

chs. 1-2.

The best answers to ~~the~~ questions about the Bible to look ~~at~~ right at the Bible to see what it says. When we look at ~~the~~ Genesis 1 we find ~~in~~ the order as you have ~~so~~ stated. ^{at the} Vegetation is made on the third day. Animals are made partly on ~~this~~ ^{5th} day and partly on the sixth day. Man and woman ~~is~~ are made on the sixth day, and after the making of the animals. However, when we look at chapter 2 we find that it ~~shows~~ ~~shows~~ in ~~the~~ verse 7 it describes the creation of man. Then verse 8 says, "the Lord God ~~1~~ planted a garden eastward in the Eden, and ~~then~~ ^{then} he put the man whom he had formed and out of the ground made the Lord God ^{to} grow every tree pleasant to ~~the~~ the sight and good for food." You notice here that it does not say here that God said, Let there be a beautiful garden filled ~~with~~ with great trees standing 50 feet high. It says out of the ground the Lord made ~~the~~ the trees to grow. Now, this would probably take many years for these trees to grow to this height. ~~The garden~~

Before this garden or part was ready to be an ideal place for an earthly man to live, God must have planted it many years in advance. There is no Hebrew ^{verb} form corresponding to our English perfect. Hebrew has far less variety of verb forms ~~than there~~ and there is more ^{possibility of more} ~~xxx~~ range of meaning in them. The verb that is translated God planted could equally well be translated, God had planted. Even if it is not so translated, ~~any~~ ^{any} sensible person would understand ~~in~~ it meaning substantially ~~that~~ ^{that} ...

Do we think that Genesis 2 ~~is such~~ ^{present to} has such a primitive idea of God as to say that the Lord formed ~~a~~ a man and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life and then said, Where is the man going to live? I ^{will} will have to plant a garden for him, ^{purpose} ~~plant~~ a good place for him to live. So, God planted ~~the~~ ^u trees and God put man off in ~~the~~ the corner somewhere to wait for fifty years ~~and~~ till all these ~~had~~ had grown and