



Evolution and Religion... or religion and religion?

Simple photosynthesis?

When light is combined with carbon dioxide and water it produces energy which is a source of plant food. But, without something called **chlorophyll**...the formula does not work. Without chlorophyll most plants cannot survive and this causes a serious problem for all living things. Everything would die of carbon dioxide poisoning.

What photosynthesis does is simple. How it works is far from simple...in fact unexplainable.

So the question is simple. Which came first, photosynthesis, chlorophyll or plants? Without the partnership between plants and chlorophyll there would be no photosynthesis which maintains the delicate balance between oxygen and carbon dioxide in the air. If the balance is not just right everything dies. How can we separate the process from the parts. It takes all three, plus carbon dioxide and water to make a plant.

The simple answer is, when we have everything in place, doing its job with absolute precision, we have a first plant...and not one second earlier.

To imagine that the process of photosynthesis happened by chance take remarkable faith. Why would a person want to believe it...unless belief would fatally damage a pre-conceived belief. Do you suppose we could be dealing with **religion** and religion instead of **evolution** and religion?

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