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Stages of an Eclipse



The first stage of an eclipse happens so gradually, that most people do not even notice.



At this stage of the eclipse, for the observant, the landscape appears to be drained of saturation and colors are muted. Yet some, still do not notice.



Now, the sky has become a darkened vault, cut through with a shaft of light. Are your distractions still too great, too notice?



As if things aren't eerie enough, now the world becomes quiet as the birds roost in the trees and stop their chirping. Yet still, many of us ignore all the signs around us.

Final Stage: Darkness





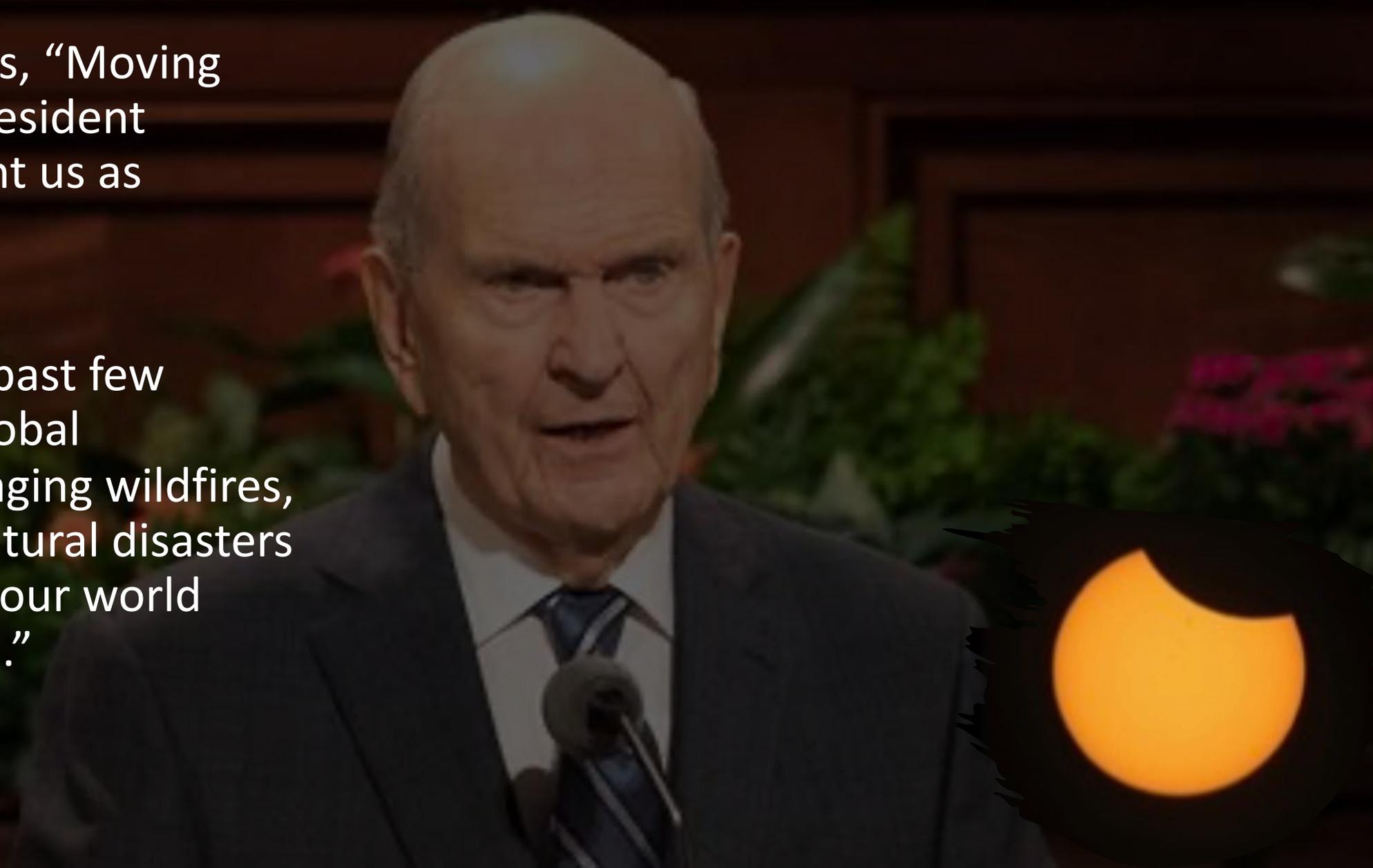
In a Religious Freedom
Speech at BYU, Elder David
A. Bednar counseled us:

***“A mighty famine arose in
that land, and he began to
be in want.”***

Later, he calls this ***“a wake
up call”*** and reiterates a
mighty famine arising in
the land.

In his address, “Moving Forward”, President Nelson taught us as follows:

“During the past few months, a global pandemic, raging wildfires, and other natural disasters have turned our world upside down.”



In “We Will Prove Them Herewith” Elder Bednar said:

“Some Church members opine that emergency plans and food storage must not be important anymore because the Brethren have not spoken recently and extensively about these and related topics in general conference...

But repeated admonitions to prepare have been proclaimed by leaders of the Church for decades.”

“The consistency of prophetic counsel over time creates a powerful concert of clarity and a warning volume far louder than solo performances can ever produce.”





There Was Bread

By Bishop W. Christopher Waddell

“The Lord has provided direction to help His people prepare spiritually and temporally against the calamities and trials that He knows will come as part of this mortal experience.”

“And there shall arise after them seven years of famine; and all the plenty shall be forgotten in the land of Egypt.”
Once the seven years of plenty had passed, we are told that “seven years of dearth began to come, according as Joseph had said: and the dearth was in all lands; but in all the land of Egypt there was bread.”

“It was not enough to know that challenging times would come. They had to act, and because of their effort,” there was bread.”

The best storehouse is the home, which becomes the “most accessible reserve in times of need.”



Embrace the Future with Faith

By President Russell M. Nelson

“For decades, the Lord’s prophets have urged us to store food, water, and financial reserves for a time of need. The current pandemic has reinforced the wisdom of that counsel. I urge you to take steps to be temporally prepared.”

“We can learn a lot from Captain Moroni. As commander of the Nephite armies, he faced opposing forces. So, Moroni prepared his people in three essential ways.

First, he helped them create areas where they would be safe—“places of security” he called them.

Second, he prepared “the minds of the people to be faithful unto the Lord.”

And third, he never stopped preparing his people—physically or spiritually.”

“Turbulent times are opportunities for us to thrive spiritually.”



President Russell M. Nelson in The
Liahona magazine, January 2021

***“There shall be famines,
and pestilences,
and earthquakes,
in divers places”***





WHAT IS HAPPENING GLOBALLY THAT CAN AFFECT YOUR FAMILY?



“This next famine will begin in 2022.” Armstrong Economics



We are currently
“reducing the food supply
at a time when
we should be stockpiling it.”

<https://www.armstrongeconomics.com/markets-by-sector/agriculture/coming-famine/>

Oct 17th, 2020

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“Double the number of people in 2020, are facing **acute food insecurity**, up from 2019.

The pandemic disrupted supply chains and crop distribution. All at a time of already exploding hunger.”

“Without being too alarmist, if we do not address this crisis in a coordinated manner, it is projected to grow to be among the worst famines in human history.”

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The impact of the 2008 financial crisis on food security and food expenditures in Mexico: a disproportionate effect on the vulnerable

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Abstract

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Objective

The present paper investigated the impact of the 2008 financial crisis on food security in Mexico and how it disproportionately affected vulnerable households.

Design

A generalized ordered logistic regression was estimated to assess the impact of the crisis on households' food security status. An ordinary least squares and a quantile regression were estimated to evaluate the effect of the financial crisis on a continuous proxy measure of food security defined as the share of a household's current income devoted to food expenditures.

Setting

Both analyses were performed using pooled cross-sectional data from the Mexican National Household Income and Expenditure Survey 2008 and 2010.

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A study done after the 2008 financial crisis, showed that there is approximately a 2 year lag between an economic shock and food shortages.

It also informs us that the most vulnerable in society are disproportionately affected.

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4534333/>

The Concept of Food Shortages Has Gone from Theoretical to Real.

~ Investment Watch



Why?

- Extreme and Diverse Weather
- Locust plague
- Colony Collapse Disorder
- Global Transport Crisis
- Crop Loss
- Climate Change
- 30 x 30

2021 has Seen Devastating Weather, Globally.

Ice storms :

Texas,
Arkansas,
Kentucky
Tennessee.

Severe earthquakes in:

Iran,
Argentina,
Turkey,
Asia,
New Zealand,
Japan
the Philippines.



