

Is Your Face “Over-Designed”?

Your face is capable of 10,000 expressions.

Smiling requires only 4 to 6 muscles, while frowning takes up to 20. Apes have fewer and coarser facial muscles. The human brain is uniquely equipped to recognize and form facial expressions and integrate them with speech to enable extraordinarily rich interpersonal communication.

Is your face over-designed? Yes—if your only purpose is to reproduce. Evolution is an anti-scientific fantasy, claiming that differential reproduction explains everything. Will 10,000 expressions enable you to



out-reproduce someone with only 9,500 . . . eventually driving such “primitives” into extinction? Of course not. The intricate design you see in the mirror is a gift from God to enrich your life. A luxury car may cost \$50K more

than a basic model, but both cars serve for transportation. The extra features are designed for pleasure. “Over-design” is a slam-dunk refutation of evolutionary story telling. Mutations and natural selection cannot produce “over-design.”

Consider your God-given over-designed uniqueness. Your hands (+brain) are skillful enough to play

a piano, type rapidly, throw a curve ball, paint, or sculpt. Your ears (+brain) can distinguish individual instruments in an orchestra. Your eyes (+brain) can process complexity, like rush hour traffic. Your mind (+brain) can compose music, solve equations, admire beauty, judge between right and wrong, and determine purpose for your life.

Ever notice that humans—uniquely—are not furry all over? Sensitive skin is a gift from God for sensuality. Do you use this gift for good (within marriage) or for evil, opening the door for STDs and sexual ad-



diction? Are your speech and facial expressions kind, or do you carelessly harm others?

God designed you to be part of His family, to enjoy a restored Earth someday. Your part is to humble yourself, repent from your destructive sins, and trust the Lord Jesus Christ, your Creator, who paid the penalty for all of your sins on the Cross. His resurrection gives you assured hope that you, too, can have victory over death. **The stakes are infinite.** Heaven or Hell. Live selfishly for a few years or follow the Lord Jesus and enjoy purpose and fellowship for now and for eternity.

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