

The Real Climate Change Solution

We hear all kinds of things about Climate Change. It used to be called global warming until the world began cooling back in 1998, and at the moment it's still cooling, but over the last century, there has still been a slight warming, particularly in the Northern hemisphere.

The question is, has it been caused by man's activities, or by natural causes beyond our control? And is it a serious threat to mankind's future as the alarmists claim?

What are man's responsibilities with regard to the earth, and finally, what **is** the solution to man's abuse of our beautiful planet?

Even with the government here in Britain financing television ads designed to scare us into accepting their global warming alarmism, based on a non-existent threat from CO₂, I was still astounded at the recent suggestion that we should kill off one third of our cows because they produce greenhouse gasses in quantity!

That this idea was even picked up by the supposed greens, reveals the ignorance and naivety of so many today about the marvellous interdependence of all life here on God's earth, as this essay will reveal. It is amazing that so many people have been prepared to accept the consensus of those who gain financial benefit from its support, without taking an unbiased look at the available evidence.

So, first, let's dismiss some of the bad science behind this insane global warming alarmism. First of all, let it be stated that water vapour makes up at least 85% of all the greenhouse gases that influence our climate, and CO₂ is actually only a *fraction* of the rest!

This fact is totally ignored by the IPCC! (The UN's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change)

Add to that the fact that mother nature is actually responsible for 95% of that *fraction* of atmospheric CO₂, while man creates only a miniscule 5%. It doesn't take a great brain then, to figure out that even if CO₂ **was** a cause of global warming, whatever changes man made in his behaviour is going to have almost no impact whatsoever on the net warming result.

Then take in this fact. Water vapour, methane, carbon dioxide and other minor greenhouse gasses all increase **AS** the earth warms. They don't drive the increase; it has been proved that they **follow** the increase - they are not the cause of global warming, but the result! Why is this fact ignored by the alarmists?

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12 Facts about Global Climate Change That You Won't Read in the Popular Press

1 Temperatures have been cooling since 2002, even as carbon dioxide has continued to rise.

2 Carbon dioxide is a trace gas and by itself will produce little warming. Also, as CO₂ increases, the incremental warming is less, as the effect is logarithmic so the more CO₂, the

less warming it produces.

3 CO₂ has been totally uncorrelated with temperature over the last decade and significantly negative since 2002.

4 CO₂ is not a pollutant, but a naturally occurring gas. Together with chlorophyll and sunlight, it is an essential ingredient in photosynthesis and is, accordingly, plant food.

5 Reconstruction of paleoclimatological CO₂ concentrations demonstrates that carbon dioxide concentration today is near its lowest level since the Cambrian Era some 550 million years ago, when there was almost 20 times as much CO₂ in the atmosphere as there is today without causing a “runaway greenhouse effect.”

6 Temperature changes **lead**, not lag, CO₂ changes on all time scales. The oceans may play a key role, emitting carbon dioxide when they warm as carbonated beverages lose fizz as they warm and absorbing it as they cool.

7 Most of the warming in the climate models comes from the assumption that water vapor and precipitation increase as temperatures warm, a strong positive feedback. Water vapor is a far more important greenhouse gas than CO₂. However, that assumption has been shown in observations and peerreviewed research to be wrong, and in fact water vapor and precipitation act as a negative feedback that reduces any small greenhouse warming from carbon dioxide.

8 Indeed, greenhouse models show the warming should be greatest at mid to high atmosphere levels in the tropics. But balloon and satellite observations show cooling there. The greenhouse signature or DNA does not match reality, and the greenhouse models thus must greatly overstate the warming – and in a court of law would have to be acquitted of any role in global warming

9 The sun has both direct and indirect effects on our climate. Solar activity changes on cycles of 11 years and longer. When the sun is more active it is brighter and a little hotter. More important though are the indirect effects. Ultraviolet radiation increases much more than the brightness and causes increased ozone production, which generates heat in the high atmosphere that works its way down, affecting the weather. Also, an active sun diffuses cosmic rays, which play an important role in nucleation of low clouds, resulting in fewer clouds. In all these ways the sun warms the planet more when it is active. An active sun in the 1930s and again near the end of the last century helped produce the observed warming periods. The current solar cycle is the longest in over 100 years, an unmistakable sign of a cooling sun that historical patterns suggest will stay so for decades.

10 The multi-decadal cycles in the ocean correlate extremely well with the solar cycles and global temperatures. These are 60 to 70 year cycles that relate to natural variations in the large scale circulations. Warm oceans correlate with warm global temperatures. The Pacific started cooling in the late 1990s and it accelerated in the last year, and the Atlantic has cooled from its peak in 2004. This supports the observed global land temperature cooling, which is strongly correlated with ocean heat content. Newly deployed N.O.A.A. buoys confirm global ocean cooling.

