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Thread: [Would you rather know how you're going to die or when you're going to die?](#)

Tax - October 30, 2018, 1:40 pm

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Yin Yang - October 30, 2018, 1:41 pm

Neither I want to live my life and let it happen, when it happens

dontspamthisplease - October 30, 2018, 1:42 pm

If both information are certain, I'd want to learn when so I can live accordingly and do whatever I want before I die. It would be absurd to have a family and die right in the middle of it, leaving a widowed wife and maybe some babies etc

Lynx - October 30, 2018, 1:43 pm

None. Couldn't live knowing how or when I am going to die.. If you know how, you are always looking around you if that situation could happen. If you know when, you are basically waiting to die.

James Burnham - October 30, 2018, 1:46 pm

Why are there so many negative questions in the lounge?

"If you found out you had a terminal illness would you kill yourself? Or ride it out?"

"Would you rather know how you're going to die or when you're going to die?"

"How much time do you spend cleaning your home?"

System[X] - October 30, 2018, 1:47 pm

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Thanks

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That's some nice plot hole in the question, nice catch

Almonds - October 30, 2018, 1:55 pm

I would like to know when I'll die.

b?xxy - October 30, 2018, 2:01 pm

I would rather not know either.

I feel like that would just make me constantly paranoid.

voidshifter666 - October 30, 2018, 2:07 pm

None. But if I really had too, probably when. Knowing how would make me too anxious about it.

Dariustresor - October 30, 2018, 2:18 pm

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I prefer to know how im going to die, I dont want to count also , it will be absolutely terrible and
can trigger a lot of anxiety

KingSo - October 30, 2018, 2:19 pm

I would want to know so I can just prevent it by staying inside my entire life

Unkn0wnUs3r - October 30, 2018, 2:19 pm

When. I'd much prefer arrange the spending of my finances based on the date of dying.

THE SCHIZOPHRENIC - October 30, 2018, 2:23 pm

Of course to know how am I going to die and trick the death HERSELF

CyberStrike - October 30, 2018, 2:34 pm

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doing something I love and enjoy or something greater than myself.

Crypto - October 30, 2018, 2:38 pm

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I totally agree, if I did have to choose then I would go for the one that I'm less scared of, which is
when I will die.

I get fairly scared when I think about the horrible ways that people end their lives sometimes, for
example with a lot of pain or a long disease that literally kills them slowly...

JTMBoss - October 30, 2018, 2:49 pm

i probably would rather not know either because knowing each would just alter my life and i would
always be scared.

Zeus - October 30, 2018, 3:16 pm

I would rather know how I would die.

System[X] - October 30, 2018, 3:23 pm

If you know, then you can get things sorted, pay for the costs so your loved ones don't have the
stress and long time debt to pay fo the funeral and services(its expensive)

Say your goodbys to people you care about.

Live life to the fullest.

There are pros and cons to each situation but then it also depends on the age you are going to die, its a massive difference from 25 to 60. Whe you 60 you will probs have kids, grand children, lived your life the way you wanted to live it, 25 is such a shame, full future could have been ahead of you and lived so short.

if it was an old aged id like to know, if not then no.

Some say this has already been made for you, some say fate. But either way when its your time to depart the living, its your time. Nothing can change that YET...

Thanks

dontspamthisplease - October 30, 2018, 3:36 pm

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System[X] - October 30, 2018, 3:42 pm

(Oct 30, 2018 03:36 PM)dontspamthisplease Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Don't see any pros for knowing "how"
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You see no pros in that ?

Thanks

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System[X] - October 30, 2018, 3:47 pm

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Thanks

dontspamthisplease - October 30, 2018, 3:51 pm

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I literally wrote knowing how is not important and you said "what?" then wrote I wrote initially lol

SIM-1349466 - October 30, 2018, 3:56 pm

I'd rather know "when" than "how" if you're told how, it could be at any time and if it's something that

isn't oddly specific, you can't avoid it.

Redemption - *October 30, 2018, 4:07 pm*

I feel like knowing either of these would greatly impact your life. If you know how you're going to die, you'll attempt to avoid it at all cost but if you know when you'll die then you're just counting down the day until you die.

Zeus - *October 30, 2018, 4:08 pm*

I would like to know how, rather than when.

.irie - *October 30, 2018, 4:10 pm*

I'd like to know when I would die. I think I wouldn't be able to really handle the truth about how I'll die. Scary.

neverhave1ever - *October 30, 2018, 8:32 pm*

Id rather know when because if I knew why, my dumb ass would try to prevent it

Zeus - *October 30, 2018, 9:42 pm*

I would rather know how. Knowing when is awful.