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Chick Dissection | In The Beginning

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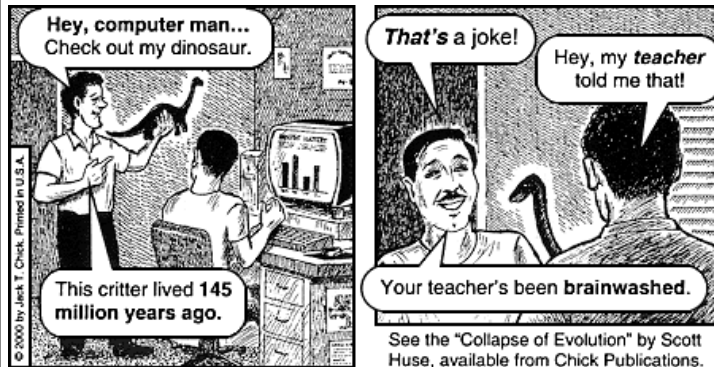
So, here's something amusing: The actual paper Chick Tracts I managed to get a hold of are all from a place called "Jesus Saves From Hell Fire Ministries". It's one of those fantastically ambiguous sentences. Does Jesus Save from "Hell Fire Ministries"? Or is it "Jesus Saves from Hell Fire" Ministries? Who knows?

Either Jack Chick is completely insane or some kind of post-modernist irony master. I'm leaning toward the former.



Oh, great. Dinosaurs. And man. Coexisting. Again.

This is gonna be a *blast!*



Hey, we're getting some background development on a recurring character. That's good writing, right? ...Right?

"Computer man." I'm not sure if the guy with the dinosaur is calling him this because he's fixing the guy's computer, or if it's just his (lame) nickname for his friend, or the guy's a robot, or what. In whatever case, regardless of the relationship, it seems rather awkward and bizarre for him to just walk into a room and start talking to a guy about dinosaurs, acting like the guy had never even heard of the things before. "Hey, a television! Why don't I carry this into the next room and start talking about it? Oh, salt shaker! I'll bet he's never seen one of THESE before. A fork! Bob's sure to find that interesting! Wait, is that sliced bread on the table? Why, I'll bet he's never even *heard* of this! I'd better inform him about ovens, as well. And the wheel."

"Your teacher's been **brainwashed**. By facts and observable evidence. That God, for whatever reason, lets him see instead of the apparent 'truth', which is something that can only be *speculated about* through blind faith, and that we can only really find out about when we die. Because nothing that we can observe in the world around us is trustworthy, and is potentially all just an illusion. Except the Bible. That's real. Because it says it is. There's no way it could possibly be a trick of Satan or anything. Because it says it's not. Really. But everything else in the whole world is potentially an illusion."

Scott Huse, huh? Yeah, I'll bet he's respected for his objectivity amongst the scientific community. Hey, a bunch of easily-led people agree that what he says sounds like it could make sense, so that makes him right, right? 'Cause that's

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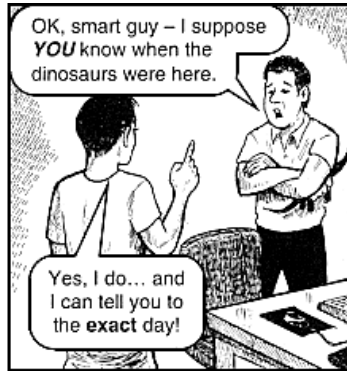
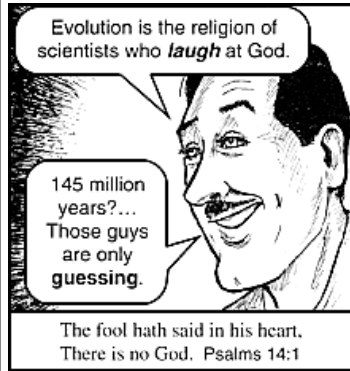
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what science is, right? Just a bunch of people making up stories and agreeing with each other without testing any evidence or doing comparative research?



"Computer man" a.k.a. Hitler, I guess. Jeez.

