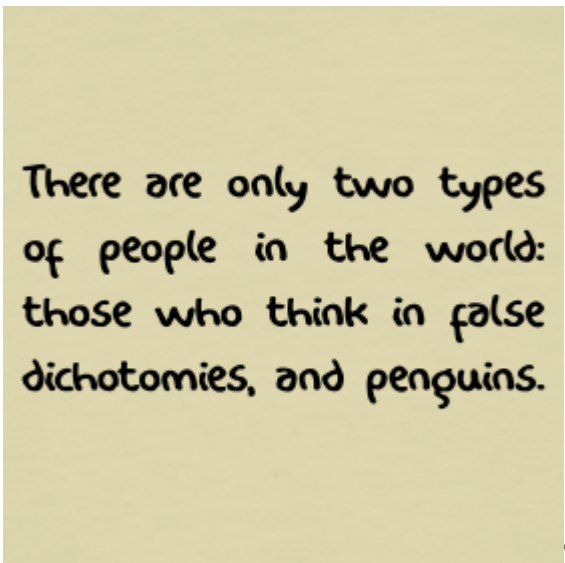


# Fun with fallacies 11: You either agree 100% with what I said or you hate women

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There are only two types  
of people in the world:  
those who think in false  
dichotomies, and penguins.

The false dichotomy is one of those fallacies that many people do not notice in a heated discourse. My impetus for writing another fun with fallacies and picking this fallacy was that I ran into a youtube video where the core argument on an abstract level was *“Either you accept all aspects of an ideology, or you are an enemy of that ideology”*. If you’ve read my post on [religion vs ideology](#), here is your sign

At the core of a false dichotomy is a choice between two things, but those two are not your only options. *“You are either with us or against us”* is a false dichotomy in that you can always be ambivalent. One area in which humans are very prone to this type of fallacy is in our love lives. I’m fairly certain that everyone who reads this has had a friend with “oneitis” who is playing the “If I don’t get with her, I’ll be alone for the rest of my life.”

A way to spot a false dichotomy is by comparing the choice to the choice of “Live or die” there are only 2 options here, if you think there are more then odds are someone is trying to convince you through using a false dichotomy.

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