

EVOLUTION OR CREATION?

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The following is a simple analysis between the plausibility of God creating our current world with purpose and planning in mind. Alternatively, all of the natural world is a meaningless, unplanned randomness, which somehow sees matter and life evolve and appear in incremental stages over a long period of time.

**These notes assume God is right despite religious arguments, which may be erroneous to the scriptures.*

**That Godless evolution requires a complete lack of purpose, design and logical process. If it is to remain valid... everything must be coincidental or accidental and without intelligent structure or pattern.*

Simple scriptural argument...

GEN 1:1 In the **beginning** (there was a beginning) God created the heavens and the earth. Not mindless evolution.

GEN 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a **living soul**. The soul is separate to matter, not a part of the natural universe.

The following questions are based on simple logic and the experience of rational thought. If evolution is true then these observations need to be addressed in a manner suited to the theory... no design, no purpose.

**Evolution requires that nothing became something, for no reason. Yet, the law of maths shows us that zero multiplied by any number still equals zero... as the universe cools, everything will become nothing once again.*

**How were elements formed when they cannot be made from any other matter (98 naturally occurring elements)? We cannot change them or make them without intelligent input. Also, where did the energy come from in the first place? (All an atomic bomb does is release the energy from a few kilos of enriched material).*

The second law of thermodynamics states that the degree of **disorder is always increasing in the universe... from order to disorder. Where did the order or structure come from in the first place? Nothing in the universe is getting more complex... the only more complex developments on this planet are occurring due to intelligent, human intervention with matter. This will eventually fail because everything in the universe is cooling.*

**If I said that a monkey painted the Mona Lisa, I would be laughed at because of the complexity of the work. If I said that a snail did it, you would laugh even louder, but if I said no one painted it; it just appeared out of nowhere, evolutionists would accept it, because it is no different than the argument supporting evolution.*

**How does life come from non-living matter? Humans can't create it despite billions of years of combined scientific ability, technology and interactive intelligence. They can adjust and modify, but cannot create it from nothing. Yet mindless, unintelligent nothingness, can accidentally produce all complex life on the earth?*

**Features of design. Do living organisms reflect features of design and purpose, or mindless existence?*

After its own kind. **GEN 1:11** And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit **after his kind**, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so. This is repeated for all living species... each remains separate as the seed of the next generation is already biologically formed.

**There is still no sign of evolving life anywhere on the planet. With so many life forms going extinct, why aren't they evolving into survivable forms? Isn't this the argument that supports transitions from one type of species to another? How do we explain the explosion of life during the Cambrian period where thousands of new species appeared out of nothing? If the Cambrian was so challenging, why didn't we have a reduction in life forms. If it wasn't challenging, why would surviving life forms multiply without need? When challenging times came, either the weak perished or the strong got stronger or mutated within their limited capacity. Inescapably, something still can't come from nothing, unless there is a greater power outside the natural realm at work. The bible explanation is supported by these facts and logic... evolution is not.*

All 'missing links' so far are frauds or errors... no transitional fossils ever found. No living transitions either, also, the fossil evidence in strata is often rearranged to suit the evolutionary argument... this is fraudulent.

**We are all born with fully functioning ability, pre-programmed survivability and the capacity to reproduce.*

GEN 1:27 So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them. **JOB 5:9** Which doeth great things and unsearchable (referring to God); marvellous things without number: **Complex code systems in the human body...** DNA is the building block for all living things. The amount of information in human DNA is roughly equivalent to 12 sets of The Encyclopaedia Britannica... an incredible 384 volumes of detailed information, needing 15 metres of shelving! DNA is 2.5 nanometres wide (a nanometre is one billionth of a metre), while a human hair is 22,000 nanometres wide (almost 9000 times wider than DNA). Can even one page of an encyclopedia come about by the random entering of data by a smart monkey? How much less could it happen by random nothingness.

DNA contains a complex language composed of 3 billion genetic letters, in the form of a four character digital code. Bill Gates, founder of Microsoft, commented in his book 'the road ahead'... that "DNA is like a computer program but far, far more advanced than any software ever created." He is an expert in his field, not a religious zealot.

We all know that software cannot mutate without stalling and failing (we all suffer from computer crashes). So how could the genetic information of bacteria, gradually evolve into information for another type of more complex being, when only one or a few minor mistakes in the millions of letters in its DNA can kill it?

A raspberry has only 8 percent as much genetic material as you or I. That's expected; raspberries aren't too smart or complex. However, an onion isn't very complex either, and it has more than 12 times as much DNA as any human. This also makes a mockery of the incremental development of more complex life which evolution builds on.

Consider other code also essential to functioning life... the human eye and the ear... PRO 20:12 The hearing ear, and the seeing eye, the LORD hath made even both of them. Do their functioning reflect accidental, or design features?

All light rays enter the eye via the cornea and the lens. Both combine to produce a clear image on the retina, which is part of the central nervous system (brain), but located at the back of the eye. Photoreceptors gather visual information by absorbing light and sending **electrical signals (code)** to other retinal neurons for initial processing and integration. The signals (**code**) are then sent via the optic nerve to other parts of brain, which ultimately processes the image and allows us to see. The human eye possesses 130 million light-sensitive rods and cones that convert light into chemical impulses (**code**). These signals travel at a rate of a billion per second to the brain

The physical basis for hearing involves receptor cells deep in the ear that collect vibrations and convert them through intelligent mechanisms into electrical signals (**code**). These run along nerve fibers to areas in the brain where they are interpreted as sound. The cochlea in the inner ear converts the vibrations into electrical impulses (**code**) before sending signals to the brain. The brain then interprets (**decodes**) the impulses as sound.

How can code come from nothing? It has taken the human race thousands of years to learn that our bodies use multiple codes for vital, second by second functioning. If intelligent life took thousands of years to partially uncover these secrets, how could living animals develop complex, instantly working, cross platform functionality, that no human is even able to replicate? A belief in God requires much less faith than a belief in nothing, which becomes a complex something, beyond the ability of technology and intelligent minds to duplicate.

**You cannot make or develop something if the ingredients don't exist. There is no explanation that allows for the recognition of the human soul, as this requires an ingredient outside the boundaries of natural matter. However, the bible gives us these answers. Remember, if evolution is true... you as a person are meaningless and of no value. Your partner and children are meaningless, your love and efforts are worthless, your morals, ethics and self development are wasted, as you are going to die anyway... there is no future for your soul or anyone you care about and no reason to search for one... death is the only outcome. Everything is a meaningless waste of cosmic energy.*

Jesus not only interrupted the religious errors of his day... he revealed certain truths that are provable... even to an atheist.

JOH 4:24 God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship *him* in spirit and in truth. How is this possible?
ACT 2:38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. **39** For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, *even* as many as the Lord our God shall call. God proves himself with a miraculous sign generated by the Holy Spirit, as evidence of his truth and evidence of his existence... we speak in tongues and our eyes are opened to spiritual truths that work. Life has meaning and purpose and every human is of value to God. God also offers proof... evolution offers ever changing theories... its up to you to choose.

Evolution is often used as the only convenient tool available, for those who hate, or choose to deny God. Insulting Christians doesn't change the reality of God or his purposes.