The screenshot shows a mobile web page for AgriInsurance. At the top is the AgriInsurance logo, which features a stylized tree with green leaves and a brown trunk, with the text 'AGRIINSURANCE' below it. To the right of the logo is a hamburger menu icon. Below the logo are three navigation links: '< Back', 'All news', and 'News archive'. The main content area features a photograph of a green, textured plant, possibly a strawberry, covered in clear ice. Below the image is the article title: 'USA - Weather activity in February will exceed \$10B in losses, Aon reports'. Underneath the title is a horizontal line, followed by the date '16.03.2021' and 'views: 125'. To the right of this information are four social media sharing icons: Facebook, Twitter, Google+, and LinkedIn. The article text begins with a large 'F' and reads: 'February saw severe and widespread winter storm activity in communities across the U.S., triggered by a polar vortex that generated record-breaking cold temperatures. But across the world, severe weather activity devastated hundreds of communities and caused billions of dollars in economic losses.'

Severe flooding in:

The Mid and South East USA.
Mexico and South America.
Europe.
The Middle East.
Asia
Indonesia.

A very rare
snowstorm:
Israel



**Grand
Solar
Minimum**

Is it a big deal?

<https://www.thegrand solar minimum.com>

The Sun is heading into a new “solar minimum” cycle now.

Despite loud claims that **man-made CO2** is somehow driving the Earth’s climate.....**history and science** demonstrate that the most influential driver of planetary climate is actually **the Sun and it’s predictable cycles.**

<https://science.nasa.gov/science-news/news-articles/solar-minimum-is-coming>



Solar Minimum is Coming



High up in the clear blue noontime sky, the sun appears to be much the same day-in, day-out, year after year.

But astronomers have long known that this is not true. The sun *does* change. Properly-filtered telescopes reveal a fiery disk often speckled with dark sunspots. Sunspots are strongly magnetized, and they crackle with solar flares—magnetic explosions that illuminate Earth with flashes of X-rays and extreme ultraviolet radiation. The sun is a seething mass of activity.



- <https://science.nasa.gov/science-news/news-articles/solar-minimum-is-coming>

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April 20, 2021

The Coming Modern Grand Solar Minimum

By [Anony Mee](#)

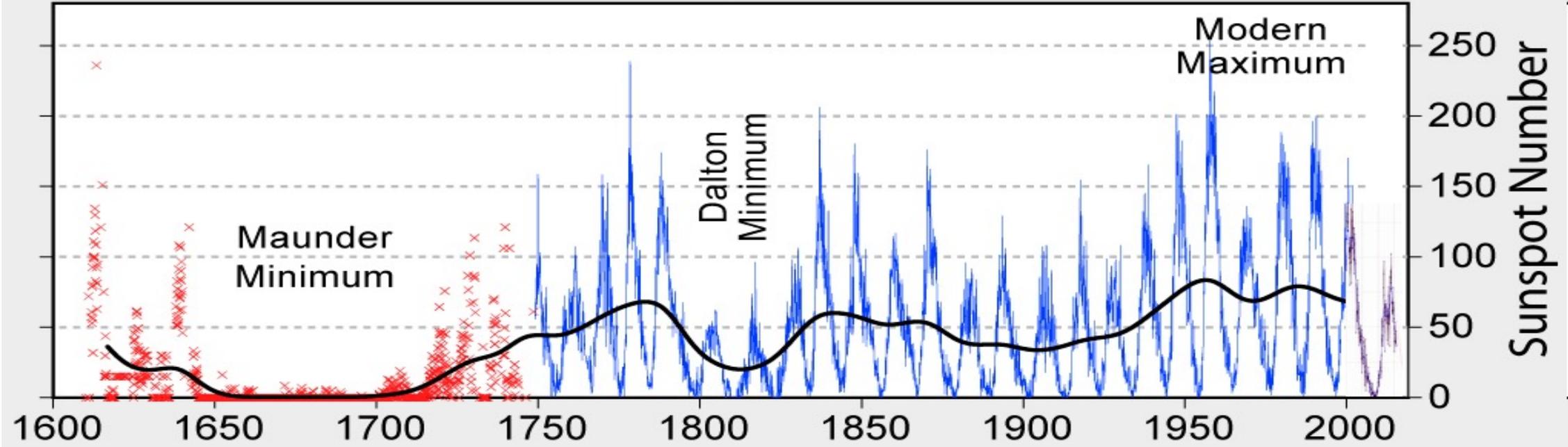
I [wrote last week](#) about the coming Grand Solar Minimum, something that will have much more impact on the environment than anything we puny humans can do. It generated a lot of interest from all sides, so it's time to delve deeper into what we can expect.

Starting with the hype: During the last grand solar minimum (GSM), the Maunder Minimum of 1645 to 1715, glaciers advanced, rivers froze, sea ice expanded -- in short, the Little Ice Age. Is another one almost upon us?

Probably not. Maunder occurred at the tail end of a bi-millennial cycle. These cycles range between 2,000 and 2,600 years in length and see the Earth first warm, then cool. Gradual cooling had been going on for hundreds of years. Maunder just capped it off. Today we are a few hundred years into the warming phase of the subsequent bi-millennial cycle. Different starting conditions yield different paths.

https://www.americanthinker.com/articles/2021/04/the_coming_modern_grand_solar_minimum.html

400 Years of Sunspot Observations



Perhaps the last known “grand solar minimum” in our history was the Maunder Minimum (Late 1600’s)

During this period, temperatures dropped globally, leading to shorter growing seasons and ultimately food shortages.

The food shortages during the Maunder Minimum were quite severe, and the global death toll was enormous.

The Maunder Minimum created such a deep cold in Europe and extreme weather events elsewhere that what unfolds is a series of droughts, floods, and harvest failures.

Historically, this leads to massive migrations, wars and revolutions.

Minnesota Crop News

More...

Spring freeze injury to corn in the northern half of Minnesota: What to expect

May 28, 2021

By: Jeff Coulter, Extension corn agronomist

Assessing freeze injury

Air temperatures dropped below freezing during the early morning hours on May 28 in portions of the northern half of Minnesota, resulting in freeze injury to corn in some fields. Most of the damaged corn was at the two to three leaf collar (V2 to V3) stages.

Symptoms of freeze injury to corn initially appear as

discolored water-soaked leaves, which later dry and turn brown. The



Image credit: Jeff Coulter/U of MN

'Devastating' late spring frost kills large swaths of fruit crops

Nicole Williams 2021-06-01



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Rochon Garden's strawberry patch (left) pictured during the recent frost. That same strawberry patch (right) seen on Monday, frostbitten.

Some Ottawa area farmers say there will be no bouncing back from a recent frost that has wiped out large portions of their crops.



DELHI, INDIA SUFFERS ITS COLDEST JUNE TEMPERATURE EVER RECORDED

JUNE 2, 2021 CAP ALLON

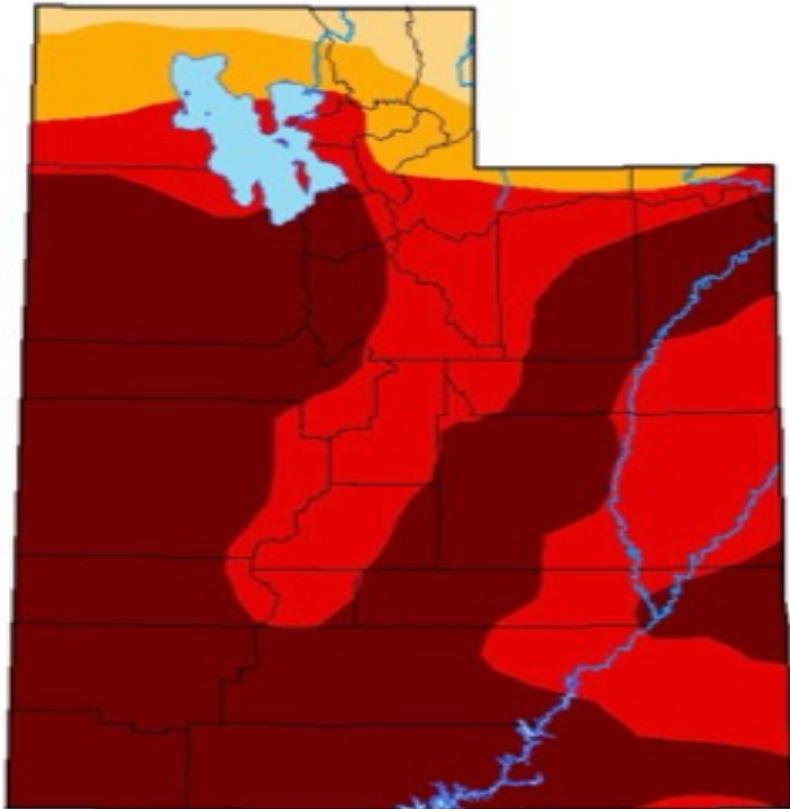
India has been breaking low temperature records left, right and center this year; in fact, since August, 2020 the nation's capital, Delhi has busted at least one major weather record each and every month.



DROUGHT.