11 Warmer ocean cycles are periods with diminished Arctic ice cover. When the oceans were warm in the 1930s to the 1950s, Arctic ice diminished and Greenland warmed. The recent ocean warming, especially in the 1980s to the early 2000s, is similar to what took place 70

years ago and the Arctic ice has reacted much the same way, with diminished summer ice extent.

12 Antarctic ice has been increasing and the extent last year was the greatest in the satellite monitoring era. We are running ahead of last year's record pace.

What will it take for the media to let go of their biases and begin doing their job, reporting the truth?

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So, taking these facts into consideration, logic tells us that the little global warming that exists is not caused by man's activities, primarily; it is down to natural causes, led by the sun's activity. Man may indeed have had a miniscule effect by burning fossil fuels but only in the order of far less than 5%. So the answer to the first question is NO! The warming that has taken place has not been caused by man's activity. It is down to the increased activity of the sun during the last century, as many climatologists believe.

Now the second question – is the warming a serious threat to mankind's future, as the alarmists claim?

Logic tells us that carbon dioxide cannot just be created from nowhere. The fossil fuels we burn are merely a store of what the plants and trees of the Geological Carboniferous Era extracted from the atmosphere during a time when abundant vegetation flourished alongside early animal life forms here on the earth. Nothing untoward occurred as a result of the carbon dioxide rich atmosphere during that Era, much richer than today, and even if we burned all carbon deposits, coal, gas etc. we would be merely restoring a previous naturally thriving situation.

But, as we have seen, most carbon dioxide in the atmosphere is not man-made at all – it comes from the oceans and other natural causes, as do 95% of the greenhouse gases in the form of water vapour. In past history, with many times the current amount of CO₂ in the atmosphere, animal and plant life continued to flourish.

We are shown drawings of drowning bunnies and are told the sea is rising. Dr Nils-Axel Morner, who was President of the International Commission on Sea Level Changes, and a lead reviewer of the IPCC'S 2001 Assessment Report had to dispute their claim that levels are rising. In the Maldives where the IPCC showed rising sea levels, extensive field observations found levels had fallen between 20-30 centimetres and since have remained stable. How many of us who travel around the world have seen any evidence at all of the sea rising?

Of course, we know that, for example here in Britain, the South East is tilting and falling, while land in the North West is actually rising. Land does rise and fall geologically, but we cannot influence that. Which small island nation however, will turn down what seems to be millions of dollars on the suggestion that the sea will rise a metre and consume their land? No wonder they enthusiastically join the "consensus". If the small amount of global warming due to the sun does continue, there may be a small rise in sea level eventually, but nothing man can do will prevent that. All we can do is help if it does occur.

We have to face the facts that, despite what the alarmists say, there have been much warmer periods in the past. Their attempt to wipe out the much warmer mediaeval warm period with

the famous 'hockey stick' graph of Dr Michael Mann which purported to prove 1998 the warmest year ever, was proven to be wrong "due to a combination of mathematical error and [deliberately?] dysfunctional review process" (McKittrick House of Lord's evidence, op cit). Even the 1930's were proven to be warmer in Greenland and the Arctic, while the Antarctic has been cooling since the seventies!

It seemed that the IPCC'S stance on global warming was guided more by policy makers and politicians than by scientists. The suspicion that the UN and EU are anxious to take to themselves powers still under the control of independent nations has begun to emerge, aided by politicians eager to grasp the 'green energy taxes' the excuse of global warming provides.

Bribery and corruption have been used to influence even major nations to sign up to Kyoto. The Russian scientific establishment would not accept a CO2 linkage and stated that temperatures influenced CO2, not the reverse. President Putin at the time wished to join the World Trade Organisation on favourable terms (that would bring billions of carbon credit dollars). On Tony Blair's initiative a bargain was struck with the EU that Russia could enter the W.T.O. in return for Putin's ratification of Kyoto. Consensus had once again won the day!

Of course such dubious behaviour was only confirmed by the "Climategate" release of incriminating emails from the world's leading Climate Study Department of the University of East Anglia here in Britain. Not only did some of the emails talk of "tricks" to "hide" the embarrassing cooling this century, but they revealed a conscious conspiracy among leading alarmists to isolate, denigrate and prevent the publication of the sceptical scientists' research papers.

