**‘Big Bang…Primordial Soup…Evolution…Really?’**

How do we address those who argue that creation came into being through other means? I personally believe there are a number of ways to do this, but my favorite is by asking the **“What caused that?”** question. For instance, “The big bang *(theory)* is an attempt to explain how the universe developed from an extremely dense state into what it is today.”[[1]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftn1) The downfall of this theory is that it doesn’t bother to address the “cause” question. What “caused” that “very dense” thing from which the entire universe came into being? I would think that that would be a natural question to ask but instead of asking it, scientists, philosophers, and even some theologians (yes, sad but true) don’t go there. Instead, these people surmise that “After the initial expansion, the universe cooled sufficiently to allow the formation of subatomic particles, and later simple atoms. Giant clouds of these primordial elements later coalesced through gravity to form stars and galaxies.”[[2]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftn2) Mind you, all of this is happening without any outside aid. My question, of course, is where did ‘gravity’ come from? What caused that?

In 1924 the term ***“Primordial soup”*** was introduced into the evolutionary discussion by Soviet biologist Alexander Oparin. “He proposed a theory of the origin of life on Earth through the transformation, during the gradual chemical evolution of particles that contain carbon in the primordial soup…Biochemist Robert Shapiro summarized the “primordial soup” theory…as follows:

1. Early Earth had a chemically reducing atmosphere.
2. This atmosphere, exposed to energy in various forms, produced simple organic compounds (“monomers”).
3. These compounds accumulated in a “soup”, which may have been concentrated at various locations (shorelines, oceanic vents etc.).
4. By further transformation, more complex organic polymers – and ultimately life – developed in the soup.”[[3]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftn3)

Out of this “soup” all life is supposed to have come into existence. Really? The problem I have with Oparin is that he hasn’t come close to addressing the first cause question. Another dilemma I have regarding this theory, the Big Bang, and Evolution as a whole, is the observations that I’ve made *(and probably you’ve made also)* over and over again. I am led to conclude that there must be a Designer in all of this! Everything I see, from the smallest of creatures to the intricacies of our expansive and amazing universe, cries out for a Designer.

***‘Reasons to Believe’*** author, Hugh Ross in his 2006 article ***‘Fine-Tuning For Life In The Universe’*** writes, ***“For physical life to be possible in the universe, several characteristics must take on specific values.”***[[4]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftn4) Ross then goes on to list ninety-three different characteristics that must exist with constancy for life to be possible. To date, earth is the only planet that is known to meet **all** of the criteria for life to exist! This amazing fact shouts out to us, ‘There is a Designer!’

Yes, there is a Designer. The Designer is the God revealed in the Bible. This fact makes Him the ‘first Cause.’

Let’s not let those who promote theories such as the Big Bang, Primordial Soup, or Evolution derail us from this basic truth. The evidence for God is right before our eyes. Those who state otherwise apparently aren’t following the evidence to its logical conclusion OR, for personal reasons do not want to go there.

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[[1]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftnref1) http://science.howstuffworks.com/dictionary/astronomy-terms/big-bang-theory.htm

[[2]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftnref2) https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big\_Bang

[[3]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftnref3) https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Primordial\_soup#cite\_note-1

[[4]](http://yourbibleblog.com/2016/08/" \l "_ftnref4) http://www.reasons.org/articles/fine-tuning-for-life-in-the-universe