

I'm going to come right out and say it, "Global warming is a fraud used to justify more taxation and control and loss of personal freedom". Carbon dioxide is not a problem and is not a significant greenhouse gas. The air we breathe is roughly 78% nitrogen, 20.9% oxygen, Argon 0.9% and Carbon Dioxide a mere 0.054% with a few other gases in minute quantities. Water is the most significant greenhouse gas. It's easy to understand this. Compare the difference in temperatures on a summer night that is overcast to a perfectly clear night. The clear night is much cooler. The water vapour on an overcast night retaining the heat.

I believe this planet is running short of carbon dioxide needed for plant photosynthesis. Plant life breathes in carbon dioxide and exhales oxygen. Commercial greenhouses pump carbon dioxide to their crop plants to increase production and growth rates. The more carbon dioxide the better all plant life on this planet will grow and we along with them. Make an observation of the size of maple leaves close to an urban centre. The leaves are darker, larger and the canopy of the tree is solid. Now compare that to the small light green leaves and see through canopy of trees outside of town. Most of the carbon dioxide this planet was created with is now tied up in limestone – calcium carbonate, hydrocarbons – coal, oil, gas, peat, etc. and coral reefs etc. Rain combines with atmospheric carbon dioxide to form carbonic acid tying up even more carbon in rivers, lakes, and oceans.

Al Gore's movie, "An Inconvenient Truth" grossly distorted many scientific facts. The graph showing the earth's temperatures and carbon dioxide levels and how well they fitted together was an outright fraud. I would rather listen to the scientist who did the Vostok ice cores than Mr. Gore. The graphs do fit together but the fact is the earth's temperature went up and the rise in carbon dioxide lagged by 800 years as the oceans released the carbon dioxide dissolved in them as they warmed. The graphs should be separated by that 800 years. This is easy to demonstrate. Run ice cold water into a glass and then sit it on the counter. As the water in the glass warms up bubbles start to form on the side of the glass. This is the simple truth on the physics of water. As it warms it holds less dissolved mineral and gases.

Fact, during the last ice age when ice was at the equator and down to the seashore, the carbon dioxide levels in our atmosphere were 1000 times higher than they are now and at one time during the Jurassic period carbon dioxide composed 30% of the air.

In Mr. Gore's movie he shows a graph of global temperatures over millions of time. He conveniently leaves out the little ice age, the medieval warm period, and the world temperature spike around 1430 AD. And that hockey stick at the end of the graph. Well professor Ross McKittrick from the University of Guelph and statistical analyst Stephen McIntyre used the same computer model "MBH98" with other data and no matter what data he put in he got the same hockey stick at the end of the graph. I believe UCLA also demonstrated the same anomaly.

Fact, many of the scientists who were on the IPCC did not agree that man made carbon dioxide was affecting climate change and many of the lead writers have come out publicly saying they were not in agreement with the conclusion

yet they're names were included in the final draft as if they were. Our news media has been grossly negligent in not reporting both sides of the story.

To subject the kids in our schools to Gore's movie without hearing the other side of the story is grossly negligent. One BBC documentary to watch is "The Global Warming Swindle" or CBC's "Global warming called off".

Climate is always changing. It has always been in a constant state of change. Back in the early 70's scientist were sure we were heading into another ice age. Wrong again! At anytime in history you could always find some weather disaster that fit the cause they were trying to proclaim. Our cold wet summer past would be a great one to prove a coming ice age. Can you imagine the how and cry if hurricane Hazel or the hurricane that sank the Edmund Fitzgerald happened today. This year worldwide we have experienced the lowest hurricane activity in 30 years.

Galileo pointed out 500 years ago that the climate on this earth is directly affected by sun spots. There has been very little sun spot activity for the past few years. It is still the sun that is the major source of heat on this planet. The ebb and flow of sun spots, or varying distance of the earth from the sun, and a host of other factors is what determines the temperature and weather on this planet.

Volcanic activity can disrupt our weather significantly. In 1993 Mount Pinatubo erupted and spewed more carbon dioxide, hydrogen sulphide gas, and particulate into the atmosphere than humans have done since the industrial revolution. The following summer after this eruption was cold and wet as the ash blocked out a percentage of the sun's rays reaching the earth. If three volcanoes like Pinatubo erupted at the same time life on our planet would be deep trouble. Keep in mind that 85% of volcanoes on this planet are on the ocean bottom, so we don't witness their eruptions. If these global warmers think they can control the weather by modification of our use of hydrocarbons then let them practice on controlling volcanic eruptions for a decade or so.

Glaciers have always advanced and receded and they still are. Be thankful that they do recede or we would be under two miles of ice. Eastern Greenland's Jakobshavn glacier is advancing. Alaska's Hubbard glacier have been advancing at 7 feet per day in July/09. When Captain Cook explored the west coast of North America the glaciers of Glaciers Bay were at the ocean. When Vancouver retraced the same route several hundred years later the glaciers had retreated 62 miles inland.

The Arctic ice cap last winter grew larger than the area of Germany and France combined. You didn't hear that on CTV or CBC.

Fact, this planet is just coming out of the little ice age of the 15 hundreds. This planet was a lot warmer during the medieval warm period. Remember Eric the Red and Leif the Lucky from grade school history class? They were farming (over 50 head of cattle) on Greenland in 1085 AD at the 77th parallel. We in Parry sound at the 45th parallel have a hard time getting enough heat and light to grow food crops here now.

In the Royal British Columbia Museum in Victoria, British Columbia in the natural history section they have a time line mural on a wall about 60 feet long showing the evolution and climate of our planet. Through most of the history of

this planet the average global temperature has been much higher than it is now. Life on this planet always better during warm periods.

The polar bears made out just fine during the medieval warm period. And about the polar bear population. The people who live in polar bear country say there are more bears than there have ever been according to their oral history. Frankly I give more credence to the locals than an Ottawa biologist or the World Wildlife Fund who are trying to justify their jobs and a huge increase in bureaucracy.

And how can the doomsayers tell us what the weather is going to be like 40 years hence when they can't get it right 5 days from now?

The one realization it has taken most of my life to grasp is that while we commit a lot of stupid acts to our planet, we are in reality insignificant in the grand scheme of things. As George Carlin would say "This planet is gonna do what it wants too".

I am not about to stand by while politicians fleece us of more of our hard earned money or let a bunch of condominium conservationist, do gooders, and Quacademics rule on every aspect of my life. The work and knowledge of credible scientists is deliberately being glossed over or outright ignored to support the agenda of a few who stand to gain a lot. The hundreds of climate scientist who disagree have no voice with the media. So much for fair or impartial. Its time to put an end to the one sided "the end is coming story". There are more serious and real problems to get active on.

Also take note that Al Gore and the boys from Goldman Sachs have set themselves up to be the first carbon tax trillionaires for something you can't see, taste, smell or touch. Global warming will turn out to be a bigger fraud than Y2K.

The massive increase of food prices world wide as food crops are now turned into biofuels will lead to the starvation of hundreds of millions of people

And as a final note, it has come to public knowledge that the scientist of East Anglia University in England, the group that has predicated global warming, have been fudging the climate data to promote their theory, another fact that was conveniently ignored by our media. The truth is that the data show we have been in a cooling trend for 9 years.