



Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Flying Spiders



"O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God!" - Romans 11:33a

Spider silk begins as a liquid protein made by silk glands on the spider's abdomen. Spiders make many kinds of silk for different uses. As the liquid silk is forced through the spider's spinnerets, it begins to

dry. The spinnerets pull and stretch the silk, creating just the right kind of silk for the spider's use. Though the result seems thin and weak to us, ounce for ounce, spider silk is stronger than steel.

Web-building spiders make two types of silk for their traps. The basic structure of the web is made of strong, non-sticky silk. Then the spider adds a sticky, elastic silk to trap its prey. Some webs are irregular, others are flat and sheet-like, while still others are shaped like funnels. All of us have admired the beautiful orb web.

However, spiders also have many other ways in which they use their silk. The ogre-faced spider makes a net that it throws around its intended victim. The European water spider builds its web underwater. It stores its air supply in the web. The lasso spider twirls a single strand of silk over its head. A tiny drop of sticky silk at the end of the lasso captures its prey when the lasso is thrown. Probably the most creative use of silk is by the young of some species. When they hatch, they produce long loops of silk that catch the wind and send them floating off to new places.

The spider's skill in producing and using silk had to come from Someone wiser and more clever than the spider. Clearly, the spider has been well-equipped and instructed by its Creator.

REF.: Pinkston, William S., Jr. BIOLOGY for Christian Schools. Greenville, SC: Bob Jones University Press. p. 413. Photo: Spider, Envato.

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Memorial Baptist Church



November 24, 2024



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This Week at Memorial

Sunday, November 24, 2024

8:45am - Discipleship Classes

10:00am - Worship

Look Ahead

12/1 - NO Breakfast

12/1 - 7 - W33k of prayer for Int'l
Missions (Lottie Moon)

12/4 - Business Meeting 6pm

12/5 - Ladies' Fellowship Evening

12/7 - Youth Concert 5pm - 7pm

12/15 - Holiday Luncheon &
Christmas Program

12/24 - Christmas Eve Svc. 7pm

12/25 - Christmas - Office Closed

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you are visiting or have any prayer needs, please fill out an MBC Connect Card and place it in the offering plate.

November 24, 2024

Joy Junction

8:45am - Kim S.

10:00am Svc. - Julie S. - Ryan S.

Wed. - November 27 - NO SERVICE

Junior Church

Lisa R. - Levi J.

The Way - Wed - November 27

NO SERVICE

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Joe G.

10:00am - Gary S., Jesse W., Matt S.

Wed. - November 27 - NO SERVICE

December 1, 2024

Joy Junction

8:45am - Jamie Barrett

10:00am Svc. - Kristin C. - Tawni J.

Wed. - December 4 - Cindy S.

Junior Church

NO JUNIOR CHURCH

The Way - Wed - December 4

6pm - 755pm in FLC

Usher Ministry

8:45 - Sunday School - Curtiss C.

10:00am - Curtiss C., Lester O, David D.

Wed. - December 4 - Ed S.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

The International Missions week of prayer is December 1 - 7. Please help support our international missionaries with prayer and a generous offering. Help us surpass our goal of \$2,000.

Jesus, Cookies and Cocoa - Ladies' Fellowship Evening

Where? - Home of Kathleen Joyce, 218 Melrose St., New Haven

When? - December 5, 6pm - 8pm

What to bring? -

1. Washed, unwrapped, and ready to use Christmas coffee mug to exchange.
2. 1½ dozen Christmas cookies (We will sample cookies, and everyone will take a variety dozen home.)

RSVP by December 3 to:

Paula Ferrari - (573) 789-9953

Sherry Mescher - (636) 667-0468

Kathleen Joyce - (314) 707-4847

MORETH>N DINNER/CONCERT

Italian dinner served and a Night of Worship

\$5 / Ticket

*All proceeds go to Students' Youth Camp 2025

DECEMBER 7TH, 2024

5PM - 7PM IN THE FLC

Tickets: Church office or,
Chris/Laura Smith - 636-432-2286