

Re: Could a human walk on Titan's surface?

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allisonki@IGNmail.com wrote:

> *What about on Mars, without a spacesuit?*

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> *Warmest temperatures on Mars are something like +40F (+4C) as I recall.*

> *Could a human at one of these warm locations take a big gulp of air*

> *inside the spaceship and run outside holding his breath for a few*

> *seconds, then run back inside, without getting killed? Assuming no dust*

> *storms, volcanoes, etc. are in progress at the time, of course. What*

> *would kill him, if anything?*

Didn't you see "Mars Attacks"?

Seriously (not!) I'd just complain to the newspaper company. Tell the boy to get it closer to the porch. :-)

Don't exhale. At that pressure, you would lose O₂ from your blood through your lungs. You'd pass out faster trying to breathe than you would if you held even a small amount of air in your lungs.

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