

Signs of the Coming One



Significant and Encouraging Events Sounding the Note of the Coming One

We have been asked “to observe the growing signs of the Christ appearing in the world—both in spite of and because of the darkness.” The request is that we observe and share “outcroppings of love and goodwill around the globe.” In so doing, we will magnify the “deliverance into the world of ‘the Christ child’—the fiery love of the Christ being born into visible livingness in the Heart of Humanity.”

We are also told that this initiative “will bring to our attention an awareness of increasing cooperation between the 4th and 5th kingdoms and that this cooperation is being initiated by the inner Ashrams.”

By collecting examples of the Christ spirit in living demonstration, we can begin to see the pattern leading up to long-awaited Events. You will find examples below that can serve as illustrations. By reading, reflecting and commenting on instances that sound the note of the Coming One, we can build group sensitivity and responsiveness, while heightening our expectancy of the Event.

In spiritual companionship,

The LD Coordinating Group

Dear Reader,

If you are dismayed and disheartened by the state of our world, we invite you to scroll through the pages of this document. It contains sparks of light that together create a towering flame testifying to the vibrancy of the human soul and the birth of a New Era.

In late 2016, at the suggestion of guidance from the inner Ashram, a group of disciples began collecting 'Signs of the Coming One.' We've been observing them one at a time as they flow through our email stream, but seeing them all together is a source of tremendous inspiration that we wanted to share with others.

This registry tells a story of the coming world civilization. The new consciousness is vitally alive in these pages, brimming with limitless potential. Because these initiatives exist largely in isolation from each other, their cumulative impact is not yet felt. But once they are interconnected, the world will surely experience a powerful wave of transformation.

These hundreds of listings — with links to websites and thumbnail descriptions — reflect an enormous groundswell of goodwill and intelligent activism. Some represent individual acts, but most represent the work of groups and organizations. All together they must account for hundreds of thousands of people, perhaps millions if we include those who are impacted by these initiatives. And the Signs in this collection are only the relative few we've come across.

For those of you who are students of the Tibetan Master and Alice Bailey, you will find here voluminous evidence that a portion of humanity is taking the First Initiation — experiencing the birth of the Christ in the cave of the heart and acting from this awareness. This document contains abundant 'proof' that the Plan of evolution — as formulated by the spiritual Hierarchy and presented to humanity by the Tibetan Master — is well underway.

The Tibetan predicted that a "New Group of World Servers" would begin to manifest a century ago. He said they would appear in different parts of the world and that most would not know

one another personally but would respond to the same Aquarian energies. While poring over this registry, one senses the existence of a great spiritual brotherhood working in education, healing, science and technology, justice and civil rights, human rights, women's rights, climate and the environment, business, spiritual transformation, communal welfare and other fields.

We invite you to join us in celebrating the flowering of the human soul in all these spheres of life and to share this good news with others.

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“Never has there been such an outpouring of love from the human Soul.” *

Category	Link	Sign of the Times	Comment	When
Human Kindness	Canada	Continuing to open its doors to refugees, Canada, in 2016, received 287 refugee claimants who were unaccompanied minors (under the age of 18 and without a legal guardian). In 2017, that number increased to 492. Click the link to read a personal story.		<u>12</u> <u>30</u> <u>18</u>
Finance	Circular Economy	What do you learn when you sail around the world on your own? When solo sailor Ellen MacArthur circled the globe—carrying everything she needed with her—she came back with new insight into the way the world works. She discovered that our world is as a place of interlocking cycles and finite resources, where the decisions we make today affect what's left for tomorrow. As a result, she now proposes a bold new way to see the world's economic systems: <i>not as linear</i> , but <i>as circular</i> , where ‘everything comes around.’		<u>12</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>
Human Kindness	Secret Santa	A lot of people ignore the homeless, but folks rushing past Moses Elder might regret their haste. This week, in particular, all people had to do was pay him a little attention and he would pay them back with \$100 in cash. Moses' mission was financed by <i>Secret Santa</i> , the same anonymous, wealthy businessman who every		<u>12</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>

		year goes around the country handing out \$100 bills to random strangers.		
Protecting Planet Earth	Queens Commonwealth Canopy	A rare opportunity to unite the whole Commonwealth family and save one of the world's most important natural habitats: forests—by creating a pan-Commonwealth network of forest conservation projects.		<u>12</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>
Ecological Initiative	Mission Life Force	<i>Mission LifeForce</i> is a growing international movement of Earth Protectors, people who care about protecting the Earth, who are signatories to a legal document: <i>the Earth Protectors Trust Fund</i> . "Our mission is to protect the Earth by establishing ECOCIDE (ecosystem destruction) as a crime at the International Criminal Court in the Hague."		<u>12</u> <u>10</u> <u>18</u>
Human Kindness	Animals Australia	"We are Australia's leading animal protection organisation. Our investigations and campaigns are recognised the world over. We unite millions of people who believe in a world where animals are free from cruelty."		<u>12</u> <u>10</u> <u>18</u>
Seeing the best in others	One teacher makes a difference	At 9 years old, Ryan Speedo Green was put in a class with some of the worst kids in his district. "The first day of class, the way I introduced myself to (my teacher) was I threw my desk at her," Green said. "She took my chair away and told me I could learn from the floor. When I was ready to learn from my desk, I could have my chair and my desk back." This was one of the first tough love lessons his teacher Elizabeth Hughes taught Green....but...she never gave up on him.		<u>12</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>

Nobel Peace Prize 2018	Ending Violence	<p>Nadia Murad has been jointly awarded the 2018 Nobel peace prize for her efforts to end the use of sexual violence as a weapon of war. Here, she recounts the harrowing experience of being abducted with other Yazidi women by Islamic State militants in northern Iraq in August 2014.</p> <p>The gynecologist, Denis Mukwege, is the other winner of the prize, for his work helping the victims of sexual violence in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.</p>		<u>12</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Climate Change	Cop24	World-renowned naturalist Sir David Attenborough delivered an impassioned speech on behalf of the 'People's Seat' at a U.N. climate change conference in Poland.		<u>12</u> <u>7</u> <u>18</u>
Climate Change	Students standing strong	Australian Students are striking from school outside Parliament to call on Scott Morrison to meet with them and take urgent action to #StopAdani & dangerous climate change.		<u>12</u> <u>4</u> <u>18</u>
Saving the Planet	Patagonia	On Wednesday, Patagonia announced it has an additional \$10 million in profits on its books for 2018 as a result of Trump's "irresponsible tax cut" last year, which lowered the corporate tax rate from 35% to 21%. Instead of investing the additional dollars back into its business, Patagonia said it would give \$10 million to grassroots groups fighting climate change, including organizations that work in regenerative organic agriculture to help reverse global warming.		<u>12</u> <u>1</u> <u>18</u>

Global Justice	Progressives International	There is a global war being waged against workers, against our environment, against democracy, against decency. A network of right-wing factions is collaborating across borders to erode human rights, silence dissent, and promote intolerance. Not since the 1930s has humanity faced such an existential threat.		<u>11</u> <u>30</u> <u>18</u>
Aurora Borealis	Phoenix Corona	<i>Rare aurora show over Senja, Norway was nothing short of magical. The lights started very early (6 pm) as a stable arc on the northern horizon. A few minutes later, though it came back with full intensity, this image appeared: Huge colorful pillars taking the shape of a fiery bird.</i>	This was caught by a photographer who just happened to be there on 11/11 and the 100th anniversary of the end of the first World War.	<u>11</u> <u>11</u> <u>18</u>
Creative Non-Violence	Voices	Voices for Creative Non-Violence asks: what is the appropriate response of a citizenry in a country which has committed unspeakable crimes against a people? Over 1 million people have died as a consequence of a decade of economic sanctions and the U.S. occupation in Iraq. Thousands of civilians continue to die as a result of the U.S. occupation of Afghanistan and of the drone strikes that occur daily.		<u>11</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Problem of Homelessness	Helping the Homeless	San Francisco has passed a first-of-its-kind tax on big businesses—like Square and Stripe—to help the homeless.		<u>11</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Forerunners of Change	Francis Perkins	This is a Posthumous sign acknowledging the woman who was behind FDR's NEW DEAL. She is credited with formulating policies to shore up the national economy following the nation's most serious economic crisis and helping to create the modern middle class.		<u>11</u> <u>1</u> <u>18</u>

Education for the New Age	The Center for Education, Imagination...	<p>We live in an historic time of deep disconnect from the earth—our home. The natural world has become polluted and the human diminished. Reduced to a mere physical entity seen only through physical eyes, we “see” the earth and one another as a “collection of objects, not as a communion of subjects,” as cultural historian Thomas Berry warns us.</p> <p>The mission of the Center for Education, Imagination and the Natural World is to bring to life a new vision of the relationship between the inner life of the child and the beauty, wonder and intimacy of the universe.</p>		<u>11</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>
Regeneration and Resilience	Wyss Foundation	<p>To confront the growing global conservation crisis, the Wyss Foundation announced today it is launching an unprecedented \$1 billion campaign to help rapidly expand the proportion of the Earth’s lands and oceans that are conserved—so current and future generations can drink clean water, breathe clean air, and experience the wonders of the natural world.</p>		<u>11</u> <u>1</u> <u>18</u>
Sports and Goodwill	Invictus Games	<p>The word ‘Invictus’ is Latin for ‘unconquered’ and embodies the fighting spirit of our wounded, injured and ill servicemen and women. They have been tested and challenged, but they have not been overcome. They have proven that by embracing each other and the support of family and friends, they can reclaim their future. They are <i>Invictus</i>.</p>	<p>They are also about group—serving companies and family groups. The first to lead the opening parade were the families of the “competitors” to acknowledge that we do not achieve alone but as families. Then the veterans’ stories are told to inspire others—they realise that in uplifting themselves they uplift others.</p>	<u>10</u> <u>21</u> <u>18</u>

Positive Peaceful Activism	700,000 Rally	Nothing has divided the U.K. more than Brexit . Here are photos of the People’s Vote march, London, 20 October 2018 to obtain a referendum. Organizers say hundreds of thousands turned out on Saturday in central London for the ‘second most attended demonstration this century.’	<p>“This is the soul and personality of a nation battling it out... Great Britain is not the only one...so many countries around the world playing out Scorpio energy. Proof that humanity is moving towards taking initiation.”</p> <p>“The only way we can avoid this total madness and win back our future has to be a people’s vote.” — a protestor</p>	<u>10</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u>
Politics undergoing Historic Change	Indigenous Peoples	Record number of Native Americans are running for political office in the U.S. midterms. Leadership through representation in protecting existing resources and communities.		<u>10</u> <u>18</u> <u>18</u>
Standing Rock and Indigenous Rights	Indigenous Native Women (update)	Still invisible and often an afterthought, indigenous peoples are uniting to protect the world's water, lands and history— while trying to heal from genocide and ongoing inequality. Tribal attorney and Couchiching First Nation citizen Tara Houska, Lawyer for Honor the Earth , chronicles the history of attempts by government and industry to eradicate the legitimacy of indigenous peoples' land and culture, including the months-long standoff at Standing Rock which rallied thousands around the world.		<u>10</u> <u>18</u> <u>18</u>

Public Good	Ending Solitary Confinement	The Liberal government is moving to end the use of solitary confinement in federal prisons. Public Safety Minister Ralph Goodale tabled legislation Tuesday to establish penitentiary units—to be called Structured Intervention Units (SIU)—that will house inmates separately while still giving them access to rehabilitation, mental health care and other programs.	<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
New Civility	Safe Dinners	All of the diners at these home dinners understand what is expected of them as supper club concept—MADA (Make America Dinner Again—guests. The invitees were screened to ensure they brought a diversity of ideologies to the table, and were willing to share.	<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Transformational Psychology	Heart Awakening	A powerful transformational therapy, a spirit-guided process, which heals on the deepest level. When your heart is awakened, you have the ability to look at everything from a divine perspective and know that God is present in everyone and everything. You perceive the Divine Plan in any situation. You live in harmony with yourself and others.	<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Transformative Art	Fractal Art	These transformative images harness the spiritual power of art, allowing you, the viewer, to ‘lose yourself’ in alternate visual realities or dimensions. There is a lot going on, almost imperceptibly, in each image. They are harmonic; the vibration imbues them with the power to both teach and heal the body/mind/spirit.	<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>

New Art	Hilma af Klint	<p>Born in Stockholm in 1862, Hilma af Klint began her artistic career as an academy-educated painter of naturalistic landscapes and portraits—Influenced by the spiritual movements and scientific discoveries of her era.</p> <p><i>The Paintings for the Temple</i>—as Af Klint came to call the larger initiative to which she had committed herself—would eventually swell, over the next eight years, to 193 canvases and works on paper.</p> <p>Exhibition at the Guggenheim in NYC</p>		<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Women’s Good	The Circle.ngo (update)	<p><i>Mission:</i> Around the world, women hold the key to overcoming poverty and making change happen for themselves. The potential of women to transform their lives is unlimited—if they are given the opportunity to shine. This is what drives us forward and powers our passion for a more just and equal world.</p> <p><i>Vision:</i> Equality for women and girls in a fairer world.</p>	<p>“It’s time to create a society where all women are valued, safe, empowered and free from violence.” — Annie Lennox (founder, The Circle)</p>	<u>10</u> <u>11</u> <u>18</u>
Right Relationship	TRRP	<p><i>The Toward Right Relationship Project (TRRP).</i> TRRP’s goal is to raise our level of knowledge and concern about injustice towards native American Peoples: to recognize the part we, have played, and explore how we can begin to take actions toward right relationship with Native Peoples.</p>		<u>10</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>
Making a difference	Massimo	<p>A northern Italy 3-star Michelin chef opens refettorios (refectories) around the world to feed the hungry and poor homeless—with food for the body and soul.</p>		<u>10</u> <u>7</u> <u>18</u>

Peace Building	Day of Peace	October 2 is celebrated throughout the world—honoring Gandhi—through an international day of non-violence.		<u>10</u> <u>2</u> <u>18</u>
Sustainable Business	Green Money	Sustainable Business and responsible impact investing.		<u>9</u> <u>28</u> <u>18</u>
Courageous People	Right Livelihood Honors 2018	Three human rights activists, two corruption fighters, a farmer and an agricultural scientist are the 2018 winners of the 'Alternative Nobel Prize.' They are tirelessly fighting <i>the world over</i> to make it a better place.		<u>9</u> <u>24</u> <u>18</u>
Economics	Globalization for the Common Good Initiative	Globalization for the Common Good Initiative (GCGI) is envisioned to make a significant contribution to the effort to enhance the well-being (physical, ecological, and spiritual) of humankind—by serving and promoting the common good through communication and cooperation.		<u>9</u> <u>18</u> <u>18</u>
Education	United World Colleges	United World Colleges (UWC) is a global education movement that makes education a force to unite people, nations and cultures for peace and a sustainable future.		<u>9</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>
Alternative News	Good News Network	Since 1997, people have turned to the Good News Network® as an antidote to the barrage of negativity experienced in the mainstream media.	Hello Everyone, I have been an avid follower of Good News for several years and have this wonderful site as my home page	<u>9</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>

Multi-Generational Living and Right Human Relations	Students	<p style="text-align: center;">University students who love living with seniors.</p> <p>This co-generational housing program is called Symbiosis because it's based on a mutually beneficial, symbiotic relationship. Its founder, Soumeya Abed, says:</p> <p>"It connects students who are looking for affordable housing with seniors who have a spare room, a furnished room, and can offer a little bit of extra support and companionship."</p>		$\frac{9}{6}$ <u>18</u>
New Business Models	European Hotels	A number of new hotels and other destinations are eager to help socially minded travelers put their money where their principles are. Several European properties have taken a fresh approach to socially responsible travel by integrating pressing issues—from immigration and old age to domestic violence.		$\frac{9}{4}$ <u>18</u>
New Business Models	Center for Emerging Futures	The Center for Emerging Futures (CEF) was formed to gather resources directed toward addressing some of the most difficult situations that humans face. Two Neighbors is a Women's Fashion project that grew out of an idea from CEF founders Andy McCluskey and Whit Jones They have developed relationships with Israelis and Palestinians who wish to set conflicts aside and work together, both for their own benefit and to further the cause of peace.		$\frac{9}{4}$ <u>18</u>
Alternative Media	Spiritual Life Channel	The Spiritual Life TV Channel features wisdom teachings from many spiritual traditions and gives a practical focus that shows how a person can use these teachings to live a more spiritual life.		$\frac{9}{4}$ <u>18</u>

Alternative Media	Uplift TV (updated)	UPLIFT stands for Unity, Peace and Love— In a Field of Transcendence.	“These teaching/programs are very good, short, well thought out and span a wide range of spiritual subjects.”	<u>9</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>
The Four Freedoms	Then and Now	When the Four Freedoms were introduced shortly after WWII, they did not garner much interest or attention, until the artist Norman Rockwell illustrated them. Today the Four Freedoms are being given a new interpretation from artists around the world, making the point that there are still ‘Freedoms’ to work for, for all.		<u>9</u> <u>2</u> <u>18</u>
Austrian Women	Omas Against Right	OMAS AGAINST RIGHT is “an organization of older women in Austria established on Facebook...to fight for democracy, equal rights and tolerance.” They are grandmothers fighting to protect a liberal civil society against the movement towards the right.		<u>8</u> <u>31</u> <u>18</u>
Service to Humanity	Veterans for Peace	<i>Veterans for Peace</i> is an international organization made up of military veterans, their family members, and allies. They accept members from all branches of service, and are dedicated to building a culture of peace, exposing the true costs of war, and healing the wounds of war. Their networks are made up of over 120 chapters across the United States and abroad.		<u>8</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Future Economics	World Business Academy	“Now more than ever, we believe the business community MUST provide social leadership as a steward for a healthy planet and a healthy human civilization. We research, publish and implement innovative practical solutions for the world’s most pressing challenges, and seek to define business as a positive social partner.”		<u>8</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>

Spirit of Freedom	The Frederick Douglas 200	A list of 200 people who best embody the spirit and work of Frederick Douglass, one of the most influential figures in history.	"What makes it seem like a sign is the collection of all these people of goodwill and members of the NGWS —both an affirmation and spotlight on all that is Good."	<u>8</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u>
Peaceful Activism	Afghanistan peace movement	After 17 years of war, a peace movement grows in Afghanistan. Since the formation of the Helmand peace movement, others have sprung up in different areas of the country, holding rallies and sit-ins, and calling on all warring parties to hold peace talks.		<u>8</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u>
Meditation Mind and Culture	CBS Sunday Morning	An entire episode of CBS "Sunday Morning" was devoted to meditation, the mind, genius and mental health. It was called: "MIND MATTERS" — a special broadcast devoted to the mysteries of the brain. (Originally broadcast March 18, 2018.)	"So many people of younger generations are meditating that it's now 'in.'"	<u>8</u> <u>19</u> <u>18</u>
The Soul and Reincarnation	Children and Past Life Memories	Excellent lecture by Carol Bowman, filled with many recollections of past lives as given by children, through her research. Included are many drawings and incredible anecdotes by children from different countries and backgrounds.	Evidently there are growing cases of this in the West -- something new. It used to be that documentable cases of children's memories were discovered almost solely in the East. Since we know that the Christ will teach about reincarnation when He returns, the growth of these cases could well be a Sign. Everything will change when a majority of people realize they have lived before (and that we reap what we sow). It was stated in a recent video that 25% of people in the UK believe that reincarnation is true.	<u>8</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>

Cultural Transformation	Share The World's Resources	Envisioning a people’s strategy for world transformation. Only the massed goodwill of ordinary people can bring about an end to poverty in a world of plenty—through enormous and continual protests across all countries.		<u>8</u> <u>10</u> <u>18</u>
Children and Culture	Kids for Peace	Mission & Vision: We create peace through youth leadership, community service, global friendships, and thoughtful acts of kindness. Our vision is a safe and peaceful world where all people respect and care for each other and our planet. <i>Kids for Peace</i> serves as a model and inspiration for creating this reality with children leading the way, not only for today, but for generations to come.		<u>8</u> <u>10</u> <u>18</u>
Culture/Ethical Action and World Citizenship	Yo-Yo Ma	Famed cellist Yo-Yo Ma, calls for “culture in action” and ethical action to build a better world. He asks: “What can we all do together that we can’t do alone?” Ma says that feeling empathy for others is something he regards as vital in almost any field of human endeavor.		<u>8</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Consciousness Rising	The New Earth Hour	An initiative of the Sydney Goodwill unit of service, the New Earth Hour focusses on the new era as it emerges in our world. Its intention is to go beyond what is breaking down, in order to envision what is rising up—that which is being created anew. With simple reflective meditation, shared impression and discussion, their meetings strive to identify what is quietly growing, as the current era passes away. The objective is to draw on group wisdom and inspiration to intuit the underlying divine intention behind world events.		<u>8</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>

Climate Change	Beautiful Solutions	<i>Beautiful Solutions</i> gathers the most promising ideas needed to build new institutional power and point the way towards a just, resilient, and democratic future.	This initiative is a <i>tremendous</i> inspiration! It is partnered with This Changes Everything, offering a wide vision of the new world rising.	<u>8</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>
Canada, The Environment and Right Relations	The Leap Manifesto	A Call for a “Canada Based on Caring for the Earth and One Another.” This leap must begin by respecting the inherent rights (and title) of the original caretakers of this land. Indigenous communities have been at the forefront of protecting rivers, coasts, forests and lands from out-of-control industrial activity. We can bolster this role, and reset our relationship, by fully implementing the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.		<u>8</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>
Climate Change	Resilience	<i>Resilience</i> is dedicated to building a world of resilient communities. We live in a time of tremendous political, environmental, and economic upheaval. What should we do? “Think Resilience” responds with an online course to help you get started on doing something.		<u>8</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>
Empowering Children and Water	Waterschool	Since 2000, Swarovski Waterschool has been working in schools and communities around the globe to empower children, families and schools to become water stewards and leaders in sustainable development within their community. Watch the documentary.		<u>8</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>
Art, Culture and Love in Action	Aboriginal Portraits	A new artistic endeavour hopes to build cross-cultural connections and learnings between local Aboriginal people and communities like Gunbalanya in the Northern Territory of Australia.		<u>8</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>

Education, Religion and Right Human Relations	A Pastor's Commitment to Love	"For They Know Not What They Do" is an article in the Boulder Weekly, a free newspaper dedicated to illuminating truth, advancing justice and protecting the First Amendment through ethical, no-holds-barred journalism and thought-provoking opinion writing. This article focusses on a Pastor's conversations to prevent racism born of ignorance.		<u>8</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>
Psychology	A Commitment to Love	What is an open heart? The Practice: Put no one out of your heart. In order for good relationships to nurture us as human beings—who have evolved into the most intimately relational animals on the planet—you must be so linked to others that some can really rattle you!	It is good to see mainstream psychology recognizing a truth of the ageless wisdom.	<u>7</u> <u>31</u> <u>18</u>
Humanitarianism and Children	UNICEF's Danny Kaye 2018 Award	Hayek Pinault received UNICEF's Danny Kaye Humanitarian Award on Saturday for spearheading UNICEF's campaign to end maternal and neonatal tetanus as well as more global initiatives.		<u>7</u> <u>30</u> <u>18</u>
Film for the Soul	The Prophet	This animated film, based on The Prophet by Kahlil Gibran, speaks directly to the human soul.	This is a Sign of the Christ. Period.	<u>7</u> <u>29</u> <u>18</u>
Science/Astronomy	Hubble Telescope	Spectacular revelations courtesy of the Hubble telescope—the most "transformative" scientific instrument ever, according to CBS News		<u>7</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>

Architecture, Culture and Spirituality	ACS Forum	<i>The Architecture, Culture and Spirituality Forum (ACSF)</i> is an international scholarly group established in 2007 to advance the development and dissemination of architectural and interdisciplinary scholarship, research, practice, and education. Its members explore the significance, experience, and meaning of the built environment.	<u>7</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Art for Humanity	Chicago's Lighthouses	"Kindness is a language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see," said Janet Szlyk, president of the Chicago Lighthouse, a social service organization which works on behalf of the visually-impaired, physically or emotionally challenged, and military veterans.	<u>7</u> <u>22</u> <u>18</u>
Anonymous Giving	Amor Fati	<i>AMOR FATI</i> —translated from Latin as ‘a love of one’s fate.’ A very unusual story and perhaps a Sign of the Coming One: “A Woman who Anonymously Gave Millions to Female Artists Reveals Herself”	<u>7</u> <u>21</u> <u>18</u>
Honoring Altruism	Thai Rescue update	The boys gather around a portrait of Saman Kunan, who died in the rescue attempt. Their expressions show a deep recognition of the overwhelming spirit of altruism of the man who saved them.	<u>7</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>
The Living Ocean	Ocean Farming	Seaweed farming has some very surprising benefits. Seaweed may be thought of as a nuisance, but an increasing number of fishermen, scientists and consumers are seeing it as a solution. Growing numbers of fishermen are starting to look at seaweed very differently—as a promising source of food, jobs and help cleaning ocean waters.	<u>7</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>

