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Posted by [Dedric Terry](#) on Fri, 11 Jan 2008 05:15:28 GMT

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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Fri, 11 Jan 2008 05:33:10 GMT

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the self determinism of the individual. If you start by looking for problems you will certainly have no trouble finding them and in the end you will increase them and their power. This is one of the problems with our health system and especially mental health system: they concentrate on disease, not health and wellness.

Look, I don't want to argue religion. I respect everyone's right to believe what is real to them, but certain things I have observed I like to share because I want to help.

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> child is not told it is doomed, just the opposite. The child is told that
> if the child is baptized and believes in Jesus Christ, the child is saved!
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.....and that's the problem.Hi James,
Probably made at the same factory as the Air. Hopefully the Lenovo won't
burn peoples laps.

If it is as expensive and as limited as all the mini/micro/thin laptops
PC manufacturers have produced over the years and now Apple is trying to
do then it to will be a flop.

Chris

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> <http://macdailynews.com/index.php/weblog/comments/16724/>

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Chris Ludwig

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chrisl@adkproaudio.comYup. That's the way I see it. Well put my friend.

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>The point of the above passage, and the idea that we have all sinned is that

>we can't receive God's grace and forgiveness, and become "righteous" in

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>the first mec. the rest is duplication of the first wiring of it's
>i/o's. as far as the adat connections go i believe deej said that one
>per mec is all that will work.
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The one to a MEC thing is with Windows XP only.

>On 20 Mar 2008 01:52:38 +1000, "Steve Cox" <stevec1@charter.net>
>wrote:
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>>>And it is in that patchbay that I already am running 16 inputs.

>>Rod, I have tried to contact you and some others by way of e-mail and get
>>"undeliverable"
>>One thing that is not helping me here and is why I am trying to e-mail
some
>>of you is because I am extremely dyslexic. Typing these posts take me sometimes
>>3-5 minutes for what takes anyone else 20 seconds. It's appears to me scrambled
>>and upside down at times. Watching me write out a check is halarious! But
>>not to me. Sooooo anyhow I really wish I could talk to someone on the phone
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>>>On 20 Mar 2008 00:30:57 +1000, "Rod Lincoln"
>>><rlincoln@nospam.kc.rr.com> wrote:
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>>>>Paul is correct, but I'd use the three 8 ins if you have them.
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a
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Gimme some of that. Hello Erling,

You have expressed, and on quite a few occasions, the "human myth-making" view of faith, and Christianity in particular, and blamed "religion" for much evil, even including damaging the minds/psyches of the young with these "stories".

Saying these things, is not simply an opinion, it is an assertion of fact: of how things really are.

Saying "whatever works for you" is merely assenting to this view, because if there is a concrete reality to the life of Christ, if he really did what he is said to have done, then the "myth making" perspective is simply wrong, and what we think means much less than what he thinks.

So, there is a level more fundamental than our opinions, and it is the answer to whether Jesus was real and lived as Christians believed and was raised from the dead.

Everything follows from that answer.

To assert that opinion is everything, and whatever works for you is as good as whatever works for the next guy, is to assent to Christ being a myth and his resurrection a lie.

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>there are no shortage of idiots out there. raising taxes does not fix problemsWhat I liked is the
juxtaposition of him saying how this is gonna hurt
with the smiling face of the dude.

John wrote:

> there are no shortage of idiots out there. raising taxes does not fix problems Erling, this explains a LOT. If your experience with Christianity is with Apostolic Christians, than I totally understand your thinking. What I'm about to say is not meant to offend anybody especially you Erling. What I am about to say is fact as I know it and my opinion based on my personal experiences with Apostolic Christians that I know.

First off, there are many different versions of Christianity. Some have been twisted and perverted the teachings of Christianity over history for their own purposes. Others have mis-taught the bible due to misunderstanding or misinterpretation. And others have concocted and added to the bible, which it says in the bible not to do. Many phonies claim to be Christians that use the name of Jesus Christ to make money. Because anybody can claim to be a Christian, Christianity is not perfect. Not all Christians are the same, and may have differing beliefs. Christianity is not alone when it comes to these things, other religions also have similar problems, such as extremism.

From my experience and knowledge, the Apostolic Christians are a misguided bunch. They have many strict man made rules, such as, women can not swim with men, they co

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t people to think all Christians are a bunch of nuts.

The phony TV evangelist that claim to be good Christians, and then try to sell you their latest book on how to think and how to send them more money, give Christianity a bad name. It's especially bad when these hypocrites go off with prostitutes and so on. The real bad part about this is, that is what most non believers are exposed to, and end up believing that that is what Christianity is about.

It is vary unfortunate that Christians are viewed so poorly because of a few.

"erlilo" <erlingl@tdcadsl.dk> wrote:

>James, did you read DC's post that I answered and do I wrote English so

>badly that you couldn't see or understand what I wrote about the child?