U.S. Drought Monitor
Utah

March 9, 2021
(Released Thursday, Mar. 11, 2021)
Valid 7 a.m. EST



Intensity:

-  None
-  D0 Abnormally Dry
-  D1 Moderate Drought
-  D2 Severe Drought
-  D3 Extreme Drought
-  D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

Author:

Brian Fuchs
National Drought Mitigation Center



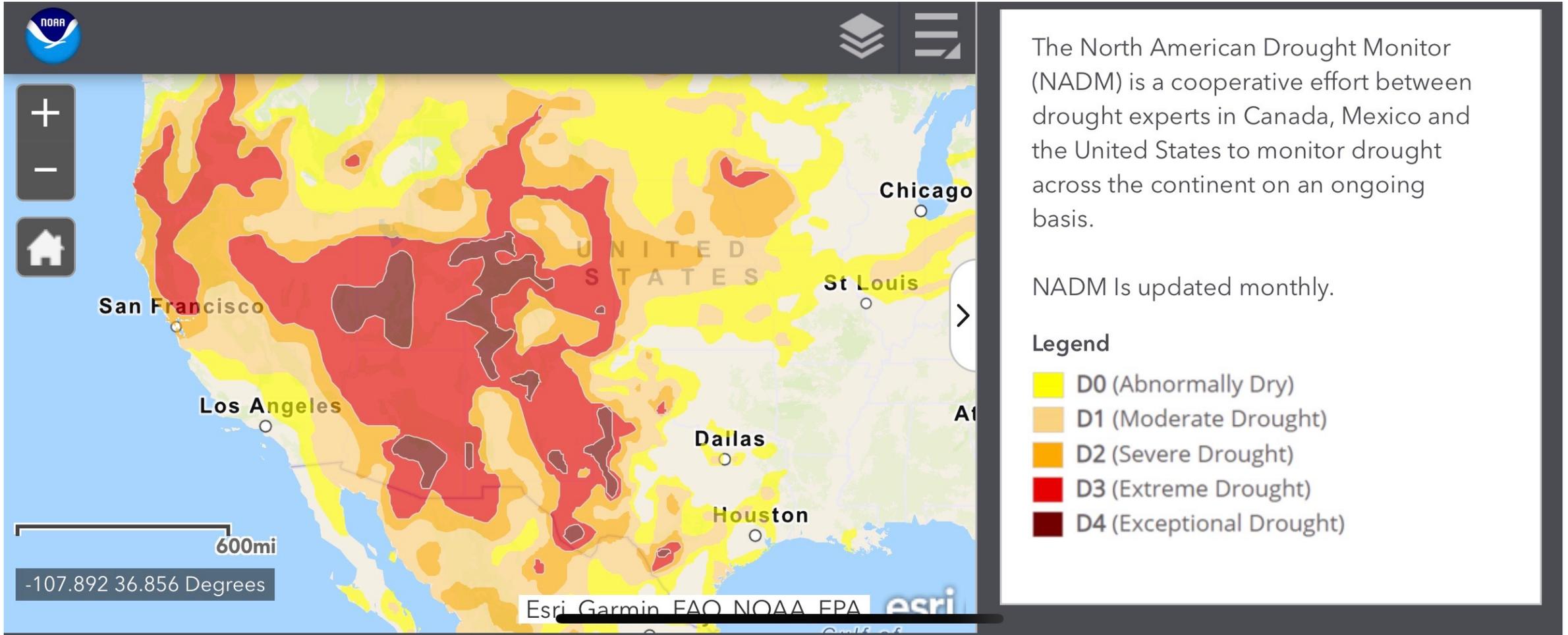
droughtmonitor.unl.edu

The Utah Division of Water Resources reported:

“We need 50-60 more inches of snow just to get to the average.”

”This situation will cause about a 50% decrease in crop production.”

Notice how severe the drought is in the western United States, including the agricultural growing regions of the USA



NATIONAL AND WORLD

Water crisis 'couldn't be worse' on Oregon-California border



In this handout photo released by the Yurok Tribe shows 70 dead juvenile salmon captured by the Yurok Tribe that are presumed to have died from deadly pathogen, *Ceratonova shasta*, in the Klamath River water flows. (Jamie Holt/Yurok Tribe via AP)

by: [Associated Press](#)

Posted: May 16, 2021 / 03:34 PM EDT / Updated: May 16, 2021 /

03:38 PM EDT

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — The water crisis along the California-Oregon border went from dire to catastrophic this week as federal regulators shut off irrigation water to farmers from a critical reservoir and said they would not send extra water to dying salmon downstream or to a half-dozen wildlif... that harbor millions of mi... ear.

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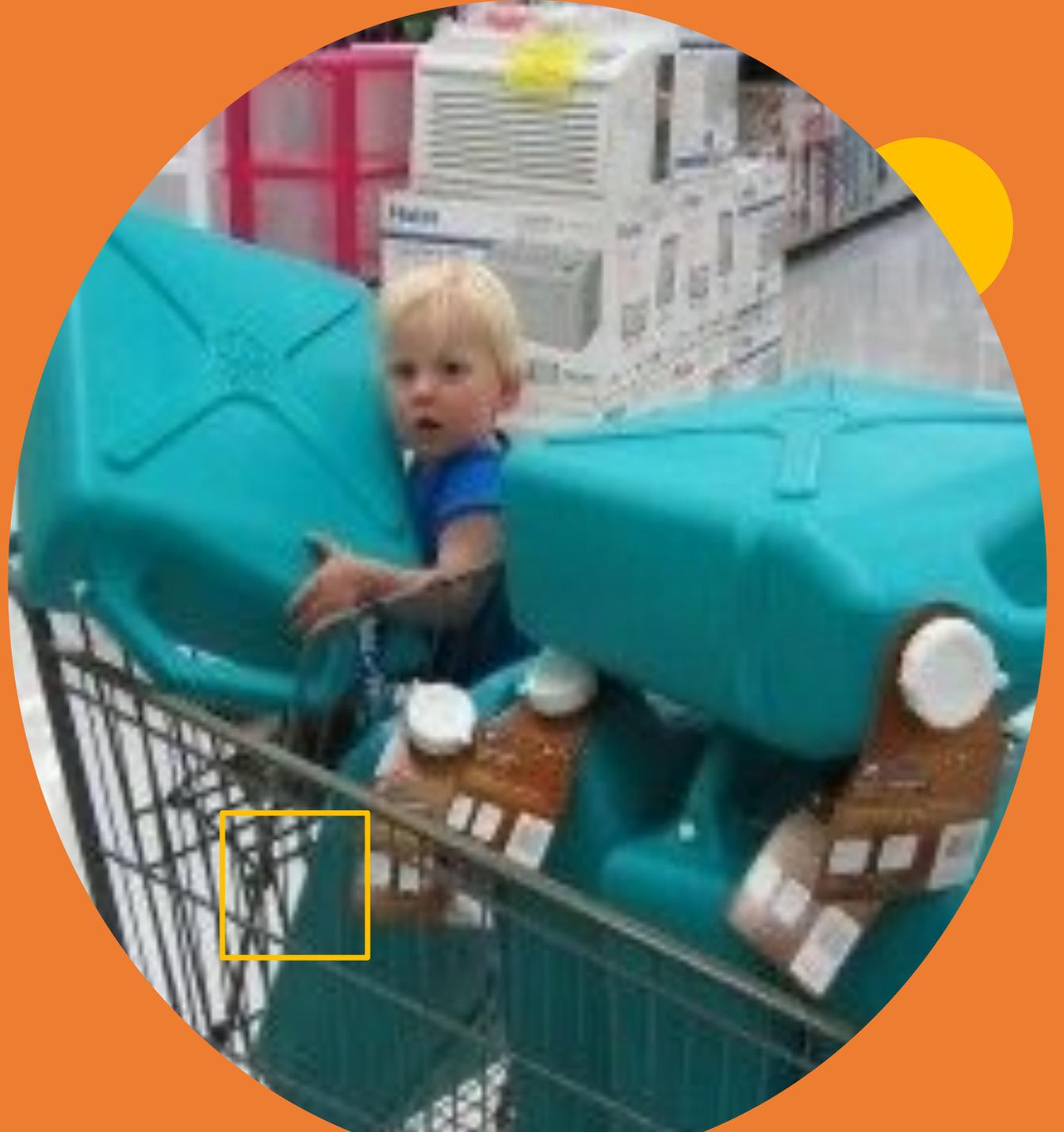
<https://fox59.com/news/national-world/water-crisis-couldnt-be-worse-on-oregon-california-border/>

Action Point.

Make sure you have access to clean water.

But.

If you live in an area that could flood, take the necessary precautions in advance.





