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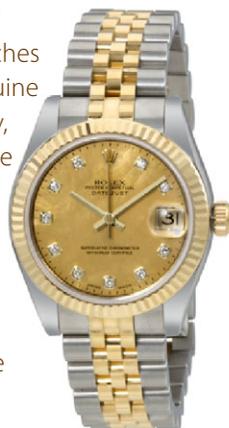
FAKE IDENTITIES. People lives are being ruined after having their identity stolen. In the USA \$16 billion was stolen from 15.4 million U.S. consumers in 2016. Apart from benefit fraud the biggest form of identity theft was from stolen credit cards. Young people are a growing target for identity theft cases.

Abby Brown had her mobile phone stolen when she was 13 and she was horrified when the thieves pretended to be her on Facebook and chatted to her friends, changed her passwords for Facebook, her email, and Snapchat, locking her out of her own accounts. They had stolen her identity and were making her look bad. It felt as though her life had been stolen (she did get control back after a while). Worst case scenario? Someone steals your passport



and credit card, commits a crime while pretending to be you, you cannot prove who you are and finish up in jail - it happened in America! They got out eventually but it took a while. Even brand names like Nike, Rolex, Levi Straus or Gucci can have their identities stolen (wouldn't you like to get some?).

FAKE GOODS I was given a ROLEX OYSTER PERPETUAL DATEJUST recently for a charity sale. Rolex is the premier name for sports watches that is relied on worldwide for all time-critical needs. It looked genuine but fakes are very hard to detect. The bracelet was very high quality, as good as a genuine Rolex! When something seems too good to be true, it probably is, so I took the back off to check the insides. Staring back at me was a cheap battery movement covered in horrible greeny-white corrosion. Some manufacturer had stolen the ROLEX identity. The watch looked perfect on the outside but a festering mess on the inside. It could no longer be relied on to give the correct time. It's tough throwing a potential £8,000 watch in the bin even if it is a fake, but I kept the bracelet anyway.



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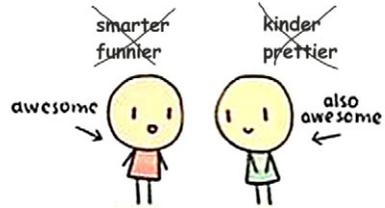
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YOUR TRUE IDENTITY.

The Greeks and the Romans decided on your identity based on your level in society, from slave to Emperor, but after the Christian revolution the western world began to see every person's identity as being made in God's image and therefore equal in God's sight.

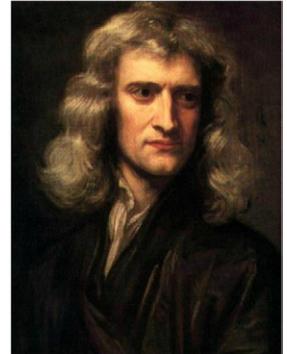
Your true Identity became a Unique person, free to be your best and of equal and infinite value in God's sight. And that's how our identity remained for nearly 2000 years.

stop comparing yourself to others.



HOW SCIENCE TOOK OVER AND OUR IDENTITY WAS STOLEN

When Isaac Newton was president of the Royal Society he said that while religious doctrine could be informed by divine revelation, science was to be informed only by verifiable experimentation. The Identity of science was based on high ideals. It was a search for truth about the natural world based on experimental results that anyone could repeat. Its motto was "Don't Take Anyone's Word For It" meaning don't accept what people in authority say without doing the experiment yourself. Newton did not consider that science excluded religion nor did Copernicus, Kepler, Galileo, or Pascal — all practising Christians.



It was much later on that some Enlightenment philosophers who hated the Christian church produced a completely false model of "warfare" between science and theology.

Science together with technology brought some tremendous benefits to people and also some terrible destruction. Gradually science took over from the church as it became both our guide and master.

When Darwin's Big Idea for life's origins came along it was eagerly adopted by influential people who did not like the idea of God telling them what to do. They accepted Darwinism as a replacement for the creation story and declared that it made God irrelevant and therefore ok to be an atheist (believing there is no God).

