayla," he said to the mysterious pilot.

"What's that you've got there?" asked Buddy.

"We found this sticking out of the dirt!" Cody said. He almost forgot he was holding something.

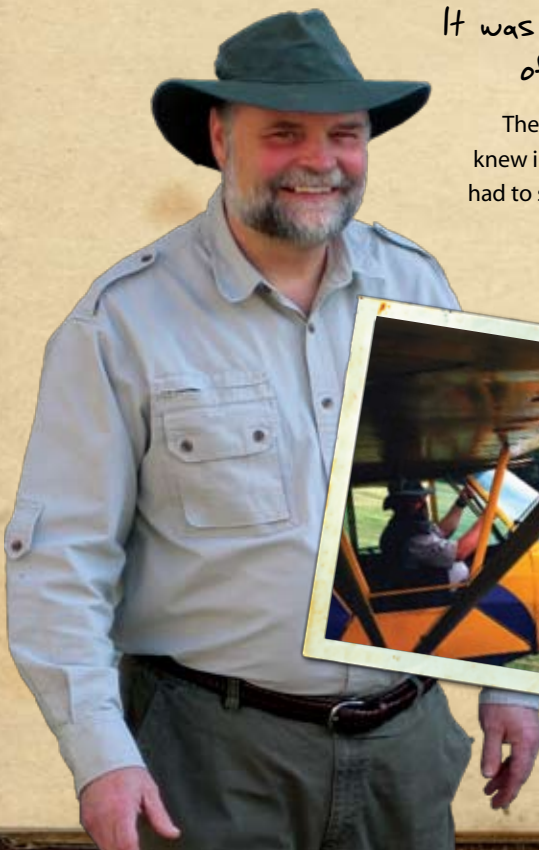
"Yeah, we think it's a dinosaur bone!" spurted Kayla.

"Maybe a Utahraptor bone!" added Cody.

Cody and Kayla stood in awe as the other plane door opened up behind Buddy and a dinosaur-like creature jumped out and bounded over toward them. He scanned the bone with his eyes and said:

**"Classification: Branchiosaurus  
GATHERED, STORED."**

They were so excited, they started jumping up and down, yelling, "We found a dinosaur bone! We found a dinosaur bone!"





"Ha, ha!" the dinosaur laughed. "Yeah, you found a branch-iosarus all right! A tree branch! Ha, ha..."

"Ah, sorry about that," said Buddy. "This is Proto, my robotic dinosaur," he explained as he shook his head and laughed. "Proto's actually pretty useful...most of the time. We've been working on this new mystery program and I think he's just having a little bit of fun with you." Buddy continued, "The name 'Proto' is short for Protoceratops. He's a robotic dinosaur I built to help me store and retrieve information when I travel all over the world in search of things like dinosaur bones and other fossils.

"He's amazing!" said Cody, trying to be cool, even though he was a little disappointed that he and his sister hadn't made the dinosaur discovery of the century.

"You said something about a mystery program?" asked Kayla.

"Oh yeah," said Buddy, "I call it the Creation Mystery Adventure Program, C-MAP, for short. I designed the program to teach people that when they start with the Bible, everything they see in the world today totally makes sense. The Bible provides answers to the big questions we have about life."

"Answers to questions...what kinds of questions?" asked Cody.

Buddy started to answer, "Well, questions about fossils, outer space, dinosaurs..."

"Dinosaurs!" interrupted Cody. "Hey...I've got a friend who wants to know more about dinosaurs...like how they fit into the Bible, but I'm not sure what to tell him."

"Well, ah, actually...you don't try to fit dinosaurs into the Bible," said Proto.

"That's right," continued Buddy "You start with God's Word and use it to explain dinosaurs. The Bible claims over and over to be God's Word and if it is God's Word — and it is — then it should be able to explain the world we live in — and it does!"

"I have to say...I'm still confused," admitted Cody.

"Tell you what," said Buddy, "I think we can help you out. The C-MAP is designed to interact with the Creation Museum. So, if you'd like...we could meet at the museum next week and you can try the program for yourselves."

"You can even check out some castings of *real* dinosaur bones," said Proto, "and get a close up look at a lifesize Utahraptor!"

"Utahraptor! Now, that sounds like a plan!" said Cody.

"A mystery, huh?...Count me in!" exclaimed Kayla.

"All right then!" exclaimed Buddy. "Bring your Bibles and get ready for a life-changing adventure."



Today we met this really cool guy named Buddy and his robotic dinosaur Proto. They are going to take us through the Creation Museum next week to learn more about dinosaurs. I can't wait!