Remarkable Educator	A Good Tough Teacher	Former students surprise music teacher who changed their lives. From across America and three foreign countries, Robert Moore's former students returned, nearly 300 of them, to tell him the huge difference he made in their lives.		<u>7</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Meditation	Thai Cave Rescue	Buddhist meditation helped to keep the trapped Thai boys calm in the cave. The boys' coach lived in a Buddhist monastery for a decade and taught them to meditate while stranded in the cave.	Here is a heartfully written article in the Guardian of the Thai Cave Rescue Note: All 12 boys and their coach were rescued. There was one fatality - one of the divers.	<u>7</u> <u>11</u> <u>18</u>
The Heart of Genius	Fred Rogers	From Academy Award-winning filmmaker Morgan Neville, "Won't You Be My Neighbor?" takes an intimate look at America's favorite neighbor: Mister Fred Rogers. A portrait of a man whom we all think we know, this emotional and moving film takes us beyond the zip-up cardigans and the land of make-believe, and into the heart of a creative genius who inspired generations of children with compassion and limitless imagination.	"In these darkest of times for America, a bright light is shining. Fred Rogers, an ordained minister, had a mission to convey goodness, kindness and love to children via a program he created on public TV for 30 years, starting in the late 60s. He saw the soul in every one — of every race, status, physical condition -- and made everyone feel worthy of being loved."	<u>7</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Energy Independence	Energy Science Conference	<i>Energy Science & Technology Conference (ESTC)</i> is a movement of thought leaders working together for energy independence through a network of visionaries, inventors, scientists, academics, hobbyists, laymen, and grassroots supporters.		<u>7</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
New Paradigm Education	Silbury	The Silbury mission is to demonstrate innovative leadership and create a paradigm shift in education. The vision has two vital components: a new educational model and a resource centre for creative and gifted children.		<u>7</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>

Science and Consciousness	Science to Sage	<i>Science to Sage</i> is a platform for innovative thinkers —scientists, philosophers, or artists – to see the genesis and genius of our universe in new ways.		<u>7</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Meeting of Worlds	What is Needed Now	“Although I’ve long been interested in how people can lead good lives, there wasn’t just one place to learn what I wanted to know.... This online publication is a way to keep gathering and sharing useful information about the material and non-material worlds.”		<u>7</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>
Environmental Solution	Ocean Plastics	A chemical breakthrough could eat the plastic pollution crisis. A new chemical process can liquify plastic. The next challenge? Creating a machine that can recycle the sludge on an industrial scale.	“The initiatives launched by environmental groups to collect ocean plastics are only part of the solution. Much more needs to be done. Until now, the collectors of ocean plastics have nowhere to put the plastic waste they collect. But, now, we have this method that changes plastic (even dirty plastic) to chemicals that can be used in other manufacturing processes. Truly brilliant, innovative and extra-ordinarily practical.”	<u>7</u> <u>8</u> <u>18</u>
A Symbol for Rescuing the Soul of Humanity	Thai Cave Rescue Operation	So far in the rescue mission to save the group of boys and their coach trapped in a cave, four boys have been transported by a team of Navy Seals to a hospital in Chiang Rai in northern Thailand.	“The cave represents the cave in the heart. The group of boys and their coach trapped represent humanity. The Navy Seals represents a spiritual lifeline” - a co-worker on the lighted path.	7 8 18

The Common Good	FastCompany	As self-interest has grown to dominate politics and business, former labor secretary Robert Reich wants to see a return to the country's founding ideal of focusing on the common good of the people.		7 6 18
Power of the Soul	The Sun Does Shine	A Death Row inmate's sentence is overturned and while in prison, he influences other inmates on death row with compassion, transforming hatred into love.		7 6 18
Celestial Events	Longest Lunar Eclipse of the century	Many people are preparing for a total lunar eclipse this summer that will be the longest eclipse of this century, according to NASA. On July 27, a lunar eclipse will be fully visible for 1 hour and 43 minutes in parts of South America, much of Africa, the Middle East and Central Asia.		7 3 18
Demonstrating for Good	Separation of Families	Nearly 600 protesters, mostly women, were arrested on Thursday after they staged a non-violent action in the heart of a US Senate office building in Washington against Donald Trump's "zero-tolerance" policy towards immigrants and separation of families at the border.		<u>6</u> <u>30</u> <u>18</u>
Warriors Practice Yoga	China and India	Members of the Indian Army and the Chinese People's Liberation Army celebrated the 4th Int'l Yoga Day by practicing yoga together in sub-zero temperatures. The event took place on June 21st in eastern Ladakh at an altitude of 16,942 feet.		<u>6</u> <u>29</u> <u>18</u>

Astronomy	Light explosion 200 million light years away	This space event is being called an “object” by scientists. Nothing like it has ever been seen before by astronomers.	<u>6</u> <u>25</u> <u>18</u>
Human Kindness	Reversal on Separating Families	After protests by many thousands of Americans, the Trump administration has backed off its policy of separating families at the U.S. - Mexico border.	<u>6</u> <u>24</u> <u>18</u>
Positive News	Sparknews	To make the world a better place Spark News begins by changing the way we talk about it. It highlights initiatives that are having a positive impact on people and the planet—hoping to renew our confidence and spur us into action.	<u>6</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Protesting Wrongs	Airlines refuse	American, Frontier, Southwest and United airlines all refused to fly immigrant children separated from their parents for the federal government, pressuring President Trump to order a halt to family separations in his “zero tolerance” policy for undocumented border crossings.	<u>6</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u>
Unconditional Love	Going past limitations	One of Nashville’s top country artists and song writers found courage to go on following the death of his wife through the unconditional love of his daughters. He tells his story of raising his three girls alone—confronting (and transcending) conservative Christian beliefs and moving from “heartbreak to hope”—in his book, Once Upon a Farm.	<u>6</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>

Truth to Power	Whistleblower	An immigrant and U.S. citizen, Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha, was the whistleblower who alerted Flint residents to the dangers posed by the water they drank. Her courage and love continue to inspire others to nurture one another and create stable and safe environments for children.		<u>6</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>
Climate Change	Chinese Philanthropist	At the fourth annual East-West Philanthropists Summit—Niu Gensheng, ‘the summit’s other chair’—an energetic man of 60 in a pale blue shirt—kicks things off from the podium showing a new spirit at this year’s conference: “Climate change is the greatest threat to our lives!” he proclaims. “The earth must be reforested!” “Emissions must be stopped!” To do this: “The East and the West should meet like a lady and a gentleman...”		<u>6</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>
Soul in Sports	The Heart is Coming Back in Sports	A high school pitcher in Minnesota made an admirable display of sportsmanship after striking out his friend in a sectional championship game. Mounds View High pitcher Ty Koehn struck out his close friend Jack Kocon of Totino-Grace High—to send Mounds View to the state championship. But as Koehn’s teammates rushed the field in celebration, Ty made a beeline to console his friend, Jack.		<u>6</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>
Jewish-Muslim Bridges	Ramadan and Shabbat	Building Bridges between Jewish and Muslim Communities: There’s something about breaking bread that brings communities together. In Orange County, during the month of Ramadan, there have been several interfaith iftars, or fast-breaking dinners, where local Muslims have invited other members of the community to sit down and eat with them: to get to know them better as people.		<u>6</u> <u>10</u> <u>18</u>

Art Intervention	Sing for Hope	<i>Sing for Hope</i> believes that the arts have unmatched power to uplift, unite, and transform lives: “We believe that all people deserve access to the arts.”		<u>6</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>
Education that Heals	An American Classroom	<i>Finding refuge, friendship and hope in an American classroom.</i> Denver’s South High School is taking in refugees as students, helping them make new lives in the U.S.		<u>5</u> <u>29</u> <u>18</u>
Love and Resilience	Manchester, England	A cathedral service and a national minute's silence marked one year since the attack at Ariana Grande's Manchester Arena concert.		<u>5</u> <u>22</u> <u>18</u>
Stories of Truth	Emergence Magazine	The power of story to renew ancient truth and explore the connections between culture, ecology and spirituality.		<u>5</u> <u>17</u> <u>18</u>
Toward Justice	Association of World Citizens	<i>The Association of World Citizens</i> is a transnational network of women and men working together for a more just world society. The Association has consultative status with the United Nations, and much of our effort is to support the principles of the United Nations: the resolution of conflicts, the promotion of human rights, the development of world law, and a higher standard of living in wider freedom for all.		<u>5</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Palestinian Freedom	Youth Groups	Israel's violent rule in Palestine is increasingly driving liberal American Jews on to the streets. Progressive Jewish-American young people are marching with banners that read: “The Jewish Future Demands Palestinian Freedom.”		<u>5</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>

Sharing Resources	UK Tools	<p><i>Library of Things:</i> a new library in south London is believed to be the first in the UK to be hosting a 'library of things' that loans items, including tools, at affordable rates.</p> <p>After a crowdfunding campaign supported by almost 300 local residents, a group has launched a 'library of things': a collection of 50 different items that people can borrow and return to the library when the job is done.</p>		$\frac{5}{12}$ $\frac{18}{18}$
Sharing Resources	Moray Car Share	<p><i>Moray Carshare</i> is a community-based car club. There are currently over 150 members who share 16 cars and 1 electric bicycle amongst them. The cars are placed at 8 different locations in and around Forres, Findhorn and Kinloss and the post code area of Morayshire in the north-east of Scotland. The car club is a registered charity run as a social enterprise and governed using a methodology called Sociocracy.</p>		$\frac{5}{12}$ $\frac{18}{18}$
Inspiring News	Waging Non-Violence	<p><i>Waging Nonviolence</i> is a source for original news and analysis about struggles for justice and peace around the globe. Ordinary people build power using nonviolent strategies and tactics every day, even under the most difficult of circumstances, yet these stories often go unnoticed or misunderstood by a media industry fixated on violence and celebrity.</p>		$\frac{5}{11}$ $\frac{18}{18}$

Preserving Culture	Tibetan Masterpieces	A 10-year project records crumbling Buddhist murals before they are lost. They are some of the greatest treasures of Tibetan Buddhist culture: ancient murals showing the life of the Buddha and the secrets of meditation. Many are hidden in remote monasteries or temples whose walls are crumbling, but a remarkable project has recorded the paintings before they disappear forever.	$\frac{5}{8}$ <u>18</u>
Education in the New Age	Diversity and Inclusion	<i>Facilitation for Diversity & Inclusion</i> works to develop inclusive and self-aware entrepreneurs and future leaders. It uses Design Thinking and elements of human-centered design to better understand diversity—gender, race, culture & thought. The goal is to disrupt a tribalistic mindset and help leaders to become more inclusive facilitators.	$\frac{5}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Humanitarian Goodwill	Syrian orphan/refugees	Imagine a catastrophe that leaves two and a half million homeless children and at least 100,000 orphans. It's happening in Syria, which the United Nations calls one of the most dangerous places on earth for children.	$\frac{5}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Unlocking Human Potential	Face of Dignity	Empowering girls and women through educational, social and legal support to unlock and achieve their greatest potential.	$\frac{5}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Extraordinary Kindness	Little Squirrel	The touching rescue of a little squirrel named Karamel by a kind and loving veterinarian. The squirrel lost both its arms in a trap, but with a strong spirit and with help and loving care from the human kingdom, Karamel has found a new life.	$\frac{5}{6}$ <u>18</u>

The Compassionate Soul of Humanity	Four-year old boy	After talking with his dad, four-year old Austin Perine from Prichard, Alabama decided to spend his allowance money on food for the homeless. Dad, Terance Perine, says that his son got the idea while watching “Animal Planet” on TV. Austin wondered why a mother panda had left her cubs alone and decided to do something to help.		$\frac{5}{4}$ <u>18</u>
Pesticides	EU bans all pesticides that harm bees	The world’s most widely used insecticides will be banned from all fields within six months, to protect both wild pollinators and honeybees that are vital to crop pollination.		$\frac{5}{3}$ <u>18</u>
The New Group of World Servers	Who are these ‘kids’?	The kids who sued the Colombian government and won. How did a group of activists—one as young as seven—make their voices heard? The court agreed with the plaintiffs and ordered the presidency, the ministries for environment and agriculture, and local governments, to create an “intergenerational pact for the life of the Colombian Amazon.”		$\frac{5}{2}$ <u>18</u>
Social Justice	Center for Constitutional Rights	<i>The Center for Constitutional Rights</i> is dedicated to advancing and protecting the rights guaranteed by the United States Constitution and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. CCR is committed to the creative use of law as a positive force for social change. We do that by combining cutting-edge litigation, advocacy and strategic communications in work on a broad range of civil and human rights issues.		$\frac{5}{2}$ <u>18</u>
Moving Towards Right Human Relationships	A step towards de-nuclearization	The leaders of North and South Korea signed a declaration on Friday agreeing to work for the "complete denuclearization of the Korean peninsula."		$\frac{4}{27}$ <u>18</u>

Sacred Activism	Towards Global Healing	The nonviolent resistance of Indigenous water protectors against the Dakota Access Pipeline at Standing Rock has inspired a movement of “sacred activism,” rooting political action in spiritual reconnection. Sacred activism is a true light of hope in a world facing catastrophe, as it provides the spiritual foundation needed to unify people worldwide around a shared vision for global system change.		<u>4</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Healing the Environment	UK Supermarkets	UK supermarkets launch a voluntary pledge to cut plastic packaging. In a first response to a growing public backlash against the huge volumes of plastic rubbish, most of the UK’s largest supermarkets signed up to support the UK Plastics Pact—an industry-wide initiative, which says it aims to transform packaging and reduce avoidable plastic waste.		<u>4</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Inspirational	Young Havana	7-Year-Old Havana Edwards on Why She Joined the National School Walkout: "You are never too little to make a difference."		<u>4</u> <u>22</u> <u>18</u>
Dalai Lama’s Impact	HH Dalia Lama	When the red clad monk speaks, people listen. We smile and instantly understand his simple yet potent message, that kindness is the way. The Dalai Lama, exiled from his much-loved Tibetan homeland nearly 60 years ago, never to be allowed to return, is the world’s most beloved sage. With his beaming smile, and wise words, he manages to touch the hearts of all he meets.		<u>4</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u>

Sacredness of Life	The Albatross	Studying the newly-emerging issue of ocean plastic pollution, we learned of a stunning environmental tragedy taking place on a tiny atoll in the center of the vast North Pacific Ocean. A new film.		$\frac{4}{19}$ <u>18</u>
Improving Lives	Canadian Dementia Village	Designed for independence, The Village in Langley, British Columbia, is Canada's first village specifically designed for people suffering from degenerative brain diseases.		$\frac{4}{10}$ <u>18</u>
Soul of Canada	Disabled mother petitions giant tech company	Using change.org —a platform for change—a young woman named Belinda has convinced one of the biggest tech companies to improve the lives of thousands of disabled people and help their careers.		$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>18</u>
Meaning of Spirituality	In the 21st Century	More than half of the UK population identify as having no religion. Yet many have a spiritual side. Ten people explain what spirituality means to them.		$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>18</u>
Indigenous Peoples	Oneness	Powerful words from Indigenous Elder, Miliwanga Wurrben, on the only true way to overcome obstacles and end fighting in the world.		$\frac{4}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Website	World of Energy	Realizing and living our one shared purpose of thriving, evolving and trekking together through energy.		$\frac{4}{4}$ <u>18</u>
Human Rights	Asylum seekers	Israel Reaches Deal with UN to Deport Asylum Seekers to the West, not back to Africa. Canada, Germany, Italy are among the countries, which will take in asylum seekers. Israel will deport 16,250 refugees to the West and grant 16,250 temporary residency status.	Meanwhile, it is sad to learn that the Israeli government has withdrawn its deal concerning the deportation. This reminds one of a song by Leonard Cohen: "Is my passion perfect? No, do it once again ..."	$\frac{4}{3}$ <u>18</u>

			In the final analysis, this demonstrates that it is the effort that is important and the intention behind it. Love in action is always positive in its impact.	
Science	Consciousness Never Dies	What Happens After Death? New Theory Suggests Consciousness moves to another Universe.		$\frac{4}{2}$ <u>18</u>
Harmony through Conflict	Equal In Music	For almost 20 years, the West-Eastern Divan Orchestra, founded by Daniel Barenboim and Edward W. Said, has been known throughout the music world as a global ambassador for cultural understanding.		$\frac{4}{1}$ <u>18</u>
Religion Revised	The Feminine	Mary Magdalene was long maligned in the West and portrayed as a reformed former prostitute. But scholars have adopted a different approach more recently, viewing her as a strong, independent woman who supported Jesus financially and spiritually.		$\frac{4}{1}$ <u>18</u>
Technology for Change	Communitech Conference	This conference aims to build on Communitech's previous initiatives—such as the Tech Leadership Conference and Techtoberfest events—while also introducing the idea that the tech industry can be a vehicle for positive change in the world.		$\frac{3}{28}$ <u>18</u>

Restoring Feminine Balance	The Fuji Declaration	Across the globe, an increasing number of us are awakening to the realization that we are fundamentally interconnected. We modern humans are faced with a historic opportunity to consciously co-evolve with one another and with nature through a network of constructive relationships that transcend ethnic, national, and cultural differences.		<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>18</u>
Peace and Kindness	Tag Meir update	Latest action — Yesterday in the old city of Jerusalem, Israel’s Tag Meir activists—Jews and Arabs—distributed flowers in the name of peace to the residents of the Old City and to its visitors.		<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>18</u>
Peace Through Culture	Roerich Museum	<i>“Cultural treasures and beauty itself hold the energy of higher matter, spirit. Beauty is the origin of energy for the creative process.”—</i> Ludmila Shaposhnikova, late General Director of the Roerich Museum, Moscow , which promotes the international idea of peace through culture.		<u>3</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Young Changemakers	Environment and Healing	Autumn Peltier, a 13-year-old from Manitoulin Island on Georgian Bay, delivered a strong message to the United Nations General Assembly that the world needs to stop polluting its water.		<u>3</u> <u>25</u> <u>18</u>
Emerging Idea	Entering the Age of Light	A Google search on the phrase “age of light” produces 545 million search results. When the Soul Awakens website appears at the top of the list.	The idea of 'Entering the Age of Light' seems to have become a key thought in the minds of men... A great sign!	<u>3</u> <u>25</u> <u>18</u>

Politics and Transformation	The Young Activists	Tens of thousands of young people are descending on the nation's capital today for the March for Our Lives—an event organized by the student survivors of the Feb. 14 mass shooting at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School in Florida, which killed 17 people.	<u>3</u> <u>24</u> <u>18</u>
Politics and Transformation	Manifesto to End Gun Violence	Student platform: “In the wake of the tragedy that occurred at our school on 14 February at Marjory Stoneman Douglas, our lives have changed beyond what we ever imagined. We, along with our publication, have been transformed. We will remain so for the rest of our lives.”	<u>3</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Politics and Transformation	Parkland Students	No one is better placed to tell the story of the burgeoning movement to change gun laws in America than the young survivors of the mass shooting in Parkland, Florida.	<u>3</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Farmers & Food	Agrarian Trust	Agrarian Trust’s mission is to support land access for next generation farmers. In the next two decades, 400 million acres of U.S. farmland will change hands, and the question of what will happen to that land when it reaches the market is crucial to the future of our food system.	<u>3</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Teenage Inventors	The young changemakers	Teenage inventors changing our world. A new generation of precocious youths are solving the problems of today with ambitious and ground-breaking tech.	<u>3</u> <u>18</u> <u>18</u>
Cognitive Psychology	Enlightenment Now	Harvard cognitive psychologist Steven Pinker declares that the world is doing just fine. It may not seem like it, but we are progressing.	<u>3</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Peaceful Protesting	National School Walkout	Over a million students in the U.S. and worldwide took to the streets during National School Walkout	<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>

		Day on March 14th to peacefully protest gun violence.		
Animal Conservation and Re-habitation	Aspinall Foundation	Our commitment is to conservation, through captive breeding, education and re-introduction. We are working in some of the world's most fragile environments to save endangered animals and return them to the wild.		<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>
The Power of Listening	We Listen	<i>WeListen</i> is a grass-roots, campus-based organization bridging the American political divide. We're bringing together small groups of people with divergent political views to help them learn what others value and believe—using techniques based on neuroscience and political psychology. Our aim is to build a movement of listeners across the country willing to change the American political climate.		<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>
The New Education	The Dalai Lama Center	During the Dalai Lama's visit to Vancouver, Canada in 2004, we began a dialogue about the future of education in the 21st Century. The Dalai Lama stated his unequivocal belief that formal education must balance educating the mind with educating the heart. By doing so, we can foster the conditions for a more compassionate and peaceful future.		<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>

Building Interfaith	2018 world interfaith harmony week	The World Interfaith Harmony Week seeks to spread the message of harmony and tolerance among the followers of all the world's religions, faiths and beliefs. It seeks to do this by promoting their common basis of "Love of God and Love of the Neighbor, or Love of the Good and Love of the Neighbor." Its message invites everyone, excludes no one, and is purely voluntary.	<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>
Compassion and Kindness	Compassion Games (update)	<i>Compassion Games: Survival of the Kindest</i> is a community engagement experience that invites people around the world to inspire one another to reveal and promote acts of compassion that better our lives, our communities, and all life on Earth. The Dalai Lama has just invited Compassion Games to Dharamsala—April 6th.	<u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>18</u>
Progress and Possibility	Positive News	<i>Positive News</i> is the constructive journalism magazine. Online and in print we offer quality, independent reporting on progress and possibility. As a magazine and a movement, we are changing the news for good.	<u>3</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>
Nobel Peace Prize nominee	Search for Common Ground	It's when we respond to disagreements with anger, fear, or even hatred, that we've started down a destructive path. Like prejudice, these violent ways of thinking are at the root of physical and social violence. The <i>SFCG</i> team uses innovative tools to end violent conflict around the world.	<u>3</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>
Canada and Human Rights	A Currency First	The first black person and non-royal to appear on Canada's currency honors human rights to celebrate International Women's Day	<u>3</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>

NGO	The Circle	Around the world, women hold the key to overcoming poverty and making change happen for themselves. The potential of women to transform their lives is unlimited—if they are given the opportunity to shine. This is what drives us forward and powers our passion for a more just and equal world. (Annie Lennox, founder)	“A passionate humanist” — Christiane Amanpour	<u>3</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>
Kindness	Taking care of customers	A high school graduate working as a waitress cuts up an 80-year-old customer’s food. For her act of kindness, she received a check from a local university of \$16,000 to attend school in the fall.		<u>3</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>
Intention	Bless the Water	On March 22, come together to Bless the Water around the world. It has been shown that water is responsive to the power of intention.		<u>3</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>
Canadian Values	Doctors refuse pay raise	More than 700 physicians, both GPs and specialists, have signed a petition from <i>Médecins Québécois Pour le Régime Public</i> , saying they do not want a pay rise, and they would rather have the extra money go to patient care and services.		<u>3</u> <u>11</u> <u>18</u>
Coming Together	A change of Heart	A change of heart brings down a Confederate flag, bringing a community together. "But sometimes it takes a serious action to happen to you before you see your actions on others." —Annie Caddell		<u>3</u> <u>11</u> <u>18</u>
Love and Justice	3 lessons of revolutionary love in a time of rage	What's the antidote to rising nationalism, polarization and hate? In this inspiring, poetic talk, Valarie Kaur asks us to reclaim love as a revolutionary act. As she journeys from the birthing room to tragic sites of bloodshed, Kaur shows us how the choice to love can be a force for justice.		<u>3</u> <u>9</u> <u>18</u>

Art Poetry Energy Synthesis	The Poartry Project	<i>"Poartry"</i> is sharing and fostering—through the power of words, visuals and collaboration—the next frontier of our shared story and great adventure of evolving together, revealing the wonder, which is humanity's natural state.	$\frac{3}{8}$ <u>18</u>
Women's empowerment	A WWF update	<i>The World Wildlife Fund</i> is working with communities throughout the Congo to empower women by teaching them sustainable farming techniques and fire prevention and management. Women are eager to develop leadership expertise for the betterment of their families and communities: to create a more secure future for their children.	$\frac{3}{8}$ <u>18</u>
Meditation in the Shipyard	A crew that meditates	<i>Vigor Alaska shipyard</i> is where the 'manliest men' meditate each morning. Its aim is to build a more productive team by developing 'soft skills'—meaning daily stretching and socializing on the clock.	$\frac{3}{7}$ <u>18</u>
The Power of Education and Massed Intent	The students of Stoneman Douglas High	<i>They Were Trained for This Moment:</i> How the student activists of Marjory Stoneman Douglas High demonstrate the power of a comprehensive education.	$\frac{3}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Empowering Goodwill and Right Human Relations	Avaaz	An update— <i>Seven Days in the life of Avaaz.</i> It really is unbelievable what this movement gets done in an *ordinary* week! Avaaz—meaning "voice" in several European, Middle Eastern and Asian languages—was launched in 2007 with a simple democratic mission: to organize citizens of all nations to close the gap between <i>the world we have</i> and <i>the world most people everywhere want.</i>	$\frac{3}{7}$ <u>18</u>

