55 Dinosaur Extinction Theories

- 1.Climate was too cold
- 2.Climate was too heat
- 3.Summer was too hot and the winter too cold
- 4.Climate was too wet
- 5.Climate was too dry
- 6. They starved to death
- 7. They overate to death
- 8. Nutritional problems
- 9.Plants evolved, providing nutritional imbalance
- 10.Plants evolved poisons that dinosaurs were susceptible to
- 11.Insects evolved a sting poison that dinosaurs were susceptible to
- 12. The drinking water became poisonous
- 13.Caterpillars stripped the plants of leaves

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- 14. The herbivorous dinosaurs changed their eating habits to a less nutritious plants
- 15. The carnivorous dinosaurs ate out the herbivorous dinosaurs

16.A change in the earth's axis

17.A change in the earth's gravity

- 18.A reversal in the earth's magnetic field
- 19.A sudden burst of cosmic radiation
- 20.A supernova exploded near Earth increasing cosmic radiation
- 21.A supernova exploded near Earth destroyed the Ozone layer
- 22.Volcanism produced toxic radioactive dust
- 23.An over spill of cold brackish water from the Arctic Ocean caused an ecological chain reaction
- 24. The land became too hilly
- 25.The regression of shallow seas reduced the dinosaur's speciation rate
- 26.An increase in atmospheric pressure

27.A change in the atmosphere's components

28.A decrease in carbon dioxide

29.An increase in oxygen

30.A decrease in oxygen

31. Tiny mammals ate the dinosaur eggs

32.Heavy parasite burdens

33.Slipped discs

34.Hormonal disorders

35.Shrinking brains

36.Chronic constipation

37. Over specialization

38.Inability to change

39.Becoming too large

40.Senility

41.Hyperactive pituitary glands

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42.Cataracts

- 43.Racial senescence (their kind had existed long enough)
- 44.Social problems causing malformed bones

45.Poisonous gases

46.Volcanic ash

- 47.Volcanic gases
- 48.Meteorite impact

49.Comet impact

50.Sunspot activity

51.Mass suicide

52.Dinosaur wars

53.Cancer caused by neutrino bombardment from dying stars

54.AIDS

55.Hypercanes (super hurricanes)