Subject: Re: Why did you vote for Obama?

Posted by Spoony on Tue, 09 Dec 2008 14:58:36 GMT

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Darkknight wrote on Tue, 09 December 2008 15:11I will have to agree with you on this. Religion is man made that's why their are billions of them all thinking they got it right.

You are finally right about something. Religion is man-made. As for "all thinking they got it right", again, you said so much more than you realise. Why do you think you know any better than the others?

Darkknight wrote on Tue, 09 December 2008 15:11All I was trying to say with my post is how funny it is that those who discredit their being a God also in the same breathe wants us to swallow the fact that all this came from nothing and to believe in Evolution which is still just a theory. "All this" didn't come from nothing. See my post above. As for "evolution is just a theory"... uh, lol. Do you know what the word theory means? It doesn't look like it.

A theory is an evolved explanation to fit the known facts. It becomes a successful theory if it survives the introduction of previously unknown facts, and it becomes an accepted theory if it can make predictions about future events.

There is no insult in saying "evolution is only a theory". The word "only" does not belong in that sentence.

By the same definition, creationism isn't EVEN a theory. It fails at every required hurdle. It's a guess, nothing more; a guess made thousands of years ago who didn't know jack shit about the world we live in.

By the way, you have not answered Frontier Psychiatrist's question, which is absolutely valid. If God made everything, who made God? Who designed the designer?

If you say there must be a God because everything around us is so complex (such as we humans, for example) then surely something capable of designing something so complex must be at least as complex itself, probably a great deal more complex. This defeats your entire argument, because something as complex as God would in turn need to be designed, by something even more powerful. This leads us to an infinite regression. Evolution doesn't; it says that things as complex as we humans took millions and millions of years to develop, at a staggering cost (over 99% of all species that have ever existed on this planet are now extinct, and I'm not talking about deforestation or pollution here, I'm talking about unsuccessful creatures dying while successful creatures survive and develop)