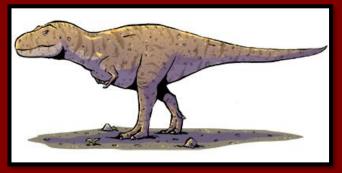


Little Door to the 21st of December

I'm a big fan of Jurassic Park since I share the fascination for dinosaurs with millions of other people. Of course, they are presented spectacularly in these movies and there's one scene you may remember from the 2001 movie where a Tyrannosaurus Rex fights a Spinosaurus. And while I have no objections against cool fictional fights between two different dinosaurs, it's best we know about their reality too: how they lived, when they lived, etc.

Both the Tyrannosaurus Rex and the Spinosaurus lived in the Late Cretaceous, with the Spinosaurus living 99-94 million years ago and the Tyrannosaurus 68-66 million years ago. So, 26 million years lie in between these amazing creatures of Earth's ancient past. Moreover, Spinosaurus was the largest meat-eater to ever live and the Tyrannosaurus was the only carnivore of that size during its time and would have never faced a size-matched adversary. It may be a bummer, but it's also incredibly fascinating to learn about these vast periods of time. Also, don't forget that they were just animals too – not monsters. The carnivores, herbivores and scavengers – from the Triassic, Jurassic and Cretaceous period.



Tyrannosaurus (upper left) Spinosaurus (lower right)

