

You cannot save anybody, but you can love everyone – Anonymous

*'If there is a God, it's going to be a whole lot bigger and a whole lot more incomprehensible than anything that any theologian of any religion has ever proposed.'* – Richard Dawkins

*'I am utterly convinced that Science and Peace will triumph over Ignorance and War, that nations will eventually unite not to destroy but to edify, and that the future will belong to those who have done the most for the sake of suffering humanity. Science brings men nearer to God.'* – Louis Pasteur

*'The book of nature, which we have to read, is written by the finger of God'* - Michael Faraday

*'Such peace is alone in the gift of God, and as it is He who gives it why should we be afraid? His unspeakable gift in His beloved Son is the ground of no doubtful hope.'* – Michael Faraday

*'All things contained in the compass of the universe declare, as it were, with one accord the infinite wisdom of the Creator.'* – Carolus Linnaeus

*'The Bible is a great source of wisdom and consolation and should be read frequently.'* - Albert Einstein

*'I have a fundamental belief in the Bible as the Word of God, written by those who were inspired. I study the Bible daily.'* - Isaac Newton

*'He who thinks half-heartedly will not believe in God; but he who really thinks has to believe in God.'* – Isaac Newton

*'For since the fabric of the universe is most perfect and the work of a most wise Creator, nothing at all takes place in the universe in which some rule of maximum or minimum does not appear.'* - Leonhard Euler

*'Then let us all do what is right, strive with all our might toward the unattainable, develop as fully as we can the gifts God has given us, and never stop learning'* – Ludwig van Beethoven

*'Darkness cannot drive out darkness: only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate: only love can do that.'* - MLK, Jr.

*'Isn't it amazing that we are all made in God's image, and yet there is so much diversity among his people?'* – Desmond Tutu

*'How wonderful it is that no one has to wait, but can start right now to gradually change the world!'* – Anne Frank

*'You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.'* – Jeremiah

*'From thinking there is no honest way back into a naive belief. According to an old phrase, the first sip from the cup of knowledge separates us from God, but at the bottom of the cup God is waiting for the one who seeks him. If so, then there is a way of*

*thinking that leads to religious truths, and to seek only that way is rewarding.” –  
Werner Heisenberg (Nobel Physicist)*

*"The first thing we could say was simply: 'I believe in God, the Father, the almighty creator of heaven and earth.' The next step — at least for our contemporary consciousness — was doubt. There is no god; there is only an impersonal law that directs the fate of the world according to cause and effect... And yet, we may with full confidence place ourselves into the hands of the higher power who, during our lifetime and in the course of the centuries, determines our faith and therewith our world and our fate." – Werner Heisenberg (Nobel Physicist)*

*'The best resource available to make the Earth a better place to live is a wise mind seeking the truth with a sincere heart.'*

What are the consequences of our actions? A brown recluse spider can bite a strong healthy human and destroy the human's life. A strong healthy human can take a small pill and the pill can destroy the human's life. A human can breathe in a small amount of poisonous air and this poisonous air will destroy the human's life.

Meanwhile, humans are bulldozing, drilling, mining, exploding, concreting and blacktopping the Earth at an amazing rate and believe that the consequences are repairable. The events described above for humans only take a fraction of a second to make the person's life over or unrecoverable. However, the process of bulldozing, drilling, mining, exploding, concreting and blacktopping the Earth has been going on for over one hundred years and has ruined the lives of millions and millions and millions and millions of human beings and countless other biological lives. Yet, many humans believe the biological life on the Earth can recover from this process.

Just as puzzling, many humans believe we can save the biological life on the Earth by doing more bulldozing, drilling, mining, exploding, concreting and blacktopping of the Earth. How does one know that the toxins that are being leaked into the air, land and water today will not destroy all human life five years from today?

Human nature has not changed since man has started walking this Earth. Humans are and have always been inconsistent, cruel, illogical, greedy, selfish, incompetent, etc. Yes, there are humans who search for ways to change this and humans who hope that these and more characteristics of humans will change, but they have not.