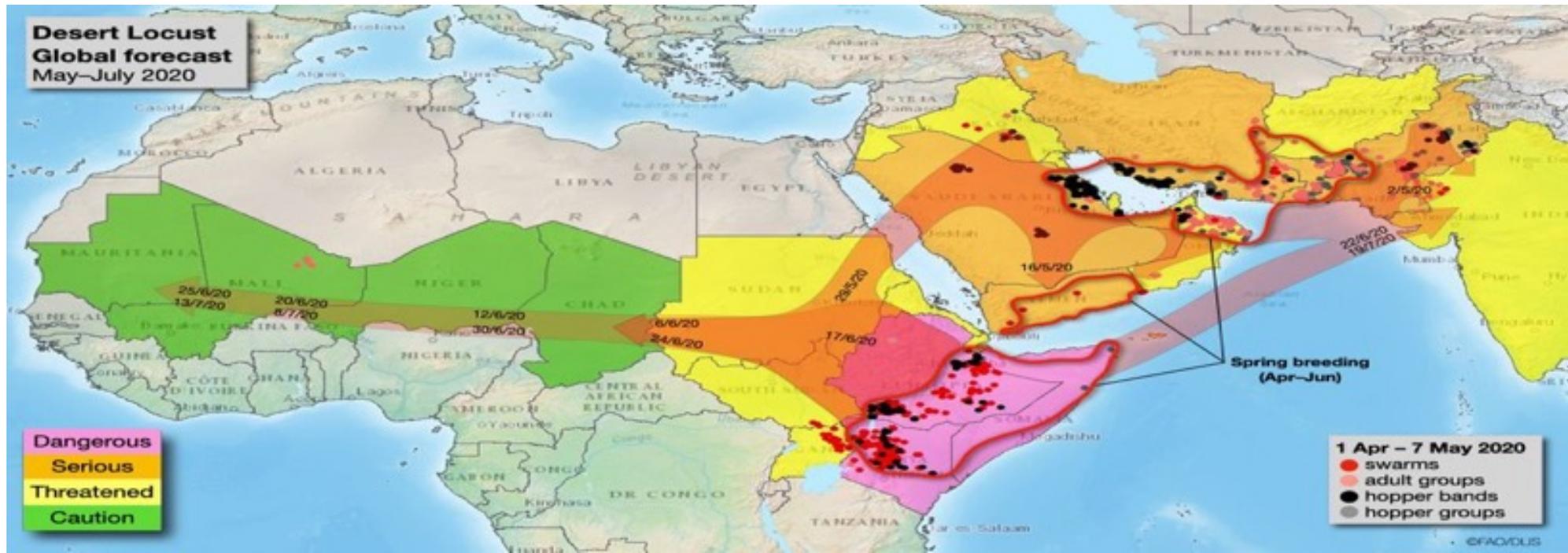
Severe Locust Plagues.

When locusts land on a crop, it can be annihilated in one day. They eat 3x their body weight in food and can travel 100's of miles in a day.

Despite the lack of media attention, this crisis is worsening, not improving.

Locusts have devoured almost 100% of crops in East Africa.

Now the locusts are spreading into West Africa, The Arabian Peninsula and India, in search of more crops.



Action Point.

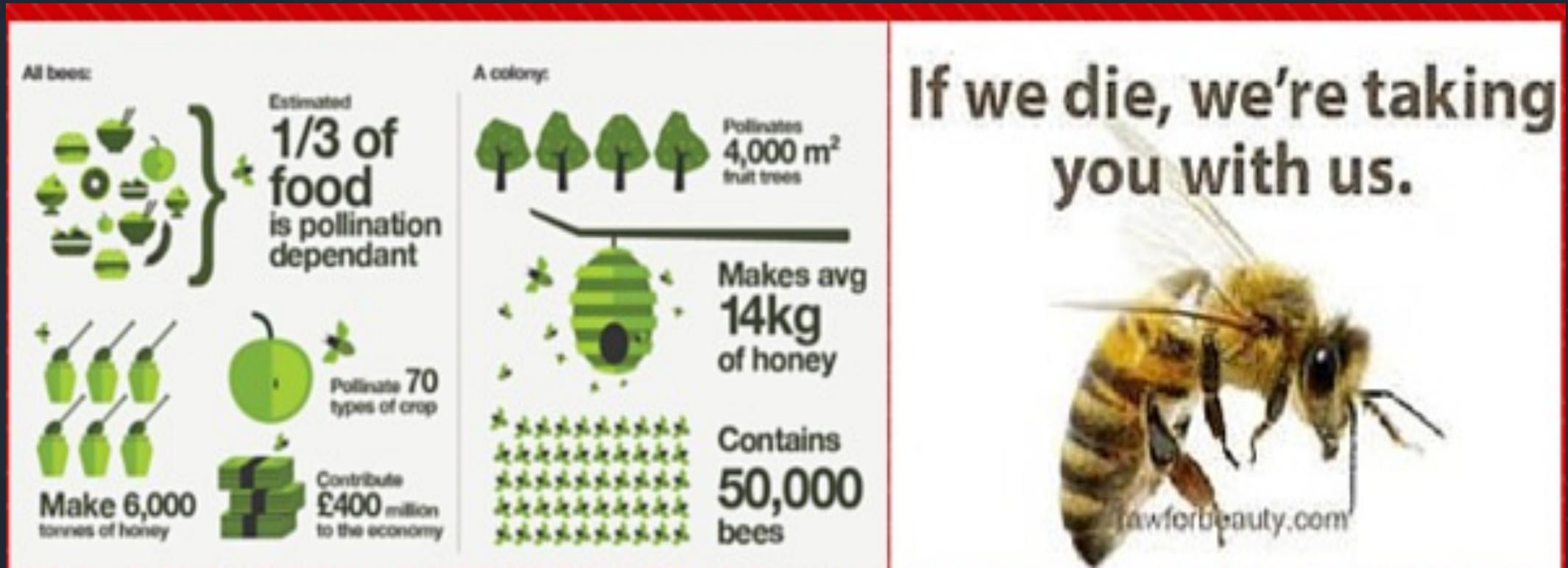
LDS Charities has asked us to pray and fast for Africa and their locust situation.



THE DYING BEE POPULATION or Colony Collapse Disorder

Experts believe we have lost 1/3 of our bee population since 2006.

Millions of bees are dying off, with alarming consequences for our environment and our food supply. No bees? No apples, cherries, onions, celery, cabbage, almonds and blueberries and a long list of others.



Experts believe bees are dying for two main reasons:

- 1). Bee killing pesticides, neonics that are sprayed on crops that are 6,000 time more deadly to bees than DDT.
- 2). The proliferation of GMO plants that don't provide the nutrition needed to keep bees disease-free.

Action Point.

~ Know the pesticides that you use.

~ Plant heirloom flowers or vegetables in your garden to nourish the bees.

~ Place a bee house in your yard where they can lay their eggs and be protected from predators and harsh weather.





Global Transport Crisis

The complex global supply chain has been disrupted to an unprecedented level. And shipping prices keep rising

Why?

Globally, the pandemic closed ports and factories, reduced the workforce and stagnated production. This has halted global shipping and these containers are stuck around the world, in the wrong places.

Even now, it's taking longer to unload containers than it takes to cross the Pacific.

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Top Stories

Container ship scores 'off the charts,' 'fantasy' charter rate: \$135,000/day

Record charter rate highlights extreme vessel shortage — a major negative for cargo shippers

 Greg Miller, Senior Editor  • Wednesday, June 2, 2021

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 S Santiago (right) wins record charter (Photo: Flickr/Kees Torn)

The container market has become frenzied.

The article reports that there is “more and more enquiry every day” with “people panicking now” amid “unprecedented times.”

<https://www.freightwaves.com/news/container-ship-scores-off-the-charts-fantasy-charter-rate-135000-day>



The Drewry World Container Index measures the price of a shipping container.

Currently, it's up 282%

With no end in sight.

Action Point?

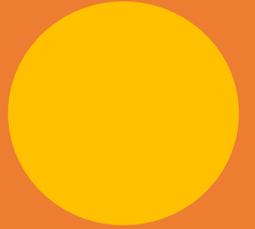
This is a very individual situation

What is a critical commodity for your family?

Batteries?

Peanut Butter?

Toothpaste?



Chocolate?

Did you know that in 2021, world cocoa demand is set to outstrip supply, by more than a million tons.