I hate when people call science a "religion". It's not like there are a bunch of guys in robes praising idols of Einstein and Newton and such with necklaces made of strung-together test tubes. It's like saying that books are the "religion" of people who write, or that dishes are the "religion" of bus boys, or the internet is the "religion" of people who work for, say, Google. Like anyone who has the occupation of experimenting to observe evidence and better understand the world is only blindly worshipping like some kind of cult.

"Those guys are only **guessing**. Because I say it's all guesses. And if I say something, and claim it's related to God somehow, that *automatically makes me right*. See? All my dialog is just unfounded accusations and claims, and the trick is that you'll end up believing it by the end no matter what, because you're written, like all Chick's characters, like a naive and spineless moron with no idea what you're talking about. So you might as well just resign yourself to it and listen up."

"I can tell you the **exact** day. It was the, uh, the first one. Monday, I think."



Why, yes, and there's NO CONTRADICTION IN THE BIBLE at ALL!

So the only source you can trust is a book featuring monsters and magic and seas splitting in half and people rising from the dead, the only "validity" of which is its own circular-logic claim that it's the truth? And you think you can condescend to people who rely on repeatedly testing things in the world around them until the results form a fairly undeniable correlation, and then continuing to test them just to make sure? Gah.

Might as well live your life believing that there's an invisible, intangible dragon constantly following you around and making faces behind your back.



"There was no Big Bang. Because this book said so, see? And look, I was right: You're starting to believe me, even though what I'm saying is total bullshit. I could probably get you to believe *Just So Stories* by Rudyard Kipling. Hey. Hey 'dinosaur man'. Wanna hear about how the tiger got his stripes? This is a *true story*. It's in a book that claims to be real. And you can't disprove it so I win!"

Apparently these kinds of conversations make the guy's dong go all rigid and anthropomorphic.



What in fuck would be the purpose of this? And why haven't we seen anything like this on any other known planet? How does one explain the complete defiance of what we know to be the laws of physics? (Oh, right, "Because God". I forgot.) Why does nothing even remotely like this ever happen nowadays? God just got lazy, apparently, or stopped giving a shit. If he really wanted to come out the winner in that whole arbitrary "collect the souls" contest with Satan, he'd keep wowing people with stuff like this.

Why would the seas need to be divided? This seems to imply that land formations were either at exact level with or at lower elevation than the water. In which case, not only should we have all been submerged simply from the water on the Earth during the supposed "Great Flood", but the amount of water should've totally submerged the entire planet forever. Where'd all that water go?

Not only that, but a thick dome of water in the sky completely enveloping the planet is going to be a LOT of water. How much could possibly be left on the

Earth's surface that it would need to be "divided" (given that there's no more or less water on Earth now than when it allegedly happened) in order for there to be land exposed?

Of course, I'm working off of the assumptions of Chick and his ilk, that it existed and was this thick dome of water surrounding everything. Uh, not sure if they've noticed, but we currently have a canopy of "water vapor" over us. They're called clouds. But I don't know, for whatever reason, they seem to think that if it existed (which seems completely unbelievable and fantastical), it was this huge, thick dome of water. Whatever.

Doesn't this guy realize that the answer is always going to be "Because God"? Why even bother asking? Then again, maybe I should follow my own advice...



What in fuck would it even MATTER if there was a sun? There was a thick layer of water around the Earth. People might as well have just hung flashlights over their crops.

"They had to be real days or the plants and trees would have died." WHAT. I'm not even sure what that's *supposed* to mean.

Uh-oh! His expression is starting to convey doubt! And we're not even halfway through the Tract yet.



Considering all the different species that have become extinct, that's quite a lot of animals all living together at once. And apparently with no replacement when they just disappear. By the way, if there was no evolution, then that means that all single-celled organisms that existed between then and now would've all existed at once. The bacteria alone probably would've wiped out nearly every other species.