Women in Politics	Pakistan	In an election in which a Taliban-linked cleric was defeated, Pakistanis have elected a Hindu woman to the senate for the first time ever.	<u>3</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>
Right Relations Between Nations	South and North Korea talk	Envoys for South Korean President Moon Jae-in planned to meet Monday with North Korean leader Kim Jong-un at the start of a rare two-day visit to Pyongyang that's expected to focus on how to ease a standoff over North Korea's nuclear ambitions and restart talks between Pyongyang and Washington.	<u>3</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>
Entertainment becoming the new story	4 times the Oscars got political	From the outset of the 2018 Academy Awards, host Jimmy Kimmel suggested there would be moments when the speeches would take a serious turn, saying: "I hope you will listen to many brave and outspoken supporters of movements like Time's Up, Me Too and Never Again because what they're doing is important."	<u>3</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>
Meditation and Mindfulness	Going Mainstream	Mindfulness Is going mainstream because of science. Studies have been small and focused on measuring brain activity through MRI machines, but they've shown fundamental changes in brain architecture that prove slowing down can actually heighten our mind's awareness and response rates.	<u>3</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>
Acts of Kindness	Good Samaritans	Contrary to negative stereotypes, many young people care deeply about the world around them. Earlier this week, a CCTV video captured three Polish teens giving a duvet to a homeless man. The video has gone viral.	<u>3</u> <u>5</u> <u>18</u>

Collaboration for Positive Change	The Illumination Project	<i>The Illumination Project</i> is an online, onsite hybrid event for anyone who cares about what is happening in our world and wants to contribute to social change and <i>our new story</i> . It has been organized to transform civic engagement in cities across the U.S. and serve as a prototype for others.	<u>3</u> <u>3</u> <u>18</u>
Singing—One Humanity	Kululam	“ <i>Kululam</i> is a social-musical initiative aimed at bringing together people from all corners of the diverse, multi-cultural Israeli society. Our idea is to stop everything for a few hours and just sing— together.”	<u>3</u> <u>2</u> <u>18</u>
Environmental Friendliness	Plastic Free Aisles in Supermarket	There is no logic in wrapping perishable food in indestructible plastic. Today the world’s first plastic-free aisle was launched in Amsterdam by an environmental campaign group called ‘A Plastic Planet’—a Dutch supermarket Ekoplaza.	<u>3</u> <u>2</u> <u>18</u>
Alleviating Poverty	Whole Planet Foundation	<i>Whole Planet Foundation</i> ® is a private, nonprofit organization established by Whole Foods Market® and dedicated to poverty alleviation. We aim to empower the world’s poorest people with microcredit in places where Whole Foods Market sources products.	<u>3</u> <u>1</u> <u>18</u>
Canadian Equality	Canadian women	Canada’s federal government’s 2018 budget is gender conscious, favoring equality and completely equal representation of men and women in the work force.	<u>2</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>

Website	Enliven Edge	<i>Enlivening Edge</i> is an international community of collaborators and partners drawn together by a shared purpose—interwoven in a global vanguard of people and organizations who are transforming their workplaces for the benefit of all.		<u>2</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Climate Change	The Arctic	Arctic warming: scientists alarmed by 'crazy' temperature rises. Record warmth in the Arctic this month could yet prove to be a freak occurrence, but experts warn the warming event is unprecedented.		<u>2</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Collective Voices	March for our Lives	On March 24, the kids and families of <i>March for Our Lives</i> will take to the streets of Washington DC to demand that their lives and safety become a priority and that we end gun violence and mass shootings in schools.		<u>2</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
New Peaceful Activism	New Voice of Change	The Parkland shooting may have just cemented America's newest voting bloc. Furious teens and parents are emerging as a political force for gun control.		<u>2</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Art	Art Portraying Human Dignity	The street artist JR's inspired images bring Israelis and Palestinians face to face. His message is 'everyone wants dignity.' His documentary Faces is up for an Academy Award.		<u>2</u> <u>25</u> <u>18</u>
New Leadership	KofiAnnan Foundation	"We have, for too long, been consuming the resources of the world as if there were no tomorrow. We need to create a world that is equitable, stable, and where the needs of the individual are at the centre of our efforts." — Kofi Annan, the Chair and founder of the Kofi Annan Foundation	The foundation teaches young people the principles of leadership in building a fairer and more peaceful world.	<u>2</u> <u>24</u> <u>18</u>

New Peaceful Activism	March for Life	<p><i>Vision:</i> A world where every human life is valued and protected.</p> <p><i>Mission:</i> to provide all Americans with a place to testify to the beauty of life and the dignity of each human person.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>24</u> <u>18</u></p>
Economics	Conscious Business Enterprise	<p><i>Conscious Business Innerprise</i> is focused on moving the global economy, commerce and business from Enterprise with an “E” to Innerprise with an “I” for <i>Inner Guided</i>.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>22</u> <u>18</u></p>
Film on Humaneness	filmsforaction.org	<p>"We need to have a new cultural protocol for disturbed, outcast, hateful and wounded people... We need a culture that is taught how to bring hateful, wounded and victimized children and adults back into the "beloved community," back into the "community of us." — filmmaker Tim Hjersted</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u></p>
Acts of Kindness	Drake	<p>A Toronto rapper performing seemingly random good deeds all over Miami, including taking a hotel maid on a shopping spree and footing the bill for an entire grocery store's shoppers.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u></p>
Acts of Kindness	Becca	<p>Some say her message changed the world. It was one that inspired hope, kindness, and sincerity and all started with a simple request: for people on social media to do something kind for someone else.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u></p>
Truth to Power	Samba school	<p>Traditional samba school <i>Beija Flor</i> is crowned winner of the Rio carnival after a performance that portrayed politicians as rats with money-stuffed briefcases in sharply political parades.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>20</u> <u>18</u></p>

Inspirational	Bright Vibes	<i>BrightVibes</i> believes in the power of Contagiously Inspiring Stories. As an opposing force to the torrent of negative news that leaves people numb, <i>BrightVibes</i> puts positive change makers in the spotlights. With our stories, we want to inspire you to also have positive impact.	<u>2</u> <u>18</u> <u>18</u>
Responsive Politics	opensecrets.org	<i>The Center for Responsive Politics</i> is the nation's premier research group tracking money in U.S. politics and its effect on elections and public policy. Its vision is for Americans to be empowered by access to clear and unbiased information about money's role in politics and policy and to use that knowledge to strengthen our democracy. Its mission is to produce and disseminate peerless data and analysis on money in politics to inform and engage Americans, champion transparency, and expose disproportionate or undue influence on public policy.	<u>2</u> <u>16</u> <u>18</u>
Innovative Country	Finland	<i>How the country went from famine to topping nearly every global social ranking.</i> Finland was ranked by assorted international indices as the most stable, the safest and the best-governed country in the world.	<u>2</u> <u>13</u> <u>18</u>
Human Rights	Asma Jahangir	<i>Recipient of 2014 Right Livelihood award passes away.</i> Remembering the extraordinary life of Pakistani Human Rights Lawyer & Activist Asma Jahangir.	<u>2</u> <u>12</u> <u>18</u>

Film	Mary Magdalene	<i>Mary Magdalene</i> is a dramatic film about this historical period from the perspective of a woman. A charismatic leader, Jesus of Nazareth, promises that the world is changing. Mary is searching for a new way of living.		$\frac{2}{7}$ <u>18</u>
Art	Sacred Spaces of light and geometry	Pakistani-American artist Anila Quayyum Agha uses light and casts shadow to transform Rice Gallery into a sacred space of her own making that is open to all. "Intersections" is inspired by Agha's seminal experience of exclusion as a woman from mosques, a space of community and creativity, while growing up in Pakistan. The wooden frieze emulates a pattern from the Alhambra, a palace where Islamic and Western discourses met and co-existed in harmony. It serves as a metaphor for union.		$\frac{2}{6}$ <u>18</u>
Film	Dare To Be Wild	"Everything becomes simple if you immerse yourself in nature. Life's complications melt away, leaving only the truth of the present moment, and the presence of what I call God. Yet we are losing what little wild places we have left in nature, those corners where the spirits of the earth are flowing freely, where harmony, and balance still exist, and we feel accepted for the truth of who we are. We have gone off course and need to find our way again. Nature is willing us on." — Mary Reynolds	A wonderful film about the magic of nature and a woman whose innovative landscape designs are awakening humanity to the healing power of wild places.	$\frac{2}{3}$ <u>18</u>
New Paradigm Economics	A Short Film	A film about sacred economics and the transformation of consciousness.		$\frac{2}{2}$ <u>18</u>

Unprecedented Preservation Efforts	Billionaire Conservationist	<i>Tompkins Conservation</i> , a not-for-profit organization is protecting in Chile an area roughly the size of Switzerland, thought to be the largest land donation by private owners to a country.	<u>1</u> <u>31</u> <u>18</u>
Tolerance and Understanding	The King's Speech	Norway's royal palace says a recent speech by King Harald in support of gay rights and diversity has attracted widespread international attention.	<u>1</u> <u>28</u> <u>18</u>
Renowned African Environmentalist	A Peace and Environmental Activist	Wangari Muta Maathai was an internationally renowned Kenyan environmental political activist and Nobel laureate. In 1977, Maathai founded the Green Belt Movement, an environmental non-governmental organization focused on the planting of trees, environmental conservation, and women's rights. In 1984, she was awarded the Right Livelihood Award, and in 2004, she became the first African woman to receive the Nobel Peace Prize for "her contribution to sustainable development, democracy and peace".	<u>1</u> <u>27</u> <u>18</u>
Science and Conscious Evolution	The Emergence of Conscious Evolution	An enthusiastic and inspirational view of the transformations we are witnessing on planet Earth. "Consciousness is not what we have, it is what we are"—and this understanding has the power to heal our fragmented perspectives and radically change our collective behaviors, transforming the challenges of our global emergency into the emergence of our conscious evolution."	<u>1</u> <u>26</u> <u>18</u>
Speaking Truth to Power	A lifetime of peace activism	As actresses in Hollywood are being recognized for speaking out in the Time's Up movement, Fonda discusses how she has consistently challenged power, from opposing the war in Vietnam to organizing around civil rights and economic justice.	<u>1</u> <u>26</u> <u>18</u>

Green Technology	Tesla of the Seas	World's first electric container barges to sail from European ports this summer. Dubbed the 'Tesla of the canals', the unmanned vessels will operate on Dutch and Belgian waterways, vastly reducing diesel vehicles and emissions.		<u>1</u> <u>26</u> <u>18</u>
Right Livelihood	2017 Right Livelihood awards	"This year's Laureates protect the rights and lives of citizens across three continents. With their courageous work for human rights, public health and good governance, they tackle some of the world's most pressing challenges at their very core. At a time of alarming setbacks for democracy, their successes show us the way forward towards a just, peaceful and sustainable world for all."		<u>1</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Goodwill/Right Human Relations	Zazim Community Action	An inspiring story in the struggle for the rights of asylum seekers in Israel. Pilots are actually refusing to fly refugees to danger. <i>Zazim – Community Action</i> (like MoveOn.org in the US) has been gathering thousands of signatures in an online campaign targeting the Israeli Pilots Association and Israeli Aviation Association. Yesterday, several El Al pilots spoke out against the deportation and pledged that they will not fly African refugees to danger.	"Dear friends, a positive sign which I am relieved to share. An example of acts of kindness from below, standing up for what is 'humanly right'. With joy and gratitude to these people."	<u>1</u> <u>23</u> <u>18</u>
Inspiring News	Conscious Company Media	<i>Conscious Company Media</i> shares inspiring, cutting edge stories about business as a force for good, hosts educational events and workshops, and connects talented individuals with purpose-driven work, all with the higher purpose of elevating consciousness in the business world.		<u>1</u> <u>19</u> <u>18</u>

Environmental Stewardship	Center for Native Peoples	The Center is guided by an advisory board consisting of ESF environmental scientists, environmental leaders from Haudenosaunee communities, and indigenous educators from around the country. <i>The Center for Native Peoples and the Environment</i> advances stewardship of the earth through the wisdom of both traditional indigenous ecological knowledge and science.		$\frac{1}{18}$
Uplifting	Speaking to water	How to tap into the magic and mystery of water. A powerful story from Navajo and Lakota activist.		$\frac{1}{18}$
New Technology	Graphene	Samsung recently announced their development of a graphene-based battery that charges five times faster than standard lithium ion and that reduces a typical charging time from one hour to 12 minutes, a total game-changer for mobile devices and electric vehicles. It is also light, strong and flexible. 97% of light passes through graphene and it is also the most impermeable material known.		$\frac{1}{18}$
Arising of the Feminine	The 2018 Golden Globe Awards	Women led the way at an unusually political Golden Globe Awards in Beverly Hills, Calif., Sunday night, as Hollywood's highest-profile post-Harvey Weinstein awards show so far turned the spotlight largely toward female-focused stories and actors.		$\frac{1}{18}$
The New Teachers	Young boy		Simple, straight-knowledge. So lovable! Delightful. Everyone can understand and do it.	$\frac{1}{18}$

Being a Planetary Citizen	3 Principles for 2018	<p><i>Show Kindness and Respect.</i> We will show kindness and respect towards ourselves and others whenever possible...</p> <p><i>Strive for Wisdom.</i> We will seek to be wise in our decisions...</p> <p><i>Practice Gratitude.</i> We will regularly reflect on what we're grateful for.</p>		$\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{18}$
Religious Beliefs and Practices	Meditation and Religion	Meditation is common across many religious groups in the U.S. Roughly a quarter (26%) of religiously unaffiliated Americans—defined as those who identify as atheist, agnostic or “nothing in particular”— say they meditate regularly.		$\frac{1}{5}$ $\frac{1}{18}$
Change, one seed at a time	Saving a village	At first, they called him crazy, but by replanting forest lost to fire this Indonesian man single-handedly saved his village from drought and starvation.		$\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{18}$
Technology	Solar Greenhouse	Greenhouses that grow food are good. Solar panels are great. Put them together, and you have a match made in heaven. In California, researchers have created ‘smart greenhouses’ that can capture solar energy for electricity without reducing plant growth.		$\frac{1}{1}$ $\frac{1}{18}$

Inspiration	2025 Initiative	The 2025 Initiative provides a shared peer-learning and meditative online space for groups and individuals from around the world to: meditate together in support of the vision of the new civilization, share experiences in living and manifesting spiritual laws and principles in everyday life, learn from each other methods to develop group thinking and consciousness and to bridge groups and concepts.	<u>12</u> <u>31</u> <u>17</u>
Innocence of Children	Friendship	4-year-old friends think they're twins because they 'have the same birthday'. Two four-year-old best friends, Jia and Zuri, are winning the internet over with their innocent insistence that they are, in fact, twins.	<u>12</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u>
Peace to Power	New Zealand Politics	WELLINGTON, New Zealand—A minor party holding the balance of power in New Zealand threw its support behind 37-year-old Jacinda Ardern's bid to become prime minister on Thursday, ending the center-right National Party's nine-year grip on power.	<u>12</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u>
Nobel Peace Prize	ICAN	The Nobel Peace Prize for 2017 was presented to <i>ICAN (Int'l Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons)</i> at a ceremony in Oslo, Norway. "Don't give up! Keep pushing! See the light? Crawl towards it." — Beatrice Fihn	<u>12</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u>
Acts of Kindness	Homeless	One man single-handedly launched a non-registered charity from his suburban Hamilton, Canada, home to offer hot food and warm clothes to the city's homeless. He now has a new catering trailer to help.	<u>12</u> <u>26</u> <u>17</u>

Government for the Good	Canada	Justin Trudeau's Christmas message to Canadians emphasizes strength in diversity. "Let's give generously, and live out the values that bring us together," PM says in annual statement.		<u>12</u> <u>26</u> <u>17</u>
Acts of Kindness	Homeless	Homeless man moves in with strangers, and now he's part of the family. Hooked on drugs and booze, and wanted for petty crimes, Kevin Swayzie's life was a mess...		<u>12</u> <u>26</u> <u>17</u>
Plastic Alternative	Bee Wrap	A nature-based technology that eliminates harmful petroleum-based plastic in household uses is a step in the right direction to living sustainably.		<u>12</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u>
Monies for Hierarchical work	Lucis Trust	Made possible by generous gifts and donations, the <i>Lucis Trust</i> headquarters is purchasing an office condominium in a building overlooking the United Nations, where the Trust rented offices in the 1970' and 1980's.	"As you know, the main 'fundraising technique' which the Lucis Trust has pioneered is the use of the meditation formula: 'The Evocation of Money for Hierarchical Purposes'." — Headquarters, Lucis Trust	<u>12</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
UFO's	Pentagon UFO Disclosure	Officials within the Pentagon effort to investigate U.F.O.s are speaking out. One such official has resigned to protest what he characterized as excessive secrecy and internal opposition to the program. Ex-officials are speaking publicly about their efforts in order to raise money for research into U.F.O.s.		<u>12</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u>
Banking	World Bank and Fossil Fuels	The World Bank announced its plan to discontinue its financing of oil and gas projects in 2019. The announcement came at the One Planet summit and on the two-year anniversary of the Paris Climate Agreement.	"Ah! At last something major is happening in this area."	<u>12</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u>

Science	Solar system discovered resembles ours	Our solar system may not be that unique after all. Researchers have discovered a star that lies 2,500 light years away with at least eight planets orbiting it, just like our sun.		<u>12</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u>
Renewable Energy	From Coal to Solar Farms	The world is quickly abandoning coal, the dirtiest of fossil fuels. But that's not the end of the road for coal mines—in many countries they're coming back to life as solar farms.		<u>12</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u>
Climate Change	Make Our Planet Great Again	France's president awards millions of euros to 18 American scientists to relocate in an effort to counter Donald Trump on the climate change front.		<u>12</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u>
Ethical Business and Marketing	EthicMark	Recognizing socially responsible advertising and media communications that uplift the human spirit and society. It supports advertising and marketing that addresses social issues. "All that We Share" is a 2017 EthicMark award.	"Pioneers in helping to build a New Economy"	<u>12</u> <u>10</u> <u>17</u>
Sustainability and Sharing	France's Supermarkets	French supermarkets are banned from throwing out unsold fruits and vegetables and required to give it to the needy, while all restaurants must provide doggy bags for leftovers, under a national commitment to recycling.	"Bravo for France!" "We are all responsible, every person and every country..." — Vytenis Andriukaitis, EU Commissioner for Health and Food Safety.	<u>12</u> <u>10</u> <u>17</u>
Right Human Relationships	Jewish Voice for Peace	<i>Jewish Voice for Peace</i> members are inspired by Jewish tradition to work together for peace, social justice, equality, human rights, respect for international law, and a U.S. foreign policy based on these ideals. Their focus is Israel/Palestine.		<u>12</u> <u>6</u> <u>17</u>

Breaking the Silence/Healing the Feminine	Person of the Year	The silence around the sexual harassment of women is broken. <i>Time</i> magazine's 2017 'person of the year' are the brave women who were silenced, hurt and wronged, and chose to break the silence. " #MeToo Movement Is Person of The Year," <i>Time</i> says.		<u>12</u> <u>6</u> <u>17</u>
Atmospheric Science	Longest Lasting Rainbow	Professors and students of the Chinese Culture University in Taipei's mountains were treated to a rainbow that lasted for nine hours. "It was amazing... It felt like a gift from the sky... It's so rare!" said Chou Kun-hsuan, a professor in the university's Department of Atmospheric Sciences.		<u>12</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
Economics/ Common Goods	RBE	Resource Base Economy is a global resources management system that uses the principles of general systems theory, in which goods and services are available in the form of a common patrimony for all the people in the world.	Millennials unhappy with capitalism.	<u>12</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
Archeology	Lost Egyptian City	1,200 years ago, the ancient Egyptian city of Heracleion disappeared under the Mediterranean. Founded around the 8th century BC, well before the foundation of Alexandria in 331 BC, it is believed Heracleion served as the port of entry to Egypt for all ships coming from the Greek world. Its name was almost razed from the memory of mankind, only preserved in ancient classic texts and rare inscriptions found on land by archaeologists.	"More secrets are seeing daylight"	<u>12</u> <u>4</u> <u>17</u>

New Media	UPLIFT TV	<i>UPLIFT</i> stands for Unity, Peace and Love In a Field of Transcendence. “Amidst the many changes and challenges facing our planet at this time, there is a new shared vision which calls upon each of us to bring forth our unique gifts and contributions to the whole.” — about Uplift.tv		<u>12</u> <u>2</u> <u>17</u>
Our Living Planet	Planet Earth from Space	Since the fall of 1997, NASA satellites have continuously and globally observed all plant life on the surface of the land and in the oceans. Satellites measured land and ocean life from space as early as the 1970s. But it wasn't until the launch of the Sea-viewing Wide Field-of-view Sensor (SeaWiFS) in 1997 that the space agency began what is now a continuous, global view of both land and ocean life.	Watch the Earth <i>breathe</i> in this fascinating 7-minute video. Earth is still the only planet we know of with life—the one thing that, so far, makes Earth unique among the thousands of other planets we’ve discovered. With that in mind, our habitable home world seems ever more fragile and beautiful. — New Story Hub	<u>12</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u>
New Humanity	One World Dialogue	A 24-HOUR GLOBAL VIGIL FOR HUMANITY December 2-3, 2017. One World Bearing Witness is a free 24-hour online, global/local, live, participatory, healing ritual for humanity that brings us together in unity and diversity.		<u>12</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u>
Science	Discovery of new galaxies	72 new galaxies revealed by European telescope Instrument on European Southern Observatory's Very Large Telescope, which used data from the Hubble Space Telescope. Previously hidden galaxies date back 13 billion years, shortly after the formation of the universe.		<u>12</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u>

Right Human Relations	Holy Land Trust	Through a commitment to the principles of nonviolence, <i>Holy Land Trust</i> aspires to strengthen and empower the peoples of the Holy Land to engage in spiritual, pragmatic and strategic paths that will end all forms of oppression. We create the space for the healing of historic wounds in order to transform communities and build a future that makes the Holy Land a global model for understanding, respect, justice, equality and peace.		<u>11</u> <u>30</u> <u>17</u>
Health	Charity: water	Charity: water is a non-profit organization bringing clean and safe drinking water to people in developing nations. 663 million people in the world live without clean water.		<u>11</u> <u>30</u> <u>17</u>
New Culture and Right Human Relations	March to Protest Violence Against Women	Thousands of people marched in protests held in countries around the world to mark the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women.		<u>11</u> <u>27</u> <u>17</u>
New Culture and Right Human Relations	Touching the Hearts of a Community	In Sioux City, Iowa, three young Tanzanian visitors seem to have touched the hearts of residents. The three middle-schoolers were rushed to Sioux City from Tanzania last May after surviving a bus crash that killed 33. A group of American volunteers from the Siouxland Tanzania Educational Medical Ministries just happened to be near the site of the crash. Concerned that the three teens needed emergency care best provided in the United States, STEMM flew them to Sioux City.		<u>11</u> <u>25</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Goodwill and Right Human Relations</p>	<p>Association of World Citizens</p>	<p>“Earth is Our Common Home. Therefore, we must protect it together. Humanity faces important challenges—political and ecological, economic and social—on its path toward a world community. <i>The Association of World Citizens</i> is a transnational network of women and men working together for a more just world society. The Association has consultative status with the United Nations, and much of our effort is to support the principles of the United Nations, the resolution of conflicts, the promotion of human rights, the development of world law, and a higher standard of living in wider freedom for all. Our website provides analysis, information, and reports of our efforts. We welcome your interest and participation.” — Rene Wadlow, President and Representative to the United Nations, Geneva</p>	<p>A ray of hope.</p>	<p><u>11</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>The New Journalism</p>	<p>Images and Voices of Hope</p>	<p>“At <i>Images & Voices of Hope</i> (ivoh), we believe that media can create meaningful, positive change in the world. Our global community includes journalists, documentary filmmakers, photographers, social media specialists, gamers and more. Our common thread as a nonprofit is the desire to effect positive change through our work in media.”</p>		<p><u>11</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>

