

My life



Hello there!!! My name is Johann (Yohan) Perera!!! I was born in the U.K. & educated at Southcott Lower, Linslade Middle & Cedars Upper schools in Leighton Buzzard. I usually came near the top of the year in maths & the sciences (not because of hard study though) so I was a lot better at the 100m sprints: for though I usually came about last (since I was the smallest boy in my year until about year 11) I liked sprinting & I did put **all** my effort into it!!! Since maths & science were very easy for me, I continued studies at Clare college in Cambridge University, thinking that a Cambridge degree would be a passport to a well paid job & “therefore”, a happy life. At Clare, I took Maths, Physics, Physiology & Geology in the first year & I tried virtually everything under the sun: fencing, archery, canoeing, korfbal, snooker, rock climbing, badminton, squash, table football, rowing (!!!) amongst others (and of course, many of the social events associated with those clubs!!!) but by the end of the 2nd year, all these pursuits had lost their sparkle, & even maths became tedious!!! Since I studied in the laboratories I found out that the evidence for scientific theory is so, so sparse: for however much data you collect, there is always a gap between each datum; so if you zoom in enough there is a huge untested part of the theory so, if you have an infinitely big brain, you could fit an infinite number of **other** theories to fit the evidence (since you could put anything in the missing part)!!! In other words, the chemists talk of molecules, but the physicists would say, “actually it is atoms”; the nuclear physicists would say, “actually, it is neutrons, protons & electrons”; the particle physicists would say, “actually, it is quarks, leptons, neutrinos & so on ... they get down to a scale of about a billionth of a millimeter ... but what if you went down to a billionth of a billionth of a billionth of a millimeter? And deeper still? Who **knows** what’s down

there? In fact Einstein equated matter & energy together saying $E=mc^2$ (but **we** can’t prove this either, for we only have finite brains) which would mean that matter is infinitely divisible, so you need to have an infinite theory to correctly map out theoretical physics!!! So realising that my brain is not even as big as my bedroom, let alone Leighton Buzzard, my faith in scientific theory was destroyed: for I know that all the brains in the world can not even **begin** to map out an infinite theory!!! And actually, sometimes the experimental evidence didn’t agree with the theory!!! Between my 2nd & 3rd year, I went out to Sri Lanka on holiday where I met some happy Christians who said some things that I just could not get my head around!!! A lady called Michelle prayed, “I thank you **Lord** for bringing Johann from England to Sri Lanka” & I could just not understand **how** she could pray **that** when I had chosen to buy an air ticket & get on a plane & go!!! Another lady in a conversation said, “don’t store up treasure on earth, Johann, but in heaven”!!! I thought, “**how** do you store up treasure in **heaven**?”!!! She also wrote to me about her conversion: she was from a Christian family & had always gone to church, but a preacher had said, “going to church does not make you a Christian, just as living in a garage does not make you a car!!! You have to have **Jesus** in your heart to be a Christian!!!” At first, she puzzled over what this meant, so she asked **God** to explain, and he showed her **Jesus**, & she continued, “so now I live my life in the power of the Holy Spirit!!!” Again, I thought, “what on earth does it **mean** to live in the power of the Holy Spirit?” During my final year at Cambridge, I started to reason through my atheistic beliefs (not that I had a lot of faith in atheism anyway) for quite clearly, I could get a well paid job with my Cambridge degree, but there **are** rich people who are **not** happy. And there is nothing I can

receive from **this** world that **guarantees** happiness: I could have loads of money, or a lovely wife & children, or a high powered job, or fame or possessions, but **none** of these things **guarantee** happiness or contentment. [Indeed, I recently met some of my college friends at a reunion meal (who are obviously all Cambridge graduates) with well paid jobs & high positions in companies or society, but who are definitely **not** happy, but are stressed, worried or depressed] So after I graduated, I decided to read the bible to see **for myself** whether the bible is **God**’s book: for clearly, if there **is** an Almighty **God** in heaven who is **all powerful**, who put the stars in place & who **absolutely** loves us, he **must** have (by definition) a way to **guarantee** happiness, peace & contentment in our lives!!! So because I honestly looked for God with an open heart, he turned up (please right-click on  on my website’s welcome page for more details) so now I live my life in the power, peace & ecstasy of **heaven all** day long!!! So I invite you too, dearly beloved friends, to seek **God** & to diligently look for the truth by asking **God** to explain his ways & his power, as you think over & meditate on his good news in his only begotten Son, **Jesus Christ**, who **died** a terrible death on a **cross** to undo fear, sorrow, insomnia, tiredness, stress, sickness, loneliness, rejection, poverty, shame, worry, anxiety, madness & every vile addiction, bad habit & curse in our lives & to erase **our** arrogant, lying, selfish, adulterous, rebellious, immoral, foolish, lazy, cheating, cruel, harsh & evil ways (by faith) so that by **his** resurrection power we may walk as **Jesus** walked over sin & Death, & love as he first loved **us**, & gave his **life** for us!!! For the outworking & produce of faith & love is peace, ecstatic joy and every good & perfect gift, if you persevere with **God** and do **not** give up!!! So please give your life to **Jesus & always** rejoice ecstatically in him!!! Amen!!!

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With lots & lots of ever-so-much pure, overflowing, peaceful, fervent & ecstatic brotherly love to you & all our family & friends, in much abundance, from me, Yohan!!!