

O Lord, how manifold are Your works! In wisdom You have made them all. The earth is full of Your possessions . . . .

May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in His works. Psalm 104:24, 31

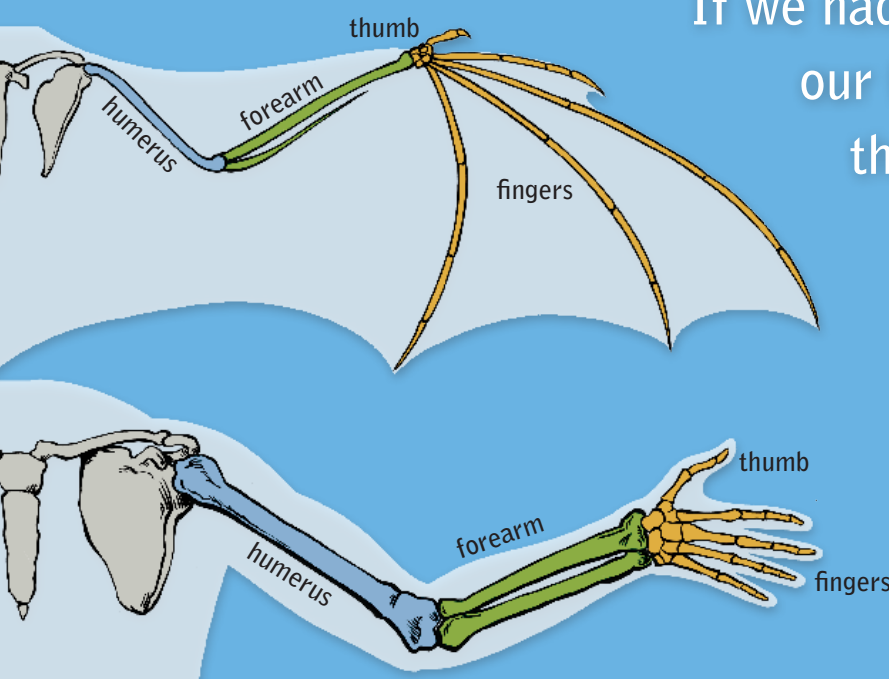
# Bats

The Marvelous, Mysterious,  
and Often Misunderstood Mammal!

Bats are the only mammals that can fly!

Look at the difference between your hand and  
the bat's wing. The bat's fingers are extremely long.

If we had fingers like the bat's,  
our fingers would be longer  
than our legs and hang  
down to the floor!



Bat wings  
are like human  
hands, but they  
don't have empty spaces  
between their fingers, like  
we do. Instead, leathery skin stretches  
between their "fingers." That skin  
allows them to fly and change  
direction quickly.

Bats have  
large, strong muscles  
in their backs and  
 chests that allow them  
to move their wings.

Bats are fun to  
watch and learn about.  
No need to be scared!  
God is revealed in this  
uniquely designed, amazing  
animal, just as He is in  
all of creation!