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

Posted by [cheesesoda](#) on Fri, 06 Jun 2008 20:15:12 GMT

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warranto wrote on Fri, 06 June 2008 16:06Oh, I agree that it can't be proven by word of mouth that it is genuine, heh... but that is the whole concept of faith: be it a belief in God (regardless of which God(s) it may be), belief of the random street vendor, or the belief of a friend offering you the same thing.

It's not so much how you can fair with or without it (at least as far as I am concerned - you could have easily have known it was a genuine Rolex and still chosen not to get it), but rather the initial assessment of real or fake.

I think you missed my point a little.

What I was saying was that all the sacrifices that being a Christian requires (and as well as other religions) wasn't really worth the "guarantee" of Heaven when it comes from a book with a questionable background. Plus, I don't see some of these "immoral" pleasures being immoral in the least.

Then there's the whole problem with how history went from polytheism to monotheism. It's hard to think that everybody thinking that every object has a soul is somehow wrong, but then suddenly a belief in one God is somehow correct.

Plus, the whole writing of the Bible. Everybody shows verses of the Bible speaking of people disbelieving and such, but human nature is so easy to understand. If you speak vaguely of how people will react to religion, you entrance so many... like the whole obsession with Nostradamus predictions.

It just seems too fishy for me to believe it anymore.

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