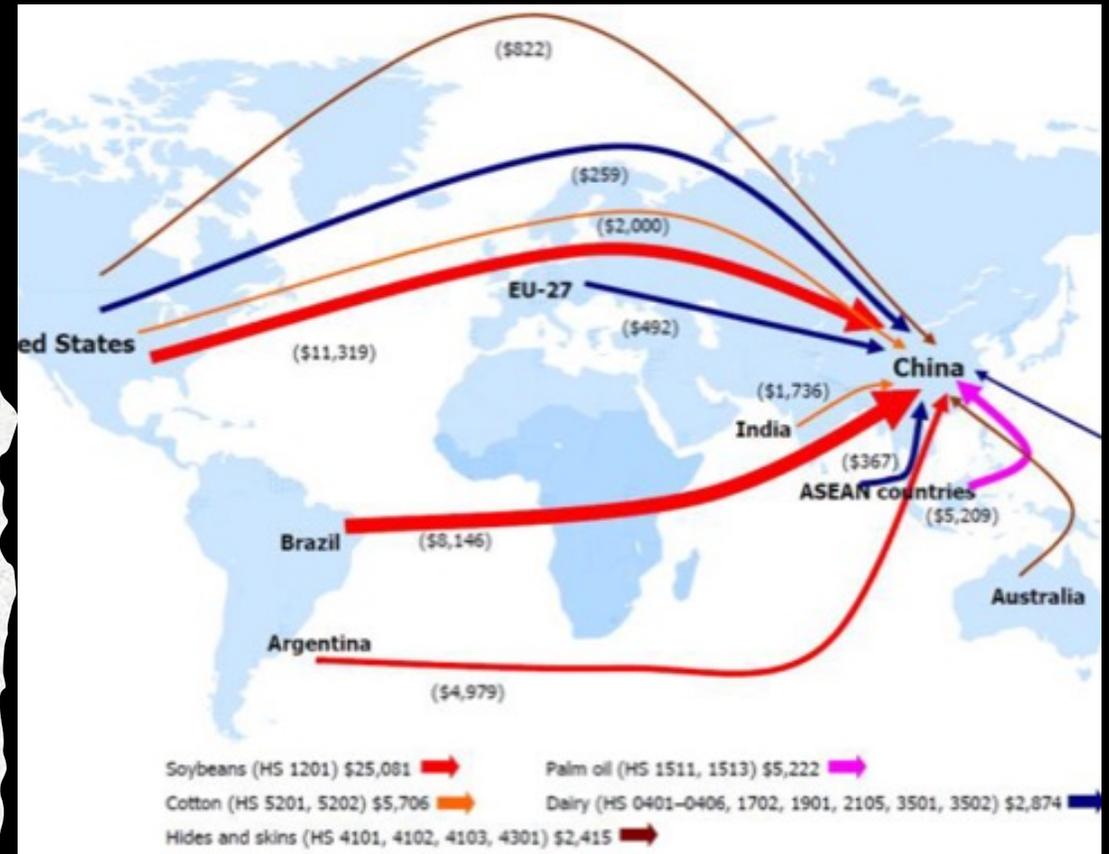


Global Food Supply

- Countries around the world are taking frantic steps to secure their food.
- Argentina, Brazil, Russia, Ukraine and China are refusing to allow the world market to draw their crops.
- Many countries are limiting their exports to the rest of the world.

China is implementing Joseph of Egypt-like policies

They are not exporting food, instead they are importing food in large quantities.



But not the USA.

We export more food than any other country in the world.
We predominantly export to Canada, Mexico, Japan and China.

The US keeps committing more and more food exports, although we are experiencing agricultural decline, like the rest of the world.

Some farmers in Idaho have sold all their 2021 crops to other countries, and many have committed their 2022 crops also.

We have always been a compassionate people. We've always been able to afford to be. But can we take care of our own?

Just this reduction in the world's volume of food, is pushing us towards a crisis level.



But the US has always had a Grain Reserve.....

Historically true. But.....

The US government sold all our Grain Reserves in the 1996 Farm Bill.



**“The U.S. has nothing in our emergency food pantry.
There is no cheese, no butter, no dry milk powder, no grains or anything else left
in reserve.”**

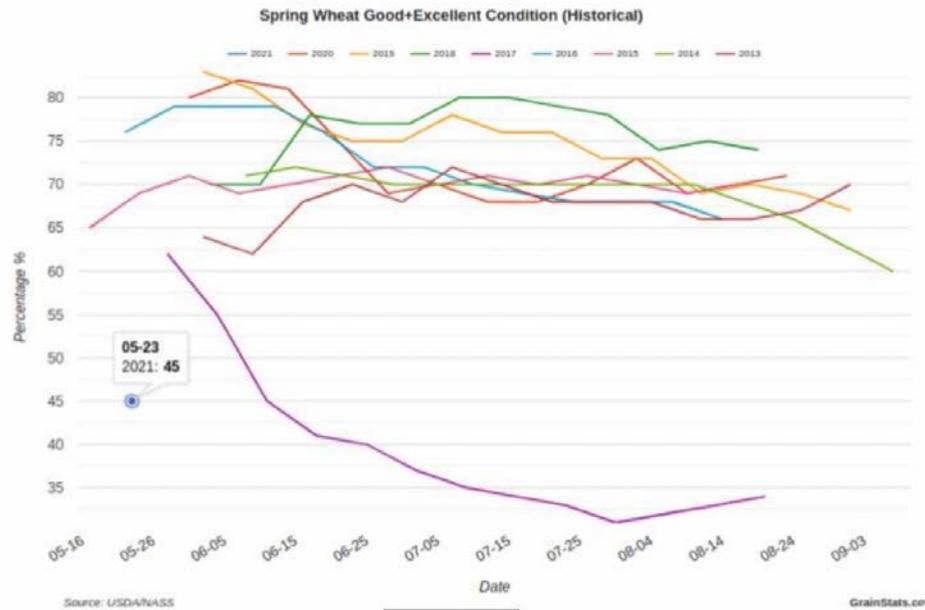


GrainStats.com 🌾
@GrainStats



Visually confirming, we're off to a very poor start

#oatt #AgMkts



Action Point

If you have ever assumed that you would store longterm grains, now is the time to do it.

Your window of opportunity is closing.

If you are a home baker who purchases bulk flour: Stock up now.

Perhaps Bishop Waddell's advice bordered on prophetic wisdom:

"The best storehouse" is the home, which becomes the "most accessible reserve in times of need."



Climate Change is controversial.

So let's find unifying ground and take responsibility here:

*“Mortals create the problem.
Then mortals attempt to create the solution.”*

How might these proposed solutions affect your family? .

Fact: Global food production contributes between 15%-25% of greenhouse gas emissions.

But

Fact: The solutions are undermining food production systems.

“The danger lies in our inability to properly assess the consequences of such solutions”



The immediate goal is to reduce animal agriculture.

In order to encourage us to eat less meat, world governments are discussing a “sin” tax on meat, globally.



Using hand tools and draft animals, a family harvests wheat in Ethiopia's famine-prone highlands.

PHOTOGRAPH BY ROBIN HAMMOND, NAT GEO IMAGE COLLECTION

ENVIRONMENT |

Eating meat has 'dire' consequences for the planet, says report

But the end goal is to eliminate all animal agriculture.

Meat.
Dairy.
Eggs.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/environment/article/commission-report-great-food-transformation-plant-diet-climate-change>



“Our mission is to remove all animals from the food system by 2035.”

“Our goal is to completely replace animals in the food system. You laugh but we are absolutely serious about it and it’s doable”

Pat Brown, the founder of Impossible Foods and a biomedical scientist at Stanford University, was speaking at the EAT Food Forum conference in Stockholm.

EAT Stockholm Food Forum 2020, *“.....aim to cut the meat and dairy intake of the global population and replace it with lab-made foods, cereals and oil.”*

#EATforum20 —

EAT Stockholm Food Forum 2020





This 3D-printed steak could help us reduce meat consumption



Bon appetit! Image: REUTERS/Amir Cohen

<https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2020/07/3d-printed-steak-cut-meat-consumption/>



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Is Lab-Grown Food the Future? — Pros and Cons to Consider

Ocean Robbins

Published August 21, 2020

11 min read

<https://foodrevolution.org/blog/is-lab-grown-food-the-future/>

UNITED STATES

Rather than Cull Millions of Livestock, Let's End Animal Agriculture

By **Joseph Winters** May 4, 2020

<https://harvardpolitics.com/rather-than-cull-millions-of-livestock-lets-end-animal-agriculture/>

As the U.S. economy reels from the COVID-19 pandemic, the country's meat producers are facing a logistical disaster. Social distancing measures have **forced** restaurants and industrial food service providers to **stall** their operations, and meatpacking facilities across the country have **shuttered** or reduced capacity. With nowhere to send their chickens, pigs, and cows, farmers have been

1) **farming/ranching is dirty and dangerous** - *she echoes Fauci in saying animal agriculture was responsible for pandemics starting in human history, and blaming meat for COVID-19*

2) calls for plant-based diet and **post-animal economy**

3) **linking the climate crisis to the "public health" crisis of COVID to your diet** - *just like Rockefeller's "Reset the Table"*



Greta Thunberg aims to change how food is produced

reuters.com

nytimes.com



Peter Prato for The New York Times

Opinion

Let's Launch a Moonshot for Meatless Meat

<https://www.anthropocenemagazine.org/2021/04/lab-cultured-seafood-is-coming-but-can-it-actually-relieve-pressure-on-global-fisheries/>

Creating a sustainable human age we
actually want to live in.