I

>know very well Christianity after living with my family in the American

>Church, "The Apostolic Faith" in Stavanger, Norway, as far as I remember in

>my youth. I know exactly well how it is to be confirmed with sins and "the
>right way of living" from my whole youth in late '40 and the '50. To be
>curious on the society in the town and the pulsing life outside The
>Apostolic Church, I was told nearly all the times in my youth that the
>people there lived in sin, so I should stay far away from them.
>Unbelievable nice people in the Church, that did know what the bible said

>but didn't know anything about the society around them, because the society

>was just living in sin and was doomed in their eyes. Not any harm at all

>with these people, just that they had isolated themselves from the society
in
>those old bible readings, in the name of Christ.
>So please James, don't tell me that I don't understand Christianity way
of
>living, if it is that you're trying to say with your lines here.
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>Thanks for listening and give it a try to understand what I really wrote.
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>Erling
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>"James McCloskey" <excelsm@hotmail.com> skrev i en meddelelse
>news:47e22dbe\$1@linux...
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>> It always amazes me how so many people do not understand Christianity.
A
>> child is not told it is doomed, just the opposite. The child is told
that
>> if the child is baptized and believes in Jesus Christ, the child is saved!
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>> "erlilo" <erlingl@tdcads1.dk> wrote:
>>>...and what did the New testament wrote about Jesus and the children?
>>>Basically, a child are borned without any sin at all, but the
>>>familyculture
>>
>>>a child is growing up in, will always color the way a child will live
and
>>
>>>go. If you're telling your child that it is lost and doomed because of

>>>sins
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>>>in your storytellings to a child, you are really taking the first steps
>> to
>>>destroy a child's mind. In my eyes, religious brainwashi

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d got from mouth to mouth in those thousand of years before being
>>>written
>>
>>>down.
>>>I will just call it with few words: The Wisdom Words of Life.
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>>>Thanks for listening.
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>>>Erling
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>>>"DC" <dc@spammersinhell.com> skrev i en meddelelse
>>>news:47e1929b\$1@linux...
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>>>> Sorry, I misread your question.
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>>>> Jesus taught that all are lost and all are doomed by their
>>>> sins. He never ever said people are basically good and
>>>> this position is against everything he stood and died for.
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>>>> We can pursue this further if you like, but it is very clear.
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>>>> "DC" <dc@spammersinhell.com> wrote:
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>>>>>Bill L <bill@billlorentzen.com> wrote:
>>>>>>Did Jesus say all people are not basically good?
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>>>>>No.
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>>>>>>I agree with Hubbard: what's real for you is real for you. I think
that
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>>>>>>is as fair and true a statement as can be made. Make your own decisions
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>>>>>>and keep your own counsel.
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>>>>>>Some things may be simply real.
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>>>>>>best,
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>>>>>>DC wrote:
>>>>>>> But, (and I am speaking to you and Erling here), both the
>>>>>>> "myth making" view of faith and the opinions of Hubbard (and
>>>>>>> many others) about human nature became moot if the evidence for
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>>>>>>>> By the way, belief or non-belief in Jesus has absolutely nothing
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>>>>>>>> with Scientology. Scientology is not "faith-based". It is entirely
>>>>>>>> empirically derived and the technologies of Scientology are
>>>>>>>> experienced
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>>>>>>>> daily by Scientologists. Hubbard was trained as an engineer and
he
>>>>>>>> insisted that his technology be as workable and repeatable as e.g.
>> the
>>>>>>
>>>>>>>> formula for building a bridge.
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>>>>>>>> Many Christians, Jews, what have you are also Scientologists - but
>>>>>>>> saner, happier ones. Hubbard wrote, "What is true for you is what
>> is
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>>>>>>>> true for you."
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>>>>>>>> DC wrote:
>>>>>>>>> I just have one question for you both.
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>>>>>>>>>> What would change in your beliefs if it could be shown that
>>>>>>>>>> the real Jesus was the one of the Bible? That all the best
>>>>>>>>>> evidence, when considered outside of philosophical
>>>>>>>>>> pre-commitments, shows that Jesus was who he said he was,
>>>>>>>>>> and the story of his origin, purpose, his life, death and
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>This is what i've been saying. When Al Gore buys global offsets for ten cents
and sells them for a dollar, it's a big bunch of money making bullshit!

Now this trilateralist bureaucrat bunch of SOBs are going to try to make it a sin tax that we will all have to pay. You know once the government gets a tax passed through they will never repeal it. We will be paying it for then on! It's a scare tactic to cow the people in to believing this bunch of bullshit. There is no significant man made global warming, it's a lie to shift the wealth out of the United States while these rats and their friends get wealthy doing it.

"Mr. Simplicity" <noway@jose.net> wrote:

> http://blog.mlive.com/annarbornews/2007/09/dingell_global_warming_may_req.html

>

>This is the biggest load of disingenuous hubris I've seen in a while. More

>hypocrisy. Whether you get it or not, your intelligence has just been

>insulted and be assured that what this is really all about it preparing you

>to be bent over as consumption falls. Expect more of this BS as gas usage

>goes down and therefore the tax revenue that a gallon of gas generates is

>proportionately reduced. To make
