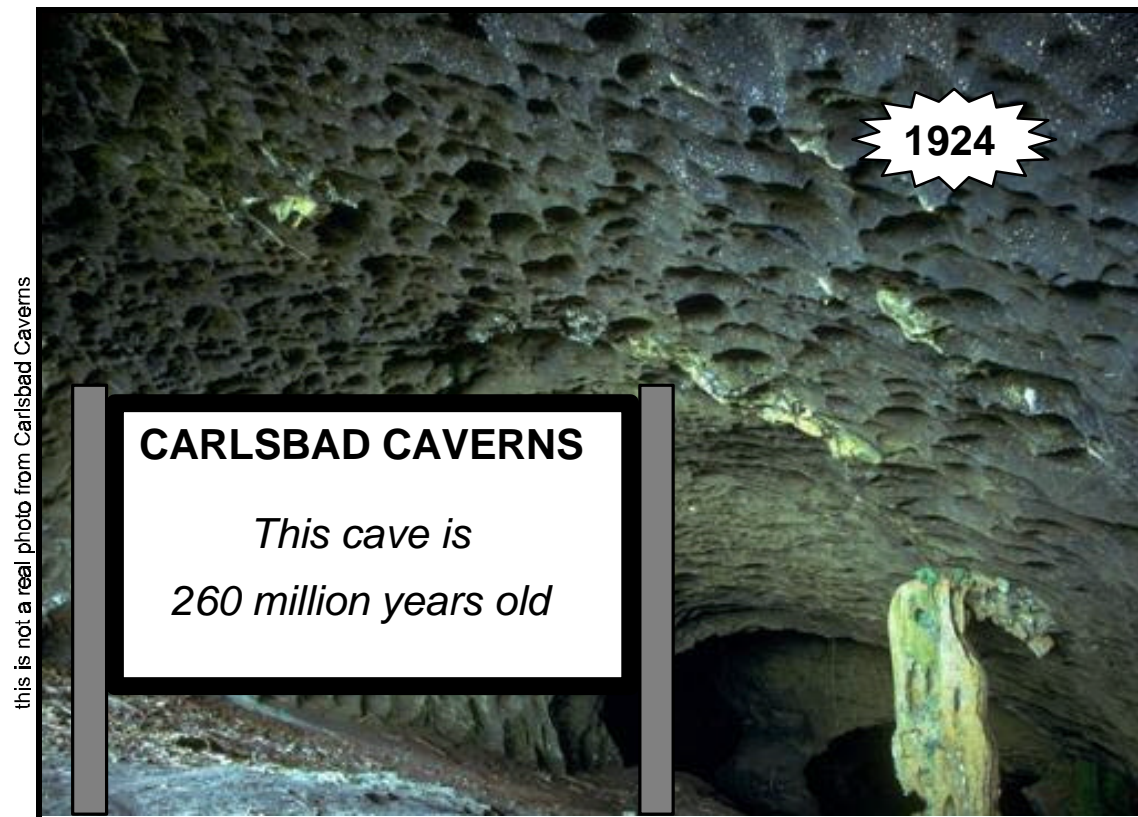
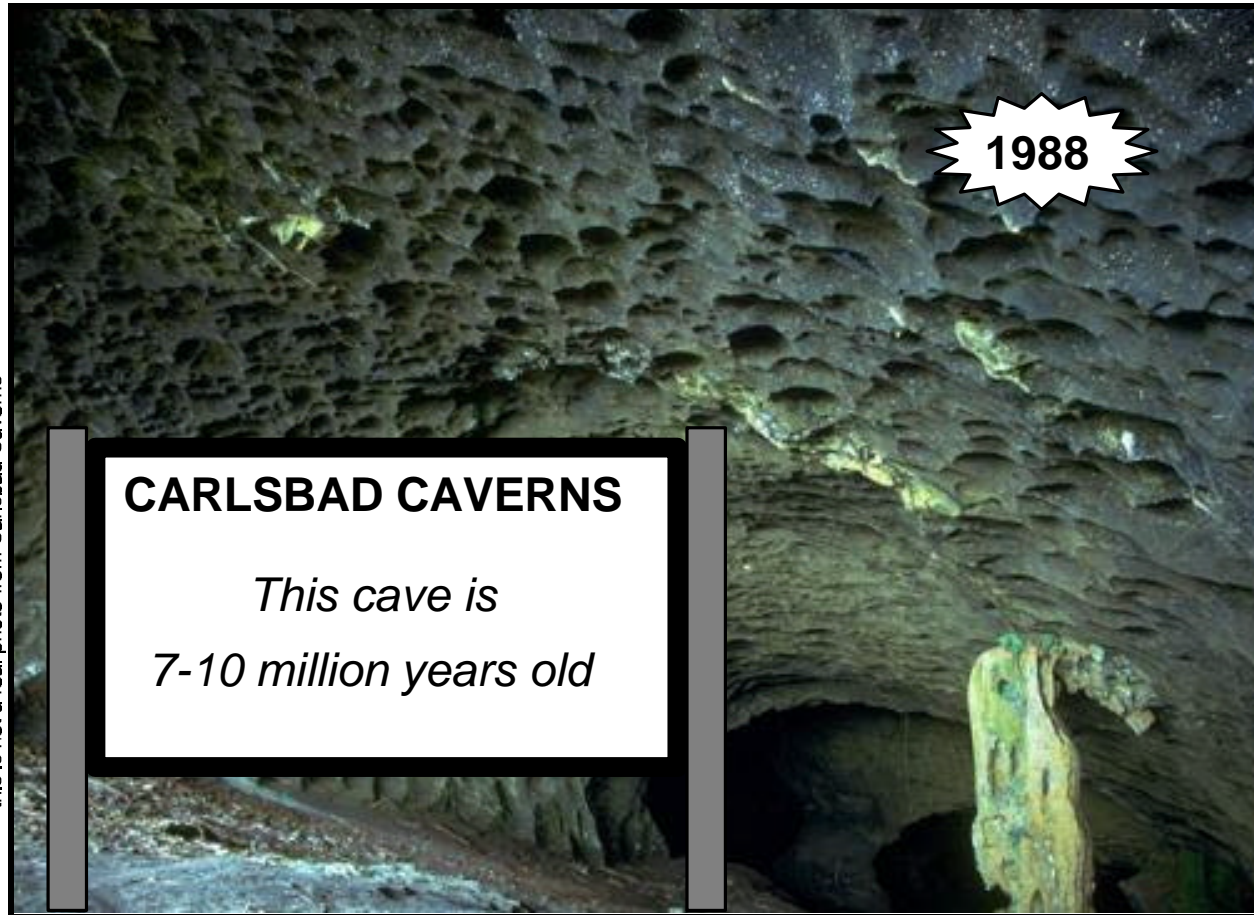