Humans are moral and spiritual creatures. Because of that humans have created ethics and religions. Since these have been created by humans, they are victims of human nature and all fall short of perfection.

The same is true of governments, political parties, education systems, inventions and infrastructures. Most humans in positions of authority or responsibility have more critics than allies and many times the allies one day stab them in the back. It is also true that many times people in positions of authority or responsibility commit atrocious deeds.

For every action by humans there are consequences and, in general, there are more negative consequences with horribly detrimental impact than there are positive

consequences. Therefore, most plans or ideas are criticized because of all the negative consequences. Over and over again, human history has shown that most plans laid out by humans to live by fail and have horrible impact on the children and the innocent.

Take for example, politicians. Many times politicians are elected over and over again with the hope that things will improve if they are kept being elected. However, things do not improve. Then these politicians who proved their inability to make things better are elected to higher positions with the same results. This happens over and over again and will probably happen again in the near future.

Another example is universities. Many professors who have built an infrastructure of research promise they have the answers to the problems facing humanity. More times than not, when their plans are implemented things get worse. Universities produce immensely more problem creators than they produce problem solvers and addict their students to lifestyles that are unsustainable.

Consider the process of maintaining the lifestyles of those in 'modern' nations. The bulldozer is used to help do this. The bulldozer is the ultimate WMD. These WMDs have done more damage to the Earth and have leaked more toxins into the air, land and water than any other WMD. Modern nations use these all over the Earth to get the minerals they need to maintain the infrastructures in their nations. All of these infrastructures leak toxins into the air, land and water continuously. What is the effect of this human endeavor on the existence of life?

Then there is the global pharmaceutical industry. Pharmaceuticals are made by most of the modern nations of the world. Most of the citizens of the modern nations of the world use these pharmaceuticals. Some of the most highly educated and 'smart' minds are making and distributing these pharmaceuticals. The infrastructure that has been developed to make these pharmaceuticals is one of the most unsustainable infrastructures on the planet. The pharmaceutical industry has created more addicts than any other industry on the planet. Many people have been poisoned by the pharmaceutical industry and many die because of the pharmaceutical industry. Many pharmaceuticals have been created to combat the horrific side effects of other pharmaceuticals.

Many times throughout human history the highly educated have made predictions about complex dynamical systems and have been wrong. Many times systems have been specially designed and fabricated and have failed. Many times an unanticipated slight perturbation has caused catastrophic changes in the workings of a dynamical system.

At a rally, the organizer says, 'Please demonstrate peaceably' and the people do. At another rally, the organizer says the same thing and a chaotic riot ensues. At yet another rally, the organizer says, 'Let's riot.' and the people do. Finally at a fourth rally, the organizer yells, 'Let's riot!' and the people do not. Parents can have one child become a doctor, the other child become a criminal while their third child becomes both a doctor and a criminal.

Dynamical systems are quite complex. Many highly educated who have observed them have made well thought out predictions of some of the most complex of them. Many who were in agreement on them were proven wrong. The atmosphere is an incredible dynamical system that depends on many factors, myriads still unknown. You also are an incredible dynamical system that no one can predict accurately, including yourself. Suppose that you are being

held hostage. You can leave if you agree to (1) be bitten by a very small snake, (2) drink a cup of arsenic, (3) bathe in hydrochloric acid, or (4) smoke a carton of cigarettes. Which will you choose? How do you model the atmosphere and what are the most important factors?

Often one hears, "Live Your Dream" or "Be Who You Want." Many want to be millionaires or billionaires. If all those who dream to be billionaires became billionaires our Earth would die a quick death. If all of us on planet Earth lived like the average person in what is called a civilized or modern nation, our planet would be in immensely more peril of dying than it currently is. Throughout the world most of the conflicts and disasters are caused because nations of peoples are trying to live the dream.

