

This person is known from the beginning of humanity as almighty God,”

I continued. “If He is that intelligent, do you think He created man for a purpose, especially since man has the intelligence that allowed him to discover physical laws and to improve his life style significantly while all other animals, birds, and fish still living in the same life style since they were created?”

“This is what I’m searching for; the purpose in my life,”

he honestly answered.

“Well, then the answer to my question is ‘yes’,” I replied, “Since God is intelligent, He communicated with man, sending him many important messages to make our life better. From those messages, we learned that He breathed in man a breath of life, a part of Him. We called it ‘spirit’.

Since the spirit is a part of God, we have no rest or light in our lives until our spirits get in touch with their source, God,” I said,

“To find the purpose of your life, you need to read the Gospel to know God better and to start communicating

with him. Until you do that there is no real sense of rest or inner peace.”

“In the fifth century lived a young man named Augustine. He had a burning desire to learn and to answer the compelling repeating questions he had about universe, man, and life. He spent tens of years studying philosophy without reaching any solid answers, though philosophy reached its highest peaks centuries before his time at the hands of the great Greek philosophers such as Plato, Socrates, and Aristotle. Then one day, a woman gave him a few pages of the New Testament. When he read it, he found answers to his questions. It quenched his thirst for knowing himself and the purpose of his life. He recorded his experience in his famous classical book, ‘*Confessions.*’ It’s an excellent book to read,” I said.

John Asked,

“So, you think reading the Gospel will show me the way?”

My answer was, “Yes, **as God is powerful, so His words are powerful too.**

They have light for the heart and mind.

Read the Gospel and then talk to Him. You will be amazed of what will happen to you. It will be in proportion of the stunning universe we live in.”

Is there A God?

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A Fresh Approach to
the Question of
God's Existence

John and I met for the first time and started to chat. Then he said:

“It must be a great power that formed this universe.”

I thought about what he said, and then I asked, “Power can build and can also destroy what was being built. If I get iron, silicon, copper, and all the materials needed to build a sophisticated computer and put them together for a trillion years or for the highest possible number of years. do you think power could produce a computer with Internet connection, pure sound, camera, multitasking operating system, and a group of programs to handle writing documents, creating images, databases, and your needs?”

John could not answer the question, so I explained, “To make a computer, you need intelligence. Thousands of intelligent inventors shared in computer hardware and software design.”

John interrupted me to inject:

“Then it is power and intelligence that formed the universe.”

I applauded John for his conclusion. Then I added, “We build cars that run for only a few years. They need maintenance and parts replacement, and sometimes they stop running. Look at the sun. For millions of years, its sunshine never stops even for a single day. Think of the huge earth in its

rotation in a single orbit for millions of years. It never deviates from its orbit or slows down. How do you explain how both the sun and the earth were formed?”

John thought for a moment and answered,

“They should have been formed by a super power and super intelligence to be sustained for such a long time.”

I added, “You mean a kind of unheard super intelligence. Look at the atom the smallest element. See how electrons continuously rotate around the nucleus in the same way as the earth rotates around the sun but in a very microscopic range.

Then we could easily conclude that the intelligence that started the atom is the same that started the earth and the sun, especially if we know that the earth is made of those atoms.“

He said in wonder,

“I never thought of that. I always believed that “power” formed the universe and everything in it.”

I commented, “Some people are deceived by talking about “power” forming those things over millions or trillions of years. We accept it without asking how it happened. Even when we ask, there is no answer with substantial evidences.

Think of the human body; how many tens of hormones, thousands of chemical compounds are being formed inside the body, billions of cells, and a very accurate system that keeps every function of the body running smoothly. If a deficit of any material occurs, the body could get sick. Every chemical has a certain range, and going beyond that range means sickness.

It’s amazing, isn’t?” John agreed.

“Let me ask you a question: Who could draw a beautiful picture?”

“An artist with a great feeling,” he answered.

“Then we are talking about a person. Is that right?” I asked.

“Of course,” he answered.

“Then, look around the universe. You will see beauty all around you: beautiful animals, magnificent mountains, wonderful rivers and seas, incredible animals, stunning sunshine and sunsets, and dazzling rainbows. To produce such beautiful drawings, don’t we need a great artist with unlimited feelings enabling him to produce such incredible art?” I asked.

“My friend, the universe was created by a person, a super person who enjoys unlimited power, immeasurable intelligence, and infinite feelings and love.