Further, their computer programme used to provide the modelling for their theory is now shown to be suspect, as the source code is found to be below the commercial standard expected, so that data can be lost. Their programmer admitted "my programming ability strikes again".

So, one cannot escape the conclusion that their rabid predictions of a great threat to all life, as projected in the British government's television adverts designed to frighten children, and the IPCC'S supposedly 'scientific' consensus about a global threat, are shown to be based upon both lies, duplicity and error. The alarmists' insubstantial models have also required to be bolstered by their sneering attacks on all opponents and this has been reflected in the arrogance displayed by our juvenile and obdurate politicians who have declared all sceptical scientists "flat earthers"!

The answer to the second question then, is that there is no serious threat to mankind's future from climate change because climate warming and cooling is quite natural and has occurred many times in the past. We have to live with it and adapt just as our ancestors did.

The third question was, "What are man's responsibilities with regard to the earth?"

The answer to this question can only be found in one place – the Bible!

There, in Genesis 1:26 we are told : "Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

Man is not like the animals, he is made in the very image of his Creator with a magnificent potential. We are given dominion or control, that is, responsibility for the preservation of the ecology of the earth, including all animals and plants.

Psalms 8:6. 'You have made him to have dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under his feet.'

That means that yes, we should be concerned with any of our activities which pollute this planet, and that includes all the air-borne pollutants our industries and transport pump into the atmosphere – carbon dioxide being one of the least harmful 'pollutants.'

Think of the killing gases that escaped from the Bhopal plant in India, killing thousands, and in the sickness that accompanies working in, or living near vast industrial plants. Our current city lifestyles, our industries, our transport requirements, even our industrial type agriculture, not only pollute our planet, they are not sustainable in the long term.

It is indeed about time that we recognised that we are slowly killing our beautiful blue planet. Not only do we pollute the air, but its water, its soils and its oceans, and it may well be that our pollution of the oceans with chemical fertilisers may be more responsible for global warming than our burning of fossil fuels. We must recognise then, that we have not followed the instructions in our maker's handbook, and the whole creation groans, awaiting its freedom.

Romans 8:22

'For we know that the whole creation groans and labours with birth pangs together until now.'

Genesis 2:15 'Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to **tend and keep it.**'

Those of us who own a little bit of this earth do not really own it, we are merely trustees, we hold it in trust for the following generations and we must dress and keep it - look after it and preserve it. There is a wise old farming saying: "Live your life as if you would die tomorrow. Farm as if you would live forever."!

To that end, the Bible is full of instruction and guidance about sustainability and the way we live at the moment breaks those laws. The answer to the third question then, is, that man **is** failing in his responsibilities to care for and sustain the earth and if we continue on without change, eventually catastrophe lies ahead, though not because of CO₂, but because of our unthinking abuse of the earth.

Don't be taken in by the IPCC and their hidden agenda. True environmentalists won't fall for vegetarian propaganda because they recognise the important role ruminants play in re-inoculating our vital soils with the bacteria needed to breakdown and release the minerals taken up by plants to produce healthy food. CO₂ plays an important part in plant growth and history reveals no harmful effects of an increase.

The final question then, is, what is the solution to the untold damage we have inflicted upon this unique planet?

The solution can only be a very dramatic change – a complete reversal of our selfish

unsustainable lifestyle and the replacement of our industrial and technological approach with a non-polluting agrarian lifestyle based upon much smaller scale.

This is exactly what we see predicted in the Bible for the future, after Jesus Christ's return, but it will not be achieved by man alone, without the Divine intervention and prophesied chastisement of mankind for their rebellion, not least for the way we have failed to look after our planet. At the end of what the Bible calls the tribulation, a seven year event just before Christ's return, the whole earth will be re-structured by gigantic earth movements.

Revelation 16:17-20.

'Then the seventh angel poured out his bowl into the air, and a loud voice came out of the temple of heaven, from the throne, saying, "It is done!" And there were noises and thunderings and lightnings; and there was a great earthquake, such a mighty and great earthquake as had not occurred *since men were on the earth*. Now the great city was divided into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell. And great Babylon (not the city, but nations influenced by an evil system responsible for wars) was remembered before God, to give her the cup of the wine of the fierceness of His wrath. *Then every island fled away, and the mountains were not found.*'

Mountain ranges and deserts will be replaced by undulating, well watered, fertile land on all the continents.

Isaiah 35:1-2.

'The wilderness and the wasteland shall be glad for them, and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as the rose; It shall blossom abundantly and rejoice, even with joy and singing. The glory of Lebanon shall be given to it, the excellence of Carmel and Sharon. They shall see the glory of the LORD, the excellency of our God.'

and also verses 6-7.