Addressing the Problems of Humanity	Citizens for Global Solutions	<p><i>Citizens for Global Solutions</i>, founded in 1947, is dedicated to unifying our world.</p> <p>The mission of its educational branch is to educate and advocate for a democratic federation of nations with enforceable world law to abolish war and global violence in the resolution of disputes, protect universal human rights and freedoms, and restore and sustain our global environment.</p>		<u>11</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
Conscious Economics	Zeitgeist Movement	<p>The Zeitgeist Movement is a grass roots, worldwide organization that advocates an alternative economic system based on sustainability, cooperation and human need. The book, <i>The New Human Rights Movement</i>, by Zeitgeist Movement founder, Peter Joseph, delivers a startling exposé about the violent oppression that defines our economic order, while issuing an urgent call for global activism to unite to replace it.</p>	<p>“I think that—to be fully realised—it will require an advanced sense of what is real need and evolved human values. A sign of things to come.”</p>	<u>11</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u>
Visionary Tourism	Mashpi Lodge	<p>The vision was a private reserve in Ecuador focused on conservation and sustainable ecotourism. It is built on the grounds of a defunct sawmill, without felling one tree during the construction. Materials were brought in using existing logging roads. Local people who had worked as loggers were trained to staff the lodge, helping the community transition to livelihoods based on conservation instead of deforestation. Mashpi is responsible for protecting one of the last stands of old growth in the Chocó. A resident biologist runs a Life Centre, conducting ongoing research initiatives.</p>	<p>“A tourism concept that is full of sensitivity and spirituality.”</p>	<u>11</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u>

Intentionality	The Middle East Peace Intention Experiment	“We’ve targeted a place in the Middle East with great symbolic meaning to the two cultures, and both are coming together in a rare intention for peace.” — Lynn McTaggart	“A wonderful work of love and unity.”	<u>11</u> <u>12</u> <u>17</u>
Goodwill and Conscious Business	Radical Hospitality	<i>The Broad Street Hospitality Collaborative</i> has a vision: the day when everyone crossing our threshold flourishes as they participate fully as valued members of a mutually supportive community. It has saved lives and even inspired restaurant Rooster Soup Company where 100% of the profits go to charity.		<u>11</u> <u>12</u> <u>17</u>
New Consciousness	Walk With Me	Walk With Me chronicles the life and teachings of the Zen Buddhist teacher, Thich Nhat Hanh. It is a journey into the world of mindfulness—the practice of bringing one’s attention to the present moment.		<u>11</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>
Conscious Business	CBI	Humanity’s Team’s <i>Conscious Business Initiative</i> helps change agents and leaders reinvent their organizations using a structured methodology and a Community of Practice that recognizes the interconnectedness of all life. The Dawn of a Conscious Business Movement .		<u>11</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>
New Children	Wisdom of a Child	The 12-year-old prodigy whose 'first language' is Mozart. Alma Deutscher was playing piano and violin by the time she was 3 years old and wrote her first opera at 10. For her, making music seems as natural as breathing.		<u>11</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>

New Culture and Humanity	Racism is evil	“Racism is evil. And those who cause violence in its name are criminals and thugs, including the KKK, neo-Nazis, white supremacists and other hate groups that are repugnant to everything we hold dear as Americans.” — Ta Nehisi Coates		<u>11</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
New Celebration	Celebrating the Saints	Pope Francis, during the Angelus on Wednesday, marked the feast of All Saints, telling the faithful in St Peter’s Square that it was a celebration of the many simple and hidden people who help God to push the world forward. Celebrating the Saints who transmit the light of God.	“Saints are our brothers and sisters who have received the light of God in their hearts and have transmitted it to the world...” — Pope Francis	<u>11</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u>
New Economy	The Colour of Money	A vision for rebuilding communities and creating a better economic system – one that works for the many rather than the few, without destroying our living planet.		<u>11</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u>
Raising Consciousness	Collective Evolution	“What is <i>Collective Evolution</i> All About? We (CE) believe in creating change by raising consciousness and thinking outside the box. We aim to challenge the current status quo by shaking up how we currently think about the world. We encourage and inspire each other to take action with the goal of bringing to life a bright future for us all. Positive and heartfelt journalism is a big part of what we do.”		<u>10</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u>

Yearning for Peace	Follow the Women	<i>Follow the Women</i> was founded in 2004 by Detta Regan from England who called on women from around the world to bike in the Middle East as a platform to call attention to the region's yearning for peace. This year 120 women biked all over Lebanon rallying for peace. Cyclists came from the United States, England, Iran, Italy, Jordan, China, Japan, Poland, Turkey, Palestine, Syria, Lebanon, France, Germany, Belgium and Cyprus.		<u>10</u> <u>27</u> <u>19</u>
New Art Old Art	Salvator Mundi	A newly discovered painting, "World Savior", of Leonardo da Vinci has surfaced very recently. It is to be auctioned November 15, 2017. A Christie's spokeswoman said: "Leonardo's paintings are known for their mystery and ambiguity." The whole painting has strong eschatological undertones.		<u>10</u> <u>27</u> <u>19</u>
Business Serving the Good	Tesla Makes Good	While The U.S.A hesitates, Tesla has been shipping its home Powerwall battery storage units to Puerto Rico for help restoring the grid. Musk also donated \$250,000 of his personal money to support relief efforts. Tesla postponed its electric semi-truck reveal event in order to focus on helping establish facilities like this one in Puerto Rico.		<u>10</u> <u>26</u> <u>17</u>

Evolutionary Spirituality	Institute of Noetic Science	A Futurist speaks about the evolutionary global change that happens when we work collectively and selflessly for the greater good. The lessons of evolution teach us that problems are evolutionary drivers, and crises precede transformation, giving a new way of seeing and responding to our global situation.	Barbara Hubbard is speaking about evolutionary spirituality. She doesn't know of the next step for humanity, but intuits that we are on a cusp of great change into a new species, as many spiritual minded people believe. At the 33:21 point in her talk, she says there needs to be a way for us to know of the new that is arising and synthesize or connect it all. I think this is exactly what the Signs of the Coming One's purpose is.	<u>10</u> <u>23</u> <u>17</u>
Truth to Power	CNN commentator	CNN commentator Van Jones looks to find common ground in his divided country. He offers a solution in his new book, <i>Beyond the Messy Truth, How We Came Apart, How We Come Together</i> .		<u>10</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u>
New Cities	Renewable Energy	"The green revolution is here," the Mayor of Georgetown, Texas, said. "And I'm a good little Republican, a rightwing fiscal conservative, but when it comes to making decisions based on facts, that's what we do."		<u>10</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
New Science	Open sciences.org	OpenSciences.org is a portal for open-minded scientific investigations that go beyond the dogmas dominating so much of science today. The main areas covered include: consciousness studies, alternative energy sources, integrative medicine and healing, post-materialist approaches to science and new aspects of cosmology, physics, chemistry and biology. The website includes videos, books, journals and links to websites of open-minded scientific researchers and organisations, as well as articles on open questions in science.		<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u>

New Science	Manifesto for the Study of Consciousness	A group of internationally known scientists, from a variety of scientific fields (biology, neuroscience, psychology, medicine, psychiatry), who participated in an international summit on post-materialist science, spirituality and society, have developed a post-materialistic manifesto.		<u>10</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u>
Movement	Global Purpose Movement	“GPM is a collective of individual leaders, change makers, spiritual activists, conscious organizations, foundations, and businesses. WHAT WE DO: We organize on a global scale, creating both physical and online spaces to recognize our inherent unity, express our unique purpose, and synergize to connect what is working in the world. WHY WE'RE HERE: We believe that each person and organization has a unique role as part of a global humanity to create a peaceful, sustainable, loving presence on Earth.”	“A BREATH OF FRESH AIR! So good to see so many people waking up and working for the GOOD of ALL. Most inspiring: CONSCIOUS CAPITALISM. Makes me feel like doing something more to help!”	<u>10</u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u>
New Culture	Prosperity	“ <i>Prosperity</i> is not just a movie. It’s a movement. The businesses we showcased in the film are only a handful of the thousands of new and existing companies who are actively trying to make changes in the world around us. The challenge we face is simple. We can’t predict the future, but we can help make choices that turn us in the right direction. Our goal is not to endorse specific companies, but rather reward ANY company making an effort and showing good behavior. Let’s come together and encourage them to continue doing good things... and reward them for that.”		<u>10</u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u>

Nobel Peace prize	Anti-Nuke campaign	Nobel Peace Prize awarded to International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons.	"We urge you to stand tall, dear brothers, stand tall and wave the banner of Light incorruptible and the banner of Love transcendent and divine. Thus, will you herald Our footsteps and pave the way for Our descent."	<u>10</u> <u>10</u> <u>17</u>
Puerto Rico	Hurricane Aftermath	Bethenny Frankel opens up about helping Puerto Rico after hurricane devastation: 'It's a war zone'. Bethenny Frankel has been a beacon of hope for Puerto Rico. Since the island was ravaged by Hurricane Maria in September, the "Real Housewives of New York City" star has been chartering planes for victims.	"An incredible Aquarian soul—feeling the pain of humanity and responding more effectively than governments."	<u>10</u> <u>9</u> <u>17</u>
New Humanity	Global Oneness Day	" <i>Global Oneness Day</i> October 24, 2017, our "Earth Day" for an awakened humanity, kicks off. Our Oneness with the Divine, each other and all of life is a timeless truth but it is in the closet. Oneness receives very little public discussion and the paradigm of separation that guides how we organize has brought us to the brink of global crisis. Fortunately, the world is awakening and a whole new way of living on the Earth is emerging. Each of us is invited to play a role."		<u>10</u> <u>7</u> <u>17</u>
New Humanity	The Compassion of a Barber	A Quebec barber (Jacob) finds special connection with 6-year-old client with autism. Jacob said he also works with people who are terminally ill, who want to enjoy a last trim. "When you shave someone, who is probably going to die within 48 hours ... it's indescribable," said Jacob. "Everyone is crying, it's really something. I'm really proud to be doing all this."	"The heart is full on witnessing the beauty of the Soul in manifestation: not only the barber but the outpouring of human response from as far away as Japan. The heart of humanity is basically sound."	<u>10</u> <u>7</u> <u>17</u>

Science	Gravitational Waves Detected	<p>"If you can develop this experiment to detect gravitational waves, what you've really built is sort of a black hole telescope—you now have a telescope that can look out in the universe and see the invisible." — a CITA member</p> <p>Source of gravitational waves detected for first time</p>	<p>"We know that in the centre of our Earth, inside its heart there is iron and iron is even the core (central) component of our blood. Neutron stars are the "more powerful stars", able to create the heavier atoms, merging protons inside an atom and they are atoms of iron with 26 protons. Once this star has transformed most of its elements into iron—the most magnetic element; it explodes and by the energy so created all other heavier atoms are born. We can say that once this star has become a living heart, it destroys its shape radiating the maximum power."</p>	$\frac{10}{717}$
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Truth, Faith and Human Rights	In Power Movement	<p><i>In Power</i> is an open source and crowd-funded movement of, by, and for the people. We believe that the combination of independent media, truth, faith in our Creator or Source, and the effective enforcement of accountability upon those in positions of social leadership are keys to preserving and restoring human rights. We are devoted to this purpose.</p>		$\frac{10}{717}$
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Animal Kingdom	White Whale	An extremely rare white whale has been spotted off the east coast of Australia. This is one of only three white humpback whales that have been recorded in the region. Whale symbolism is prominent amongst the world's indigenous peoples. The color white is also significant as is the fact this rare whale was spotted off the coast of Australia.		<u>10</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
Climate Change	Canadian Governor speaks out	Strength of teamwork, power of dreams: Gov. Gen. Julie Payette urges fight for common good. Prime Minister Justin Trudeau calls former astronaut a trailblazer, pioneer and 'exceptional Canadian'.		<u>10</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u>
Change of Heart	One heart at a time	"I cannot express how wrong I was": Country guitarist changes mind on gun control after Las Vegas mass shooting.		<u>10</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u>
Medical Breakthrough	Stroke victims returning to normalcy	This story was originally from 2016 but is still amazing! The main update was the phase 2 part of the trial with 153 patients.	"This synchronicity has prompted me to revisit the Tibetan's teaching on humanity functioning as the brain of the planet -- on a macrocosmic level."	<u>9</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Right Human Relations</p>	<p>Hijabi Dolls</p>	<p>“When Sheza Hasan came home earlier this week, she was surprised to find a mysterious box had been left on her front porch. When she opened it up, she found 25 handmade dolls made of fabric and sporting a variety of colourful outfits.”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How acts of hate inspired a Muslim-Jewish sisterhood based on love in Toronto • GTA mosques surrounded by 'rings of peace' from members of all faiths. <p>What made them truly special for Hasan was that they were all wearing hijabs, the head-covering worn by some Muslim women.</p>	<p>"It's not just any act of kindness. It's something someone really thought about and put the time and effort in. My kids were in awe; we've been talking about it for three days. They're amazed that someone would put so much energy into putting this together." — Sheza Hasan</p>	<p><u>9</u> <u>27</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Inter-Generational Compassion and Education</p>	<p>Saskatoon program</p>	<p>“Walking down the hallway of a long-term care home often triggers an urge to whisper... But that's not the case at the Sherbrooke Community Centre in Saskatoon. Twenty-five Grade 6 students roam the halls, throwing out waves, hugs and high-fives to residents. They are taking part in a unique intergenerational program—known as iGen—that embeds an elementary class inside an advanced care home for the entire school year.” The Saskatoon program is a first in Canada.</p>	<p>“Loneliness is killing our seniors ... This is the way to combat that.” — Nursing Director, Deb Schick</p>	<p><u>9</u> <u>25</u> <u>17</u></p>

Think Globally, Act Locally	Global Citizen Festival	<p>This year September 23rd on the Great lawn of Central Park in New Your City the 6th annual global citizen festival takes place. A global citizen is any person who wants to learn about and take action on the world’s biggest challenges.</p> <p>“We are a social action platform for a global generation that wants to solve the world’s biggest challenges. On our platform you can learn about issues, take action on what matters most and join a community committed to social change. We believe we can end extreme poverty by 2030, because of the collective actions of Global Citizens across the world.” — Event Founder, Hugh Evans</p>	<p>“A film has been made about his courage in launching this event 5 years ago: when backers dropped out, he prayed, the next day \$1.5 million came through.”</p>	<p><u>9</u> <u>23</u> <u>17</u></p>
New Culture	Transition	<p><i>Transition</i> is a movement that has been growing since 2005. It is about communities stepping up to address the big challenges they face by starting locally. By coming together, they are able to crowd-source solutions. They seek to nurture a caring culture, one focused on supporting each other, both as groups or as wider communities.</p>	<p>“I see [<i>Transition</i>] as a wonderful combination of civic local engagement and a worldwide network. In many towns throughout the world people get together, finding community, enthusiastic about the idea of together envisioning a future model for their town that will make it worth living in.” — Horst Köhler, former German president and former president of the IMF.</p>	<p><u>9</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u></p>
Redressing Past Wrongs	Canada and Indigenous People	<p>Prime Minister Justin Trudeau went on the world stage Thursday to lay out Canada’s efforts to address a domestic “shame”—the treatment of Indigenous peoples. The prime minister used his address at the UN General Assembly to talk almost solely about the</p>		<p><u>9</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u></p>

		challenges confronting Canada's Indigenous population and his government's efforts at change and reconciliation. He said Canada is a country "that came into being without the meaningful participation of those who were there first." He highlighted the residential school system that separated Indigenous children from their parents and culture, and the forced relocation of Inuit and First Nations communities.	
New Culture	Opening to the Subtle World	Three speakers share their understanding and views of the Soul and the subtle world of the soul as <i>being an integral part of daily living</i>	<u>9</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u>
Women and New Culture	Icelandic Women's Rights	<p>"Last night was a turning point in Icelandic society, when the country's government collapsed, not because of money, not because of political squabbling between professional politicians, but because women spoke up.</p> <p>People spoke up. People spoke up about the violence that is perpetrated against women and children."</p>	<u>9</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u>
New Culture and Love	Caravan of Love	As the tide of caste or religious violence rises, one activist is taking his message of peace around India, meeting families of people killed in hate crimes.	<u>9</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u>

Transformation	Breaking the Male Code	<p>To transform our culture from its focus on dominance and hierarchy to one of connection, empathy and collaboration; it's vital that we re-envision the essential (or archetypal) masculine, which changes everything. This rarely tackled topic is the subject of a deeply authentic dialogue among Playwright and activist Eve Ensler, and three men working to change men and change the story:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tony Porter, co-founder, A Call To Men; • Dallas Goldtooth, Indigenous activist, member of the 1491's Native American comedy troupe; • George Lipsitz, board president, African American Policy Forum. 		<u>9</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u>
A Force for Good	Right Livelihood Award	<i>The Right Livelihood Award</i> was established in 1980 to “honour and support courageous people and organisations that have found practical solutions to the root causes of global problems.”		<u>9</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
Changing Consciousness	Schumacher College	“People from all over the world, of all ages and backgrounds, have been informed, inspired and encouraged to act, by our 25 years of transformative courses for sustainable living. <i>Schumacher College</i> has an enviable reputation for cutting-edge learning.” (cont. -->)	“Our work is to inspire, challenge and question ourselves as co-inhabitants of the world, to ask the questions we all struggle to find answers to and to find sound knowledge, intuition and wonder in our search for solutions.”	<u>9</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>

New Travel	The DNA Journey	<p>WOULD YOU DARE TO QUESTION WHO YOU REALLY ARE? momondo.com started The DNA Journey because this online travel search engine wanted people to understand that there are more things uniting us, than dividing us. Our DNA reveals so much about where we come from. Most of us are far more diverse and have much more in common with people from other countries than we would ever have thought.</p>		$\frac{9}{19}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
New Media for a New Generation	Films for the Planet	<p><i>Films for the Planet</i> is a streaming online platform featuring the best in environmental and social action films.</p> <p><i>Films for the Planet</i> promotes globally connected storytelling that inspires generative discourse and positive action for the greater good. One film, for example, <i>A Quest for Meaning</i> is the story of an impromptu road-trip undertaken by two childhood friends. This film reveals the profound aspirations of a whole generation in search of wisdom and common sense. Through the words of activists, biologists, philosophers, or guardians of ancestral traditions, Marc and Nathanael's quest presents alternatives that are already building the world of tomorrow. This film captures the change in human consciousness happening all over the planet, and the desire to live in harmony with oneself and the world.</p>		$\frac{9}{19}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

New Education	Chicago Wisdom Project	The mission of <i>The Chicago Wisdom Project</i> is to re-imagine education through holistic programming that transforms individual, community and world through creative expression. We believe that our students can become creators of culture, not merely consumers, and inspire them to challenge the assumptions of modern, industrial culture through the arts.		<u>9</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
New Science	Is the Universe Conscious?	The story of the universe being conscious is gaining momentum amongst scientists, replacing the old story of a physical universe without any consciousness whatsoever.		<u>9</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u>
New Education	Green Bronx Machine	Green Bronx Machine is an impact-driven, for-purpose organization rooted in the belief that we are all Amer-I-Cans! Green Bronx Machine was born via collaboration between life-long educator Stephen Ritz and his students who observed that as waistlines expanded, engagement and opportunities in school decreased, school performance suffered, and hope and ambition became minimized. There is also a book. In “The Power of a Plant,” globally acclaimed teacher Stephen Ritz shows readers how, in one of the poorest communities, his students thrive in school and in life by growing, cooking, eating, and sharing the bounty of their green classroom.”		<u>9</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u>

A New Story	World Good	<p>What is the <i>World Good</i> story?</p> <p>It is the shared story and path of waking up to and trekking the reality that all is energy, evolving together through energy, for the good of all. An example is World Patron Exchange</p>		<u>9</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u>
Leadership Programs	Transformational Leadership	<p>“There is a further evidence of this Aquarian influence in the multitude of leadership training programs such as Servant Leadership; Collaborative Leadership; Integral Leadership; Presencing Institute; and transformational leadership training offered by groups like the Global Leadership Foundation.”</p> <p>— World Goodwill Newsletter 2017 #2</p>		<u>9</u> <u>12</u> <u>17</u>
Energy and the Environment	Energiewende	<p>Germany’s Transition from Coal to Renewables offers Lessons for the World, results in clean air while retraining coal miners and creating new jobs. This program is called <i>Energiewende</i> or energy transition. It aims to have 80 percent of the country’s energy generated from renewables by 2050.</p>		<u>9</u> <u>6</u> <u>17</u>

Social Impact Media	Films for the Planet	<p><i>Films for the Planet</i> is a streaming online platform featuring the best in environmental and social action films.</p> <p>Access the highest quality content for social impact, perpetual learning and community engagement as well as real-time events that draw upon a network of leading filmmakers, story activators, and topical scholars. <i>Films for the Planet</i> promotes globally connected storytelling that inspires generative discourse and positive action for the greater good.</p>		$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ \underline{6} \\ 17 \end{array}$
Towards Racial Healing	Descendants of Stonewall Jackson	Two brothers, descendants of Confederate General Jackson, write an open letter for the removal of Confederate monuments across the U.S. It is a small step towards racial healing in this country.		$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ \underline{4} \\ 17 \end{array}$
New Science	A Jewel at the heart of quantum physics	“This is completely new and very much simpler than anything that has been done before,” said Andrew Hodges, a mathematical physicist at Oxford University who has been following the work. The revelation that particle interactions, the most basic events in nature, may be consequences of geometry significantly advances a decades-long effort to reformulate quantum field theory, the body of laws describing elementary particles and their interactions.		$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ \underline{3} \\ 17 \end{array}$

Social Justice	The New Israel Fund	<i>NIF</i> seeks to empower civil society in Israel as the fundamental vehicle of an open society, to build and maintain a just society at peace with itself and its neighbors. NIF sponsors Lowering the Walls —an overnight summer camp for Israeli and Arab children.	$\frac{9}{17}$
The Power of Goodwill	People helping People	Boats and flotation devices of all shapes and sizes descended on Houston's water-logged neighborhoods.	$\frac{8}{17}$
Peaceful Resistance	Prayer	Students at East Catholic High School rise up and declare that we're more concerned with God than we are with being politically correct.	$\frac{8}{17}$
Love of Animals	The Animal Communicator	This documentary of an animal communicator explore interspecies communication—a journey of discovering ways to restore a deep relationship with all of life.	$\frac{8}{17}$
Acts of Kindness	The Kindness Diaries	“New Series Proves Kindness is Making a Comeback: Logothetis ’ thought-provoking account of his epic journey around the world is both entertaining and inspiring. It’s a refreshing reminder that we all share two commonalities: the need for human connection and the ability to change the world with kindness.” – Brad Jamison, Founder of goodcitizen.org	$\frac{8}{17}$

Hate vs. Love	Romantic Violence	Christian Picciolini immersed himself in a racist skinhead culture, hateful propaganda, and violence. Ultimately, he began to see that his hate-filled life was built on lies. After years of battling the monster he created, he was able to reinvent himself and went on to become an advocate for peace, inclusion, and racial diversity, co-founding the nonprofit <i>Life After Hate</i> , which helps people disengage from hate groups and to love themselves and accept others, regardless of skin color, religious belief, or sexual preference.		$\frac{8}{20}$ <u>17</u>
Soldiers for Right Human Relations	Combatants for Peace	“For over a decade we have embodied and served as a model for our humanistic values of freedom, democracy, security and dignity for all. We envision Combatants for Peace as a strong, significant, influential binational (Israeli and Palestinian) community that exemplifies viable cooperation: co-resistance to the occupation and violence, which forms the basis for future co-existence. Through joint nonviolence in the present, we lay the foundations for a nonviolent future. The movie <u>DISTURBING THE PEACE</u> is a story of the human potential unleashed when we stop hating and act in accordance with human good and understanding.”		$\frac{8}{19}$ <u>17</u>
Humanity	A Song of Love	A Pakistani, Inam Khan Ram, wrote this on Facebook in response to the song written by an		$\frac{8}{14}$

		<p>Indian: “You have chosen love instead of hate, and love has to win because love can make lions a pet and your friend but hate can turn an ant in to dangerous enemy. My love for all Indians and may your country prosperous more, let's say ‘NO TO HATE... No to WAR.’</p> <p>“Let's be friends and defeat the people who want to push us in to war.</p> <p>Humanity only.”</p>		<u>17</u>
Education for the Soul	Alma	<p>“It is for the love of the children that Alma exists. This is the initiative of several inspired and seasoned educators who see the urgent need for a new way of educating our children.</p> <p>We are a part of the New Education, an international movement dramatically changing how we educate the world’s children.”</p>		<u>8</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>
Renewable Energy Solutions	Energy from Mountains	<p>This sign from ColdFusionTV has to do with innovations in the storage of renewable energies. Curiously, the technology being developed involves the storage of large volumes of air in underground chambers within mountains. It is interesting that in the first part of the video the reviewer mentions new energy breakthroughs being unveiled by Elon Musk, the founder of Tesla Motors, PayPal, and SpaceX. Musk is described as “the Wizard of</p>		<u>8</u> <u>10</u> <u>17</u>