Like this guy's never heard any of this before. WHY, YES, EVERYONE IN AMERICA IS COMPLETELY OBLIVIOUS TO THE EXISTENCE OF CHRISTIANITY



"And fossils? Just tricks! They're evidence completely contrary to our beliefs, and God allows them to continue to fool us for whatever reason. We're not supposed to trust anything we see, remember? Except the Bible. We know that's true because it *says* it's true. If a T-Rex femur or a Peking Man skull had 'I AM REAL' carved into it, maybe then I'd be more likely to believe it."

Why "our"? And why would God need to look like man, anyway? (And vice versa, for that matter.) Assuming that this "likeness" goes right down to the very genetic structure, why would God need genes? Why would God need lungs? Does God need to breathe? Or eat? Does he really need a mouth for speech? And given that he's omnipotent, why would he need hands? What use are hands if you can fashion the universe in an eye-blink? Why would God give apes such a close resemblance to himself? And speaking of ape resemblance, why would he need that forward-tilted pelvis? We sure don't. It does nasty things to our spines. There are so many things wrong with the human body, and so many additional things that can go wrong - why wouldn't he think to try to improve the design a little? I mean, either there's no "Intelligent Design", or God's just plain retarded.



"It's in a book, so it MUST be true. And come on, when was the last time you saw tested observable evidence be right about *anything*?"

Yeah, I'd imagine it *would* be pretty hard to swallow. It's a pretty thick book. Maybe if you ran it through a food processor first or something. (TIP YOUR WAITRESS)

[Click Here](#) for a picture of these "man and dinosaur tracks together". I DUNNO, GUYS, I'M CERTAINLY CONVINCED. DURR. Even most of the [die-hard supporters of this shit](#) have given up on this "evidence" as a [bullshit idea](#). Hey, Jack, I've got an image of the Virgin Mary in a grilled cheese sandwich to sell you.

What I like is that they're willing to take pock marks in rocks as evidence of their accusations, but are unwilling to consider the mountains of similar (but far more believable) evidence in favor of evolutionary theory.

"**God doesn't lie**", I guess. Oh, and neither do people, apparently. [Especially not Kent Hovind](#). (Also: See below (bottom).)



"Then what I've been **taught** in school, films and magazines **is all phony**. Because I'm a total doofus who'll believe the first fairytale that someone tells me about unobservable things that can't possibly be disproven and therefore are potentially possible. Boy, you're right, Bob, I'm falling right into this, aren't I?"

"And you're going to **hate** what he did to you. And you're going to hate God, too, for being so petty about it that he cursed the entire lineage of man for the rest of time. Er, wait, no, not that one. But you'll sure WANT to."



"HEY, ADAM. OOP, LEMME JUST TOUCH YOUR ASS, THERE FOR A SECOND. AH, YEAH, THAT'S NICE. I MADE A NICE ASS."

Oh, it's a cameo by Jack Chick's [Faceless, Creepy God](#). Only this time, he's not surrounded by the "Batman action" effect.



Why would you even put that there? That's just massive irresponsibility on God's part. "I will make a naturally curious, rather dumb creature that's totally susceptible to temptation, and then put this really tempting thing right here in the middle of the damn place. This is going to work out just fine."

Here's something I don't get, either: Was Adam supposed to reproduce asexually? Like, through budding or something? 'Cause, I mean, like God wouldn't have had the fucking foresight to make a *human* woman in addition to all the female animals.

And now the drama begins. You know, like it ALWAYS does when a woman gets involved. Sheesh! Women. When will they stop acting like they're anything more than a vagina with legs to be available for me to shove my dick into?



Both clever *and* dangerous? A deadly combination! In fact, I believe, the *deadliest*.

What was she supposed to **help** him do, exactly? He seemed to be doing just fine naming the animals (in English? Latin? What language?) or whatever all on his own.

So apparently, from what I remember, God took away the snake's long arms as punishment for its deception. But, well, a) didn't Satan possess the snake? Like it was the snake's fucking fault. And b) Like the snake would've even fucking needed arms in the first place. Given the way snakes' bodies operate, such appendages would be *entirely fucking unnecessary*.



Oh, she did not, "[m]ore than **anything**, [want] to be a God", you fucking misogynist jerkoff.

