Subject: Re: What are your thoughts on death? Posted by zeratul on Mon, 26 Jul 2010 17:43:43 GMT

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reborn wrote on Sun, 25 July 2010 23:37 Something like that, perhaps a kind of world karma effect? We as a species contribute to the destruction of the planet the most, therefore we become over populated?

The animals, insects and other life that is destroyed gains enlightenment and life experiance through suffering, therefor evolves?

Also, many Bhuddists do not believe in reincarnation as the general concencus understands it. Some believe understand reincarnation to happen all the time, a sort of "rebirth", so in each instance, in each state of awareness you are infact "reborn".

For example... I am raging at some guy over the internets and my state has changed. I am "reborn". I am reading a book, my level of consciouness has changed, therefore I have died and been "reborn".

Levels of consciousness and levels of awareness change from moment to moment, you are always changing state.

So what your saying is Buddhist do not believe in reincarnation as living again but simply a change in state and mind?