		Menlo Park.” He is clearly a genius. Some say that he is the reincarnation of Thomas Edison. Click here to read more.	
The Soul & Human Understanding	Soul Awakening Practices	This book by James O’Dea invites each who read it to go deeper, think from new perspectives, and ponder new ways of thinking about what is happening in the world and how we can relate to it in these times. His Practice is simple, with only six phrases upon which to contemplate. SOUL-AWAKENING, HEART OPENING, LIGHT SHINING, LOVE FLOWING, WOUNDS DISSOLVING, AND PEACE RADIATING.	$\frac{8}{9}$ <u>17</u>
Film	God is Love	The film <i>Resurrection</i> , about a woman who has a near-death experience and acquires the power to heal, is as relevant today as it was in 1980. The message is “God is Love.”	$\frac{8}{7}$ <u>17</u>
Meditation and Policing	Cops learn to think smarter	Dallas cops learn to 'think smarter, not harder' using meditation, mindfulness Dallas Police Dallas News. Hughes has worked at the Police Department since the 1980s, but the brain breaks are a recent addition to her routine. She picked up the strategy earlier this year through Strategic Memory Advanced Reasoning Training—known as SMART.	$\frac{8}{5}$ <u>17</u>

Music for Change	If I was President	This song is imaginative, educational and thought-provoking. The group is called Las Cafeteras. Their songs have themes and references ranging from the Civil Rights Movement, United Farm Workers, DREAM Act, immigration reform to female homicides in Ciudad Juárez. Their song, "La Bamba Rebelde", a remake of the traditional Mexican song from the state of Veracruz, denoting Chicano pride. They construct their music as a tool for creating positive change and inspiring others to do so.		$\frac{8}{4}$ <u>17</u>
Science	Earth's Schumann Resonance hits another dramatic high	<i>The Resonance of The Earth's Geomagnetic Field Has Quadrupled in the Last 24 Hours.</i> There has been a spike in the power of the earth's geomagnetic field causing the Schumann resonance to reach a 15-month high. According to a real-time graph from Heart Math there has been a spike in the earth's geomagnetic field. Links have been established between the Earth's geomagnetic activity and the effects on the collective consciousness of humanity.		$\frac{8}{3}$ <u>17</u>
Is Death Real?	NDE documentary	"We can't help but ask, is this life we now live in just a far-off place, and the other world, which they speak of with deep affection, really a home we have long forgotten? An open-minded person will find this documentary about Near Death Experiences intriguing if		$\frac{8}{3}$ <u>17</u>

		nothing else, a closed-minded person will be seeking for reasons why it has to be in the mind—you decide!!!”	
Animal Freedom and Protection	Modern Warrior	After being deployed in Iraq as an Aussie special forces soldier, Damien departed in 2008 with no direction in life. A trip to Africa brought him face-to-face with the horrors that the world's wildlife is dealing with. Liquidating all personal assets acquired from 12 tours of duty, he founded the International Anti-Poaching Foundation . The organisation focuses on ranger training, operations and integrating modern technology into conservation.	$\frac{8}{317}$
Change the Story, Change the World	Living the New Story	As humans, we find our way by story. Our stories shape us, hold us and give meaning to our lives. Every so often it becomes clear that a prevailing story is no longer serving. Now is such a time. The old world is dying and the new world has yet to be born. Ordinary citizens all over the planet, who’ve been struggling with the deep divisions across society in today’s fraught and fear-based social and political landscape, are coming together in active participation to co-create and embody a new story for their lives.	$\frac{7}{2817}$
Nature	A wolf called Romeo	Our views of wolves as wild animals is changing. Nature is revealing the beauty of a	$\frac{7}{28}$

		new paradigm of brotherhood in this video of a pet dog confronted by a wild wolf.		<u>17</u>
Art	Collision of worlds	This work is something of a gift sent from a private world. It contains an old story, held close till now. It is a technological message in a bottle sent out to a world that could enact a different future. It's a work that tries to do the hardest of things—to create a bridge for two cultures in our shared homeland (Australia)—acknowledging our onward stewardship of this wonderful, wounded, resilient country." — Lynette Wallworth		<u>7</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>
The Universal Struggle for Peace	The Inter-Parliamentary Union	<i>The Inter-Parliamentary Union (IPU)</i> has always been unique, its long history epitomized by the quest for peace through dialogue. It was conceived from the beginning as an open forum, a place where parliamentarians from different countries and different political parties could meet and exchange views. The resulting political diversity is what sets the organization apart.		<u>7</u> <u>25</u> <u>17</u>
The Future of Service	A new evolutionary Paradigm	"Every day we are asked, 'What will you serve?' I had not the strength on my own to say yes to a life of service. Nor do I now, save for the help I receive from others who hold the field, the people who humble me every day with their generosity, sincerity, and		<u>7</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u>

		<p>selflessness. To the extent I am effective at what I do, it is because of you.”</p> <p>— author Charles Eisenstein on the age of service.</p>	
Aesthetics	Aesthetics for a New World	<p>At <i>Sacred Light Design Co.</i> we believe that your environment should reflect your state of mind. In our busy world, people are seeking for greater clarity, calm, and balance in their lives. Sacred Geometry’s symmetry and elegant design has a uniquely healing and centering quality. The patterns echo nature’s perfection and its own intelligent growth, enlivening the spaces they appear in. Whether you’re familiar with the traditions and history behind these designs, or simply view them as beautiful works of art, they are bound to have an enriching effect to your life and world.</p>	$\frac{7}{22}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Engines for Social Change	Love as an act of resistance	<p>Van Jones speaks with Black Lives Matter co-founder Alicia Garza and award-winning filmmaker Valarie Kaur about radical love as a strategy for transformative change and social justice throughout history and now. The speakers take questions, interact with our members, and ultimately discuss and give suggestions for how we can put what we’ve learned into practice.</p>	$\frac{7}{19}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Sharing Visions	Co-Creators World	<p>“Would you like to contribute to a renewal of vision for humanity? We invite you to pause and reflect on what kind of future you are hoping for? Share Your Vision with us. A New</p>	$\frac{7}{19}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

		<p>World Vision initiative is about giving back to humanity a positive outlook toward our future.</p> <p>Are you someone who lives for a new beginning, a living reality of consciousness and hope? Here we invite you to share our visions with the world as it inspires our being together on Earth." — website</p>		
Conscious Activism	kosmosjournal.org	An online journal for global transformation. ecology, education, business, governance and more...		7 19 17
Ecology	Learning from Ancient Wisdom	<p>These ancient societies know the secrets of infinite growth on our finite planet. Once upon a time, there were three scientists—a biologist, an engineer, and a chemist. Each of them loved the ocean and liked nothing better than to walk its shores and study its inhabitants. They were curious and observant, and by watching how nature really works, with an open-mind, each of them stumbled on something radically new. And we can do the same! Hit the jump for a closer look at how to achieve infinite growth on a finite planet—nature’s way.</p> <p>"Our minds can change the world" — historian, Bettany Hughes</p>		7 <u>15</u> <u>17</u>
Goodwill	Chose Love Movement	There are so many enlightening initiatives unfolding around the world whereby the light that links us all in deep relationship is revealing		7 <u>14</u> <u>17</u>

		<p>new, organically alive ways of living and being and expressing the life of the World. One amazing example is a foundation set up by the mother of a 6-year-old boy killed trying to help others in a school shooting [in Sandy Hook Elementary School, Newtown, Connecticut USA in 2012]. It is the Jesse Lewis Choose Love Movement to guide children towards a path of loving understanding. Here are two videos:</p> <p>https://youtu.be/CjwvdmOG0Cc and https://youtu.be/Y38hpR3JZg4</p>	
Science	Blue Brain Project	<p>Using a sophisticated type of mathematics in a way that it has never been used before in neuroscience, a team from the Blue Brain Project has uncovered a universe of multi-dimensional geometrical structures and spaces within the networks of the brain. This research, published in Frontiers in Computational Neuroscience, has significant implications for our understanding of the brain.</p>	$\frac{7}{14}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Documentary	Genius of the Ancient World	<p>Historian Bettany Hughes travels to India, Greece and China on the trail of three giants of ancient philosophy - Buddha, Socrates and Confucius. All three lived within one hundred years of one another during a time of great transformation for civilization and revolutionary ideas similar to the shift in consciousness today.</p>	$\frac{7}{13}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

Will to Love/ Goodwill	Father Pedro Opeka	Madagascar—the eighth poorest nation in the world—is experiencing modern-day miracle. Tens of thousands of people are encountering the transformative power of love and work.		$\frac{7}{11}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Responsible Economics	Desjardins	Canadian lender Desjardins may stop pipeline loans. It's the largest association of credit unions in North America and a backer of the Trans Mountain project		$\frac{7}{10}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Environment and Solar Power	Solar Power Plants	Breakthrough science and technology in generating energy from solar power plants		$\frac{6}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Plant Kingdom	News Story Hub	Moving the Giants follows one man, David Milarch, as he clones some of the world's most ancient and largest living things – California's coastal redwoods – and replants them in Oregon. This effort serves two purposes: First, as the planet warms and conditions for these redwoods change in their southernmost range, it is likely that many of these trees will die. By cloning and replanting them further north in places where they once thrived but have been clear-cut, Milarch will preserve these majestic giants. Second, redwood trees are among the most effective carbon sequestration tools in the world. By planting these seedlings, Milarch takes part in a global effort to use one of nature's most impressive achievements to re-chart a positive course for humanity.	"We build a lighted house"	$\frac{6}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

The Environment and Plastics	News	The Bristol refill-reuse bottle campaign is spreading across Europe.		$\frac{6}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Inspired Education	St. James Schools	<i>St James Schools</i> provide for the spiritual, intellectual, and physical development of every child. The schools were founded in 1975. Since then they have developed a distinctive philosophical approach to education, inspired by both the Platonic ideals of beauty and harmony, along with the eastern concepts of unity among the human family.		$\frac{6}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Empowering People	The Legacy Project	<i>The Legacy Project</i> is an independent, big-picture research, learning, and social innovation group that works across generations. Drawing on the natural and social sciences, our YOU 177 global initiative is about building 7-Generation communities.		$\frac{6}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Architecture	Forest Cities	The vision of Italian architect Stefano Boeri is starting to take shape around the world, with his so-called vertical forest towers going up in Switzerland and Milan. Now the Chinese region of Liuzhou will also play home to some of his handiwork, with construction underway on a so-called Forest City that is hoped to soak up some of the country's serious air pollution.		$\frac{6}{28}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

Extraordinary People	The Choose Love Formula	Scarlet (A Sandy Hook survivor) started The Jesse Lewis Choose Love Movement and, together with Dr. Kukk and a team of educators, developed an SEL program that teaches children of all ages how to choose love. “Choose Love: A Mother’s Message of Hope After the Sandy Hook Tragedy.”		<u>6</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>
Child Prodigies Healing through Music	Love Heals the World	<i>Published on Aug 28, 2016</i> — Child prodigies across the globe come together to Heal the World – in a tribute to Michael Jackson. MaatiBaani—a world music duo from India leads tribute to the King Of Pop—an artist who touched millions of hearts through his music. Happy Birthday Michael... We send our Love to each and every place in the world affected by violence with this endeavor because #LoveHeals.		<u>6</u> <u>25</u> <u>17</u>
Festival for Environment and Peace	Call for Unity	Labour leader urges Donald Trump to build ‘bridges not walls’ while addressing huge Pyramid Stage crowd. He told <i>The Guardian</i> it was his campaign’s spirit of hope that chimed with young voters		<u>6</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u>
Transformation Resources	Uplifted Life	Uplifted Life is a hub of transformational resources supporting you in your journey of becoming the best version of yourself. It is the ultimate player’s guide to this game we call Life, revealing the forgotten yet unailing principles of living life in an effective, meaningful and uplifting way. — Founder Kosta Stoyanoff		<u>6</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>

Art	The struggle of refugees	Syrian artist Abdalla Omari turns world leaders into refugees to send a powerful message.	$\frac{6}{12}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Evolutionary Science	The New Paradigm of thinking	A frank and open discussion from two evolutionary leaders, illuminating how the world has changed, and what the new holds.	$\frac{6}{10}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Ramadan	A message of Love	The month of Ramadan is a time of peak TV consumption in the Arab world and peak TV ad budgets. So the Kuwaiti telecom company Zain decided to make the most of the holy season with a powerful three-minute musical spot urging Arabs to reject suicide bombings.	$\frac{6}{10}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Music for the Good	One Love Manchester Concert	"Today's <i>One Love Manchester</i> benefit concert will not only continue, but will do so with greater purpose," Braun, a concert manager, said in a statement. "We must not be afraid and in tribute to all those affected here and around the world, we will bring our voices together and sing loudly." "I encourage you to choose love even when it's difficult. Let no one take that away from you." (One of the concert performers)	$\frac{6}{8}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

Community	Food can build Community	Ron Finley plants vegetable gardens in South Central LA—in abandoned lots, traffic medians, along the curbs. Why? For fun, for defiance, for beauty and to offer some alternative to fast food in a community where "the drive-thrus are killing more people than the drive-bys."	$\frac{6}{5}$ <u>17</u>
Love in the News	England	Once again, in the aftermath of a tragedy, we are seeing signs—literal signs—of love. In London there are signs saying “Love will win” and “Turn to Love.”	$\frac{6}{5}$ <u>17</u>
Climate Solutions	France	“Make our planet great again,” Emmanuel Macron exhorted the world, recycling Trump’s own slogan in an unprecedented address partly in English from the Elysée Palace soon after the US president had informed the world he was withdrawing from the global agreement on Thursday. The phrase, tweeted minutes later as a graphic that rapidly went viral, was accompanied by a renewed invitation to US scientists, researchers and entrepreneurs disappointed by their administration’s move to “come to France and work with us together” on climate solutions.	$\frac{6}{5}$ <u>17</u>
Canada	Faith	A Special Message from Jean Vanier on the Occasion of Canada's Sesquicentennial Year about faith in God and humanity.	$\frac{6}{2}$ <u>17</u>

Justice	Brazil: Operation Carwash	<i>Operation Car Wash</i> , one of the largest bribery cases ever investigated, is being led by a small group of idealistic, young Brazilian prosecutors and a crusading judge.	$\frac{5}{31}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Art/Culture	Music for Peace	Malek Jandali Trio: A Syrian Symphony for Peace. German born, Syrian-American composer and pianist Malek Jandali is a leading figure in today's music world. He was honoured with the 2013 GUSI International Peace Prize and the 2014 Global Music Humanitarian Award for his ongoing world tour "The Voice of the Free Syrian Children" and dedication to peace and humanitarian causes. In 2015 he founded Pianos for Peace. Following another successful Carnegie Hall concert, this meaningful event unites music enthusiasts and those dedicated to peace and solidarity.	$\frac{5}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Heartful News	A Heart Message from France	The Mayor of Paris responds to the Manchester attack from the heart.	$\frac{5}{29}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

Film	We Have The Power	<p>People have more power than we realise to transform and change even global challenges like World Hunger. Learn more at http://wehavethepowerto.com/</p> <p>Inspiring stories of Alan from Malawi and Rubina from Bangladesh who are doing that.</p> <p>An UPLIFT film made in association with The Hunger Project.</p>		<u>5</u> <u>27</u> <u>17</u>
Canada News	Embracing Diversity	<p>After more than a decade in the works, the Global Centre for Pluralism officially opened its new global headquarters in Ottawa in a ceremony with Governor General David Johnston and His Highness, Aga Khan (video). Meant as a place for research and dialogue about the value of diversity in our world, the Centre “is inspired by Canada’s experience as a multi-ethnic country that is committed to valuing diversity as a strength,” said John McNee, Secretary General of the Centre.</p>		<u>5</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u>
Ethical Science	Science in Service	<p>We give scientists and engineers great technical training, but we're not as good at teaching ethical decision-making or building character. Take, for example, the environmental crisis that recently unfolded in Flint, Michigan—and the professionals there who did nothing to fix it.</p>	Siddhartha Roy, who helped prove that Flint's water was contaminated, he tells a story of science in service to the public good, calling on the next generation of scientists and engineers to dedicate their work to protecting people and the planet.	<u>5</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u>

Private Action on the Environment	a \$1 Billion Bet on Clean Energy	Bill Gates has launched a new billion-dollar environmental investment fund. Its objective is to “invest science-focused, patient, and flexible capital” in clean energy. It will pick up where the EPA might leave off, should the agency slash clean energy spending.	“We’re taking responsibility and bypassing ineffective government.”	<u>5</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
Oasis for the Soul	Hillesgården	“Our vision is that a bright future is possible. We want <i>Hillesgården</i> to be an oasis for the soul and a source of inner well-being and joy of life. Everyone is welcome to Hillesgården just as they are, to strengthen their health and participate in a great number of activities that can give a moment’s recreation, or create space for inner reflection and self-awareness. At Hillesgården, we also welcome people to take part in prestige-free group work, and appreciate the sense of community and joy that this can bring.”	"What a beautiful place! Full of love, harmony and amazing grace! I admire your work and devotion to create this oasis of peace, joy and beauty. Thank you!"	<u>5</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u>
Scientists	A Beacon of Light	Scientists from enemy nations create a beacon for peace in the Middle East.		<u>5</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Humanitarian Response to Famine</p>	<p>An outpouring</p>	<p>A desperate plea for help as 4 African nations near a famine crisis. ABC News anchor David Muir and his team traveled with Carolyn Miles, the CEO of Save the Children, as the organization sent mobile clinics to isolated villages deep in Somaliland deserts. There they found a little boy, so weak he could not stand. A band was placed on his arm to measure his level of malnutrition. It was severe.</p>	<p>David Muir talked with many of the relief workers (Doctors Without Borders, other volunteer workers in the hospitals with countless dying children) in various locations in the region. That next night he informed viewers that \$1.8 million dollars came in that evening from viewers to help the relief efforts. It was an amazing outpouring of goodwill to truth boldly shared... The size and immediacy of the response was a surprise and OF COURSE WELCOMED... one more SIGN of the building of LOVE and LIGHT here on the planet that signals the birth of Christ in the human heart.</p>	<p><u>5</u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Human Rights</p>	<p>The World Is My Country</p>	<p>This is the story of Garry Davis – Man of No Nation -- who saw One World of No War. This is a human rights documentary about galvanizing war-weary Europe and rallying 20,000 people with him. He called upon the United Nations to recognize the rights of humanity. The following day, December 10, 1948, the United Nations passed the Universal Declaration of Human Rights— unanimously! This was the beginning of the evolution of World Law designed to prevent the kind of outrages we see in the world now.</p>		<p><u>5</u> <u>10</u> <u>17</u></p>

Social Movement	HUM	<i>Human Unity Movement</i> , popularly known as 'HUM,' is a voluntary organization in India working since November 1996 to create mass awareness of health, nutrition, education, environment, child rights, women rights and legal rights and all such social issues. It works both in urban and rural settings, for and with children, women and other weaker sectors of society. HUM believes in bringing veterans in various fields and new generations together so that the synergy produced may be optimally utilized for the social cause.		$\frac{5}{7}$ <u>17</u>
News	Water Ceremony	Indigenous people's water ceremony at the Capitol's reflective pool opens the March on Science.		$\frac{5}{1}$ <u>17</u>
Humanity	Pope Francis	"A single individual is enough for hope to exist, and that individual can be you," says His Holiness Pope Francis in this searing TED Talk delivered directly from Vatican City. In a hopeful message to people of all faiths, to those who have power as well as those who don't, the spiritual leader provides illuminating commentary on the world as we currently find it and calls for equality, solidarity and tenderness to prevail. "Let us help each other, all together, to remember that the 'other' is not a statistic, or a number," he says. "We all need each other."		$\frac{4}{29}$ <u>17</u>

Religion	Pope Francis	Pope Francis urged Egypt's leading imams on Friday to teach their students to reject violence in God's name and preach messages of peace and tolerance instead, forging ahead with a delicate visit to the Arab world's most populous country following a spate of deadly Islamic militant attacks against Christians.		$\frac{4}{29}$ <u>17</u>
Call for Religious Unity	Pope Francis	Pope Francis brushes off security concerns to forge ahead with a two-day trip to Egypt aimed at presenting a united Christian-Muslim front that repudiates violence committed in God's name.		$\frac{4}{28}$ <u>17</u>
Astronomy/ Science/ Astrophysics	"Steve"	Alberta sky watchers chasing the northern lights have partnered with scientists on the discovery of a curious ribbon of purplish light that everyone is calling "Steve." The feature is attracting attention for its unexpected name, as well as the way it was discovered, said Eric Donovan, a professor of physics and astronomy at the University of Calgary.	When a new color such as this makes itself visible it may be due to the waxing of the 7th ray.	$\frac{4}{28}$ <u>17</u>

Environment	Earth Life	<p><i>EarthLife</i> Africa’s Johannesburg branch was founded in 1988 to mobilise civil society around environmental issues related to the population.</p> <p>“After over a year and a half of court preparation for justice, ELA-JHB and the Southern African Faith Communities Environment Institute (SAFCEI) were finally able to block the unlawful and unconstitutional actions of the South African government in its nuclear deal. The Western Cape High Court delivered its judgement this morning in the nuclear deal court case.”</p>	<p>“It must be so difficult to bring the environment needs to the fore amidst so much social unrest. This is wonderful to see.”</p>	$\frac{4}{28}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Environment	Super Bloom	<p>Following years of drought, California's deserts have erupted with a "super bloom" of wildflowers visible even from space.</p>	<p>“A wonderful metaphor for Humanity and the planet... The Mother of the World is giving us a sign—her sign, the sign of beauty.”</p> <p>“All those seeds were lying dormant all this time and all they needed was the right conditions and rain.”</p>	$\frac{4}{26}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Environmental Activism	The Goldman Environmental Prize	<p>The Goldman Environmental Prize honors the achievements and leadership of grassroots environmental activists from around the world, inspiring all of us to take action to protect our planet. (cont. -->)</p>	<p>Grassroots activism risking life for the welfare of the natural environment, communities and fellow human beings.</p>	$\frac{4}{24}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

<p>Films for Right Human Relations</p>	<p>ACT</p>	<p>Human rights film festivals occur around the world, from Geneva and Glasgow to Melbourne and Mumbai. They are galvanizing cultural events. Dr. Scott Diffrient, Associate Professor of Film and Media Studies and recipient of the William E. Morgan Endowed Chair of Liberal Arts, is establishing the first-ever human rights film festival in Northern Colorado.</p> <p>Human rights film festivals bring together, educate, and create a forum for dialogue among artists, filmmakers, citizens, scholars, advocates, and students on social justice issues of every kind. ACT will focus on the issues of LGBTQ rights, human trafficking, the fight for democracy, disability rights, homelessness and more—issues which touch our community at a local and global scale.</p>		<p><u>4</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Marches and Movements for the Environment</p>	<p>March on Science</p> <p>Earth Day</p> <p>People's Climate Movement</p>	<p>This Earth Day, April 22, <i>Earth Day Network</i> and <i>the March for Science</i> are co-organizing a rally and teach-in on the National Mall in Washington, D.C. The day's program will include speeches and trainings with scientists and civic organizers, musical performances, and a march through the streets of Washington, D.C. Join the effort to defend the vital public service role science plays in our communities and our world. The March on Science occurs the following weekend. 350.org is a part of the global climate movement and the March on Science. 350.org believes in a safe climate and a better future—a just,</p>	<p>Not since the First Earth Day have we seen such a public demand for change.</p>	<p><u>4</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u></p>

		<p>prosperous, and equitable world built with the power of ordinary people.</p> <p>“Everything we have struggled to move forward in the United States is in peril. Our loved ones feel under siege, and those in power in Washington are advancing a dark and dangerous vision of America that we know is untrue. To change everything, we need everyone.” — <i>Peoples Climate Movement</i></p>	
Global Unity Consciousness	Unify	<p><i>Unify</i> creates Globally Synchronized Events on Solstices and Equinoxes with a focus on celebrating our shared humanity around the world. At these times, we invite all people to meditate, host local ceremonies, pray and align with Source in their own way.</p> <p>It is our conviction that we are One Human Family, transcendent of race, religion, or nation. By unifying at these times, we create a living demonstration of our underlying unity and an Emerging Planetary Culture embracing the interdependence and well-being of all.</p>	$\frac{4}{22}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Russian Soul	Anastasia	<p>A Russian Mystic woman and her nine books have created a stir in the collective soul of the Russian people to live consciously and spiritually on Earth, through living in eco-villages based on spiritual principles.</p>	$\frac{4}{22}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