Humans are the result of a big bang. The instant sperm fertilizes the egg it becomes a being that fights to live and to be happy. At any point after this instant this life can be tragically ended. Sometimes it is for convenience, sometimes it is for power, but more often than not it is done because of hate. No matter when it is done or why it is done a human life that wants to live is ended. All kinds of justification for this extermination of a human life or lives are given by another human or a group of humans. No matter how this situation is evaluated a human life that wants to live is ended by another human or group of humans. This causes more negative consequences for mankind than almost anything else.

Today many believe that humans do what they do to survive and that the fittest survive. However, throughout human history there have been many who have lived a life of torture and misery by other humans because they will not change their beliefs. Many people have been tortured to death in the most excruciating ways because they will not change their beliefs. There have been many humans throughout human history who have committed suicide (some in excruciating ways) in hopes that their beliefs (which are still here after they have committed suicide) will change the course of humans.

Many times it is not the fit who survive, but the one in the right place at the right time or the one in the wrong place at the right time or the one in the right place at the wrong time. Take for example, two bears; the one bear is strong and bulky with no genetic defects; the other is quick and thin but with a serious genetic defect. The two bears meet in a duel to be the king of the tribe. During the fight the strong bear slips on a rock and falls to his death. The other bear passes on his serious genetic defect.

Does nature work to optimize survival for its species? Does it ever attain this? Does nature move along paths that are not optimal? Is the path to optimization for the species to survive along paths that are extremely dire for survival? How complicated is the path of optimization for survival? Two scientists educated at the same institution by the same professors can have completely different philosophies on what is the optimal way to live for the survival of the planet. Is the human species destined to evolve into robots? Are those who are fighting the destruction of the Earth that will only allow 'robots' to survive the 'errors' along the path to optimal survival?

Brigham Young who was a young carpenter from Vermont was able to convince architects, doctors, teachers and many highly educated to leave Great Britain and come with him to an unknown place in Utah. Together they built a small empire that now has influence all over the world. In fact, they have universities all over the Earth that are making stunning scientific breakthroughs.

Throughout human history it has been believed and promoted that education will help humans to live better and happier or that education is the only way to obtain truth. However, most of the problems facing the extinction of the human race today are the consequences of the highly educated. Many people believe that education will change the way people think and make them more productive citizens. However, many of those same people believe that people do not have choices in who they are. However, we do know that people who 'chose' to live a heterosexual monogamous life for many years, realize they are homosexual and vice versa. We know that many people who were atheists, became spiritual and many people who were spiritual became atheists. Throughout human history certain people have changed who they are many times in their lives.

Does education really make us 'better' humans? For thousands of years there were tribes and cultures that existed in places like North and South America with no formal education system. Many of these tribes lived relatively peaceful, were happy and had a loving culture that treated everyone equally and fairly. Many of these tribes believed in a Great Spirit and the eventual coming together of humans with the Great Spirit. In general, these tribes lived in naturally beautiful places and lived in harmony with these naturally beautiful places.

Today many of these naturally beautiful places have been bulldozed, drilled, mined, exploded, blacktopped and/or concreted into horribly polluted environmental disasters by those calling themselves environmentalists, liberals, progressives, conservatives, Democrats, Libertarians, Republicans, Socialists, scientists, politicians, etc. In many of these places toxins are leaking into the air, land and water at increasingly alarming rates. This is all done to maintain the lifestyles of the highly educated.

There are many who believe that science, morality and spirituality cannot all exist together and that people of faith in a Great Spirit cannot do good science. However, human history shows this thought is wrong. Galileo, Johannes Kepler, Isaac Newton, Leonhard Euler, Michael Faraday, James Maxwell and Albert Einstein were among many students of the Bible and believers in a Supreme Being who made astounding scientific discoveries. In fact, many of the most significant discoveries in science and inventions in science have been by those who are spiritual. Most atheist scientists study and use the science discovered by those of deep faith in a Supreme Being. Today those who call themselves Jews, Christians and Muslims and display their religion proudly make incredible scientific discoveries on a regular basis. Did Albert Einstein become Albert Einstein when his father's sperm impacted his mother's egg or when he wrote that science without faith is lame and faith without science is wrong?