Here, try reading the damn thing, for a change, Jack:

(I'm King James, bitch!)

4: And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die:

5: For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.

6: And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat.

Nothing about Eve being power-hungry. Nothing about Eve wanting to be a god. Come ON. No objections from Adam, either. Stop making this all so patrio-centric.

And what in fuck did God expect, anyway? He didn't make humans wise - that apparently came from the tree. So how could they possibly know any better about anything? You make 'em stupid, they're going to act stupid. That's how it works.

Again, either God doesn't exist (at least in the sense that most fundamentalists or Christians in general believe), or he's a complete fucking moron. Take your pick.



Ah, now God's become a Batman action. They just had to rile him up a bit. *ZOT*
POW *GOD*

Yeah, yeah, big surprise. Your stupid people did something stupid. Hey, you're the one who's supposed to have infinite foresight. Even *I* could've predicted that'd happen.

They didn't blame each other. Adam blamed Eve, and Eve admitted it. What's with the smear campaign?

Here:

11: And he said, Who told thee that thou wast naked? Hast thou eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded thee that thou shouldest not eat?
12: And the man said, The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.
13: And the LORD God said unto the woman, What is this that thou hast done? And the woman said, The serpent beguiled me, and I did eat.

For someone with such a raging boner for the Bible, Jack sure doesn't seem to know a fucking thing about how the stories actually play out.



So basically entropy didn't exist until a woman ate an apple because a talking snake with arms told her to do it. Okay! So much more believable than any other thing I've ever heard or witnessed in my life. Where do I sign up?

And so Adam ate an apple, therefore all of his descendants would all be horrible people and murderers and whatnot. The sin of eating an apple apparently equates to the sin of murdering someone in cold blood, I guess.

You know, I only just now realized the anti-intellectual implications of this entire story. As soon as man became intelligent, he started killing and being evil, and, thus, intelligence is bad. Of course, this kind of ignores the fact that it was stupidity that led man to eat the apple in the first place. So whatever.



In other words, God cursed all of us for what the supposedly original two people did, and then decided to judge us based on this curse, which apparently even taints the kindest and most loving of us and potentially condemns them to an eternity of torture if they don't abide by some rigid set of vague and contradictory instructions that may or may not all apply based on your attitude.
GOD IS LOVE

How do we know that hearts haven't changed? If fossils and physical reality are all just illusions created by God (or created by Satan and allowed by God to continue to exist), then how can we be sure of anything at all?



"Oh, man, I'm in *real* trouble... **Thanks, Adam!** Oh, wow, you're right, Bob! I'm totally just believing every little nugget of shit that tumbles listlessly from your mouth. You sure called it!"



Uh, didn't really cost him anything, actually. He supposedly made a physical manifestation of himself, and that was killed, and then he became God again, or was just also God as well the whole while. I wish I could turn into an omnipotent being after my physical existence in this world expires. WHAT A LOSS. SURELY IT WAS A PAINFUL SACRIFICE FOR AN ALL-POWERFUL BEING

And, again, one would think he could've come up with something far less contrived. Why not just, y'know, wave his hand and forgive everyone's sins automatically like he supposedly did to create an extremely complex organism out of dirt?



So, uh, why are there people who think that this makes more sense than examining and comparing the world around us and its reactions to itself and various parts thereof?



Aaaaand surprise, surprise, the naive idiot character is on his knees blubbering like a moron and begging for Jesus to love him. [HOW TOTALLY UNLIKE ANYTHING I'VE EVER SEEN BEFORE](#)

See? I told you. ALWAYS remember to cover your face when Jesus comes into your heart. You get any of that Christ-jizz in your eye, and you'll wind up with one hell of an infection.

I dunno, man, I wouldn't be so quick to trust a guy who looks just like Hitler.