“From 1924 to 1988, there was a visitor’s sign above the entrance to Carlsbad Caverns that said Carlsbad was at least 260 Million years old. In 1988 the sign was changed to read 7-10 million years old. Then, for a little while, the sign read that it was 2 million years old. Now the sign is gone.”



(Data from *Arizona Highways*, January 1993, p 4-11)

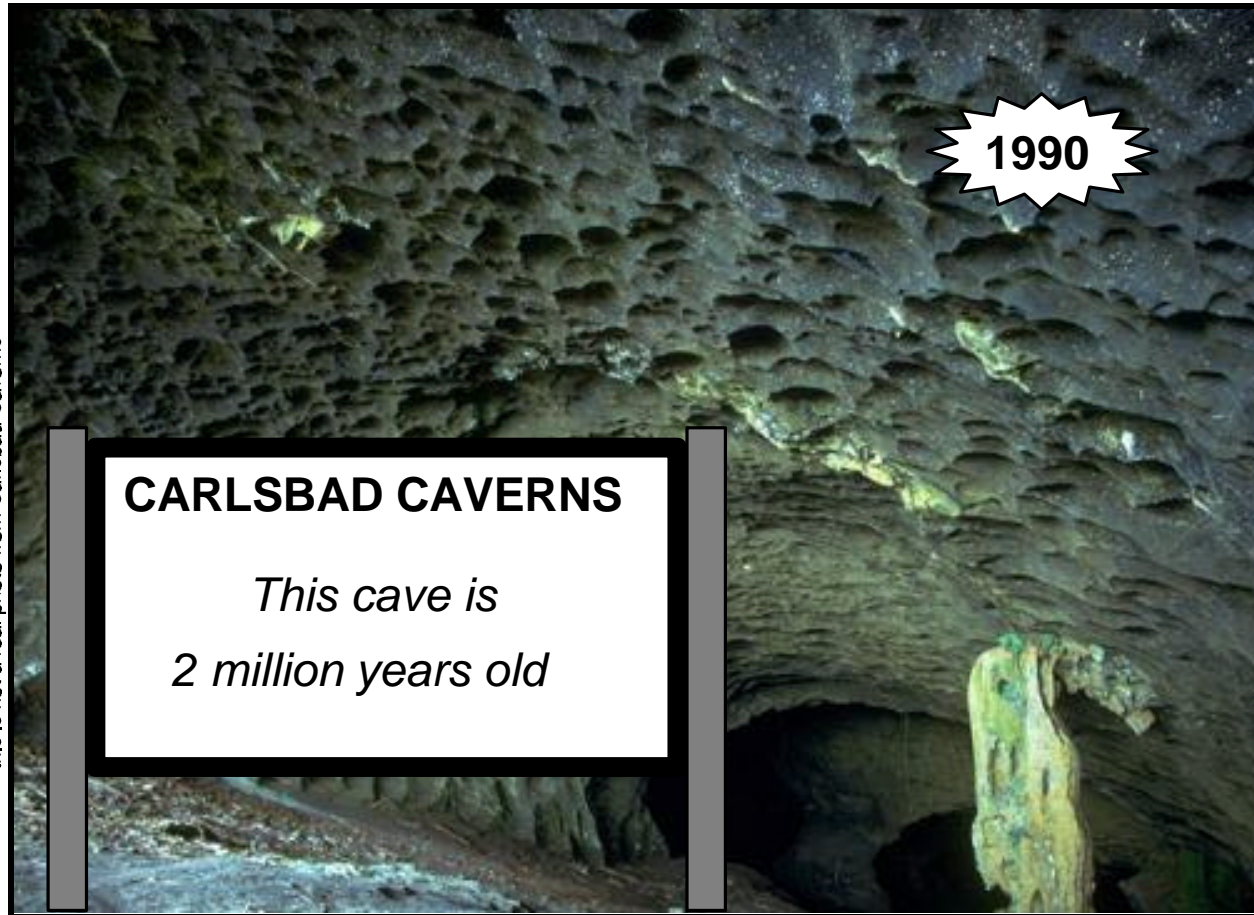


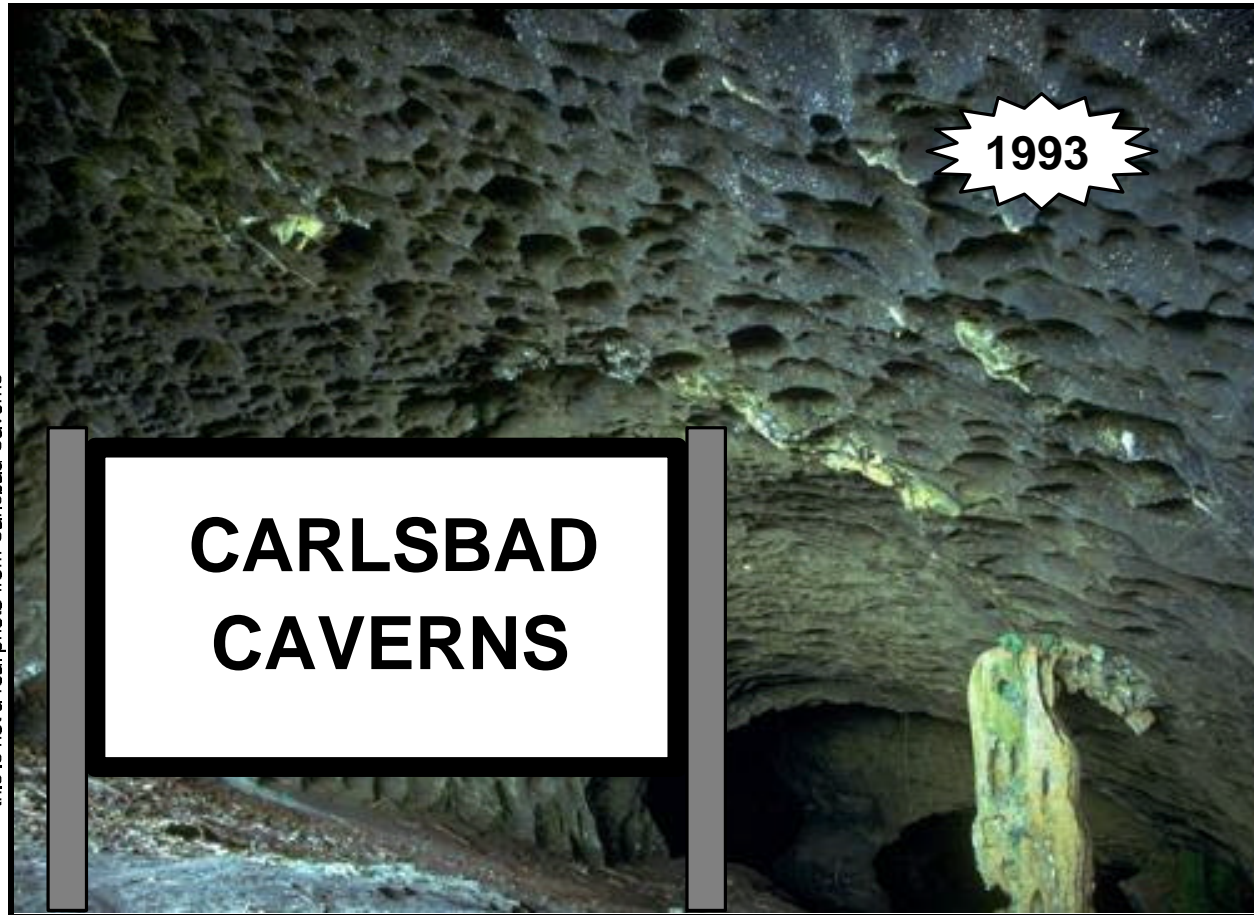
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CARLSBAD CAVERNS

*This cave is
7-10 million years old*

1988





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