

Question about Satan and Time

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As a composer, I understand the inequality of the anthropic principle, and how it absolutely shares similarities to music:

Let's take a marching band show...now, I could browse a few catalogues and purchase the entire show, complete with band and percussion parts, or I could write one from scratch. Usually, we start with some sort of concept and compose around it to make the music convey the theme. If I buy stock music it will be ready much faster, but I will not know it as deeply as one I compose unless I study it note by note. OR, I could just disregard the need to know the music deeply and hand it out to the kids to play. I have found that in the past several years, when I write the music for the band show I am better able to shape it in the hands of these great kids. Do we live in a universe that reflects an artist's touch through the careful crafting of every note on the page, or do we live in an overnight-delivery-available, in-stock published show that was purchased on a whim?

You could also think about the example of a birthday card: homemade, or Hallmark - which is more valued? I do not think we can really fathom the complete value God places on us, but knowing that He took so long (relative to our lives) to create this place for us should give us inspiration to consider the topic. THEN, consider how Jesus enhanced our value through His death!!!