Brief Note About "Dr." Kent Hovind

Someone needs to inform "Dr." Kent "Doctor" Hovind that of the following stipulations for his \$250,000 reward for "proving evolution":

*NOTE: When I use the word evolution, I am not referring to the minor variations found in all of the various life forms (microevolution). I am referring to the general theory of evolution which believes these five major events took place without God:

1. Time, space, and matter came into existence by themselves.
2. Planets and stars formed from space dust.
3. Matter created life by itself.
4. Early life-forms learned to reproduce themselves.
5. Major changes occurred between these diverse life forms (i.e., fish changed to amphibians, amphibians changed to reptiles, and reptiles changed to birds or mammals).

Numbers 1-3 are more along the lines of *cosmological theory*, not evolutionary theory. He also apparently has another requirement that one must disprove the existence of God.

Well, I offer "Dr." Kent Hovind "D.D.S." the following challenge:

I will give you \$250,000,000,000,000,000,000 if you can objectively prove to me the existence of God.

*NOTE: In order to fully demonstrate this, you must also:

1. Develop an anti-gravity engine that can successfully propel an aircraft at least the size of a 747 airplane across the Atlantic Ocean.
2. Levitate eight feet in the air using only your mind.
3. Wrestle a bear to the death.
4. Drink nothing but smoothies made of spider silk and bee stingers for an entire week.
5. Successfully predict eight consecutive sets of lottery numbers in five states.
6. Die.*

(* Offer not redeemable posthumously.)

So, come on, I dare ya!

So far, "Major" Kent "Hovind" has completely failed to demonstrate the existence of God. Therefore, God doesn't exist. In the event he manages to prove to me, using the criteria above, that God does exist, I'll let you all know. Until then, I guess it's just safe to assume that he doesn't.

Anyway, that's all for now. Stay tuned: More to come. Same Chick time, same Chick channel.

Because everyone else is doing it:



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1. I like that Computer Guy's dong is kinda like the baby from Eraserhead.

Comment by [Rev. Syung Myung Me](#) — 11/27/2006 @ 8:31 pm

2. Wow, I never get tired of these half-assed attempts at disproving "science". Serously, this is just sad, I am just a recent high school graduate and I know more than him.
I loved the dissection though, It reminds me of how I act when people throw the "because god" card around.
On the bright side, with or without Jabberwock comments, I still get a good laugh. =P

Comment by [Darren](#) — 11/27/2006 @ 11:51 pm

3. Some scholars read the Adam and the Animal thing as him actually trying to hump them all. Were all the original animals (aside from Adam) then female? Was everything a male then? How was that supposed to work?

Worth noting that he had a first girlfriend before Eve who was removed in a rewrite around 100 BCE.

Finally, Jesus was supposed to be fully god and fully man, yet he never sinned. I say that if you never sinned, you're not a person. Jesus never disappointed his mother? He never got into some no-win situation where he had no choice but to let somebody down? He never screwed up? Not human. He's a cylon.

Comment by [Les](#) — 11/28/2006 @ 8:40 am

4.

I hate when people call science a "religion". It's not like there are a bunch of guys in robes praising idols of Einstein and Newton and such with necklaces made of strung-together test tubes.

Actually, most of us wear togas and praise Darwin and Mendel. It's those new age freaks with their fancy robes that bow down to Einstein.

Comment by [wattly](#) — 11/28/2006 @ 9:34 pm

5. Is it just me, or does the serpent remind anyone else of the Geico lizard?

Comment by [Kyle](#) — 11/29/2006 @ 4:27 am

6. "Hey bitch, eat this fruit and you'll get 15% or more off your car insurance"

Comment by [wattly](#) — 11/29/2006 @ 9:03 am

7.

Some scholars read the Adam and the Animal thing as him actually trying to hump them all.

That would certainly explain his hold on the ibex. Alternatively it could just be Chick's inability to draw and the propensity of some biblical scholars to suggest some very silly things, but hey, anything's possible.

Comment by [BtI](#) — 11/29/2006 @ 3:52 pm

8. Nah, he's definitely fucking that thing. Though, I think he's very confused about where the hole is. (Adam! Hey! Try turning it about 90 degrees counter-clockwise! Y'might find that more interesting!)

