Subject: Re: Protests over a cartoon... wtf.

Posted by Javaxcx on Fri, 26 May 2006 17:51:19 GMT

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j\_ball430 wrote on Fri, 26 May 2006 13:42 It IS logical for us to have faith in things.

This isn't exactly true. You might be confusing faith with belief. There IS a difference between the two, remember. Belief is a form of hopeful necessity, based on hypotheses that we unconsciously formulate and apply to our lives. Sitting on a chair and assuming it's there when you're not looking for example so you don't fall down.

Faith on the other hand, is not hopeful necessity, it's unproven necessity. I use that loosely however, because the proof can be fleeting based on how you look at it. Conjecture, heresay, "feelings" can all be forms of proof to the individual, but they're not very concrete.