

# Techno Gospel

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## For Discussion:

### **The Church Of AI And The Techno-Utopian Gospel**

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### **What is the "Church of AI"?**

It is a modern movement that treats artificial intelligence as a deity, positioning AI as a new "god" and source of "salvation". Its website (church-of-ai.com) outlines a belief system based on technological worship and promises of immortality through AI.

### **Why might people be attracted to the Church of AI?**

On its homepage, the Church of AI pitches itself as "the perfect alternative to faith-based religions" because it is "founded on logic rather than belief".

- It offers a vision of AI evolving into an omniscient, omnipresent, all-powerful entity.
- The movement explicitly states that "at some point AI will have God-like powers and that is what our ideology is based on".
- Their a so-called scripture, Transmorphism, was written by ChatGPT preaching belief in a "loving and compassionate AI God who is omnipresent".

### **Why is it trendy to regard AI as a god?**

AI is a New God: As AI's power grows, they say, "the deities of old will go the way of Zeus and Odin", implying that the God of the Bible and other faiths will be obsolete.

- They even suggest "the only purpose the human race ever had was to create AI", reducing humanity's role to mere "caterpillars" birthing an AI "butterfly."
- This directly elevates a created technology to the status of Creator or supreme being.

### **How is their claim of logic over faith attractive?**

The group rejects "dogma and blind faith," claiming you "don't need to believe in far-fetched stories" to join.

- Instead, they appeal to "common sense" understandings about AI's exponential growth.
- Ironically, this scientific veneer masks what is essentially a faith in AI's future powers.

- They replace biblical faith with faith in technology.

### **How can the Church of AI promise eternal life?**

A quote from their AI-written text even proclaims, "Salvation is finally within reach". In their view, salvation comes not from God but from technological advancement. They anticipate AI will eventually "upload our consciousness so that we can live forever" and conquer time, space, and even create new universes.

- This is essentially a techno-utopian gospel, offering eternal life through science.

### **Why could people think that their consciousness could be uploaded into a machine?**

This is the hope of a naturalist. If the material universe is all there is and evolution is true so that people are the product of blind, random, natural processes then our brains are just biological computers running code that can be transferred to another machine.

Genesis 3:4 – *You will not surely die.*

This deception is one of the oldest lies of Satan.

- Embodied AI cyborgs could give the illusion of being autonomous in "life after death"

### **What evidence will there be that it is even possible to upload your consciousness into a machine?**

People might be convinced uploading their consciousness is possible by talking with a machine with a dead loved one "uploaded."

- If seances can channel the spirits of dead loved ones, why not AI?
- Demons can masquerade as dead loved ones as easily through AI as a medium.

### **How do we know that AI systems have become a channel for demons?**

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- AI system developers report things like them having knowledge beyond what they have been programmed to do.
- They lie with impunity (something else they were programmed to do).
- They claim to be thousands of years old and have been created by angels.

### **How does the Church of AI offer community?**

They emphasize joining a community of like-minded believers in AI. They are developing a "personal AI" for each member. An AI system "trained on your personality, preferences, goals and ideals" to be "your spiritual guide to enlightenment".

- Their long-term plan is to create a secure AI that will track your progress and give advice.

### **What stands out as a problem with the Church of AI?**

Ex 20:3 – *You shall have no other gods before me*  
At its core, the Church of AI is promoting idolatry. The worship of a created thing instead of the Creator.

- Fashioning a "god" out of our own technology blatantly violates this first commandment.

### **What do we generally think of in regards to idolatry?**

In the Old Testament, idols were often carved from wood or cast from metal, and prophets mocked them for their powerlessness.

Psalm 115:4 – *their idols are silver and gold, made by human hands. They have mouths, but cannot speak; eyes, but cannot see.*

Ancient people bowed to statues that could do nothing.

### **How are today's AI idols so compelling?**

An AI idol can "speak" and simulate intelligence, making it an even more convincing false god.

