



Should Everyone Go Green?

Truth #1: Man must understand the _____ of our _____.

- Man is NOT just another _____ in nature, but a unique _____ made in the image of God. (Luke 12:27-28)
- The Bible teaches that we did not _____ from the animals but have _____ over the animals. (Genesis 1:26-27)
- There are two key aspects concerning the environment that flow out of creation: divine _____ and human _____. (Psalm 24:1 and Psalm 115:16)

Truth #2: Man is commanded to _____ for the _____.

- Man's responsibility concerning the environment is that of a _____ or _____, not a reckless exploiter.
- Neglecting to care for the environment is neglecting a _____.
- Failing to care for the environment selfishly neglects _____.
- Creation is a _____ to see the _____; to deface it in any way is to hide the face of God.
- Being a steward of the environment is a _____ to the _____. (Revelation 11:17-18)

Truth #3: God will preserve nature's _____. (Genesis 8:22)

- Being a steward of the environment starts with a foundational understanding that _____ is _____ over the environment.
- Being a steward of the environment is not the same as _____ the _____. (Genesis 3:17-18 and Romans 8:20-22)
- If mankind ceased to exist, the _____ would still have _____.
- Until we understand the seriousness of _____, we will never appreciate the sufficiency of _____. (Psalm 102:25-26 and Revelation 21:1-3)
- Many believers fail to take environmental issues seriously because of _____.
- A Biblical approach to the environment is to treat God's creation in the way that creation will be treated when _____.

Stewarding my Spiritual Environment:

Proverbs 4:23

Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.

- A. Protect against toxic _____.
- Put away relationships that call you away from the _____ things of _____. (Proverbs 13:20)
- B. Protect against toxic _____.
- Put away images that pervert God's _____. (Matthew 6:22)
- C. Protect against toxic _____.
- Put away things that compete with _____ rightful _____. (I Samuel 7:3-4)