

# What's in your genetic future?

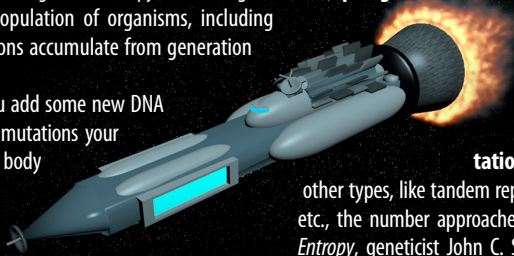
Is humanity evolving up? Or de-evolving down? Will your great-great-great grandchildren be healthier, stronger, better looking? Will they live forever and explore the galaxy? The answer lies in *genetic entropy*, the biological reality that in any population of organisms, including man, harmful mutations accumulate from generation to generation.

At conception you add some new DNA copying errors to the mutations your parents had. As your body develops, more errors creep in as cells divide, despite fabulous error-correcting systems that work to limit the damage. Mutations also multiply from the sun's UV light, from radiation in the soil, from nasty chemicals in food and

water, and from infectious viruses.

How many mutations can humanity tolerate? The scientific consensus is that **1 new mutation, per person, per generation** would certainly doom humanity to extinction. What is the actual rate? Just counting single-point (DNA nucleotide) substitutions, you have about **100 more mutations** than your parents. Add in other types, like tandem repeats, insertions, duplications, etc., the number approaches **1000**. In his book, *Genetic Entropy*, geneticist John C. Sanford writes, "We are on a downward slide that cannot be stopped."

Mutations produce genetic diseases and increase your susceptibility to infection. Can natural selection save



us? No, selection removes only the most dysfunctional in any population. What about 'beneficial mutations'? They don't really exist. Your genetic code is an incredibly sophisticated operating system with subroutines, loops, and branches. You have genes that code for proteins and RNA machines that regulate other genes. Many genes can be read **forwards and backwards!**

Mutations damage your code, like a hacker who gets into your computer and flips bits randomly. Eventually, your system crashes. It's not just humans. **All plant and animal genomes are falling apart.** Evolution is a **lie** because information-destroying mutations do not build cells or kidneys or hearts or brains – like typos do not write books. You cannot design a Star Ship by putting typos into the manufacturing instructions for a little red wagon.

We've been going downhill since creation, not uphill since a fabled Big Bang. God created you for a purpose. You're not just a bundle of decaying molecules, dying with no hope. Would you like a new genome someday, a resurrected body that won't wear out? The Lord Jesus Christ, the Author of life's information, proved He has the technology when He raised Himself from the dead, 3 days after dying for your sins.

Sins? Yes, real moral guilt. Ever get angry? God calls that murder in your heart. Also, Lust = Adultery of the heart. (Porn counts, too.) One lie is enough to condemn (James 2:10). You need forgiveness. **Repent**—turn from your sins. **Humble** yourself and trust Jesus as Lord and Savior. Then live for Him, knowing that you have a future in an eco-restored Earth, reserved for God's forgiven, born again children.

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