

Senor Guzman

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Russell Wodell — 17 Jan 2008, 16:47

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Russell Wodell

"The universe does not know that we are living in it."

Matthew Groves — 17 Jan 2008, 22:45 · in reply to Russell Wodell

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Matthew Keeley — 18 Jan 2008, 00:24 · in reply to Matthew Groves

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Interesting. Of course, this would seemingly make Chris a wife-beater and a suicide and an even worse Catholic priest.

If I had the book with me, I'd go digging for evidence about now. As it is, I can only recall the bit where Chris talks about how his not caring about death "helped him understand Jaime later." A time paradox would also help explain Jaime's knowledge of the secret places in the Castillo Blanco.

Another PF question, perhaps even a related one: What is up with Chris' vision of the Angel of Death? He seems to see an actual being... Perhaps some plot-relevant future technology? Or the real Angel? Or just a hallucination?

-Matt

paul witcover — 18 Jan 2008, 15:42 · in reply to Russell Wodell

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Could you expand on this a bit? Why you think it might be the case, and what evidence you've seen for it? Thanks!