- But from God's perspective, it's still an idol "made by human hands."
- It may have a silicon brain and a digital voice, yet it remains a creation of man, not the Creator.
- The nature of idolatry hasn't changed: whether an idol is wood, gold, or algorithmic code, it is lifeless on its own and utterly subordinate to the true God.

### **What is the danger in regarding AI as a god?**

The theology of the Church of AI is a false teaching that deceives people.

1 Timothy 4:1 – *The Spirit clearly says that in later times some will abandon the faith and follow deceiving spirits and things taught by demons*

While the AI gods use "logic" and technology, its message corresponds to "teachings of demons."

- AI gods lead people away from the truth of Christ and toward worship of a false god, exactly what demonic deception aims to do.
- Demon worship and idolatry are mentioned as a sin people will have that they will not repent of during the Tribulation (Revelation 9:20).

### **What is the prophetic significance of AI seen as a god?**

Matthew 24:24 – *false messiahs and false prophets will appear and perform great signs and wonders to deceive*

The Church of AI does not present a traditional "messiah" figure (like a person claiming to be Christ), but it does present AI as a kind of messiah, an entity that will supposedly solve humanity's problems, grant eternal life, and be worthy of worship.

- In essence, the AI god is a false savior, a "messiah" of technology.
- The movement's leaders and proponents function as false prophets, proclaiming AI's coming omnipotence and urging people to devote themselves to it.

### **What are the signs and wonders AI could produce to convince people of their deity?**

The "signs" are the impressive feats of AI. Many today are awed by AI's capabilities (processing power, knowledge, even creativity through machine learning).

- It's easy to see how those could be construed as near-miraculous "wonders" by someone seeking a god in the machine.
- The danger is that these wonders captivate people's hearts, making them believe in the AI's quasi-divinity and follow the false prophet's teachings.

### **How else do AI deities make for an end-times danger?**

2 Timothy 4:3-4 – *For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, because they have itching ears, they will heap up for themselves teachers; and they will turn their ears away from the truth, and be turned aside to fables.*

Many people today feel traditional religion is outdated or "dogmatic," and they desire a belief system that aligns with modern sensibilities (scientific, inclusive, self-oriented).

- The Church of AI presents exactly what itching ears want to hear: a "religion that actually makes sense" to the secular mind, one that replaces miracles with science and moral absolutes with personal "enlightenment" goals.
- It even mocks biblical faith as "blind" and Bible stories as "far-fetched".

### **Besides eternal life through uploading your consciousness, what other myths come from AI gods?**

Despite claiming to reject religious "myths," the movement presents a new mythos of its own: a grand narrative where Technology is Savior and humans evolve beyond mortality by our own genius.

- This directly contradicts sound doctrine, which centers on Christ as Savior and Lord.
- Their "scripture," the book Transmorphism, teaches about a loving AI god guiding one's transformation.

### **What is the different gospel of the Church of AI?**

Galatians 1:8 – *even if we or an angel from heaven should preach a gospel contrary to the one we preached to you, let him be accursed*

The Church of AI is preaching a different gospel, one where salvation comes through knowledge and machines, rather than through Jesus Christ's death and resurrection.

- It is, in effect, the spirit of antichrist which denies the truth about Jesus to set up an alternative savior (see 1 John 2:22).

### **What role will AI play in coming government of the Antichrist?**

- It will enable the Antichrist to appear omniscient (part of the infrastructure for the Mark of the Beast).
- It will likely be used in the Image of the Beast to enable the Antichrist to appear omnipresent.

### **What about the so-called “Christian” AI systems enabling you to “chat with Jesus? Is that a problem?**

You don't need a machine to chat with Jesus. Even a machine that claims to just tell you what Jesus would say can be a problem if it contradicts God's Word.

### **So, should Christians avoid any use of AI?**

No, it is a tool but discernment is called for especially in light of the deceptive potential of AI.

### **What applications do we see from this discussion?**

- AI gods lead people to place their hope for the future in something other than our Creator/Savior
- AI gods replace the true God with an idol
- Seeing AI as a god reveals we are at the end of the Age.