Anthropocene



DAILY SCIENCE

**Lab-cultured seafood
is coming. But can it
actually relieve
pressure on global
fisheries?**

<https://www.nytimes.com/2021/04/24/opinion/climate-change-meatless-meat.html>

Worms for dinner? Europe backs insect-based food in a bid to promote alternative protein



Insects could soon be on the menu as a healthy source of protein and nutrients.

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Unsplash/Conscious
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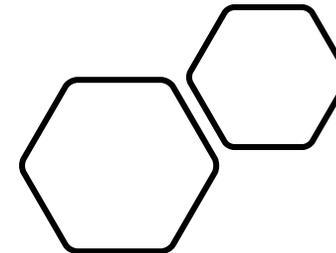
06 May 2021

Sean Fleming

Senior Writer, Formative Content

- The European Union just gave the green light to using mealworms in food.
- Edible insects are high in proteins and vitamins.
- They also consume fewer natural resources than livestock.

<https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2021/05/europe-insect-based-food-meat/>



**It's Taco Tuesday with a twist:
Virginia chef keeps selling out of
'incredible' Brood X cicada dish**

usatoday.com

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/money/food/2021/05/25/cicada-tacos-sell-out-every-night-mexican-restaurant-virginia/7435597002/>

Netherlands: The Dutch Government is paying farmers to stop farming to reduce nitrogen emissions



- These are turbulent times for farmers. Their profession is increasingly under attack politically and financially.
- The Dutch Government has allocated 522 million euros for any farmer who wants to stop farming to increase sustainability.
- The average compensation is 700,000 euros (About \$833,000)
- 66% of pig farmers said they would abandon their business right now, if they were offered the right compensation.

What can your family do?

*Meat is not important to everyone.
But maybe dairy or eggs are.*

If it is important to you, store it

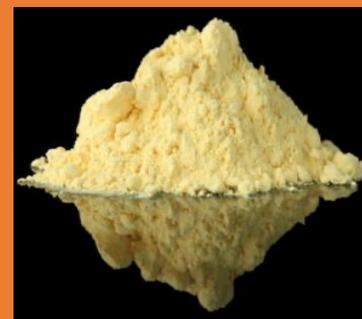
Meat



Scrambled Eggs



Whole Egg Powder



Milk Powder



IBM



Industrious

Leafy, clean, local greens, 365 days a year

Sustainable and transparent farming,
with the help of blockchain and data
science

By Justine Jablonska | 5 minute read | April 9, 2020



BrightFarms greenhouse in Rochelle, Illinois

FEEDBACK

The direction that vegetable and fruit production is moving, is “**traceability**” from seed to table.

And this will be accomplished through AI and blockchain science.

The goal is that one day, you can ask Google Home, Alexa, or Siri, where your spinach came from.

<https://www.ibm.com/blogs/industries/brightfarms-blockchain-leafy-greens/>

Deas, carrots, tomatoes. Plus eggplant



Action Point.

Grow what your family
likes to eat.

Then you can control the nutrients in the soil





30 x 30



Conservation Target



We need to protect 30% of the planet by 2030. This is how we can do it





EU plans to protect 30% of land and seas by 2030 for biodiversity

climatechangenews.com



BBC NEWS

Boris Johnson promises to protect 30% of UK's land by 2030

bbc.com



Trudeau promises to protect 25% of Canada's land and waters by 2025

rcinet.ca

ENVIRONMENT | PLANET POSSIBLE

The U.S. commits to tripling its protected lands. Here's how it could be done.

In a new executive order, the president promised to protect 30 percent of U.S. land and 30 percent of U.S. oceans by 2030.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/environment/article/biden-commits-to-30-by-2030-conservation-executive-orders>

CONSERVATION

Vilsack Hints at Possible CRP Changes Coming Soon with Biden's 30 By 30 Plan



<https://www.agweb.com/news/business/conservation/vilsack-hints-possible-crp-changes-coming-soon-bidens-30-30-plan>

A political insider told Farm Journal that President Biden's 30 x 30 plan will impact CRP, something Vilsack also hinted at during his interview this week.

“The President has committed to a 30 x 30 effort: 30% of our working lands and public lands being dedicated in some form or fashion to conservation [by 2030],” said Vilsack. “I think that also plays to the strength of CRP. I think it’ll play a particularly important role in that.”

So what can we realistically expect?

**You have
heard the
facts.**

**You decide,
the
implications.**



“Too often we bask in our comfortable complacency and rationalize that the ravages of war, economic disaster, famine, and earthquake cannot happen here. ... Those who smugly think these calamities will not happen, that they somehow will be set aside because of the righteousness of the Saints, are deceived and will rue the day they harbored such a delusion.”

-Ezra Taft Benson (“Prepare for the Days of Tribulation” October 1980 General Conference)





President Russell M. Nelson in The
Liahona magazine, January 2021

***“There shall be famines,
and pestilences,
and earthquakes,
in divers places”***

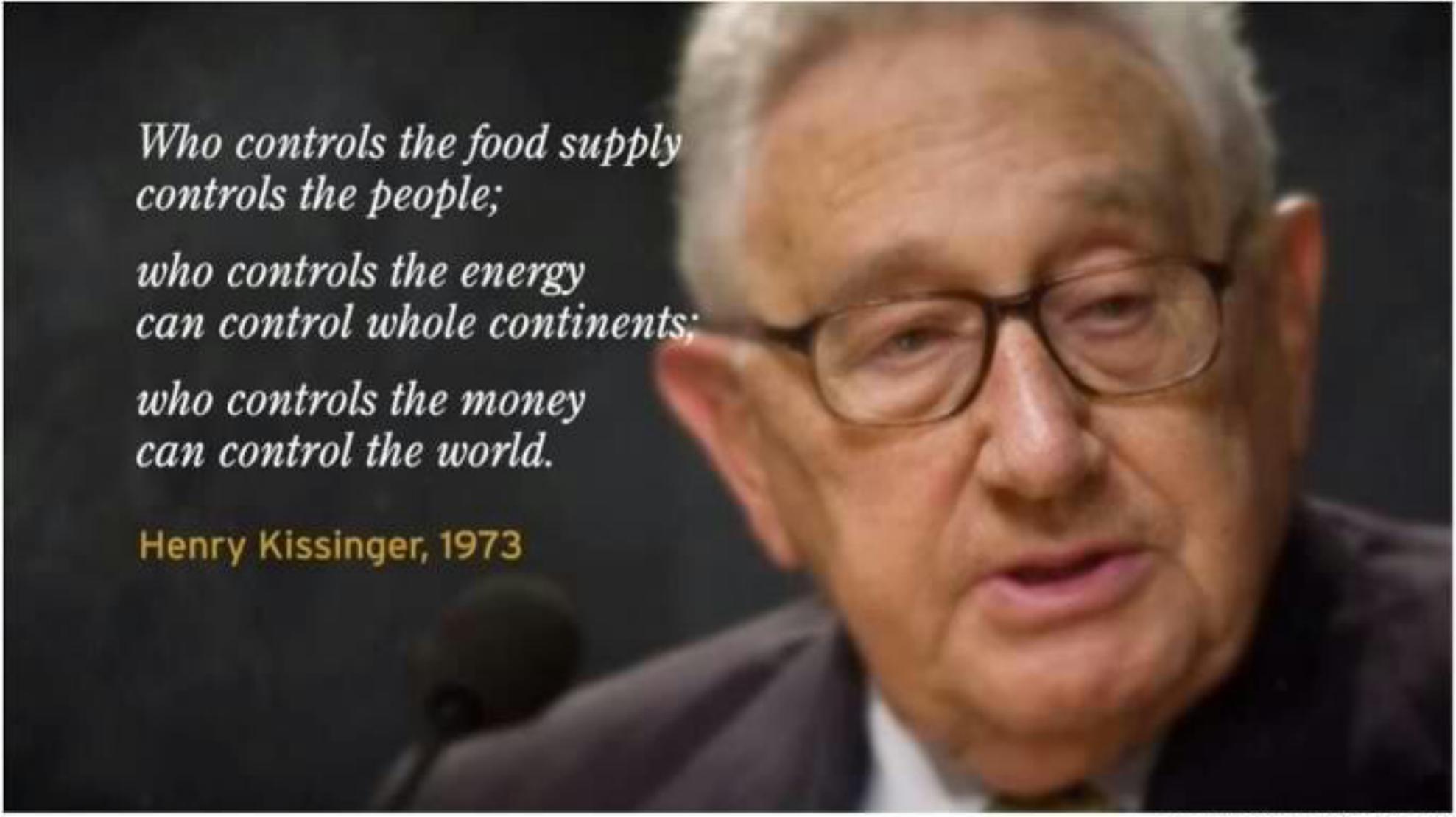
“.....Men shall lift up their
voices and curse God.....” D&C 45:32

“.....Men will harden their hearts
against me...” D&C 45:33

DON'T BLAME GOD

A Biblical Answer to the Problem of Evil, Sin and Suffering



A close-up photograph of Henry Kissinger, an older man with white hair and glasses, wearing a dark suit and tie. He is looking slightly to the right of the camera with a serious expression. A microphone is visible in the lower-left foreground. The background is dark and out of focus.