<p>Consciousness of Past Lives</p>	<p>Reincarnation</p>	<p>“The fascinating phenomenon of past lives appears to me to be the “missing link” in the Western understanding of our soul’s journey and the meaning of life. There’s a vast body of research that validates past lives in some really intriguing ways. This validation ranges from people having direct memories, to birthmarks connected to past deaths, to accurately recognizing people and possessions from other lives.” — Stephen Dinan, founder of the Shift network</p>	<p>This is a major sign. Reincarnation is breaking into the Shift Network for the first time. Until now, it was not an ‘acceptable’ topic in these circles.</p> <p>DK tells us that when the Christ reappears He will teach about reincarnation.</p>	<p>$\frac{4}{20}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Universal Basic Income</p>	<p>My Basic Income</p>	<p>Mein Grundeinkommen's (My Basic Income) founder, Michael Bohmeyer, insists no one who has received the cash has become a layabout. He has set out to prove to a skeptical public in Germany and other nations that the universal basic income (UBI) idea is workable.</p>		<p>$\frac{4}{19}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Socially Conscious Banking</p>	<p>Vancity</p>	<p>At Vancity, a member owned co-operative, our vision is to redefine wealth in a way that furthers the financial, social and environmental well-being of our members and their communities.</p>		<p>$\frac{4}{19}$ <u>17</u></p>

<p>Socially Conscious Banking</p>	<p>Bendigo Bank Grameen Bank Beneficial State Bank</p>	<p><i>Bendigo Bank</i> is a various shared banking experiment. Although it has now launched on the stock market, it still retains much of the original community focus. From their purpose statement: “As a bank we are good with money. But it’s bigger than that. We are more interested in the good that money can do.”</p> <p>Then there’s the famous Grameen bank http://www.grameen.com/—which opened the way for many small community banking initiatives. It is a bank for poor communities.</p> <p>Beneficial State Bank, pursues economic justice and environmental sustainability.</p>	<p>I just clicked on the link to Bendigo Bank and am astonished. The consciousness is a world apart from anything I’m aware of in the U.S. related to banking and it is apparently quite a large bank in Australia.</p> <p>I watched one of the videos about real projects—from schools of a new consciousness to fire-fighting equipment—and felt like I had entered the new era. The people involved really do care about the common good.</p>	<p><u>4</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Economics</p>	<p>Ellen Brown</p>	<p>Ellen Brown is founder of the Public Banking Institute. An attorney practicing civil litigation in Los Angeles, she turned those skills to an analysis of the Federal Reserve and “the money trust,” showing how this private cartel has usurped the power to create money from the people themselves and how we the people can get it back.</p>	<p>“One would love to see more of this type of banking established across the globe. It is perhaps the panacea for unscrupulous banking and all corporate ills.”</p> <p>“It’s good to know that there are pioneers—like these fine folk—planting seeds of hope and holding up a vision of what is possible. It is a sad commentary on our society that there is only one state-owned depository bank in the U.S. But the fact that one such bank exists is a great plus. It provides a model (a living example) for others to follow. “</p>	<p><u>4</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>

Science	Earth's Schumann resonance hits record high	On 1/31/2017, for the first time in recorded history, the Schumann Resonance reached frequencies of 36+. This is just one of many videos available from Prepare for Change , a website whose mission is to facilitate the creation of a New Society by connecting people, informing them about the true situation on the planet, raising the frequency of consciousness, preparing people for arrests of the negative forces, financial shifts, the disclosure of secret space programs and our true place in the cosmos, and how to maintain a calm and peaceful society during and after these changes, collectively called The EVENT.	The beginnings of scientific validation of the awakening of humanity. We have read in the Bailey books that humanity is about to “mount the Fixed Cross of Discipleship,” “step onto the Path of Return,” and “take the first initiation” as a group. Now science is proving that the shift in consciousness, which marks this event, is already underway.	<u>4</u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u>
Film	Beatriz at Dinner	This film reflects the beauty and kindness of humanity (as well as its ugliness).		<u>4</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u>
World Server	Malala	Malala addresses the House of Commons. More than three years after the government announced its intention to bestow honorary citizenship on Malala, she visits Ottawa for the official ceremony. See also Malala Fund.	The incredible courage, wisdom and clarity of a 19-year-old.	<u>4</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u>
The Least Among Us	Stephen's Children	Our mission is to help save lives, bring hope, and restore dignity to under-privileged children and young people so they may reach their own people. Our team works in the slum and squatting areas of Egypt, seeking to build strong, trusting relationships with the poorest, most vulnerable	This is an inspiring charity amongst the Coptic Christians in Cairo – who are still being persecuted by the fundamentalist Muslims with Church bombings, etc., and are the “favourite prey” of ISIS. And yet their faith and adherence to the teachings of Jesus are upheld with grace and devotion.	<u>4</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u>

		children and their families. We nurture, train, and equip underprivileged children and young people morally, educationally, and spiritually.		
Democracy	Liberty Tree Foundation	<i>Liberty Tree</i> has been central to some of the most important democratic upsurges in the United States of the past decade, including the Wisconsin Uprising of 2011, the movement against Citizens United, and the Ohio Presidential Recount of 2004. In pledging your solidarity, you will become a part of a global network of people informed about and involved in the growing democracy movement in the United States.	This is the umbrella organization behind Democracy Convention	$\frac{4}{14}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Planetary Order	The Planetary System	<i>The Planetary System (TPS)</i> is an idea and project of coordinated cooperation between all who care about planetary development. The model of thought and action is that of the solar and cosmic systems, reflected in Nature, as a source of inspiration and order for all fields of human activity.		$\frac{4}{13}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Sacred Space	Santiago's Bahai' Temple	"Nestled in the rolling topography of the mountains and surrounded by reflecting pools and a landscape of native grasses, this complex-curved temple of light acts as an invitation for spiritual contemplation and architectural pilgrimage..." — architect of the project		$\frac{4}{13}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

Global Synthesis	Institute for Planetary Synthesis	The <i>IPS</i> shall be a global information and connecting link for all progressive forces, working to synthesize the various religions and philosophies of life, as well as political, economic and social conceptions. — IPS Statutes		<u>4</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>
Sharing and Right Relationship	Chronic Homelessness	The chronically homeless are a subset of the homeless population that is often the most vulnerable. These are people who have been living on the streets for more than a year, or four times in the past three years, and who have a "disabling condition" that might include serious mental illness, an addiction or a physical disability or illness. By implementing a model known as Housing First, Utah has reduced the number from nearly 2,000 people in 2005, to fewer than 200 now.		<u>4</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>
Sharing and Right Relationship	Give Directly	Vision: We aim to reshape international giving, making direct transfers to the poor the benchmark against which other, more expensive approaches, are evaluated.	At first, I could not understand what differentiated the “give directly” initiative from other aid agencies but I see they are very targeted, using mobile technology and so reduce organisational overhead. Their openness and clear working model are very refreshing and indicative of the clarity and openness of all in the coming Age of Light.	<u>4</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u>

Food Healing Lives	Urban Organic Gardener	There are so many communities in areas across the USA that are helping small communities grow their own food. Tips are shared, seeds are shared, and instructions are freely given. Spaces abandoned are being refurbished and re-designated community spaces and human beings who had been disenfranchised due to being incarcerated are being trained and employed, giving them purpose and hope as gardeners and tiny-area farmers.		$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>17</u>
Consciousness	Positive Effects of TM Meditation	The Maharishi University of Management has been studying the effects of Group meditation with very encouraging results. The meditators were using TM, however, one surmises that any group meditation would have this effect.	It is so heartening to read these postings, to sense and envision us entering the cave of the heart in meditation, and to realize that we are making a difference in the world.	$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>17</u>
Awakening the Heart	Film: I Daniel Blake	Here in England where Brexit is burning in the soul of the country, I have just seen the film: "I Daniel Blake." It is a most humane and unsentimental view of a man's struggle with bureaucracy and poverty. It has had a great impact in Britain and is awakening the heart to understand others across the divide in this country.	"The heart forces must overcome as the shadow emerges, and this is a film with great heart."	$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>17</u>
Caring	Food for the Hungry	This is a heart-warming story of community groups gathering together to rescue food that would otherwise be composted or thrown out to feed people in need. Loving one another as BEING oneself—naught is but me.		$\frac{4}{8}$ <u>17</u>

<p>Spirituality and Consciousness</p>	<p>Awaken the Species</p>	<p>In the middle of the night on August 2, 2016, Neale Donald Walsch found himself drawn into a new and totally unexpected dialogue with God in which he suddenly faced two questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is the human race being offered help by Highly Evolved Beings from Another Dimension? • Is there a key role that humans are being invited to play in advancing their own evolution by joining in a mutual mission to assist the planet during the critical times ahead? <p>He was told that the answer to both questions is yes. Then he was given examples of 16 behaviors that could change the world.</p>	<p>NDW was told: Now is the time to awaken the species. The timing is perfect.</p>	<p>$\frac{4}{7}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Art and Consciousness</p>	<p>Lavorare per l'Infinito</p>	<p>A play called <i>“Working for Infinity: The spiritual and artistic journey of Nicolas and Helena Roerich”</i>. The project is born of the desire to generate greater knowledge of the life and work of Nikolai and Elena Roerich and the various initiatives they started.</p> <p>The intent is to convey their experiences, their messages and their teaching through a series of events, workshops, and theatrical performances to be held in five Italian cities (Milan, Bologna, Catania, Arezzo, and City della Pieve). The aim is to initiate a dialogue on the new culture and the message of which each of us can be the bearer.</p>		<p>$\frac{4}{6}$ <u>17</u></p>

Living with Less	Minimalism	This film is about How your life might be better with less. <i>MINIMALISM: A DOCUMENTARY ABOUT THE IMPORTANT THINGS</i> examines the many flavors of minimalism by taking the audience inside the lives of minimalists from all walks of life— families, entrepreneurs, architects, artists, journalists, scientists, and even a former Wall Street broker—all of whom are striving to live a meaningful life with less.		$\frac{4}{317}$
Right Human Relations	German protests	Germany protests: Dresden marches against anti-Islamists. About 35,000 people have marched through this German city in protest against recent so-called anti-Islamisation rallies. (Two years ago)		$\frac{4}{117}$
New News	Positive News	Media has a powerful influence on our world. <i>PN</i> believes excessive negativity in the press is destructive for society, and instead they are working to create a more constructive and compassionate media.		$\frac{4}{117}$
Art and Consciousness	Star Dreaming	“I believe my paintings, writings and architectural structures reflect the viewer's own spiritual worlds of wonder and magic back at them. My creations serve to raise consciousness so that we can recognize the divine within and create a better world for us all.” — visionary artist, James Jereb, creator of the Stardreaming temples in Santa Fe, New Mexico	“Very similar to Aboriginal art, inspired from Dreaming ”, which is intended to awaken the human soul. “When one really lives in the spirit, eternally, and sees it in the land and all things, then there is no chance of becoming disconnected from it and truth and morality—for at base all of these are	$\frac{3}{3117}$

			one.” — from “Out of Australia” — a book that explores new theories and hidden histories of the Aboriginal people.	
New Evolutionary Paradigm	News Story Hub	The <i>New Story Hub</i> is a resource centre for anyone engaged in the co-creation of a new evolutionary paradigm. We invite you to participate and to help us accelerate our collective understanding of what might be, what is emerging and what must change, both in us and in the Human Story.	Love this! I've come across Prince Ea before and it's great he's getting wider exposure through the New Story Hub. Everybody Dies but Not Everybody Lives	$\frac{3}{31}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Powerful Ideas/Practical action	Yes! magazine	This article looks at our current political climate with its volatile, scary, and uncertain nature. But maybe the not knowing and the confusion will finally allow us to arrive at a true beginning.	“It appears young people are approaching these tenuous times with a healthy attitude. That in itself is a sign.”	$\frac{3}{31}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Right Human Relations	ABAAD and Middle Eastern Feminism	<i>ABAAD</i> aims to achieve gender equality as an essential condition to sustainable social and economic development in the Middle East and North Africa region. <i>ABAAD</i> seeks to promote equality and active participation through policy development, legal reform, gender mainstreaming,	“‘Halla waata’—now is the time.”	$\frac{3}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

		eliminating discrimination, in addition to supporting the advancement of women and empowering them to participate effectively and fully in their communities.		
<p>Activist for women’s rights, the environment, speaking truth to power</p>	<p>The Mother of All Questions</p>	<p>Rebecca Solnitt: writer, historian and activist, is the author of 20 books, including, most recently, <i>The Mother of All Questions</i>. She is also a columnist at Harper’s magazine. Her most recent piece for <i>The Guardian</i> is titled “Protest and persist: why giving up hope is not an option.” Solnit has worked on environmental and human rights campaigns since the 1980s, notably with the Western Shoshone Defense Project in the early 1990s, as described in her book <i>Savage Dreams</i>, and with antiwar activists throughout the Bush era. She has written about climate change and the work of 350.org and the Sierra Club, and women's rights, especially violence against women.</p>	<p>“Any and all these wonderful people coming into incarnation and into public life to bring in a new order must be Signs of the Coming One. There are probably many and each one we come across is a sign of the great tide sweeping into incarnation.”</p> <p>“There is another America rising and taking action, and it is beautiful.” — Rebecca Solnit</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Meaning of Crop Circles</p>	<p>Crop Circles</p>	<p>The basic question about crop circles: "Do you believe that they have some spiritual or religious significance?"</p> <p>"Not in a Christian Orthodox sense, or any other main religion. In some way, the crop circles can give you a whole new perspective on reality, and why we are here. You can feel at times closer to a universal creator, or GOD if you like, but my personal opinion is that the phenomenon is breaking down the old beliefs, and bringing in new concepts, which gives you a better understanding of reality in general. I wouldn't say it was a new religion, it's just showing us something that has always been there. Whether you tap into it is down to the individual." — Crop Circle Connector</p>	<p>"...symbolic communications from beyond.."</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Climate Change</p>	<p>An Inconvenient Truth -- Sequel</p>	<p><i>"An Inconvenient Sequel: Truth to Power"</i> -- Al Gore's look at the threat of climate change cut through a lot of confusion over what effect the increasing greenhouse gasses in the atmosphere actually had on our planet, managing to shift public opinion and eventually having a major impact on public policy. Now, over a decade on, the former Vice President of the United States is back with a follow-up that shows what's changed since the first movie and making a further push for renewable energy sources.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u></p>

Environmental News	A condition that must be fulfilled	Colorado appeals court says state must protect health and the environment before allowing oil and gas drilling. The court sided with Boulder teen Xiuhtezcatl Martinez and said the protection of public health and the environment is “a condition that must be fulfilled.”		<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>
Nature Conservation	The Xerces Society	Biological diversity and pollination conservation is central to the Xerces Society, an international, nonprofit organization that protects wildlife through the conservation of invertebrates and their habitat. The society takes its name from the now extinct Xerces Blue butterfly (<i>Glaucopsyche xerces</i>), the first butterfly known to go extinct in North America as a result of human activities.	“Conserving the diversity of invertebrates is, after all, the biggest job in the world.” — Robert Michael Pyle, founder	<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>
Nature and the Soul of Humanity	Explore.org	<i>Explore</i> is a multimedia organization that documents leaders around the world who have devoted their lives to extraordinary causes. Both educational and inspirational, <i>Explore</i> creates a portal into the soul of humanity by championing the selfless acts of others. “Explore.org’s Pearls of the Planet mission is to allow people to look at nature up close and	“A possible sign of the times is the proliferation of live internet webcams that allow one to increasingly be anywhere—a growing capacity to be omnipresent. There are a lot of nature webcams that seem to be a popular retreat from our stressful artificial urban lives. My wife brought these to my attention as she is a bird cam addict and spends a lot of	<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>

		personal with the objective of falling in love with the world again." — Charles Annenberg Weingarten, Director.	time following the progress of various nesting birds around the world."	
Webinar	World Peace Youth	<p><i>World Peace Youth</i> is an NGO at the UN, part of the World Peace Prayer Society.</p> <p>World Peace Youth believes the time has come to provide a platform for our young people to have their insightful wisdom and thoughts on world issues heard without the moderation of adults, and not as members of the audience, but where they are the panelist and we are the audience.</p>	<p>This webinar of World Peace Youth will lift your spirits! These are beautiful young people from around the world, meeting via Zoom, to discuss overcoming stereotypes and developing tolerance. The soul—the Christ consciousness—is apparent in in many of them. Their goal is to promote understanding and partnerships through dialogue.</p> <p>One said, "We have to bridge among us and bypass adult experience."</p>	<u>3</u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u>
Environment	Green Wave	Bren Smith , the founder of Greenwave and winner of the 2015 Buckminster Fuller Award, farms not with a tractor but with a boat. His ocean farming system restores the ocean ecosystem, mitigates climate change, creates jobs in a blue-green economy, and ensures another supply of healthy, secure local food.		<u>3</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u>
Serving Others	"Guerilla Humanitarianism"	This non-profit company, Waves for Water , enlists surfers, backpackers, and climbers who are headed to areas without clean water to bring in filters and train locals in their use.	An interesting related video by Dr. Bruce Lipton on the sacredness of water.	<u>3c</u> <u>23</u> <u>17</u>

<p>A New Culture</p>	<p>The Wise Democracy Project</p>	<p><i>The Wise Democracy Project</i> exists to help us envision and co-create a deeply participatory culture that generates policies and activities that support the long-term quality of life.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Business as a Force for Good</p>	<p>The B-Corporation</p>	<p>B the Change Media exists to inform and inspire people who have a passion for using business as a force for good in the world. The B-corporation designation is a new legal entity with just and socially conscious values.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Socially Conscious Vision</p>	<p>Rethinking Our Relationship to the Biosphere</p>	<p>In this Bioneers video, Kim Stanley champions the Eco-system and a sustainable, just civilization. This speech was given at the 2015 Bioneers Annual Conference.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>22</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Conscious Business</p>	<p>The Consciousness Business Declaration</p>	<p><i>The Conscious Business Declaration is A New Standard for Business in the 21st Century.</i> “As a global community of business leaders, we are committed to developing the awareness and skills needed to consciously evolve our organizations in alignment with these principles...</p> <p># 1. We Are One with humanity and all of life. Business and all institutions of the human community are integral parts of a single reality—interrelated, interconnected and interdependent...”</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Toward Unity</p>	<p>Thousands Rally for a United Europe</p>	<p>Thousands of people have joined rallies across Germany and other European countries to show support for the idea of a united Europe.</p> <p>The weekly protests began last year as an attempt to counter growing nationalist sentiment on the continent. Protesters in Berlin, Frankfurt, Cologne and dozens of other locations danced, sang and waved the EU flag—12 stars on a blue background — during the rallies last Sunday. The protests are organized on social media by a group calling itself Pulse of Europe.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Healthy Society</p>	<p>Norway, #1 in World Happiness</p>	<p>Norway Ranks World's Happiest Country (In U.S., happiness is falling and Republican priorities stand to make it worse...) This report gives evidence that “happiness is a result of creating strong social foundations,” Sachs said to the <i>Associated Press</i>. "It's time to build social trust and healthy lives, not guns or walls.”</p>	<p>“The fifth edition of the World Happiness Report ranks Norway #1. Headline in Common Dreams: “Caring for the Common Good Wins: Norway Ranks World’s Happiest Country”</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Spiritual Sightings</p>	<p>500 Years of Marian apparitions</p>	<p>MiracleHunter.com keeps a catalog of Marian sightings. The map shows where the sightings have been reported, and how they've been classified by the church. You can read about how the Virgin Mary has become the world's most powerful woman in <i>National Geographic’s</i> latest cover story.</p>	<p>“An interesting map of Marian apparitions and miracles that shows that these are more prevalent now than ever.”</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Art</p>	<p>Chinese artist evokes the plight of refugees</p>	<p>For several years, Ai's work has sought to focus on the plight of refugees fleeing the Middle East and North Africa for Europe, including installing a grand piano at the Idomeni camp on the Greek-Macedonian border. The artist also has released a film focusing on the migrant crisis.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Right Human Relations</p>	<p>Clowns Without Borders</p>	<p>Clowns Without Borders offers laughter to relieve the suffering of all persons, especially children, who live in areas of crisis including refugee camps, conflict zones and territories in situations of emergency. We bring levity, contemporary clown/circus-oriented performances and workshops into communities so they can celebrate together and forget for a moment the tensions that darken their daily lives. We also seek to raise our society's awareness of affected populations and to promote a spirit of solidarity.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Politics, Choice and Public Opinion</p>	<p>The Psychology of the Populist Persona</p>	<p>The rise of populist leaders and retrogressive movements around the world gives humanity the opportunity to distinguish qualities, morals, and values. There exists a wide radius of choices with which to align. For one example, the persona of the president of the United States now occupying the world stage highlights the values governing the current world system, enabling people to distinguish and choose right from wrong. The benefit for humanity lies in the realm of conscious choice.</p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Progressive Forces Elected</p>	<p>WA Election</p>	<p>Western Australia follows in the footsteps of Holland. The Labor Party with progressive ideas defeats the climate-denying, anti-Muslim conservative coalition as part of a swing against retrogressive forces.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Economics/ Social Transformation</p>	<p>FairEx Barter System</p>	<p><i>FairEx</i> is a new secure barter/payment system that is being set up on a communally owned basis. It was invented by Win Keech, who describes it as a ‘hybrid’ trading system intended to be an alternative to the existing debt-based global financial system. “FairEx Barter System; the History and Back-Story of the Babylonian Money System”.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Community Outreach</p>	<p>Muslim refugees (Eddie baba of Iran)</p>	<p>Hoodline highlights the stories of Bay Area people who arrived as refugees from one of the seven predominantly Muslim countries affected by President Trump’s immigration ban. Quasi Bonie of Syria.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Changing Minds on Food Waste</p>	<p>Denmark’s Food Waste vigilante</p>	<p>Food waste is a massive global problem: the EU alone throws away 88 million tons a year. Much of this ends up in landfill and produces dangerous greenhouse gases which contribute to climate change. In Denmark, where 53% of food waste comes from households, one woman has made it her mission to stop Danes throwing away food. In the video we travel to Copenhagen to meet Selina Juul, a key part of Denmark’s food waste revolution. One person changing the entire mentality of Denmark.</p>	<p>Also the ‘hub rescuing food’ is an excellent initiative and should be happening everywhere.</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Alternative Economics</p>	<p>Steve Keen Gustavo Tanaka</p>	<p>Steve Keen is an Australian economist and author. Steve Tanaka is an entrepreneur and founder of The Global Future of Work. Both argue that the modern model of economics is invalid and both are people who are thinking alternatively. The YouTube on Steve Keen was posted by RenegadeInc.com which offers an alternative perspective on business, leadership, economics, education and the arts.</p>		<p><u>3</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Protecting our Environment for Future Generations</p>	<p>Earth-justice.org</p>	<p><i>Earthjustice</i> pursues three key goals to secure a just, flourishing world:</p> <p>THE WILD: protect the magnificent natural spaces and wildlife we have inherited from previous generations. Earthjustice enforces laws to protect what we know to be irreplaceable wildlife and wild places, for this and future generations.</p> <p>HEALTHY COMMUNITIES: a future where children can breathe clean air, no matter where they live; where products in our homes are free of toxic chemicals; and where all communities are safer, healthier places to live and work.</p> <p>CLEAN ENERGY & A HEALTHY CLIMATE: strengthen the rise of clean energy, laying the groundwork for the systemic change we must see. At stake is nothing less than our children’s—and our planet’s—future.</p>	<p>Brilliant!</p> <p>And here’s a great Human Rights lawyer, Geoffrey Robertson, who runs the largest Human rights practice in Europe:</p> <p>http://www.abc.net.au/lateline/content/2015/s4467828.htm and http://www.geoffreyrobertson.com/</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Social Change based on Oneness</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Humanity's Team</u></p>	<p><i>Humanity's Team</i> is a global spiritual movement whose purpose is to embody the timeless truth of Oneness -- essential for responding to the world's most chronic and acute challenges, and vital for creating a sustainable world of peace and harmony. We believe Oneness is the energy of love that lies within and connects all of life, allowing us to recognize ourselves in everything.</p> <p>Supported by our profound respect for <u>conscious business</u>, cultural diversity and responsibility for all of life, we pledge to transform the face of humanity in one generation through living our lives with purpose, each being a loving presence, developing heart-centered personal transformation and leadership programs, and the mindful use of 5 Steps to Peace.</p>	<p>“This is a big one! Aquarian consciousness becoming anchored in the business world through "a passion for seeing business become "the most powerful engine on Earth for creating prosperity and flourishing for all.”</p> <p>“Thank you for this uplifting focus on business with a social conscience. There are possibly thousands of similar initiatives around the world. Here are some examples from my region:</p> <p>https://www.koskela.com.au/social-enterprise/ https://wildtimorcoffee.com/pages/about https://boomshankar.com.au/pages/about-us</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Conscious Capitalism</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>The New Breed</u></p>	<p><i>The New Breed</i> is a cinematic feature film documenting the rise of a new type of businessperson — The Social Entrepreneur.</p> <p>The film features the journey of three compelling change-makers as they seek to help those in need, following their path from business plan to impact delivery. It captures the rollercoaster ride of hardships and breakthroughs all change-makers face when bringing new ideas to life and tests the world’s readiness to embrace this new form of ‘conscious capitalism’.</p>	<p>“It's about young social entrepreneurs who are seeking to create businesses that help those in need. They are of the generation of ‘the millennials’ (aka Indigos, Crystals, etc.). Many of them find their soul’s purpose at a young age.”</p> <p>“Another inspiring story is that of <u>Mohktar</u> building bridges between high-end consumers and Yemenite farmers.”</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Corporate Responsibility</p>	<p>Peet's Coffee</p>	<p><i>Peet's</i> wants customers to know that coffee can change lives. "The longevity of the relationship stems from the superior quality of their beans, and also because of the care they show for the environment, their workers and the surrounding community." — Doug Welsh, VP of coffee and 'Roast master' for Peet's.</p> <p>Its latest effort, People and Planet, features curated coffees that highlight the brand's heritage of working collaboratively with farming communities. The line includes nine coffees, such as Guatemala San Sebastián, a sharp and sweet blend that comes from the Fallas farm in Guatemala's Antigua Valley.</p>	<p>"Corporate responsibility reflects the new consciousness."</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Festival of Light</p>	<p>Vivid Sydney</p>	<p>Vivid Sydney is a festival of light, music, and ideas. Vivid Light transforms Sydney into a wonderland of 'light art' sculptures, innovative light installations and grand-scale projections for all to enjoy—for free. It is a magical celebration of light-design excellence and the world's largest outdoor 'art-gallery': a unique Vivid Sydney experience. Vivid Light engages lighting artists, designers and manufacturers from around Australia and the world to illuminate, interpret and transform Sydney's urban spaces through their creativity.</p>	<p>"A wonderful festival to celebrate Light, held at around the time of the Wesak festival.</p> <p>"The Tibetan Master DK had said the Aquarian age will be one of light and synthesis."</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Entertainment for the Soul</p>	<p>The Shack</p>	<p><i>The Shack</i> is a movie based on the novel of the same name. It a profound story of faith, love, and restoring trust in God.</p>	<p>“A movie that teaches about unconditional love, non-judgement and forgiveness, transformation and trust. It is closely aligned with the teachings of the Ageless Wisdom and <i>Course in Miracles</i>. It has the potential to be instructive and healing.”</p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>17</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Politics</p>	<p>Netherlands Election</p>	<p>The Dutch Trump, Geert Wilders, who was leading in the Netherlands' election race right up to the last moment, was just defeated. Wilders had promised to close all mosques, pull the Netherlands out of the EU and ban the Koran. After Brexit and Trump, the whole world was watching to see if the far-right would continue its alarming rise. But in the end, the Dutch people struck a beautiful blow against Trumpism. The tide just turned against the global spread of fascist politics.</p>	<p>“On March 15th the Dutch delivered a vote of confidence in the competent centre—despite a last-minute diplomatic clash with Turkey that featured riots in Rotterdam and wild allegations from Erdogan, Turkey’s president. After the Netherlands blocked Turkish ministers from visiting to campaign for a Turkish referendum among Turkish-Dutch dual citizens, Mr. Erdogan called the Netherlands a “Nazi remnant”, barred its ambassador and bizarrely accused the Dutch of the massacres of Bosnian Muslims in Srebrenica in 1995.” — <i>The Economist</i></p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Compassion in Entertainment</p>	<p>Come From Away</p>	<p>A new Canadian-made Broadway musical, “<i>Come From Away</i>,” tells the story of the compassion and kindness that Newfoundlanders showed to strangers from all over the globe during 9/11, when no planes were allowed to land in the U.S. and many those in the air landed in Canada. “<i>Come From Away</i>” has taken on a new and arguably more important message in the current U.S. climate, where doors are</p>	<p>“On Sept. 11, 2001, thousands of Americans became instant refugees, and Canadians took them in, as told in the new Broadway musical “<i>Come From Away</i>.” Opening arms to those in need is a message some say has been lost in the U.S.” — <i>CBS News</i></p>	<p><u>3</u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u></p>

