

VICTORIA TALKS

CHRISTIANITY FOR SCEPTICS, ENQUIRERS & BELIEVERS

A very warm welcome

Matt Bridges will be speaking on Genesis 1:1-2:4

Notices

1. New? If you're here for the first time and would like more information about the Victoria Talks, including our weekly email, please fill in a contact card.

2. Dates for the diary

- 17/10 - Women's Morning 2026, for women in the workplace
- 27/01 - Partners' Evening at St Nicholas Cole Abbey

3. Coming up. *In the beginning...* Join us next week as we continue our series in Genesis. Matt Bridges will be speaking on Genesis 2. Scan the QR code for a digital flyer.



Origins

1. Genesis chapter 1

- Accommodation
- Emphasis
- Structure

(1-2) Intro: God created the heavens and the earth	
Separation: making space	Placing, filling, or peopling
(3-5) Day 1 - Time	(14-19) Day 4 – Sun, moon, and stars
(6-8) Day 2 – Space (expanse)	(20-23) Day 5 – Aquatic and Avian creatures
(9-13) Day 3 – Habitable space	(24-31) Day 6 – Terrestrial creatures inc man.
(2:1-3) Day 7: God rests	

2. God

- God creates
- God commands
- God evaluates
- God names
- God delegates
- God provides
- God blesses

3. Man

- Made in the image of God
- Blessed with purpose
- Centre stage

Question: How does this help my understanding of Genesis 1/God/myself?