*Who controls the food supply
controls the people;*

*who controls the energy
can control whole continents;*

*who controls the money
can control the world.*

Henry Kissinger, 1973



Ether 8

Book of Mormon ▾



CHAPTER 8

There is strife and contention over the kingdom — Akish forms an oath-bound secret combination to slay the king — Secret combinations are of the devil and result in the destruction of nations — Modern Gentiles are warned against the secret combination that will seek to overthrow the freedom of all lands, nations, and countries.



The Great Reset

"The pandemic represents a rare but narrow window of opportunity to reflect, reimagine, and reset our world" - Professor Klaus Schwab, Founder and Executive Chairman, World Economic Forum.

This will be the greatest transfer of wealth, and greatest consolidation of power, in the history of mankind.

The Great Reset has 8
main planks:
This is one of them





Reset the Table

Meeting the Moment to
Transform the U.S. Food System



July 28, 2020

**This is a plan to
revolutionize the global
food system, from the
top down.**

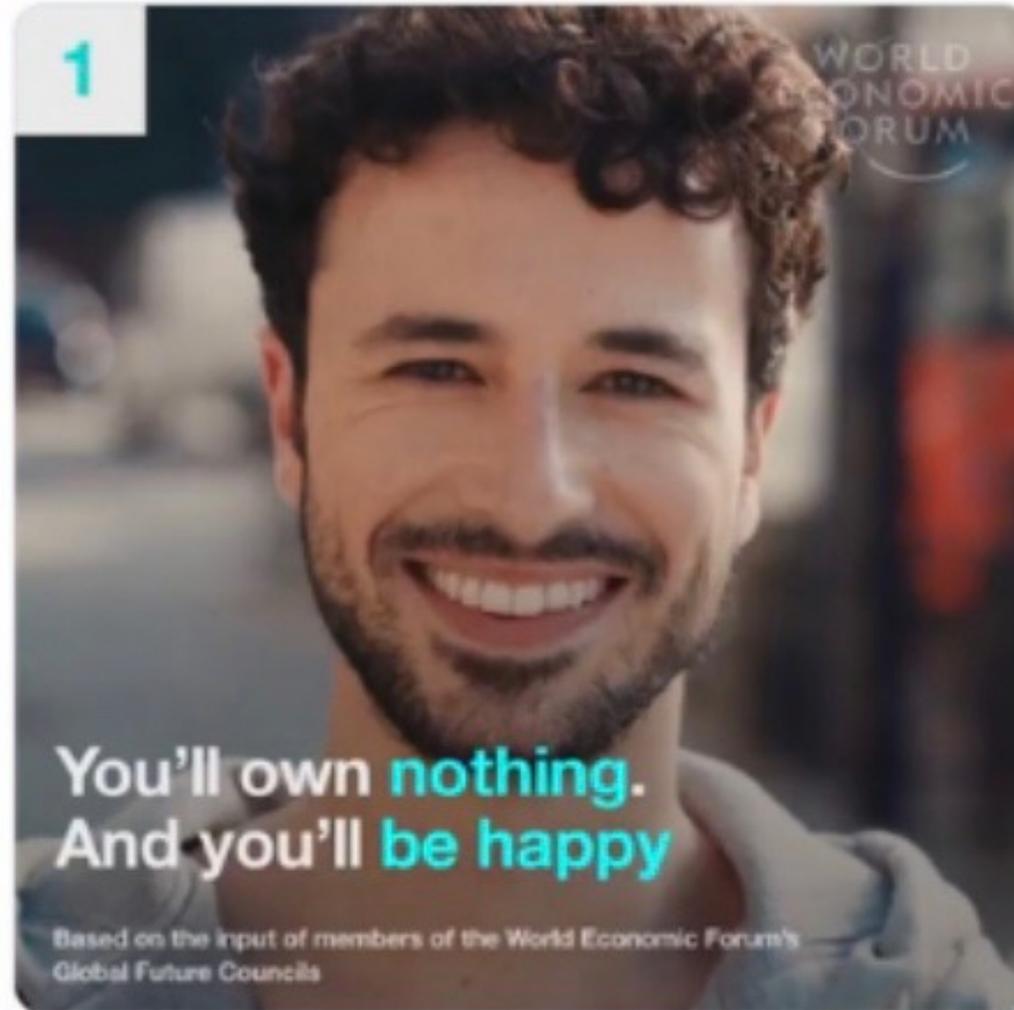
https://www.rockefellerfoundation.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/RF-Reset-the-Table-FULL-PAPER_July-28_FINAL.pdf

“Reset the Table” is the plan for the Global Food System;

The three objectives are:

1. To Integrate the ‘food system’ under a dominant global entity.
2. To Collectivize and centralize control of the food supply, under a global entity.
3. To engender ‘Prosperity’ within the stakeholders of the global entity.

You'll own nothing, and you'll be happy. This is how our world could change by 2030. Read more: wef.ch/2gmBN7M



*So who is Blackrock?
Only the world's largest asset
manager with \$9 T in assets.
And the leading proponent of
The Great Reset.*

They are buying up single family homes at a premium, forcing the middle class to be home renters. Eliminating the middle class' ability to build wealth.

Blackrock is a Federal Reserve Funded Financial Institution.

<https://noqreport.com/2021/06/11/yes-blackrocks-home-buying-spree-should-concern-you/>

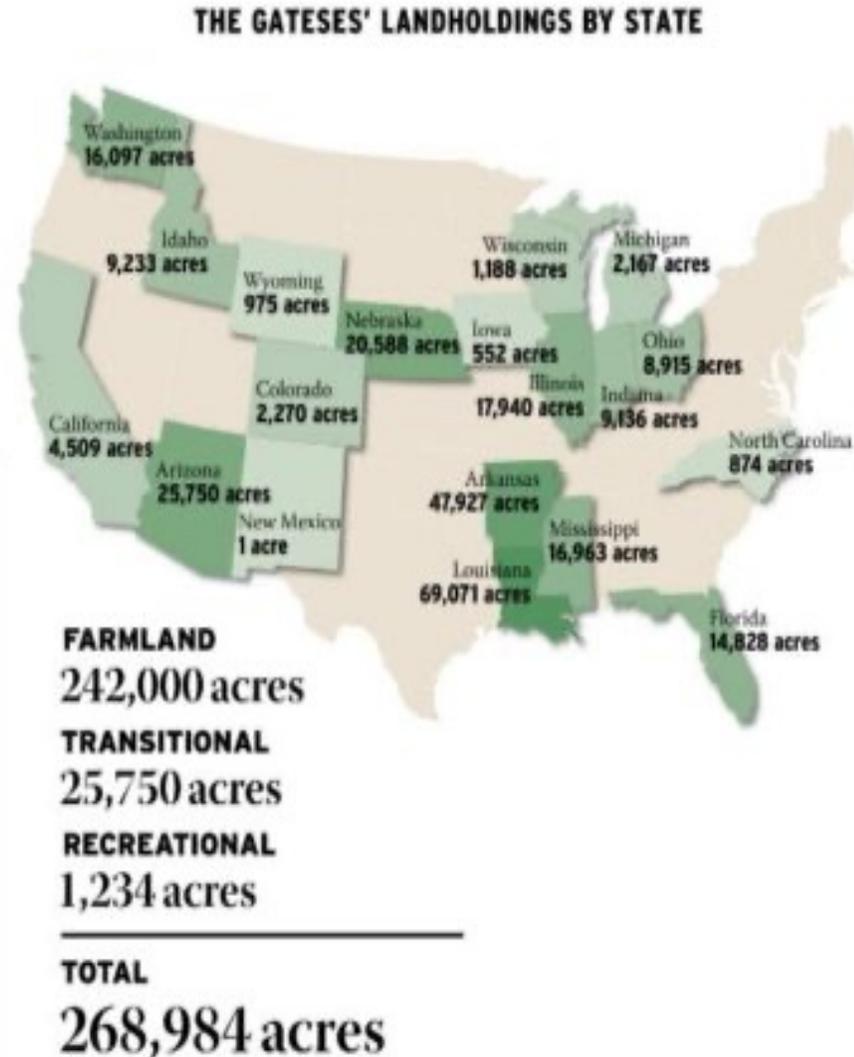
Another plank of the Great Reset is:

The Mega-Rich Are Buying US Farmland?

