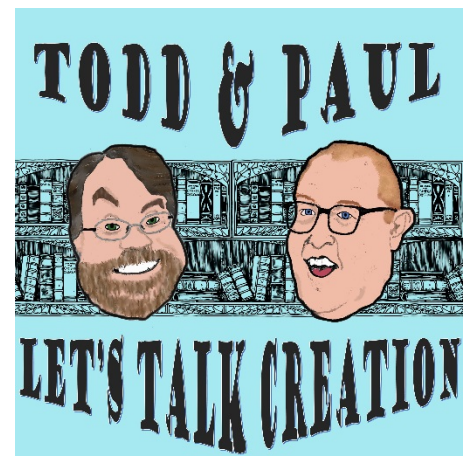


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Where is My Missing Link?







SUMMARY:

What do three toed horses and *Archaeopteryx* have in common? Well they are transitional forms of course! Or maybe you've heard them referred to as fossil intermediates or stem taxa? Well no matter what you call them they are the focus of today's episode. Join Paul and Todd as they work through the many questions surrounding this topic within young earth creationism. Take an hour and enjoy the science podcast that's just for you!

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- 22:16 Discussing *Archaeopteryx lithographica*'s characteristics
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 - Lacking a keeled sternum
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 - True teeth found within the mouth
- 29:06 Why is Archaeopteryx considered intermediate?
- 31:26 [Richard Owen](#) (1804-1892)
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- 34:08 What resources do we have as creationists to understand and explain what these intermediates are?
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