

Dumb as Rocks!

‘So if you ask me about features, such as the human eye, which seems so well adapted to its purpose, I wouldn't have said that, as a specific entity, the eye is an example of design. We can understand how, if you have an ensemble of competing organisms, and competing species, then that competition can lead to the emergence of very clever-looking organs. I accept that Darwinian picture.’

Paul Davies, physicist, winner of the Templeton Prize.

In our modern era, we are still bewildered, by the ‘hard problem of consciousness’. How do we explain the appearance of life, upon our planet, and if we are just atoms, then how do we think, feel, and dream? How did the ancient rocks, in the presence of sunlight and water, create a biological process, over billions of years, leading to a symphony orchestra, flying upon a world tour, through 100 countries, speaking 1000 languages, with their concerts digitally recorded, so they can be enjoyed for decades? By what mechanism, did these historical rocks, create the information matrix of DNA, the biological forms of every creature, including their psyches, and transmit this information, sometimes for millions of years, including crossing the abyss's of life and death, through the fates of every individual form?

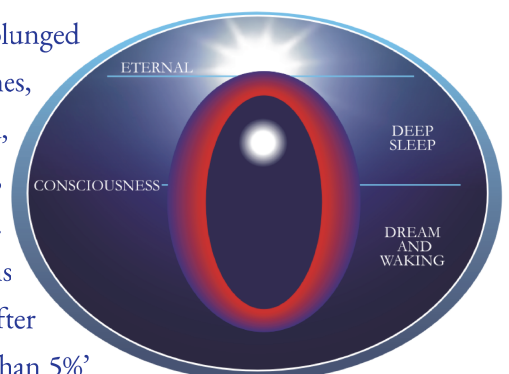


What astonishing ‘rock magic’ is this, especially when all the sciences, empowered with our greatest technologies, cannot create a single living cell, even when given, the necessary chemical components. Maybe we need to reconsider, our flippant, they are as ‘dumb as rocks’? Further, there must be stupid rocks, those who stay as rocks, even over billions of years, and smart rocks, who transform into the flights of eagles, and the sonar pulses, emitted by deep-diving whales. Perhaps we are misreading, the nature of our universe, perhaps we are too trusting, when we accept the appearances, to our physical senses, within the waking dimension of consciousness?

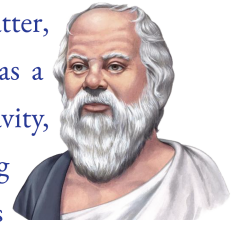


In the middle-ages, a group of scientists watched frogs, crawling from the mud, and believed, mud was spontaneously, turning into frogs, matter was spontaneously, creating consciousness. However, our modern science teaches us, this process of ‘mud creating frogs’, takes billions of years, with atoms joining to form molecules, proteins, cells and complex organisms, through vast evolutionary periods. But changing the time scales, does not change the underlying premise, ‘mud creates frogs’. If granny bakes a cake in five minutes, or five months, this does not change the premise, ‘granny bakes cakes’. Using the magician's trick of extended time, as a creation solution for evolution, is just a cheap, and embarrassing, deception. Even after millennia, empirical science, still faces the peculiar, appearance of frogs, and ‘thinking mud’. Science remains confronted, with a primal question, ‘are the background fields of our universe, matter, or consciousness’?

Empirical science loathes the ‘conscious universe’ concept. It is as if we have plunged back, into the millennia-old ignorance, surrounding soothsayers, witches, and mystics. Unfortunately, for the materialist view, science has encountered, two surrounding dimensions, those of Dark Matter, and Dark Energy, dimensions so mysterious, they could be labelled, ‘the breath of dragons’. These abstract realms, are non-baryonic, they are not made from the protons and neutrons, comprising our physical universe, and science predicts, after measuring, the cosmic gravitational fields, our known dimension, forms, ‘less than 5%’ of the total universe. Astonishingly, science has lost, the ‘elephant’ of creation!



Consciousness also has a non-baryonic aspect, so could these dimensions, be consciousness, and not matter, and would the existence of these dimensions, explain the appearance of life, upon our planet, not as a random possibility, in the casinos of chance, but as a natural flowering? Perhaps, our space-time-gravity, and primal matter, are simply the densest forms of consciousness, appearing within our waking dimension? Welcome to a universe, appearing as reflections, upon the ‘scales of dragons’, and has empirical science, while robed in all its hubris, and ignorance, accidentally stumbled, into Socrates’s historical Cave?



The ancient mystics agree, with empirical science. Our waking universe, forms ‘less than 5%’ of these three dimensions. However, the mystics’ calculation, is a precise, 2.040616..%, to as many decimal places, as mathematical Pi. Further, to the mystics, the two dimensions of Dark Matter, and Dark Energy, are the dimensions of dream, and deep sleep, and these dimensions, can be modelled, as tapestries, woven from, 33 powers of consciousness. These mystical insights, arise from the universal, ‘Law of Octaves’, creating the four realms, those of matter, biology, psyche, and consciousness. Dark Energy, Dark Matter, and our physical universe, are descending octets of one another, and as there are seven steps, within an octave, the formula for our physical universe, is simply, as a percentage, 100 divided by 49. Poetically, and with comedic value, the number 49, approaches 42, the number in the Hitchhiker’s galactic guide, considered to be, the secret of the universe!



Now before empirical science, descends into ridicule, and the laughter of hyenas, has not empirical science, already proven the ‘octet concept’, with the discovery, known as the ‘eightfold way’ of sub-particle chromodynamics, and the nine overlapping octaves, within the 64 codons of DNA? We are also surrounded, by our human love of octet music, and octet dance, as if we are moving, to the rhythms of a musical universe. Perhaps, to understand the creation forces, surrounding us, we will need eight dimensions, and 64 powers, those of consciousness, and Eternal Awareness? Do we have an alternative, to a conscious universe, unless we are satisfied, with the child’s conclusion, ‘Rocks from Nothing, just make Everything’? This innocent, but simplistic perspective, echoes one of the founding stones of Satanism, ‘matter creates consciousness’, a belief which has entombed, the human soul!

‘The first gulp from the glass of natural sciences will make you an atheist,
but at the bottom of the glass God is waiting for you.’

Werner Heisenberg, Nobel Prize in Physics 1932, for the creation of Quantum Mechanics.

‘When I look inside and see that I am nothing, that is wisdom.

When I look outside and see that I am everything, that is love.

And between these two, my life flows.’

Sri Nisargadatta Maharaj, Indian mystic.

