Darkwood Brew

Join Us for Live Broadcasts
http://darkwoodbrew.org

Questions:

1. What about nature, or the nature of things, reminds you of God? Why?

2. Michael suggests that scientific evidence should be experienced and studied as modern day scripture. Do you agree? Why, or why not?

3. How might better understanding science and evidence in our lives, help us overcome our innate struggles and live in what Michael calls, "Right relationship with reality"?

4. Is there a call to action within the idea of Christian Naturalism? What does it ask of us?

EPISODE TITLE: "The New Theists"

Evolving Universe Evolving Faith, Episode 3

Featured Guest: Michael Dowd

Michael Dowd is a bestselling evolutionary theologian and evangelist for Big History and an honorable relationship to the future. An outspoken New Theist and Religious Naturalist, he is author of the bridge-building book, Thank God for Evolution, which was endorsed by 6 Nobel Prize-winning scientists, noted skeptics, and religious leaders across the spectrum. In 2012 he delivered a TEDx talk and in 2009 was a Distinguished Lecturer at CalTech and at the United Nations. In 2010-11 he hosted an acclaimed conversation series, "The Advent of Evolutionary Christianity," and an "Evolutionize Your Life" online course.

Pneuma Divina Scripture: Psalm 42

1 As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God.
2 My soul thirsts for God,for the living God. When shall I come and behold the face of God?
3 My tears have been my food day and night, while people say to me continually, 'Where is your God?'
4 These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I went with the throng, and led them in procession to the house of God, with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, a multitude keeping festival.
5 Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help
6and my God. My soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar.
7 Deep calls to deep at the thunder of your cataracts; all your waves and your billows have gone over me.
8 By day the Lord commands his steadfast love, and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.
9 I say to God, my rock, 'Why have you forgotten me?
Why must I walk about mournfully because the enemy oppresses me?'
10 As with a deadly wound in my body, my adversaries taunt me,
while they say to me continually, 'Where is your God?'
11 Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

The New Revised Standard Version (Anglicized Edition), copyright 1989, 1995 by the Division of Christian Education of the National Council of the Churches of Christ in the United States of America. Used by permission. All rights reserved.

© 2014 Darkwood Brew. All rights reserved.