Many people claim that moralists and religions have created most of the problems throughout human history. Certainly, this is true. However, this should not be confused with those who are spiritual. Isaac Newton, John Locke, Christopher Wren, George Fox and William Penn did more to break the bonds the Church of England had on the people and bring in enlightenment than any others. These men were all spiritual and great students of the Bible. Thomas Jefferson, James Madison and Benjamin Franklin were students of these men and were also quite spiritual. The scientist Joseph Priestley was the pastor at a church in Philadelphia that Thomas Jefferson often attended. Booker T. Washington, Harriet Tubman, George Washington Carver, Martin Luther King, Jr. and Nelson Mandela were also students of many of these above mentioned men and were very spiritual and made great advances in science and the freedom to live happily.

Many humans try to discover why we are here or how we got where we are. The language of mathematics has helped in this endeavor. The human mind was able to discover mathematics and has used it to help understand some of why the universe behaves the way it does. We call the mind intelligent because it has figured out some of the design of the universe, but some say we cannot call it intelligent design.

Humans that are alive strive to understand why they want to live and/or why they exist. Almost always during the discussions on this topic the concept of morality and spirituality arises, no matter who the group of people are. Many of these people write books or give speeches on what the 'best' type of country would be. The ones of these that most humans tend to like are a pretty good description of what Israel is today. In fact, Isaac Newton wrote that Israel would become a nation again in the 20<sup>th</sup> century and technology would be controlling mankind in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

Many today complain about Israel, including its existence. Israel exists today and fights for its existence because millions of Jews were exterminated and/or put in tortuous prisons throughout Europe and Russia. No one came to their aid and no one (except the Czechoslovakians) helped them to become a nation again. Against all odds, a ragtag group of Jews who did not speak a common language regained the land that was once their country.

Israel provides its citizens with the best health care in the world and the best security system in the world. There is no safer country for tourists to visit than Israel. Israel takes care of its citizens better than any other country. Every citizen of Israel obeys all the same rules and guidelines. There is no profiling; everyone goes through the same security check when entering and leaving Israel. Every citizen has freedom to worship as they choose as long as they are not violating the rights of other citizens.

- (1) The safest place for an Arab Muslim woman to live on this Earth is Israel.
- (2) The safest place on this Earth to express your views is Israel.
- (3) The first country to provide aid to other countries is Israel.
- (4) The best healthcare provider for every citizen is Israel.
- (5) The nation with the best treatment of visitors to their country is Israel.
- (6) The foundational education of Israel is one of the best in the world.
- (7) All over the Earth Jews are sharing their knowledge.
- (8) All over the Earth Jews are sharing their kindness.
- (9) All terrorists in Israel are brought to trial, including their own citizens.
- (10) Israel expresses its strengths and failures equally.

Israel ceased to be a nation around 600-500 B.C. In 1878 in the Valley of Achor in Israel a group of Jews started a settlement. This was the first known Jewish settlement in Israel for over one thousand years. In 1917 General Edmond Allenby liberated Jerusalem from the Ottoman Empire for all people to visit. In 1948 the UN recognized Israel as a sovereign nation. In 1967 Rabbi Goren led the Israeli army in taking control of Jerusalem.

Israel is one of the most focal points on the planet Earth. The Jews have turned Israel into a habitable land that is recognized by many as one of the most sustainable places on Earth. Jews living in Israel are making some of the most significant scientific discoveries in the world and are sharing them with others. Israel is clearly an example of humans wanting to live in happiness and in harmony with their Earth and world. Israel, even with all its human nature flaws, certainly is an example of survival of the fittest and the happiest.

