

A WOMAN'S RESPONSE TO STEPHEN HAWKING

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Spontaneous creation is the reason there is something rather than nothing, why the universe exists, why we exist. It is not necessary to invoke God to light the blue touch paper and set the universe going.

Stephen Hawking and Leonard Mlodinow
THE GRAND DESIGN.

As a female, listening to Dr. Hawking's statements in a Science Channel Program suggesting that "we do not need a God for the creation of the universe" was a blow so sickening to my mind that it created a 'black hole' in my entire being which swallowed everything from my brain and left a BLANKNESS OF NOTHING; WOW!

Well, it seems to me that this is what Dr. Hawking is trying to establish: a 'nothingness'; like he said, there was a void and everything that happened from that void was a random action of circumstances; a reaction for just that moment. We are accidents of the universe and there is no life after death. His words imply that no lasting feelings of connections for each other are necessary, we have only this life now, and when it is over, that is it!!

It is very 'funny' to imagine that we do not need history, tradition, our beautiful Sun, Moon, and Earth; most of all, we do not need love, compassion, or any feelings for humanity; and the joy of giving and re-giving to each other becomes meaningless. So why do we need to educate anyone when all that we are going to find at the end of our 'one and only life' is a VOID where everything, physically, mentally, and spiritually comes to a dead STANDSTILL!

I think Dr. Hawking is at a VOID in his understanding! He gave us many wonderful explanations and research material in his previous books; where did that knowledge and understanding come from? I am sure that it did not emerge from a mental and spiritual VOID within himself.

As we women know well, giving life to another life must have a greater meaning

in our consciousness than a start from nothing. First of all, we must have male and female duality even in physics. Then there is the soul and spirit matter; if we don't need anybody and nothing else, we would have creation and evolution in physical and spiritual science without any reason and we could all become fatalists. However, science has always had a problem with God, love, and consciousness. Come to think of it, most scientists are happily married; it looks like they have the strict cold science on one hand, and loving relationships and belief on the other, including a mate, or maybe they just need to be taken care of so that they have time to dream up more NOTHINGNESS and VOIDS!

The sooner we face the fact that we cannot take belief, hope, compassion, love and, most of all education and a belief in a creative consciousness out of our lives, the better we will understand the universe and its creation. Even if the universe created itself, it is still an action of life, no matter what the scientists call it; and, it is certainly not a NOTHINGNESS!

I am a pianist and pedagogue of music with a lifetime of education and experience, so I know that when a composer writes a beautiful symphony or concerto, he first had to feel and hear an idealization of it in his mind before he could write it down, or store it in his memory. Then, each time he plays it, he can improvise and improve upon it; however, suppose there is no feeling or love for his composition and writing it was just a 'spark' of the moment, it still was a creation of his feeling and thought, does that make him a nobody with nothing?

Finally, I and my beloved soulmate are in a continuous state of rejoicing because we are having the greatest and most eternal "EUREKA" experience of them all: we have discovered that instead of being a VOID, our entire COSMOS is gloriously ALIVE and the consciousness of the energy of LOVE and LIFE which is resonating within each thing, is joyously communicating with the consciousness of energy in all other things!