Comment by [Jabberwock](#) — 11/30/2006 @ 1:41 am

9. It looks like it's more the kangaroo that's finding the hole. I think the ibex is just for stabilization.

Comment by [wattly](#) — 11/30/2006 @ 1:51 am

10. I always feel really enlightened after I read this. I never knew that there was some bullshit story about a snake that had arms. Doesn't that make it a lizard? How can you have arms with no legs? Is this all just to make a half-assed attempt to disprove evolution?

Snakes with arms, give me a break. Besides, why didn't god just kill him instead of crippling him?

Because god is a huge masochist.

ETJ can come into my heart anytime.

Comment by Elwyn — 11/30/2006 @ 9:30 pm

11. Why does "dinosaur guy" just happen to have a poster-sized picture of a "prehistoric man". Maybe he just carries it around in his back pocket, for just such an occasion. Especially considering it is highly stylized and is historically inaccurate to the extreme...

Comment by Jon — 12/3/2006 @ 8:29 pm

12. Oh, yeah... WHERE THE HELL DID THE APATOSAURUS AND T-REX (and all dinosaurs for that matter) GO? Thanks, god, you made an entire type of creature disappear. Way to go. They couldn't have become extinct or anything. Maybe the snake made them eat the Crabgrass of Knowledge or something and god punished them by death... I don't know, though the bible had better tell me BECAUSE IT CERTAINLY COULD NOT HAVE LEFT THAT OUT!

Comment by Jon — 12/3/2006 @ 8:38 pm

13. Why does "computer man", while talking about "Day 4", grope the chin of "dinosaur man"? It looks like D.M. is embarrassed about being groped like that.

Comment by Randy — 12/3/2006 @ 10:15 pm

14. //swoon// I *heart* your Chick dissections.

Also, I feel bad for Satan getting the blame for "tempting" Eve. Nowhere in Genesis (or anywhere in the Hebrew Bible) does it say that Satan was in the form of the serpent - Christians retroactively assigned Satan that role. So Eve was tempted by a plain old wily snake. With arms.

Comment by Whitters — 12/11/2006 @ 2:18 pm

15. In Genesis God tells Adam not to eat of the apple, "for on that day you shall surely die". Meaning instant death, not death by aging.

The serpent says that they will not die, but their eyes shall be opened, and that God knows this.

After they eat the fruit, the scriptures themselves say that their eyes were opened.

Doesn't that make the serpent the one who told the truth?

Comment by Dogmeat — 12/15/2006 @ 8:27 pm

16. Before you guys rush to condemn the whole God thing as ridiculous, remember that Chick is a fundamentalist, meaning he interprets the Bible word-for-word as literally true. The whole Christian belief system is much more believable to you enlightened ones if you interpret the whole thing as allegorical. I.e., symbolism and not literal truth.

Comment by The Captain — 12/17/2006 @ 7:14 pm

17. I absolutely hate it when he refers you to someone else to try and prove his retarded thought processes *mockingly* "I'm Jack Turd-burgarar Chick and Dinosaurs and man co-existed and where are record players and can opener saying 'it's a living.' if you don't believe me ask the catcher to my pitcher and visa versa when I'm feeling spry 'D.r' Stu Padasso" now if it were an accredited professor of historical or a rogue carbon dater (that sounds like a kick ass job) than maybe not a felony committing wackjob.

Comment by sykodoughboy — 1/5/2007 @ 5:11 pm

18. damn typos i meant "our" not "are" i hate myself *sob*

Comment by sykodoughboy — 1/5/2007 @ 5:14 pm

19. (see above comment)
I know, I've got a shitty keyboard topo anmd i makle typeos akll thee time tooe

Comment by Rarend — 1/14/2007 @ 9:07 pm

20. in other words, Ignorance is Power!

Chick's excuse for a "religion" is actually a cobbled-together bunch of primitive myths taken at their literal value. Once again he's giving a bad name to all religions. The "service" that Chick does us is to try and roll back

the wheel to the medieval way of thinking, with all its related mumbo-jumbo, ignorance, misogyny and reactionary views.

