

**How evolutionists, by acknowledging discontinuities among major kingdoms and phyla, are moving toward the creationist understanding of origins and divergence.**

Note that the key issues toward their getting there are 1) the recognition that large-scale discontinuities indeed exist in the biological record, and 2) the acceptance that creation is a viable alternative to spontaneous generation as an explanation for the origins of life itself. Yet neither creation nor spontaneous generation are observable phenomena—creation, because it is finished, and spontaneous generation, because it simply doesn't happen (even when scientists try to help it).

