



God, the Devil, and Darwin: A Critique of Intelligent Design Theory

By Niall Shanks

Oxford University Press. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 296 pages. Dimensions: 8.2in. x 5.4in. x 0.5in.ln the last fifteen years a controversial new theory of the origins of biological complexity and the nature of the universe has been fomenting bitter debates in education and science policy across North America, Europe, and Australia. Backed by intellectuals at respectable universities, Intelligent Design Theory (ID) proposes an alternative to accepted accounts of evolutionary theory: that life is so complex, and that the universe is so fine-tuned for the appearance of life, that the only plausible explanation is the existence of an intelligent designer. For many ID theorists, the designer is taken to be the god of Christianity. Niall Shanks has written the first accessible introduction to, and critique of, this controversial new intellectual movement. Shanks locates the growth of ID in the last two decades of the twentieth century in the growing influence of the American religious right. But as he shows, its roots go back beyond Aquinas to Ancient Greece. After looking at the historical roots of ID, Shanks takes a hard look at its intellectual underpinnings, discussing modern understandings of thermodynamics, and how self-organizing processes lead to complex physical, chemical, and...



Reviews

This pdf may be worth purchasing. This is for anyone who statte there was not a really worth reading. I found out this pdf from my i and dad encouraged this pdf to understand.

-- Mrs. Annamae Raynor

If you need to adding benefit, a must buy book. This really is for all who statte that there had not been a well worth reading. It is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding, once you begin to read the book.

-- Claud Bernhard

Related Books



Kindergarten Culture in the Family and Kindergarten; A Complete Sketch of Froebel's System of Early Education, Adapted to American Institutions. for the Use of Mothers and Teachers (Paperback)

Rarebooksclub.com, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English. Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. This historic book may have numerous typos and missing text. Purchasers can download a free scanned copy of the original...



Good Night, Zombie Scary Tales

Feiwel & Friends. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Iacopo Bruno (illustrator). Paperback. 112 pages. Dimensions: 8.2in. x 5.4in. x 0.2in. Welcome. Have a seat. Ignore the shambling undead outside. Let us tell you a story. But be warned. Good Night, Zombie isnt just any...



The Poems and Prose of Ernest Dowson

Book Jungle. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 200 pages. Dimensions: 9.2in. x 7.5in. x 0.5in.The Poems and Prose of Ernest Dowson The Project Gutenberg EBook of The Poems And Prose Of Ernest Dowson by Ernest Dowson et al Copyright laws are changing...



DK Readers The Story of Muhammad Ali Level 4 Proficient Readers

DK CHILDREN. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 48 pages. Dimensions: 8.7in. x 6.5in. x 0.2in.Written by leading childrens authors and compiled by leading experts in the field, DK Readers are one of the most delightful ways to capture childrens interest and help...



God Loves You. Chester Blue

Henry and George Press. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Ursula Andrejczuk (illustrator). Paperback. 140 pages. Dimensions: 8.0in. x 5.2in. x 0.3in.BEAUTIFUL NEW ILLUSTRATIONS BRING THE STORY TO LIFE!A charming book about a mysterious bear that shows up in the right place at just...



Two Treatises: The Pearle of the Gospell, and the Pilgrims Profession to Which Is Added a Glasse for Gentlewomen to Dresse Themselues By. by Thomas Taylor Preacher of Gods Word to the Towne of Reding. (1624-1625) (Paperback)

Proquest, Eebo Editions, United States, 2010. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English. Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. EARLY HISTORY OF RELIGION. Imagine holding history in your hands. Now you can. Digitally preserved and previously accessible...