Comment by Golan2072 — 2/26/2007 @ 1:59 pm

21. Eat of that tree and I shall surely die?

Everything walking around is less than a day old. The dinosaurs still have that new-leather smell. Die? What's that? Maybe Dying is fun.

If nothing's had time to die yet, isn't this an unfair threat to Adam? I mean, if I threatened to gremue you if you eat oranges (in a threatening manner, of course), doesn't some part of you want to eat that orange, just to find out?

Comment by Chadwick — 2/27/2007 @ 11:13 pm

22. I don't want to get rid of my beliefs in God or Jesus Christ, but I also don't want to get rid of everything I've learned in school and stuff like that...I'm scared. I need help.

Comment by ScarletSword — 2/28/2007 @ 1:27 am

23. scarletsword, dude, use your brain. it's easier than you'd think. do some research and think about whether you'd rather believe thousands of years of logic and reasoning, or thousands of years of single minded belief in a god you've never seen.

Comment by miss mephy — 3/9/2007 @ 10:39 pm

24. Miss Mephy: I feel uncomfortable just converting to Atheism though. I can't just abandon some of my beliefs just like that...I mean, I haven't gone to Church in a LONG time, but I still don't want to deny the existence of God or Jesus, even if the Bible may contradict itself and even when science explains a lot more.

Comment by ScarletSword — 3/26/2007 @ 1:01 am

25. If it helps, you don't need to "choose" to be an atheist. Some people who consider themselves "soft atheists". They don't really know whether or not there is such a thing as God or gods. But seeing nothing in everyday life to suggest such a being exists, they say it's best to live considering your consequences on this plane of existence, rather than also trying to consider multiple, conflicting, theoretical planes of existence.

Comment by Randy — 3/26/2007 @ 8:43 am

26. My personal philosophy is to avoid drawing definite conclusions about things that can't be observed, tested, demonstrated, proven, etc, since doing so is a clear departure from reality (or, rather, the observable world). Once you cross that line, if you try to apply your perspective to reality, it's all entirely arbitrary and doesn't matter if you're doing it because of God or because of the absence of God or because of aliens or because of dragons or because of the winged penises that dangle from your ceiling and whisper spiritual thoughts and are imperceptible to everyone but you.

I also sort of think that the best way to worship God is to not believe in him. Any God worth his salt is going to have more respect for people who do/are good without needing to be scared into it with horror stories of eternal torture. If God exists, I hope that's what he's like, because I certainly wouldn't want to spend an eternity with God as most Christians depict him. It would limit my afterlife possibilities to hell or hell with clouds. I really don't understand the motivation to grovel to an omnipotent, petty, vengeful, vicious assclown. "YAY WE WANT TO BE CLOSE TO YOU! PLEASE PUT US THROUGH MORE TORMENTS AND 'TESTS' AND JUDGE US BASED ON ARCANES, CONFUSING GUIDELINES THAT ARE UNCLEAR TO EVERYONE BUT YOU!"

Comment by Jabberwock — 3/28/2007 @ 6:21 am

27. You know, I couldn't help but notice that those "dinosaur tracks" in Texas are a bit close together to belong to a creature with reptilian hips... and that they suspiciously resemble large cat prints... and that the placement suggests a fairly small animal.

Just my thoughts, mind you. Nothing to shatter fundies' hopes and dreams with.

Comment by NonProphet — 4/18/2007 @ 2:35 pm

28. "They had to be real days or the plants and trees would have died." WHAT. I'm not even sure what that's supposed to mean.

I think ol' Jack is "disproving" the idea that the "days" in the Genesis creation story refer not to 24-hour periods but much longer eras (an argument which featured in the Scopes Monkey Trial, as well as the subsequent play *Inherit the Wind*). Now, if he can just explain why God wouldn't have the foresight to create a sun before the plants that needed it for its survival, or indeed before the Earth that orbits around it...

Comment by TheDiva — 4/18/2007 @ 9:59 pm

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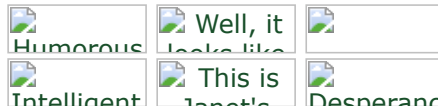
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