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Video Guide for

The Greatest Scientist of the 20th Century You've Probably Never Heard Of

1. There's a perception that religion and science go together about as well as MAYONNAISE and MARSHMALLOWS.
2. In 1933 it was proved that these two ideas were NOT ENEMIES.
3. Edwin HUBBLE and Albert EINSTEIN were two of many scientists gathered to hear lectures.
4. Albert Einstein declared, "This is the most BEAUTIFUL and SATISFACTORY explanation of CREATION to which I ever listened."
5. Traveling with Einstein was a Belgian Catholic priest named GEORGES LEMAITRE.
6. Lemaitre was born in the year 1894 in the country of BELGIUM.
7. Lemaitre earned degrees in MATHEMATICS and PHILOSOPHY.
8. On September 23, 1923, Lemaitre was ORDAINED AS A PRIEST.
9. Lemaitre earned a Ph.D. in PHYSICS from M.I.T.
10. In 1927 he published an article where he proposed and described his theory of AN EXPANDING UNIVERSE.
11. Hubble's real contribution was to provide the OBSERVATIONAL basis for Lemaitre's theory.
12. When Einstein read Lemaitre's theory he said, "Your CALCULATIONS are correct, but your physics are ABOMINABLE."
13. "...(T)he beginning of the world happened a little before the beginning of SPACE and TIME."
14. Lemaitre's "Primeval Atom" was the foundation of what would become known as the BIG BANG THEORY.
15. Many scientists at the time believed that Lemaitre's RELIGIOUS BACKGROUND clouded his SCIENTIFIC PROCESS.