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Subject: Re: 45% of Americans believe that humans did not evolve

Posted by [Starbuzz](#) on Thu, 12 Jun 2008 00:06:31 GMT

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cheesesoda wrote on Wed, 11 June 2008 11:01 That's why I'm a theist. I will argue that there has to be something greater than us. I don't try to pretend that any religion even begins to understand this deity.

Though, if you just believe in the possibility, then you're agnostic.

Same here. As for the possibility I mentioned earlier, atleast it can be the bare minimum conclusion someone can come to given the large amount of hints we have...I am past that ofcourse.

But I don't think a higher power feels the need to intravene in human life. Most of the rules (sacrifices, offerings, etc) were made by humans in their flawed understanding of this higher power. We are all so gullible anyway and have a complex range of emotions to aid in whatever we come up with.

cheesesoda wrote on Wed, 11 June 2008 11:01 See, your last paragraph puts what I believe better than what I've been able to describe it. It's like, why can people (monotheists, to be exact) write off so many different religions, including polytheistic religions, when they're the product of polytheism that reduced the number of deities to one? That's why I have a problem with a religion saying that their beliefs are the one, true beliefs. I'm sure billions of people that existed before them believed the same about their beliefs, and there's no decent reason to suggest that everybody else was wrong.

Completely agree.

EDIT: @ Cabal: Yeah...well I guess change is the only thing constant in life.

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