		starting to close for those stranded and in need.	“It was a time when Americans were refugees, and they were there by the grace of God.”	
Animal Rights	IFAW	<i>IFAW</i> , the International Fund for Animal Welfare, was founded in Canada in 1969 and in the UK in 1981. The International Fund for Animal Welfare saves individual animals, animal populations and habitats all over the world. With projects in more than 40 countries, IFAW's vision is a world where animals are respected and protected.		$\frac{3}{14}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Animal-Human Relations	Kedi (Cats)	<i>Kedi</i> is a new film about the hundreds of thousands of Turkish cats that roam the metropolis of Istanbul freely. For thousands of years they've wandered in and out of people's lives, becoming an essential part of the communities that make the city so rich. Claiming no owners, the cats of Istanbul live between two worlds, neither wild nor tame—and they bring joy and purpose to those people they choose to adopt. In Istanbul, cats are mirrors to the people, allowing them to reflect on their lives in ways nothing else could.	“This new film called “ <i>Kedi</i> ” (Cats) beautifully captures the flow of planetary love through the kingdoms: from the 5th through the 4th and into the 3rd. It is an amazing story of hundreds of thousands of cats which co-habit the streets of Istanbul with the humans who lovingly take care of them. Subtly filled with awareness of divinity and of the highest and best in the human soul, <i>Kedi</i> reveals how love for and from the animal kingdom heals humans, and also how humans become conscious mediators of love from the 5th kingdom. It is a heart-opening film that seems to make a wider pathway for the Coming One.”	$\frac{3}{14}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Right Human Relations	Anti-hate activism	Valarie Kaur, a civil rights lawyer, delivers a moving speech and passionately calls for an end to hate in America.	“Breathe and push: Sikh-American civil rights advocate Valarie Kaur's plea to her country in the times of Donald J. Trump.”	$\frac{3}{9}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

<p style="text-align: center;">Physics, Consciousness and Healing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Attivismo Quantico Europeo (European Quantum Activism)</p>	<p><i>A.Q.E.: Attivismo Quantico Europeo</i> (European Quantum Activism) is an organization that applies the principles and discoveries of Quantum Physics to the development of consciousness and to the healing of mankind and planet. Besides organizing conferences and seminars to sensitize people on these themes, the members meet "subjectively" on given dates to invoke light and healing for our fellow humans and for the whole life of the planet. The president of <i>A.Q.E.</i> is professor Giacchino Pagliaro, of the Bologna Bellaria Hospital.</p>		$\frac{3}{11}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
<p style="text-align: center;">United Nations</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sustainable Development Goals</p>	<p><i>The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)</i>, otherwise known as the Global Goals, are a universal call to action to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity. Building a Sustainable Future Requires Leadership from State and Citizen.</p>	<p>“Consider the vision of future possibilities being explored at the United Nations as global negotiations continue for the design of a new set of Sustainable Development Goals.” — Lucis Trust</p>	$\frac{3}{11}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

<p>Human-Animal Collaboration</p>	<p>The music of nature shared in silence</p>	<p>Gregory Colbert's Ashes and Snow is an ongoing project comprised of photographic artworks, a one-hour film and two short film “haikus,” and a novel in letters all presented in a purpose-built temporary structure called the Nomadic Museum. Colbert believes that there is a shared desire for all species to participate in one universal conversation. He sees nature as the greatest storyteller of all and himself as an apprentice to nature. His works are collaborations between humans and other animals that express the shared poetic sensibilities of all species.</p>	<p>“In exploring the shared language and poetic sensibilities of all animals, I am working towards rediscovering the common ground that once existed when people saw themselves as part of nature and not outside of it. The destiny of whales cannot be separated from the destiny of man, and the destiny of man cannot be separated from the destiny of all of nature. I am exploring new narratives that help build a bridge across the artificial boundaries we have established between ourselves and other species.” — Gregory Colbert</p>	<p>$\frac{3}{11}$ $\frac{11}{17}$</p>
<p>Revelations from the Animal Kingdom</p>	<p>Rare Snow Monkeys of Shangri-La</p>	<p>This nature video transports you into a realm of beauty and kindness in the land of the Tibetans. It is a hymn to the animal kingdom created by sensitive human beings who treasure natural life. One of the most intriguing elements of the film is what it tells us about the instinct to kindness. We often think of animal instinct as primitive, tending toward brutality, in spite of all that has been revealed over the years about elephants and other advanced species. In this film there is kindness, tenderness, and something quite like compassion for a little monkey left on his own to survive. And there is something akin to forgiveness.</p>	<p>“Much learning about love from our animal brethren.”</p>	<p>$\frac{3}{10}$ $\frac{10}{17}$</p>
<p>Role of Electricity in Space</p>	<p>Thunderbolts Project</p>	<p>The Thunderbolts Project is an effort to introduce humanity to a new paradigm of the nature of the universe. By scientifically</p>		<p>$\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{8}{17}$</p>

		demonstrating the role of electricity in space, they are attempting to reveal the interconnectedness of all life in the physical universe. They seek to become “a voice for the electric universe.”		
Meditation in Education	Teaching mindfulness in schools	In 2014 Opening Minds delivered an eight-week mindfulness program into four Nelson, Australia Primary Schools. Jaime, the director, talks about how mindfulness helps children and teachers to focus their attention and bring about a greater capacity for emotional wellbeing. Opening Minds was contracted by the Mental Health Foundation of Australia to deliver this project.	<p>“It’s wonderful to see this practice spreading among children. It occurred to me that they are getting in touch with an aspect of higher self—the self that lies behind the persona. It’s like a doorway into soul awareness.”</p> <p>“Mindfulness is being taught at many schools in British Columbia where I live and across Canada. Even senior executives are practicing.”</p>	$\frac{3}{8}$ <u>17</u>
Movie with a Message	A Dog's Purpose	An excellent way of getting the message of reincarnation out to a general audience.	<p>“I went to the movies yesterday, and before the movie was a trailer for a movie called “A Dog’s purpose”. The storyline is about a dog who keeps reincarnating into different dogs, and keeps asking himself “What is the meaning of Life, and are we here for a reason?” As I was watching the Trailer I thought what a great way to get the message about reincarnation out to millions of people. Even if they don’t see the full movie, just the trailer is getting the message out there. (Over 11 million people have watched the trailer on YouTube and who knows how many are seeing it in cinemas).”</p>	$\frac{3}{7}$ <u>17</u>

<p>Social Enterprise (Canada)</p>	<p>Darzee</p>	<p>A Sewing program helps Canadian newcomers stitch together their new lives.</p> <p><i>Darzee</i> (in Hindu Darzi means tailor) is a social enterprise program that teaches women refugees sewing, marketing and the craft of entrepreneurship. Women learn to become independent business owners through an eight-week program organized in part by the nonprofit organization <i>Mes Amis Canada</i> (My Friends Canada). Participants are from Syria, Iraq, Egypt, Pakistan and other countries.</p>	<p>“It’s so uplifting and it contains several more links that are equally uplifting.”</p>	<p>$\frac{3}{6}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Preparing the Way</p>	<p>The Message of a New Story</p>	<p>This is a Ted talk that reconciles Science and Religion within the construct of Reality, pointing to a new future for humanity, showing how a meaningful, evidence-based view of reality can inspire people of diverse backgrounds and beliefs to work together in service of a just and thriving future for all.</p>	<p>“Two friends who have been 'on the road' for several years spreading the message of the new story and bringing spirituality into churches.... Worth noting their work as part of 'preparing the way'.</p>	<p>$\frac{3}{3}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Goodwill and Community</p>	<p>All that we share</p>	<p>This ad by the Danish government went viral when it appeared. It represents the sensibility, sense of community and strength of the Danish people and can be seen as a resource for the world in right human relations and goodwill.</p>	<p>“What an amazing video. As an American living in Denmark, this video reflects the Danish spirit and sensibility which I consider a resource for the rest of the world. Everyone has a strength and Denmark's sense of community (even though most Danes deny they have it—after all "fish are the last to recognise water") is tangible. This video has the spirit, [and insight.”</p>	<p>$\frac{2}{26}$ <u>17</u></p>

<p>Women Organizing</p>	<p>She Decides</p>	<p>In Response to Trump signing an executive order barring American aid to international organizations that discuss abortion with their clients as a family-planning option, Lilianne Ploumen, 54, minister of foreign trade and development cooperation in the Netherlands, established a nongovernmental organization. She Decides raises money for aid groups whose funding is threatened under the new order. The Dutch ministry announced a donation of 10 million euros to She Decides, and Belgium and Denmark followed with matching grants.</p>		<p><u>2</u> <u>23</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Gender Equality</p>	<p>Ascent of Woman</p>	<p>A groundbreaking four-part documentary series on the history of women. Dr. Amanda Foreman travels from east to west, including Russia, Britain, France and the United States, as she asks whether any of the modern revolutions actually delivered on their promises to women. Dr. Foreman argues that women have played an indispensable role, only to have their hopes betrayed as one patriarchal hierarchy is replaced by another. The remedy, she claims, is to create a different kind of revolution that isn't about winners and losers but is about equal participants.</p>	<p>“Breaking the mold...the future of humanity depends on the future of women.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>20</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Healing Abusive Relations</p>	<p>Story of rape and reconciliation</p>	<p>In 1996, Thordis Elva had a teenage romance with Tom Stranger, an exchange student from Australia. After a school dance and a lot of alcohol, Tom raped Thordis, after which they parted ways for many years. In this extraordinary talk, Elva and Stranger move through a years-long chronology of shame, silence, and reconciliation, inviting us to discuss the omnipresent global issue of sexual violence in a new, honest way.</p>	<p>“The topic may appear confronting – but the way it is addressed is deeply heartening. The journey of the man and woman involved is subtly revelatory and upliftingly honest, perceptive and courageous. I feel they are now ‘stable reeds, two among many, bearing the light of the Coming One.’”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>19</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>People Power for Good</p>	<p>Thousands call on Spain to welcome more refugees</p>	<p>Protesters heeded a call by Ada Colau, the mayor of Spain's second city, Barcelona, who urged residents to "fill the streets" on Saturday to highlight the Madrid government's failure to accept its share of refugees. Colau has put forward a plan to allow Barcelona, the capital of the wealthy northeastern region of Catalonia, to resettle migrants from Syria, Iraq, Afghanistan and Eritrea.</p>	<p>“Politicians are doing nothing...it is up to people” — a protestor</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>The Soul and a New World</p>	<p>Society for Enhancement of Quality of Life (SEQL)</p>	<p><i>Society for Enhancement of Quality of Life (SEQL)</i> is a non-profit, registered charity in Canada. It provides educational programs to increase the awareness and expression of the qualities of soul and the strength of group soul, to reveal the One Life, and to help people live more effectively in their everyday lives in order to bring a finer aspect of Life to the New World Community.</p>	<p>“We see our task in SEQL as helping the shift to the New World Community. We recognize that many people are devoted to old ideals that have proven satisfactory in the past; they need sensitive words to reveal the positive possibilities of new ideals. By living as a field, becoming one energy field with those around us, we can come in contact with the finest, most encompassing ideals our consciousness can touch, as well as the thoughts and words to manifest those ideals in practical, everyday terms. This is our learning and our emerging purpose in SEQL, a natural consequence of our years of training in meditation, group awareness and service.” — President, SEQL</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>18</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Ageless Wisdom and Government</p>	<p>Wisdom at Work and World Government Summit</p>	<p><i>Wisdom at Work</i> partners with local wisdom keepers and special gatherings of groups from communities and organizations around the globe. <i>WAW</i> is dedicated to developing and renewing organizational cultures and communities in which extra-ordinary levels of inspired leadership, cooperation, synergy, collective intelligence, and change resilience can thrive.</p> <p>Each year the <i>World Government Summit</i> meets, including leaders from 200 countries who gather to explore the complexities, challenges, opportunities, joys, and sorrows,</p>	<p>“It's been a profoundly heartening gathering and sense of global learning community with a sense of great openness, mutual respect, celebration of diversity, and deep valuing of wisdom, humanity, and human potentials for our lives on this precious planet—and beyond. We look forward to sharing more glimpses and quotes from this extraordinary gathering once we have an opportunity to distill our experience here...”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u></p>

		dreadful and inspiring potentials that are all present in our lives and world.	— Joel and Michelle Levey, founders, <i>Wisdom at Work</i> , attending the 2017 <i>World Government Summit</i> in Dubai	
Universal Spirituality	Hechal	<p><i>Hechal's</i> main mission is to anchor the concept and principles of Universal Spirituality and Right Relations in Jerusalem, primarily by facilitating the experience of them through meditation.</p> <p>The Centre provides a complete and structured training program of Meditation for beginners and advanced students. Training in Psychosynthesis is offered as a transpersonal self-development tool. We also participate in several global meditation initiatives as a service to Humanity.</p>	“On the recognition of the sacredness of each person and the oneness of humanity, peace is built.” — <i>Hechal</i> team	<u>2</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u>
Meditation & Spiritual Growth Center	Community of Living Ethics	<p><i>The Community of Living Ethics</i> is a non-religious cultural association in Umbria, Italy.</p> <p>All activities are inspired by the study and application of the principles of Living Ethics. The Community was founded in 1981 by Sergio Bartoli and a group of co-workers as a Centre for Creative Meditation.</p>	“I am overwhelmed by the wealth of programs offered, both in sheer volume and diversity, and the note that is consistently sounded—of developing the new consciousness in preparation for the new civilization/world.”	<u>2</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u>
News Story on Spirituality	Choosing my religion:	“You can be sure that the ‘God-shaped hole’ won’t be filled by mere consumption. Which	“This is an article in <i>The Guardian</i> about the eclecticism/universality of	

	spirituality in the pick-and-mix age	<p>highlights perhaps the most difficult message from the wisdom of past ages to the freedom of the present. Search, test, listen, discern, enjoy. Do! But at some point, to know life in all its fullness, you have to commit.”</p> <p>— from “Choosing my religion” by Mike Vernon</p>	<p>the contemporary spiritual search. From another angle it is a story that contains seeds of the New World Religion. It struck me as a Sign because of the degree to which this search (to fill what the author refers to as a “God-shaped hole”) seems to have become mainstream.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Human Rights</p>	<p>Amnesty International</p>	<p><i>Amnesty International</i> is a non-governmental organisation that was founded in London in 1961 and works to promote human rights all over the world. <i>Amnesty</i> has 207,000 members in the UK and over 7 million members globally. <i>AI</i> investigates and exposes the facts, whenever and wherever abuses happen, and lobbies governments and other powerful groups such as corporations, to make sure they keep their promises and respect international law.</p> <p>By telling the powerful stories of the people it works with, <i>AI</i> mobilizes millions of supporters around the world to campaign for change and to stand in defense of activists on the frontline. It supports people to claim their rights through education and training.</p>	<p>"Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere." — Martin Luther King</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>12</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Astronomy/ Astrophysics</p>	<p>Massive Light producing gas ball</p>	<p>A massive light 3.8 billion light-years away is baffling scientists. It outshines our entire Galaxy by 50 times.</p>	<p>It is truly mind-bending, heart-opening, and extraordinarily humbling. It puts everything into perspective, and to me is a most promising sign of the Coming Oneness!</p> <p>Note: The number 10 stands for perfected man in the wisdom teachings. The LIGHT SOURCE in the video has a 10-mile radius.</p> <p>“Science is broadening our horizons.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>11</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Women’s March</p>	<p>The Politics of Care</p>	<p>“The Women’s Marches across America and the world were peaceful, family-oriented, and cooperative. They required energy and effort, along with the devotion to travel, gather, and march. The marches had a single, overwhelmingly positive focus: care. Care is the hallmark of what women give to their families day after day. Not that men don’t, but it is care that we rightfully associate with taking care of a family. The women who marched understood instinctively that America is their family and that the world is their community. America was founded on the idea that citizens care about their fellow citizens and that they contribute through their government to provide resources for the benefit and fulfillment of all. Democracy is more than voting. Democracy and citizenship require us to care about each other.”</p>	<p>“Without care there is no democracy.” — George Lakoff</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>8</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Uncommon News Agency</p>	<p>Common Dreams</p>	<p><i>Common Dreams’</i> Mission: To inform. To inspire. To ignite change for the common good. Common Dreams has been providing breaking news & views for the progressive community since 1997. CD is independent, non-profit, advertising—free and 100% reader supported.</p>	<p>“Some really encouraging news (Seattle divesting billions from Wells Fargo) may represent a turning of the tide.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>8</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Bridging Consciousness</p>	<p>The Green Pen</p>	<p>“This website (<i>TGP</i>) is a personal soapbox, a place for me to express thoughts and feelings, musings and rants, reflections and recollections; to have fun with words—about things spiritual, environmental, social, political, economic, and, from time to time, personal.” — Founder, Mike Abkin</p>	<p>“The article: A Time of Profound Change is an example of the kind of ‘bridging people’ who are out there serving through this transition. This man does not appear to have any esoteric knowledge but he has much wisdom and loving understanding and he conveys a level of trust in the unfolding future (Plan) as someone who knows deep within that all is well.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>8</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>New Economics</p>	<p>Blockchain technology</p>	<p>TOWARD A SHARING ECONOMY:</p> <p>Globalization failed too many people. Here’s the revolutionary technology that could help it work for everyone. The co-authors of Blockchain are Alex Tapscott of Northwest Passage Ventures and Karen Gifford of Ripple, Inc.</p> <p>The blockchain was developed as the enabling technology behind crypto currencies like Bitcoin. It is capable of carrying not just information but also anything of value. Money, titles, deeds,</p>	<p>“The world is in the throes of great change, and we intend to do our part to ensure that our contribution to that change is positive. The time is now and we need your help.” — Alex Tapscott</p> <p>“It is very Aquarian in nature. A definite sign and a 'magnetic seed' of the future.”</p> <p>“Of course the answer isn't technology it is a change of consciousness, and what we are seeing is a movement</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>7</u> <u>17</u></p>

		votes, and intellectual property can be moved, stored, and managed securely and privately. Trust is not dependent upon powerful intermediaries like banks and governments, but on consensus, cryptography, collaboration and clever code.	towards global-mindedness alongside local community regeneration and spirit. We as people need to construct bridges that ensure our basic needs can be met as new modes of community and society take shape. It's an Aquarian labour!"	
Women as Peacemakers	Karuna Center for Peace Building	<i>Karuna Center</i> is supporting local villages to begin the process of calling their rebel combatants home and holding ceremonies to reintegrate them into their communities. This process not only removes barriers to peace at the local level—it also puts pressure on rebel leaders to negotiate in good faith.	"Women are leading the way for peace"	$\frac{2}{6}$ <u>17</u>
Canada – Right Human Relations	Canada, Leading the Free World	OTTAWA—"The U.S. President's harsh travel ban reflects a global pattern. All around the world, countries are slamming the doors shut. One great exception: Canada. It may now be the finest example of the values of the Statue of Liberty. This isn't just because Canadian leaders are particularly enlightened, although there's some of that. It's mostly because the Canadian people themselves remain astonishingly hospitable, with many groups clamoring for more Syrian refugees."	"Diversity and right human relations...so important" "Thank you, Canada," Omar al-Omar, a Syrian who was shot at age 15 as the war started, said to me at a center here where refugees are getting lessons in English and in Canadian habits (such as excruciating politeness), "I'm very happy. I feel welcome."	$\frac{2}{5}$ <u>17</u>

