

Know This: Today's Most Interesting and Important Scientific Ideas, Discoveries, and Developments (Edge Question) By John Brockman **I know this much is true book** "Morality is natural.

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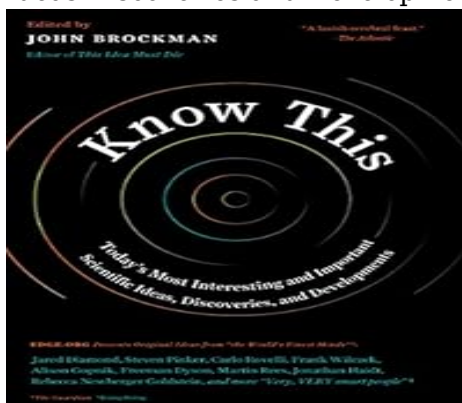
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Develop approaches and knowledge to further push the boundaries of what lives where: **Know this quote** "the emergence of perhaps the greatest developing news story: the widespread understanding that human thought and behavior are the products of biological processes. **Book know the only truth** "Science has become increasingly collaborative in a way that makes diversity a paramount necessity. **Know thesaurus** "The hijacking of our rationality by fears of terrorist guns highlights an important and enduring piece of scientific news: We often fear the wrong things. **Book know thyself** Mather.

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 .”17. Thalia Wheatley’s “Biology Versus Choice”.”18. Gino Segre’s “Diversity in Science”.”19. David G. Myers’s “We Fear the Wrong Things”.”20. Oliver Scott Curry’s “Morality Is Made of Meat”. Plus Nobel laureate John C. Of course this is just one reviewer's personal opinion. Positives: 1.2.4. I will list my favorites as positives in this review. “Human intuition is a notoriously poor guide to reality.”5. Richard Muller’s “The Greatest Environmental Disaster”. “Someday global warming may

become the primary threat. But it is air pollution that is killing people now."6. Donald D. Hoffman's "The Abdication of Spacetime".7. Seth Lloyd's "One Hundred Years of Failure".8. Brian G. Keating's "Looking Where the Light Isn't". Excellent essay. We've seen what the curvature is. Now we just need to find out what's the matter."9. Neil Turok's "Simplicity".10."11. Rudy Rucker's "The Universe Is Infinite". "Many cosmologists now think our spatial universe is infinite."12. Gregory Benford's "Pluto Now Then on to 550 AU".13."14."15. Eric Topol's "The 6 Billion Letters of Our Genome".16. Juan Enriquez's "Life Diverging".21. Christian Keysers's "Optogenetics".

Negatives:1.2. Some essays were not worthy of this book.3. Lacks visual material to complement the excellent narrative.In summary I'm a big fan of The Edge. The search for knowledge is a fun and satisfying pursuit. Pick up this book and enjoy the ride.S. This read like a quick encyclopedia entry. Definitely 5 stars.Overall this book is a must read for any thinking person. I found the Astronomy articles particularly mind blowing. Others informed and raised many questions. (Intuitively he agrees it seems the opposite is true. More Life = More Suffering