

# Parables in Creation



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#### 42 CREATION EXAMPLES

1. An abundance of salt in bread dough, slows the yeast growth. (Galatians 5:9)
2. If a diamond is held in the light, one can see the colors of the rainbow. (Colossians 1:26,27)
3. Pine cones "blossom" their leaves when they are heated. (James 1:2-4)
4. The pupils of the eye enlarge to see in the dark. (Isaiah 45:3)
5. Most seeds have some kind of hull that cracks before it sprouts. (Hosea 10:12)
6. The deeper the water table, the deeper roots must grow. (Psalm 42)
7. The postal carrier, to carry good news, has to carry mace! (Daniel 10:13)
8. The eye of the storm is always quiet. (Isaiah 26:3)
9. During the winter, nutrients in a plant are used for the roots and stalk, and storing up food for when the plant bears fruit. (Ecclesiastes 3:1)
10. Children have small attention spans and little patience. They learn best by short excerpts, not long involved details. (2 Corinthians 11:3)
11. During a forest fire the animals congregate closely and seem to get along. (Philippians 2:1-2)
12. Spring cannot come until winter is through. (Song of Solomon 2:10-13)
13. Morning-glory is a difficult weed to kill. It is a fast grower, entangles and winds its way around other plants, and it spreads by a vast underground root system. (Mark 4:18,19)
14. In times of drought, the deep rooted shrubs survive. The shallow ones die. (Job 14:7-9)
15. Children cry when they feel like crying and laugh when they feel like laughing. (Matthew 18:10)
16. Pioneers survived public opinion and the elements, to occupy new land. (Numbers 13:30)
17. Children like to be around people. (Hebrews 10:25)

18. Most women who do not have enough body fat do not ovulate. In times of famine, fruitfulness subsides. (Joel 1:12)
19. How many businesses would fail if builders stop building homes? (Ephesians 4:16)
20. How did sand become fine and easy to sift? (Amos 9:9)
21. Of all the people sitting at the pool of Bethesda, Jesus healed only one. (Romans 9:18)
22. No one has to teach a child how to be naughty. (1 Corinthians 15:22)
23. The waves in the ocean come in cycles. (Ecclesiastes 3:15)
24. No two snowflakes are alike. (Psalm 139)
25. Trees lose their leaves in the fall because of less light, not because it's cold. (Isaiah 9:2)
26. Salmon swim upstream to find their home. (Revelation 3:21)
27. Birds don't worry. (Matthew 7:26)
28. Roads are not built without someone doing the work. (1 Corinthians 3:10)
29. Monarch Butterflies do not suffer winter; they fly south. (Luke 21:36)
30. Children learn better through praise and encouragement than through scorn. (Matthew 19:14)
31. A recipe is not complete without all the ingredients. (James 5:7)
32. Cancer cells are disobedient cells. (Proverbs 5:11-13)
33. Snakes don't talk, and they don't walk, but they sure cause a lot of commotion. (Genesis 3:15)
34. Watch the ducks and geese. The ducks are meek and lowly. The geese are loud and abusive, intimidating the ducks. (Titus 3:2)
35. The turtles carry their home wherever they go. It is a refuge from all the elements. (Psalm 91:1-2)
36. The mother eagle removes the feathers out of the nest when it's time for her young to fly. (Deuteronomy 32:11)
37. We can't see electricity but it sure works! (Mark 5:30)
38. Without (A), then (B) could not happen. (John 11)
39. The mother of most species stays close and keeps a watchful eye on her young. (Isaiah 49:15)
40. Our body framework is made from bones, muscles and ligaments connected one to another, and cannot perform a healthy function without each other. (Ephesians 4:16)
41. Disease is spelled dis ease. (1 Peter 5:7)
42. Man and woman were meant to complement one another, not compete. (Genesis 2:18)

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