'Then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the dumb sing. For waters shall burst forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert. The parched ground shall become a pool, and the thirsty land springs of water; In the habitation of jackals, where each lay, there shall be grass with reeds and rushes.'

Essentially, the effect of these worldwide changes will be to replace sink coastal cities with newly greened land from beneath the waves and a much more temperate climate everywhere, moderated by new interior seas inside the continents. The Dead Sea, for example, then with fresh, fish-filled water, will be greatly expanded and overflow into the Red Sea.

Joel 3:18.

'And it will come to pass in that day that the mountains shall drip with new wine, the hills shall flow with milk, and all the brooks of Judah shall be flooded with water; a fountain shall flow from the house of the LORD, and water the Valley of Acacias.'

Ezekiel 47:8. 'Then he said to me: "This water flows toward the eastern region, goes down into the valley, and enters the sea. When it reaches the sea, its waters are healed.'

Whereas at the moment only 1/10th of the earth is arable and 9/10 (desert, rock and mountain) of little use to farmers, these proportions will be reversed and climate conditions will be such

that there will be no winter pause in the production of crops – Amos 9:13. “ Behold, the days are coming,” says the LORD, “ When the plowman shall overtake the reaper, and the treader of grapes him who sows seed; The mountains shall drip with sweet wine, and all the hills shall flow with it.’

That is because the curse God placed upon the ground will be removed.

Genesis 3:17-18,

‘Then to Adam He said, “Because you have heeded the voice of your wife, and have eaten from the tree of which I commanded you, saying, ‘You shall not eat of it, “ Cursed is the ground for your sake; In toil you shall eat of it all the days of your life. Both thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you, and you shall eat the herb of the field.’

and Isaiah 55:13.

‘ Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress tree, And instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree; and it shall be to the LORD for a name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.’

The chemicals and effort now spent on overcoming this curse will not be required, making agriculture more profitable and enjoyable. Anyone who has grown their own food knows all about the pests that are a part of that curse!

Every family will be given land.

Micah 4:4-5.

‘*But everyone* shall sit under *his vine and under his fig tree*, and no one shall make them afraid; for the mouth of the LORD of hosts has spoken. For all people walk each in the name of his god, but we will walk in the name of the LORD our God Forever and ever.’

Mixed farming of animals, crops and trees will provide a rural lifestyle for families based upon villages, rather than cities. To fit in with a long-term sustainable lifestyle it is likely that cars will be replaced by walking and riding and there will be no need for expensive transport infrastructure to go to work. The displacement of men by gigantic agricultural machines working vast acreages will be reversed.

Isaiah 30:23-24.

‘Then He will give the rain for your seed with which you sow the ground, and bread of the increase of the earth; It will be fat and plentiful. In that day your cattle will feed in large pastures. Likewise the oxen and the young donkeys that work the ground will eat cured fodder, which has been winnowed with the shovel and fan.’

and 41:19. ‘I will plant in the wilderness the cedar and the acacia tree, The myrtle and the oil tree; I will set in the desert the cypress tree and the pine And the box tree together.’ The deserts will be greened and these many trees will clean and balance the atmosphere and climate.

In such farming the whole system is self sustaining. The soil becomes the foundation of all life, fertilised by the animals which are also used to work it. With the addition of lime and trace elements no soil sterilising artificial fertilisers are required and worms can then help

release the vital elements for good food from the soil, as they did in previous centuries, before artificial fertilisers decimated them. A vital part of this self-sustaining system is that fallow years enable the land to rest.

Leviticus 25:1-7.

‘ And the LORD spoke to Moses on Mount Sinai, saying, “Speak to the children of Israel, and say to them: ‘When you come into the land which I give you, then the land shall keep a sabbath to the LORD. Six years you shall sow your field, and six years you shall prune your vineyard, and gather its fruit; but in the seventh year there shall be a sabbath of solemn rest for the land, a sabbath to the LORD. You shall neither sow your field nor prune your vineyard. What grows of its own accord of your harvest you shall not reap, nor gather the grapes of your untended vine, for it is a year of rest for the land. ⁶ And the sabbath produce of the land shall be food for you: for you, your male and female servants, your hired man, and the stranger who dwells with you, for your livestock and the beasts that are in your land—all its produce shall be for food.’

The result is that even the gardens will flourish, organically!

Amos 9:14 .

‘I will bring back the captives of My people Israel; They shall build the waste cities and inhabit them; They shall plant vineyards and drink wine from them; They shall also make gardens and eat fruit from them.’ (Most cities in the days this was written were like our villages).

