Challenges, Solutions, Facts - Resources for Caring for the Environment

Karen Armstrong - <u>Sacred Nature</u>. How We Can Recover Our Bond with Nature. 2022, 239 pp. -How to rekindle our spiritual bond with nature.

Carleigh Bodrug - Plantyou. 2022, 461 pp.

-140+ Ridiculously Easy, Amazingly Delicious, Plant-based, Oil-free Recipes.

----- Good Nutrition: The Power of a Plant-based Diet.

Christiana Figueres & Tom Rivett-Carnac - <u>The Future We Choose.</u> Surviving the Climate Crisis. 2020, 210 pp. -*The options we have by the architects of the 2015 Paris Agreement*

Jonathan Safran Foer - <u>We are the Weather</u>. Saving the Planet Begins at Breakfast. 2019, 272 pp. -Best Food Book of the Year – The Guardian; Best Science Book of the Year – Financial Times

Edwardo Garcia – <u>Things You Can Do</u>. How to Fight Climate Change and Reduce Waste. 2022, 256 pp. -*This illustrated book suggests simple every day solutions to climate change.*

Paul Hawken, ed. – <u>Drawdown.</u> The Most Comprehensive Plan Ever Proposed to Reverse Global Warming. 2017, 233 pp. -Sector by sector Paul Hawken and his distinguished team give us the data on CO2 emissions, their rank order, and what people around the world are doing to reduce them.

Katharine Hayhoe - <u>Saving Us</u>. A Climate scientist's case for Hope and Healing in a Divided World. 2021, 297 pp. -A Christian Climate Scientist explains the challenges of climate change through science, faith, and human psychology and shows us how to choose an active role.

Also see Katharine Hayhoe:

- 1. Ted Talk, How to talk about Climate Change, 2018. Google: Katharine Hayhoe Ted Talk
- 2. Nine part series on Christianity and climate change, 2020. https://www.tearfund.org/campaigns/christianity-and-climate-change-film-series
- 3. <u>Global Weirding</u>, 2016 2019. A series of 5 6 minute videos on different aspects of Climate Change. Google: Katharine Hayhoe, Global Weirding on PBS or YouTube. https://www.pbs.org/video/religion-has-nothing-to-say-about-climate-change-right-f1hm6p/

Elizabeth Kolbert - <u>The Sixth Extinction.</u> An Unnatural History. 2014, 292 pp. -A comprehensive history of earth's previous mass extinctions and what is currently at risk.

Michael E. Mann - <u>The New Climate War.</u> The Fight to Take Back Our Planet. 2021, 356 pp. -*The opposing politics...engaging, approachable, and ultimately deeply uplifting.*

David Owens - Where the Water Goes. Life and Death along the Colorado River. 2017, 259pp. -The lasting impact of human actions, politics and economy on water sources in the West.

Mindy Pennybacker - <u>Do One Green Thing</u>. Saving the Earth through Simple, Everyday Choices. 2010, 253 pp. -*Charts showing what to choose and what to lose; easy, affordable choices we can all make.*

Kim Stanley Robinson - The Ministry of the Future. Fiction, 2020, 563 pp.

-A well-researched science fiction novel about climate change and the reinvention of governments, politics, and economics around the world and the costs as well as the potential future for each of us.

Merlin Sheldrake - Entangled Life. How Fungi Make Our Worlds, Change Our Minds & Shape our Futures. 2021, 282pp. - A riveting introduction to the interconnectedness of nature.

David Wells-Wallace - <u>The Uninhabitable Earth</u> Life After Warming, 2019, 299 pp. -A projection of our future if we do not change our behavior in a single generation.

Peter Wohlleben - <u>The Hidden Life of Trees.</u> What They Feel, How They Communicate. 2016, 260 pp. -Based on recent science, a description of how trees live within mutually dependent social networks.

Children's Books. [9 Years of age and up]

Paul Douglass - <u>A Kid's Guide to Saving the Planet</u> It's not hopeless and we're not helpless. 2022, 107, pp. -Chapters on 'We've Cleaned Up Our Messes Before', 'We Will Solve This Problem', 'Climate Solutions You Can Do'.

Gail Herman - What is Climate Change? New York Times WHO HQ Series, 2018, 108 pp. -Illustrated explanation of Climate Change.

Al Gore - An Inconvenient Truth: The Crisis of Global Warming. 2007. -Young Readers Edition.

Joseph Romm - Climate Change: What Everyone Needs to Know. 2016 -Books for Young Readers

Selected Films

Before the Flood, narrated by Leonardo DiCaprio, Disney

Eating Our Way to Extinction, with Kate Winslett, 2021

A Plastic Ocean, Directed by Craig Leeson, Netflix, 2016

<u>A Life on our Planet</u>, David Attenborough, Netflix, 2020 <u>Climate Change: The Facts</u>, David Attenborough, Youtube, 2019

Chasing Corals directed by Jeff Orlowski, 2017

Don't Look Up, 2021, Leonardo de Caprio, Merle Strep and others. A satire on climate change

Antartica, 2023 on Nova; Artic Sinkholes, Nova Series, 2022.

Chasing Ice, James Balog [The Extreme Ice Survey], Amazon Prime, 2012

2040, Damon Gameau, tubi, 2019. When Climate change is solved.

mother! Darren Aronofsky with Jennifer Lawrence, Netflix, 2017. [Disturbing, violent]