

**Review: Ray Comfort, *Famous Atheists: Their Senseless Arguments and How to Easily Answer Them*, Bridge Logos, Alachua, FL, 2015**

**Pages:** 123

**Anti-Atheism Pocket Grenade**

This short book undercuts axioms of atheism of having objective morality, a created universe *ex nihilo*, and the existence of living creatures, all without God. It does so without heavy argumentation making it easy to get to the crux of the matter when dealing with the ‘intelligent’ atheist, i.e., that he is in grave anger of hellfire for transgressions against a holy God.

The survey of famous atheists shows up their core arguments as mostly bravado, though unfortunately very deceptive and effective for most people today, who either lack basic critical thinking skills, or the will to apply them to the big questions of life:

“While they promise them liberty, they themselves are the servants of corruption: for of whom a man is overcome, of the same is he brought in bondage.”

**II Peter 2.19, Authorized Version**

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**I) The Issue of Faith and Evolution (pp. 1-10)**

The coccyx anchors twelve muscles at the base of the spine and helps with using the bathroom.

The appendix is a safe house of beneficial gut bacteria.

**II) The Evidence for Evolution and Its Benefits (pp. 11-21)**

The giraffe-growing-a-longer-neck theory came from a French scientist Jean-Baptiste Lamarck, however, science says acquired characteristics have no genetic basis.

The atheist’s worldview allows them to lie through their teeth.

An atheist has no motivation to investigate the truth of his beliefs, moreover, he doesn't want to so he can justify his own lifestyle.

### **III) What Famous Atheists Believe (pp. 23-42)**

George Harrison was the quiet Beatle who became a Hare Krishna.

George Carlin was a black humorist.

Αγνοστος means “unknowable”. James Cameron called this “cowardly atheism”.

### **IV) More Famous Atheists (pp. 43-51)**

A fossilised leaf insect from a German lake bed published in 2006 is said to be 47myo.

Bonobos are said to be our closest genetic relatives, however, pig's organs are more compatible with humans which would indicate a common ancestor.

There have been over three hundred wars in the last hundred years.

Jim Jones of the People's Temple in Jonestown led 909 people to mass suicide in 1978.

### **V) Edison, Hitchens, Gates, Einstein, and Others (pp. 53-59)**

Hitchens died of throat cancer in December 2011 due to smoking.

Bill Gates is touted as an atheist, yet he claims Pakistani women are doing 'God's work' in delivering vaccines.

Einstein said he was not an atheist.

### **VI) The Good Delusion (pp. 61-71)**

### **VII) The Hornet's Nest (pp. 73-84)**

Paul Zachary Myers said, “if babies are atheists, then so are trees and rocks.”

Positive atheism is impossible.

**VIII) The “Science” Guy (pp. 85-90)**

Madalyn Murray O’Hair, American Atheist's Inc. founder tried to sue the US Government for the reading of Genesis in space, however, the lawsuit was dropped due to jurisdictional inapplicability.

**IX) Can the Bible Be Trusted? (pp. 91-103)**

When in doubt, the author falls back to checking the “original wording” in the Hebrew or Greek.

**X) The Emperor Has No Clones (pp. 105-123)**