



## About the prospect of receiving an execution date soon

Robert Pruett, 37 years old, 17 years on death row in Texas

What I do know is I won't change my way of living because of this unfavorable ruling. I will keep living in the moment and continue to try to make the most of every experience. I won't become overwhelmed, saddened, or afraid... I do wonder about what comes after death. I think of the particles that comprise my body, how interconnected body and mind are, and what exactly happens when the life force leaves the body? Of course these are old musings for me, and the answers aren't all that important. I mean, I know that everything is energy and energy never dies, it transforms, so it's all okay for me. I just wonder about consciousness and whether or not the experiences we have, the lessons we've learned, are somehow saved and contribute to the evolution of being and the universe? I think everything counts, nothing is ever lost.

Regardless, there's no fear for me, just a curious wonderment at what comes next, if anything at all.

But hey, I'm not there yet! I still have some hope, and I won't give up just yet!

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