



1. The Sun and Other Stars
2. Planet Earth
3. TVs, Cell Phones, and Computers
4. You and I

In conclusion, a Universe without supernova would be pretty boring! We'd have the Sun and other stars, but there would be no Earth, let alone plants or animals or buildings or people!

So look around you: practically all the things you see are made of elements that were cooked up and released in supernova explosions many billions of years ago, before the Sun was born. Even each one of us is made of elements that came from supernova explosions. American astronomer Carl Sagan used to say that we are all made of star stuff and its literally true!!!