

## Has the Seventh Day of Creation Ended?

### **The Seventh Day of Creation is Recorded in Genesis 2:1-3:**

Thus the heavens and the earth were completed, and all their hosts. By the seventh day God completed His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had done. Then God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it, because in it He rested from all His work which God had created and made.

**Note that the Phrase "And there was evening and there was morning, \_\_\_ day" is missing only in the account of the seventh day.**

### **Jesus Discusses the Sabbath in John 5:16-17:**

For this reason the Jews were persecuting Jesus, because He was doing these things on the Sabbath. But He answered them, "My Father is working until now, and I Myself am working."

**"If we want Jesus' saying to make sense, we should take it as 'My Father is working on *his* Sabbath, just as I am working on my Sabbath'; and we can account for that most easily if we take Jesus to mean that the creation Sabbath still goes on."** (Italics in the original)<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> C. John Collins, *Science & Faith: Friends or Foes?* (Wheaton: Crossway, 2003), 84-85.