



Glass is always half empty, study concludes

After years of debate on the divisive subject of whether half a glass of water is half full or half empty, researchers have finally settled in favour of the pessimistic point of view.

"It took many tests, many heated debates, many glasses of water, and a few glasses of beer too," said Malcolm Smith, lead researcher. Shortly after saying that he burped, revealing he wasn't lying about the beer.

Tests showed that when subjects were left alone

in a room with just half a glass of water for hours on end, they drank the water.

"Nine out of ten tests resulted in an empty glass, so we thought, wait a minute there's a pattern here," gushed Smith.

"You're far more likely to drink half a glass of water than you are to refill it," said Smith, confident that his conclusive research will change the world and win him the Nobel prize.

Some might call that 'glass half full' thinking.

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