Even so your True Identity still was safe while science's True Identity was safe.

SCIENCE LOSES ITS SOUL AND BECOMES ZOMBIFIED

It all started to go wrong 150 years ago when the search began for a scientific basis for Darwin's Big Idea. It wasn't easy, in fact when Ernst Haeckel could not find evidence for his idea he had to cheat with his drawings of foetuses for his book in 1868! Many of the text book pictures illustrating scientific stories supporting Darwinism became icons that helped to convince us that Darwin was right. But not only Haeckel cheated. In 2002 biologist Jonathan Wells published a book "Icons of Evolution: Science or Myth? Why Much of What We Teach About Evolution Is Wrong" he showed that ten text book illustrations supporting Darwinism, like Haeckel's drawings, Darwin's Tree of Life, Miller-Urey's chemical building block of life, Peppered Moths, Darwin's finches, fossil horses, Archaeopteryx and the most famous, the picture of man's ascent from an ape, were all either wrong or misrepresented the facts. This list goes on and is growing and scientists know it.



Zombies are the walking dead. In science a theory or picture is dead when it does not fit the evidence. The Icons of Evolution were empirically dead. They should have been buried but they are still with us, haunting your science classrooms and stalking you. How would you react if told that you have been lied to in science lessons at school and university?

In response Jonathan Wells wrote another book showing yet more, up to date evolution stories and icons that are known to be false but continue to be included in text books. Wells has a name for it: **Zombie Science**. Like zombies they keep on coming!

It seems crazy that Zombie Science is not depreciated by the heads of leading Science institutes and Universities across Europe and America but after the failure to provide a convincing scientific basis for Darwinism, crusading atheists began to fill influential positions across Europe and America and exclude all others. If people *won't* believe Darwinism they will try to coerce them into believing. Now Institutional Science goes to great lengths to ensure that no one can raise any questions about Darwinism in the classroom or in the media without being censored. Richard Dawkins, the

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YOUR REPLACEMENT
IS GETTING TIRED



first Oxford Professor for the Public Understanding of Science says that when talking to religious people we should "mock them and ridicule them". TV's science presenter particle physicist Brian Cox says he does not debate with people he disagrees with, he just likes to, in his words 'take the piss'. That is not science that is bullying.

Like naughty children they just don't want to talk about what they have done. Science's famous motto had changed from "don't take anyone's word for it" to "You must take my word for it (and nobody else's)". Institutional Science had become a victim of Identity Theft by Militant Atheists and lost its soul.

Writer G. K. Chesterton said that "When men choose not to believe in God, they do not then believe in nothing, they are then capable of believing in anything". Now they *have to believe in absurdities*. Senior geneticist and philosopher Richard Lewontin gives an honest appraisal, in the New York Review of Books, of the attitude an atheist must have towards science "We take the side of science in spite of the patent absurdity of some of its constructs, in spite of its failure to fulfil many of its extravagant promises of health and life, in spite of the tolerance of the scientific community for unsubstantiated just-so stories ... because we cannot allow a Divine foot in the door." In other words they have to believe the unbelievable.

YOUR ID ACCORDING TO SCIENCE

Now that science and technology have taken over from the church as our guiding lights, what value does science put on your ID? There seems to be a competition among atheists to dream up the most horrible descriptions of mankind. For just one example theoretical physicist Stephen Hawking says "The human race is just a chemical scum on a moderate-sized planet, orbiting around a very average star in the outer suburb of one among a hundred billion galaxies." A completely insignificant handful of raw materials worth about £1·00. Some hurting kids were soon proud to put on that label.

PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY

In the case of a watch or clothes you can tell a fake ID from a genuine one by the way they perform. You can do the same with a fake human ID. A very large number of young people are becoming clinically depressed in the UK, even as young as six year olds. I think that the 'chemical scum' ID given to the human race by science is largely to blame.

You have been given an Identity by God of his image and of infinite value, don't let it be stolen by bullying scientists or media commentators. Don't let them stick the label 'chemical scum' on you, demand to be treated as a son or daughter of God.

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When told by an authority figure "Science says so", don't take anyone's word for it.