

# Impossible to ignore

The Bible's very first words are about intelligent design - "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Genesis 1.1.

And Psalm 19.1-4 describes the massive amount of information we have about all the design that is evident in the created world—"The heavens declare God's glory, and the firmament shows his handiwork. Day unto day utters speech, and night unto night reveals knowledge. There is no speech nor language where their voice is not heard. Their line has gone out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world."

Surely, all this is impossible to ignore!

**So, first**, because of such vast enlightenment, God holds us responsible for believing in him. His Word says that unbelief is without excuse. Romans 1.20.

**Second**, unbelievers otherwise face the difficult task of deciding that matter, of its own accord, created reason and logic and intelligence! Matter, on its own, created understanding and comprehension! Matter, unwittingly created purpose, and produced living creatures!

**Third**, do our schools teach that all design comes from randomness? I hope not. That's not only absurd, it's also bad science. In the meantime, how powerfully God's supporting evidence demonstrates his marvellous creativity. The very nature of the universe which science reveals encourages our belief in God.

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