The run-off from such farms will then be unpolluted, and plentiful rivers will run sparkling clean to provide good fishing, while the sea will be restored, to provide bountiful harvests of fish.

As it was long ago, each area will gradually become almost self sufficient. Food, wool, cotton, linen, leather and wood will provide most all of people’s needs, without the need of polluting plastics or synthetic materials. As a result, infrastructure, mega-industry and transport systems will shrink hugely. Life will much more closely approach that of the Amish in Pennsylvania USA, where the land is beautiful and the pace of life slower, socially more enjoyable and co-operative.

Solar, water and wave power will provide what power is needed, though without severe winters, wood and bio mass will provide what heat is needed for homes. Houses will be built from local materials as in previous centuries, and factories will be small scale local co-operatives where craftsmen work part-time as well as farming their land. Local trade and barter will replace the supermarket, and probably the largest local building will be the church meeting hall.

Our throw-away society will cease to exist.

Ezekiel 39:9-10.

‘Then those who dwell in the cities of Israel will go out and set on fire and burn the weapons, both the shields and bucklers, the bows and arrows, the javelins and spears; and they will make fires with them for seven years. They will not take wood from the field nor cut down any from the forests, because they will make fires with the weapons; and they will plunder

those who plundered them, and pillage those who pillaged them,” says the Lord GOD.’

Enough refined metal already exists to last for hundreds of years in an agrarian, non-technological society, but smelting and mining will continue in small scale, closely monitored operations.

The great advantage overall, will be that families will once again work together on their farm, tending the land and animals, or in their businesses. Mothers will teach their daughters the domestic arts that make a home (Proverbs 31) and Fathers will pass on their skills to their sons. With the men co-operating on joint projects too, there will be strong social cohesion, strengthened by the village social and cultural events. A great deal of the teaching in church will emphasise the prime importance of personal relationships, based on instruction of the Bible, and each village will have the advantage of a Godly example!

Luke 19:17.

‘And he said to him, ‘Well done, good servant; because you were faithful in a very little, have authority over ten cities.’ Study this parable. It is about Christ returning to give His true followers rule, who have been changed into immortal spirit beings.

1Corinthians 15:51-52.

‘Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed—in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.’

With that advantage there will be no need of a police force.

Isaiah 30:20-21.

‘And though the Lord gives you The bread of adversity and the water of affliction, Yet your teachers will not be moved into a corner anymore, but your eyes shall see your teachers. Your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, “This *is* the way, walk in it,” whenever you turn to the right hand or whenever you turn to the left.’

Hospitals, as we know them will no longer be needed.

Isaiah 35:5-6.

‘Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. Then the lame shall leap like a deer, and the tongue of the dumb sing.’ Remember the healing miracles of Jesus?

The armed forces will be disbanded - Isaiah 2:4, ‘He shall judge between the nations, and rebuke many people; They shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.’

As a result of these many changes, income tax can be replaced by God’s 10% - the tithe, and holidays will centre around the true holy days of Leviticus 23, with the harvest festival – the ‘Feast of Tabernacles’ becoming the highlight of the year, as families holiday and worship together.

Leviticus 23:34.

‘ Speak to the children of Israel, saying: ‘The fifteenth day of this seventh month shall be the Feast of Tabernacles for seven days to the LORD. On the first day there shall be a holy convocation. You shall do no customary work on it. For seven days you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. On the eighth day you shall have a holy convocation, and you shall offer an offering made by fire to the LORD. It is a sacred assembly, and you shall do no customary work on it.’

This is the type of Godly, sustainable civilisation that is to be found world-wide after the return of Christ. Starting from Jerusalem Jesus Christ’s rule will gradually spread over all the world, and, incidentally, mans carbon footprint will become neutral!

Isaiah 2:3.

‘Many people shall come and say,
“ Come, and let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
To the house of the God of Jacob;
He will teach us His ways,
And we shall walk in His paths.”
For out of Zion shall go forth the law,
And the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.’

Isaiah 11:9.

‘They shall not hurt nor destroy in all My holy mountain,
For the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD
As the waters cover the sea.’

Built upon the family, with true male and female roles, it will enable parents worldwide to provide the physical and spiritual lessons children need, in an environment free from pollution in a climate balanced to provide all of man’s needs.

Which will you believe? The lies, fabrications and duplicity of self serving politicians, or the plain gospel of the Kingdom of God you can read about in the Bible?

James 5:7-8 ‘Therefore be patient, brethren, until the coming of the Lord. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth, waiting patiently for it until it receives the early and latter rain. You also be patient. Establish your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is at hand.’