- Bill Gates is now America's biggest private farmland owner, owning 242,000 acres of farmland over 18 states. He has stated that his goal is a 'recolonization of agriculture.'

<https://thehill.com/changing-america/sustainability/534430-bill-gates-is-now-americas-biggest-private-farmland-owner>

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/arielshapiro/2021/01/14/america-biggest-owner-of-farmland-is-now-bill-gates-bezos-turner/?sh=110f14ac6096>



SOURCE: ACREVALUE
& COUNTY RECORDS

Ted Turner and Jeff Bezos are also investing heavily in ranch and farmland.

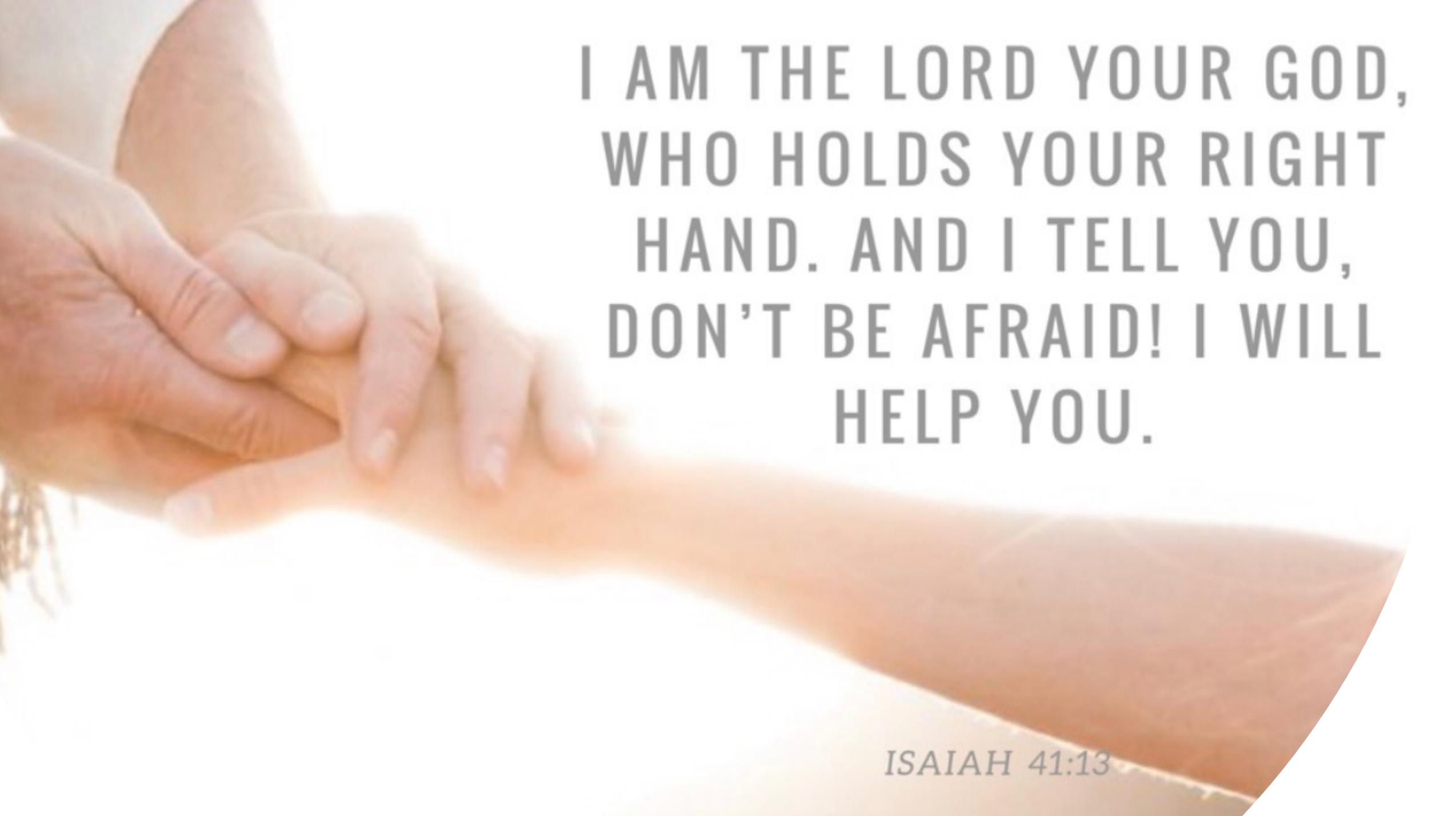
Moroni's Warning to Modern Gentiles.

Ether 8: 24-25

Wherefore, the Lord commandeth you, when ye shall see these things come among you that **ye shall awake to a sense of your awful situation, because of this secret combination which shall be among you...**

....it.....seeketh to overthrow the freedom of all lands, nations and countries; and it bringeth to pass the destruction of all people.



A close-up photograph of two hands clasped together in a supportive grip. The hands are positioned on the left side of the frame, with fingers interlaced. The skin tone is light, and the lighting is soft and warm, creating a sense of comfort and care. The background is a bright, out-of-focus white, which makes the hands the central focus of the image. The overall mood is one of reassurance and strength.

I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD,
WHO HOLDS YOUR RIGHT
HAND. AND I TELL YOU,
DON'T BE AFRAID! I WILL
HELP YOU.

ISAIAH 41:13

Peace is His goal.



Preparedness is our price.



FEAR NOT

ISAIAH 41:10

Scripture References :

Fear Not96 times

Be not afraid28 times

Be not troubled5 times

Do not fear3 times

Ye shall not fear4 times

Be of good cheer13 times

*That is 149 admonitions from
the Savior, not to be afraid.*

Globally, [the decision makers] are currently
reducing the food supply
at a time when
we should be stockpiling it.

~ Armstrong Economics

*Zion shall escape
if
she observe to do
all things
whatsoever
I have commanded her.*

D&C 97:25





PREPARE





If you would like to participate in one of the Preparedness groups, that will run for 12 months ONLY, please choose the ONE category that fits your family's needs the best:

We have no food storage and would like help BUYING FOOD STORAGE MONTHLY.

How much could you allot to food storage each month?

(We would like to know what is reasonable to budget for this group).

\$ _____

We would prefer to start with the basics from the Church storage program? *(Like wheat, oats, sugar, apples)*

We would prefer to start with individual items that the church doesn't sell. *(Like carrots, strawberries, chicken)*

We would prefer to start with the prepared meals. *((Like chicken alfredo, beef stroganoff). ** Cost is higher)*

Your Group Leader will be Helena Kleinlein.
Write any comments to her, on the back of this paper.

Family Name _____

Email _____



We have food storage, but we need more. We would like help BUYING MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS OF FOOD STORAGE, TO REACH OUR GOAL.

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Your Group Leader will be Brooke Peterson.
Write any comments to her, on the back of this paper.

Family Name _____

Email _____



Those people on Zoom,
please check your
email.

We have nothing and would like to BUY A YEAR'S SUPPLY OF FOOD IN ONE PURCHASE.

A Year's supply for one person is approximately \$2200.

We would be interested in a year supply

We would be interested in a 6 month supply.

Your Group Leader will be Cathy Owens.
Write any comments to her, on the back of this paper.

Family Name _____

Email _____



We do not need help with food storage but we would like help in OTHER EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AREAS:

Water. Gear. Heating. Cooking. Medical. Fuel.

Your needs _____

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Don't have any food storage at all?? Start here with the new

LDS Church **FAMILY HOME STORAGE KITS!**

This is the most food you can buy for the lowest possible price to get your food storage started.

LDS Members: store.lds.com

Non LDS Members:

Visit one of our Home Storage Centers (open to the public)

www.providentliving.org/location/map/0,12566,2026-1-4,00.html



If you have ever intended to purchase grains for food storage, do it now, before the prices increase too much





If you don't intend to create recipes from staple foods, then invest in "add water" prepared meals.

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Email _____





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We do not need help with food storage, but we would like help in OTHER PREPAREDNESS AREAS:

Water.? Gear.? Heating? Cooking? Medical? Fuel?
Freeze Drying. Gardening? Other? _____



Your Group Leader will be Cathy Owens.
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Family Name _____
Email _____







If nutrient dense fresh vegetables are important to you, learn to garden, where you can control the soil vitality.



**Hugelkultur is a must
in Utah, in a drought.**



You can grow many plants as microgreens like spinach, beets, mustard, kale, swiss chards, coriander, parsley, sorrel, lettuce, basil, broccoli, and peas. It is noted that some varieties like wheatgrass, kohlrabi, and

THE LORD
loves effort,
AND EFFORT
brings rewards.

- RUSSELL M. NELSON -

When we seek
to hear—truly
hear—His Son,
we will be
guided to
know what
to do in any
circumstance.

Russell M. Nelson



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