<p>Human Shields</p>	<p>Canadians form 'rings of peace' around mosques after Quebec shooting</p>	<p>Hundreds across Canada gathered around mosques to form protective barriers – described by organisers as “human shields” and “rings of peace”—as Muslims in the country marked their first Friday prayers since a gunman shot dead six men who were praying at a Quebec mosque.</p>	<p>“It appears that Canada is leading the way toward right human relations!”</p> <p>“The Law of Sacrifice and goodwill in action.”</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Movement for Corporate Social Responsibility</p>	<p>CSR</p>	<p>CSR is defined as a business outlook that acknowledges responsibilities to stakeholders beyond shareholders, including suppliers, customers, and employees as well as local and international communities in which the business operates and the natural environment. The CSR movement represents a growing awareness that the actions organizations take have unintended consequences outside the business, and the business has a responsibility to address them.</p> <p>Thanks to Donald Trump, Corporate Social Responsibility Just Became Mainstream</p>	<p>“So we thank you, President Trump. With the stroke of a pen, you’ve roused the sleeping corporate giant—and corporate social responsibility may never be the same.” — Reed Bundy, founder of Ethostrategies, an organization that helps companies build, implement and scale strategic corporate social responsibility programs.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Children’s Rights</p>	<p>Plan International UK</p>	<p>Taking action for children's rights for over 75 years, <i>Plan International UK</i> is a children’s charity that strives to advance children’s rights and equality for girls all over the world. Plan International recognises the power and potential of every single child, encouraging and helping children take an active role in finding solutions to their problems and realising their rights and their full potential.</p>	<p>"We will only be able to achieve sustainable development and gender equality by forming new and innovative partnerships across different sectors," writes Plan International CEO, Anne-Birgitte Albrechtsen, ahead of the World Economic Forum in Davos this week.</p>	<p><u>2</u> <u>1</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Standing with Muslim Citizens</p>	<p>Canada's Prime Minister</p>	<p>Justin Trudeau sends a global message: “Muslims, we stand with you.”</p> <p>In this video, the prime minister offers a message of solidarity with the Muslim community following a deadly attack on a mosque in Québec City. Trudeau offered his unwavering support to the Canadian Muslim community, saying: ‘We will defend you. We will love you and we will stand with you.’</p>	<p>“A statement of wholehearted support and love for the Muslim community of Canada from Prime Minister Justin Trudeau. He is the mirror opposite of the current occupant of the White House.”</p> <p>“60 Republican lawmakers have expressed reservations or declined to fully support Trump's immigration ban.” — PRI The Takeaway</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{30}$ $\frac{17}{17}$</p>
<p>Speaking Truth to Power</p>	<p>Association of National Park Rangers (US)</p>	<p>Former Director Jon Jarvis made this statement about recent events involving the National Park Service: “I have been watching the Trump administration trying unsuccessfully to suppress the National Park Service with a mix of pride and amusement. The NPS is the steward of America’s most important places and the narrator of our most powerful stories, told authentically, accurately, and built upon scientific and scholarly research. The Park Ranger is a trusted interpreter of our complex natural and cultural history and a voice that cannot be suppressed.”</p>	<p>“What a beacon of clarity and love is this wonderful man”</p> <p>“Thank you, Director Jarvis! Your Rangers have helped motivate me to fight for common sense and common decency. I have enormous respect for all of you!”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{29}$ $\frac{17}{17}$</p>

<p>People Who Inspire Others</p>	<p>Australian of the Year Award</p>	<p><i>The Australian of the Year Awards</i> are about recognising amazing Australian stories that deserved to be told. Each year Australia celebrates the achievement and contribution of eminent Australians by profiling leading citizens who are role models for us all. They inspire us through their achievements and challenge us to make our own contribution to creating a better Australia. The Awards honour an exceptional group of highly-respected Australians who ignite discussion and change on issues of national importance.</p>	<p>“The recipients of these awards are more human-focused and their work is incredibly inspiring. They are all very humble and dedicated and are an inspiration to us all here. Anyone can nominate someone and the awards are announced on our national day each year—26th January. In these turbulent times it is heartening to know of the self-sacrificing work of such fellow human beings.”</p>	<p><u><u>1</u></u> <u>29</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>A Story</p>		<p>“A dear friend now living in Santa Fe, visited with us recently. I came to know her through an event that took place in New York City in 1981 at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine called “The Earth Community: A Coming of Age.” She introduced me at that time to the Center for Peace through Culture, inspired by the ideas of Nicholas Roerich, through which I came to know about Agni Yoga. She studied AY for a time but gravitated toward Buddhism. For the last few decades she has been a performance artist and a peace activist, involved in several networks related to the Middle East and in the creation of a Department of Peace in New Mexico.</p> <p>While she was here, there was a breakthrough moment that may be a Sign. She has always had strong resistance to the idea of a Spiritual Hierarchy,</p>	<p>Story, continued:</p> <p>“Her whole demeanor changed as she said this. I could see a hopefulness in her eyes. On some level, a new bridge in consciousness came into being.”</p> <p>“How rewarding and joyful to see this recognition in a friend!”</p> <p>” ...I can easily empathize with your joy for your old friend coming closer to your vision of the present times. I believe that this kind of joy is connected with the manifestation of the Law of Affinity, which works through us whenever we contact a kindred soul.”</p>	<p><u><u>1</u></u> <u>28</u> <u>17</u></p>

		stemming from her youth as a Catholic. But in light of the darkness confronting us with the new presidency, she was open to hearing about the Externalization of the Hierarchy. Not only open, but able to sense the awesome possibilities for humanity—to have enlightened leaders among us. She said, “This is really important for me to know right now because people are going to be asking me what comes next.”		
Archeology	Ancient Egyptian Chamber unearthed with artifacts dating back to 10,000 B.C.	See the video of a history-changing discovery by pyramid expert, Dr. Carmen Boulter, who was the director-producer of the documentary, “The Pyramid Code”. The carbon dating of the artifacts raises all kinds of important questions about our ancient history. Boulter suspects that this find could point to the Amarna lineage which may have been royals from Atlantis.	New discoveries of Egyptian culture in Turkey.” — The foundation for “the New Atlantis” now emerging!	<u>1</u> <u>27</u> <u>17</u>
Protecting Democracy	70’ banner with the word RESIST appears to hang from a construction crane over the White House	“People in this country are ready to resist and rise up in ways they have never done before,” commented Karen Topakian, chair of Greenpeace’s board, who also climbed the crane to help unfurl the banner. “While Trump’s disdain and disrespect for our democratic institutions scare me, I am so inspired by the multigenerational movement of progress that is growing in every state.” — http://www.commondreams.org/news/2017/01/25/call-arms-giant-resist-banner-dropped-above-trumps-white-house	“Resistance continues to wax against the new administration and the Trump agenda.” “The Greenpeace action exemplifies the mobilization of people of goodwill and the growing ‘resistance’ that the Guidance indicated would occur. We are witnessing and participating in a major global event for which we have been preparing.”	<u>1</u> <u>25</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Disclosing Truth</p>	<p>Dr. Judy Wood</p>	<p>Dr. Judy Wood started to question the events of the 9/11 “collapse” of the World Trade Center towers. What she saw and heard on television that day was contradictory and appeared to violate the laws of physics. Since that day she has used her knowledge of engineering mechanics to prove that the collapse of the World Trade Center twin towers could not have happened as the American public was told. She is author of: Where Did The Towers Go?</p> <p>“My intellectual integrity prevents me from calling this a collapse. This is why I have chosen to stand up. My conscience leaves me no other choice.” — Dr. Judy Wood</p>	<p>“We stand today at the dawn of an entirely new age. Man has in his hands a method of disrupting the molecular basis for matter and the ability to split the earth in half on a moment’s notice. (It gives the term, "scorched-earth policy" a new significance.) The technology that was demonstrated on 9/11 can split the earth in half or it can be used to allow ALL people to live happily ever after with free energy.</p> <p>“....we have a choice. And this choice is real. Live happily ever after or destroy the planet. This is why I have been studying the evidence of what happened on 9/11. This evidence is central to it all. 9/11 was a demonstration of a new technology; free energy. It can be used for good, but we need to make that choice and help others to make it as well.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Risk Education</p>	<p>The bulletin.org</p>	<p>The Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists is a non-technical academic journal that covers global security and public policy issues related to the dangers posed by nuclear and other weapons of mass destruction, climate change, and emerging technologies and diseases. It has been published continuously since 1945, when it was founded by former Manhattan Project physicists after the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki</p>	<p>Every year since 1947, the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists has gathered a group of Nobel laureates and other luminaries to update the Doomsday Clock, a symbolic gauge of our risk of wrecking civilization. In 1991, as the Cold War was ending, the scientists set the clock to its safest point ever—seventeen minutes to “midnight.” Since then, the direction has been inauspicious. In January, 2016, after</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>24</u> <u>17</u></p>

		as the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists of Chicago.	increasing military tensions between Russia and NATO, and the Earth’s warmest year on record, the Bulletin set the clock at three minutes to midnight, the same level it held at the height of the Cold War. In November, after Trump’s election, the panel convened once more to conduct its annual confidential discussion. (The result will be released January 26th.) — The New Yorker	
New Education	Global Oneness Project	<i>Global Oneness Project</i> is a digital, ad-free, education platform that has been publishing multicultural films, photography, and articles since 2006. Its stories, photographs, videos, etc. explore cultural, social and environmental issues through a humanistic lens. Aligned to National and Common Core standards, GOP lesson plans, available in both English and Spanish, offer an interdisciplinary approach to learning and facilitate the development of active, critical thinking.	“ The Global Oneness Project is another force for good in the world. This particular lesson based on a story about two former enemies who find a deep friendship is extremely moving... Love conquers ALL...”	$\frac{1}{22}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Women’s Rights = Human Rights	Women’s March on Washington	The Women’s March on Washington has grown into a global movement in nearly every country. Its mission is to stand together in solidarity with our partners and children for the protection of our rights, our safety, our health, and our families—recognizing that our vibrant and diverse communities are the strength of our country.		$\frac{1}{21}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

		<p>Its Goal: In the spirit of democracy and honoring the champions of human rights, dignity, and justice who have come before us, we join in diversity to show our presence in numbers too great to ignore. The Women’s March on Washington will send a bold message to our new government on their first day in office, and to the world, that women's rights are human rights.</p>		
<p>Children</p>	<p>Save the Children</p>	<p>Our vision is a world in which every child attains the right to survival, protection, development and participation. We aim to inspire breakthroughs in the way the world treats children, and to achieve immediate and lasting change in their lives.</p> <p>At the beginning of the 20th century, two sisters had a vision to achieve and protect the rights of children. Almost 100 years later, that vision continues to guide all our work.</p> <p><i>Save the Children</i> has grown to become a global organisation saving thousands of children's lives each year.</p>	<p>“An excellent addition to the registry.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>21</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Movement to Protect Values and Rights</p>	<p>INDIVISIBLE</p> <p>A PRACTICAL GUIDE FOR RESISTING THE TRUMP AGENDA</p>	<p>Former congressional staffers reveal best practices for making Congress listen.</p> <p>“We wrote this guide because we believe that the coming years will see an unprecedented movement of Americans rising up across the country to protect our values, our neighbors, and ourselves. Our goal is to provide practical understanding of how your Members of Congress (MoCs) think, and how you can demonstrate to them the depth and power of the opposition to Donald Trump and Republican congressional overreach. This is not a panacea, nor is it intended to stand alone. We strongly urge you to marry the strategy in this guide with a broader commitment to creating a more just society, building local power, and addressing systemic injustice and racism. It is based on the six principles of Kingian Non-Violence.” — Indivisible website</p>	<p>There is a new movement called INDIVISIBLE that advocates “a resistance built on the values of inclusion, tolerance, and fairness.” Perhaps it can be considered a sign of the Coming One though it is also a protest focused on “stopping Trump from implementing an agenda built on racism, authoritarianism, and corruption.” They say: “We believe that the next four years depend on Americans across the country standing indivisible against the Trump agenda.”</p> <p>“This March (on Washington) will launch a movement and is a sign of the “great tide of resistance” that is growing in nearly every country.</p> <p>“I see signs of the Coming One with the rise of women around the world, marching for peace. Mr. Trump...has unwittingly mobilised women into action. The women marched peacefully all over the world for love and hope, in places as far apart as Scotland, England, Australia and New Zealand. Christ is a quality as well as a person. One banner of the women in Scotland said “Love Trumps hate.”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{17}$ $\frac{17}{17}$</p>
<p>Social Justice</p>	<p>Oxfam International</p>	<p><i>Oxfam</i> is a global movement of people working together to end the injustice of poverty. With 70 years of experience in</p>	<p>“In the spirit of unity and goodwill.”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{17}$ $\frac{17}{17}$</p>

		<p>more than 90 countries, Oxfam helps people save lives in disasters, build stronger futures for themselves, and hold the powerful accountable. Our vision: A just world without poverty. Our mission: To create lasting solutions to poverty, hunger, and social injustice.</p>		
<p>Progressive Social Change</p>	<p><u>Common Dreams</u></p>	<p><i>Common Dreams</i> Mission: To inform. To inspire. To ignite change for the common good. Common Dreams has been providing breaking news & views for the progressive community since 1997. CD is an independent, non-profit, advertising-free and 100% reader supported.</p>	<p><i>“Common Dreams is a daily, glorious taste of what the dominant media could be if it was shaped by our common dreams of justice and peace.”</i> — <u>Naomi Klein</u></p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Civil Rights</p>	<p><u>Martin Luther King- Newly Discovered Speech</u></p>	<p>A newly discovered recording of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. On December 7, 1964, days before he received the Nobel Peace Prize in Oslo, King gave a major address in London on love, non-violence, segregation, the fight for civil rights, and his support for Nelson Mandela and the anti-apartheid struggle in South Africa. It is a call to every citizen of goodwill.</p>	<p>Here’s one quote that I especially appreciated: “...human progress never rolls in on the wheels of inevitability. It comes through the tireless efforts and the persistent work of dedicated individuals who are willing to be co-workers with God.” What it means to be ‘co-workers with God’ is perhaps only now coming into focus for us. His life was only 39 years long but that is the legacy he left us.</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>16</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Ending Slavery</p>	<p>Walk Free</p>	<p><i>WalkFree.org</i> began under the auspices of the Walk Free Foundation, which also includes the Global Slavery Index, Global Freedom Network and Global Fund to End Slavery. In four years, WalkFree.org has grown to a global community of over 8 million people who have driven 32 campaign wins and held over 200 offline events. Partnerships have been formed with almost 50 like-minded organisations and 7,000 Freedom Leaders have been inspired to hold their own events, drive campaign petitions and provide their expertise to the global community.</p>	<p>“Ending slavery is an ambitious goal that can seem unachievable at times, but thanks to the passion and commitment of my colleagues, and millions of supporters across the world, I truly believe that we can make this goal a reality.” — Eugenia, Advocacy Officer</p> <p>“I BELIEVE OUR GENERATION CAN BUILD A WORLD WITHOUT SLAVERY.”</p>	<p><u><u>1</u></u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Global News</p>	<p>Project Syndicate</p>	<p><i>Project Syndicate</i> is an internet-based international news organization that produces and delivers original, high-quality commentaries to a global audience. Featuring exclusive contributions by prominent political leaders, policymakers, scholars, business leaders, and civic activists from around the world, we provide news media and their readers cutting-edge analysis and insight, regardless of ability to pay. By offering incisive perspectives from those who are shaping the world’s economics, politics, science, and culture, Project Syndicate has created an unrivaled global venue for informed public debate.</p>	<p>“One’s being is truly lifted when reading these positive Signs of real change in the human psyche. Though there was a general awareness of the many great deeds occurring in the world everywhere, the act of gathering them together as One great Act of Brotherhood is almost magical. We see our numbers growing exponentially! This in itself is a great Sign.”</p>	<p><u><u>1</u></u> <u>15</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Women’s Rights / Human Rights</p>	<p>Women's March on Washington</p>	<p>“In the spirit of democracy and honoring the champions of human rights, dignity, and justice who have come before us, we join in diversity to show our presence in numbers too great to ignore. The Women’s March on Washington will send a bold message to our new government on their first day in office, and to the world that women's rights are human rights. We stand together, recognizing that defending the most marginalized among us is defending all of us.” — from Women’s March's Mission and Vision webpage.</p> <p>The Unity Principles along with M.L. Kingian non-violence form the campaign’s guiding principles.</p>	<p>“It is not our differences that divide us. It is our inability to recognize, accept, and celebrate those differences.” — Audre Lorde, poet, African human rights activist</p> <p>“This will be an amazing demonstration. I wish them God’s speed and blessings of safety. A blind prophet Baba Vanga predicted that the U.S. would elect a black president and he would be the last president. When I first read this, of course, I was startled at the thought, however, it has stayed with me over the years. I just read a report that only 4 out of 10 people in the U.S. believe that Donald Trump is a legitimate president. This is very interesting.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>A Psychic Perspective</p>	<p>Why You Won't Hear Me Talking About the President- Elect</p>	<p>A Call to Light to stay detached from the politics of the day and not to give in to despair.</p>	<p>“Thank you for putting into words how I feel about the current political scene and for reminding us all that we have the power to be an expression of Love and Higher Consciousness.” — one of the responses from the website blog.</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>An Alternative to Money</p>	<p>World Ubuntu Movement</p>	<p>Founded by Micahel Telling, author of the philosophy of ‘Contributionism.’ <i>Ubuntu</i>, often translated as ‘sharing,’ was founded in Johannesburg, South Africa in 2005 when Telling started to promote the idea of a “world without money.” He realised that the origins of money on our planet did not evolve out of thousands of years of barter and trade as we have been told, but that there was a very specific time when money was introduced as a tool of enslavement over humanity, by the ancient royal political elite whose descendants continue to use money as a tool of enslavement over the people today. Five years later, the UBUNTU Liberation Movement was born and started inspiring people all over the world, filling them with hope for the future and giving millions the confidence that there is a way out of the human misery and enslavement of humanity.</p>	<p>“..a real positive light in this quite intense Capricorn period. With an eye on the World Economic Forum coming up January 17, 20, 2017 in Davos-Klosters, Switzerland. Those interested in evolving new economic paradigms might be interested to know about the work of Michael Telling of South Africa, an advocate for new consciousness, and the World Ubuntu movement.”</p> <p>“I encourage you to join the world Ubuntu community perhaps as an overlighting circle.</p> <p>I've joined a local one in my area.”</p> <p>“<i>UBUNTU</i> Contributionism – A Blueprint for human prosperity”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>14</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>One Humanity</p>	<p>Syrian family reunited</p>	<p>CBC news : War tore a Syrian family apart until a Canadian mosque and a synagogue reunited them</p>	<p>“This reunion happened thanks to an exceptional partnership. In December 2015, a Thornhill, Ontario mosque and a synagogue decided to jointly sponsor a Syrian refugee family. Before the project, all they had shared was a parking lot.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>13</u> <u>17</u></p>

<p>Weather Anomaly — Light Show</p>	<p>Photographer captures amazing 'light pillars' phenomenon in North Bay, Ont.</p>	<p>Timothy Joseph Elzinga woke up in the middle of the night to see beams of brightly coloured lights dancing across the sky.</p>	<p>There is definitely something unusual going on. There have been two earthquakes at the North Pole in the last 18 hours! Click here to see news item.</p>	<p><u><u><u>1</u></u></u> <u><u><u>12</u></u></u> <u><u><u>17</u></u></u></p>
<p>Animal-Human Relations</p>	<p>Christine Townend</p>	<p>Christine founded Working for Animals — an Australian charity raising funds for animal shelter projects in India. One of their objectives is to promote the love and respect of humans for animals.</p>	<p>“The many organisations which work for right relations with the animal kingdom are definitely signs of the Coming One. Christine Townend and her outstanding dedication on behalf of the animals in India is a shining light.”</p>	<p><u><u><u>1</u></u></u> <u><u><u>12</u></u></u> <u><u><u>17</u></u></u></p>
<p>Beyond Death</p>	<p>NDE</p>	<p>An NDE or near-death experience is indirectly related to signs of the Coming One as indications of expanding consciousness. The Near-Death Experience Foundation, which has the largest collection of recorded near-death experiences, is a public service website.</p> <p>If enough people read about love, peace and hope, maybe they can change to become more loving, compassionate people who truly live their lives without fear. We can then change the world to become a better place like heaven on earth—as above, so below. — NDERF.org</p>	<p>“This perspective is eye-opening, for everyone has skewed priorities on earth with the survival culture we live in there. At any rate, a conscious trip to heaven offers many gifts that can be life-changing to one that returns to life on outer life.”</p> <p>“There is some wonderful research that has been done on this. A BBC documentary was made a few years ago called “The Day I Died”.</p> <p>The Book “Testimony of Light” by Helen Greaves is well worth a read.</p> <p>Also “Proof of Heaven” and “Map of Heaven” by Eben Alexander.</p>	<p><u><u><u>1</u></u></u> <u><u><u>12</u></u></u> <u><u><u>17</u></u></u></p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Black Holes</p>	<p><i>Black Holes</i> are indirectly related to signs of the Coming One. “This legend is becoming more widely known now, as the Earth will soon be raised to a higher vibration, and it will be easier to imagine and sense the spiritual worlds that now are invisible to us.”</p>	<p>“I believe that Black Holes are related signs of the times. They are fields of energy that science can’t explain. In a similar way, NDE’s testify to the existence of eternal life, which science can’t explain.”</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">$\frac{1}{12}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Film Awards</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2017 Golden Globes</p>	<p>Three key elements of the awards ceremony are worth mentioning:</p> <p>1) The Best Picture, La La Land, a romantic musical comedy features goodness, truth and beauty. It has a magical quality that gently transports one into a state of joyfulness and leaves one with a renewed faith in humanity. One of the producers said, when accepting an award, “We need more films that unify people.”</p> <p>2) Recipient of the best actor award, Casey Affleck, said he recalled that Denzel Washington had said “God is love” when he accepted his award. There was a gap in his thought process but those were Affleck’s final words at the end of the show: “God is Love.” In Hollywood!</p> <p>3) Meryl Streep’s Lifetime Achievement Award acceptance speech criticized, without stating names, President-elect Donald Trump’s imitation of a disabled NYT journalist stating: “Disrespect invites disrespect. Violence incites violence. When powerful people use their position to bully,</p>	<p>“Two nights ago (Sunday, January 8th) there were signs of a marked shift in consciousness in Hollywood during the annual Golden Globe awards (bestowed by the Hollywood Foreign Press Association). I had stopped watching this program years ago because of a cynical and somewhat debauched atmosphere but decided to watch this year because several excellent films were nominated. The atmosphere was completely different. There was no dark or cynical humor and almost a sweetness in the banter among the actors. A marked change for the good.”</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">$\frac{1}{10}$ <u>17</u></p>

		we all lose.” She was calling for empathy and inclusivity. Streep also called for support for the Committee to Protect Journalists , which represents freedom of the press, stressing the importance of this organization in the face of repressive measures against journalists.		
Healing through Love and Laughter	International Humanitarian Clowning	<i>The Gesundheit Institute</i> was founded by Patch Adams in 1985. It seeks to restore people, communities, systems, and planet to wholeness and health through laughter and loving care. Our activism promotes and models humane values of generosity, justice, and compassion.	“Our job is improving the quality of life, not just delaying death.” — Hunter Patch Adams	$\frac{1}{10}$ $\frac{17}{17}$
Museums Educating for the Good	Five Ways Museums can increase empathy in the world	“Although empathy is a vital element of our nature, our civilization has not created the essential spaces, practices, and supporting ecosystems where it can be intentionally nurtured and unleashed towards the greater good. Yet research suggests that empathy can be taught, and that contact with people who are different from us in a safe, empathic way is a first step toward reducing prejudice. This is where museums have a role to play. They have the capability to bring together arts, technology, sciences, and literature to show how all living things are interconnected. They can also help fulfill an increasing demand for empathy in our lives, our workplaces, and our institutions.”	“Museums in action for the greater good.”	$\frac{1}{10}$ $\frac{17}{17}$

<p>Genuine Democracy</p>	<p>38 Degrees</p>	<p><i>38 Degrees</i> is the angle at which snowflakes come together to form an avalanche— together we're unstoppable.</p> <p><i>"38 Degrees</i> is one of the UK's biggest campaigning communities, with millions of members. Every day we campaign (and win) together on the issues that matter. Here are seven big things that make this community special."</p> <p><i>"38 Degrees</i> helps create opportunities to participate in our democracy."</p> <p><i>"38 Degrees</i> is totally independent of all political parties. We are driven by issues and outcomes and judge all politicians by the same standards regardless of what party they belong to."</p>	<p><i>"38 Degrees</i> was inspired by the impact of groups like MoveOn in the United States, GetUp in Australia and Avaaz around the world.</p> <p>Members have contributed to some incredible, people-powered victories since they started working together to make change happen. For example, they helped make sure plans to cover up investigations into MPs expenses were scrapped; helped stop the government's plans to sell off ancient national forests; helped stop Donald Trump's plans to build a golf course at the expense of families in Menie, Scotland, who were at risk of eviction. 38 Degrees members also helped convince the government to sign up to the EU Directive on human trafficking, helping prevent trafficking in the future as well as making sure victims are properly looked after."</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>9</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Loving Help for Disadvantaged Children</p>	<p>Clowns Without Borders in Syrian refugee camps</p>	<p>Clowns Without Borders is a global network of nonprofit organizations that, for the past 20 years, has been spreading laughter in the world's saddest places. The group's most recent annual report says more than 385 artists performed 1,164 shows for its chapters in 38 countries, both in the developing world and for refugees and other</p>	<p>"Because of the regular singing group I lead with the daycare children at the InterCultural Association, I was in a position to help create two events for the Syrian families that were being billeted in a local hotel while they were being integrated into Victoria life. The first was a solo clown visit in which I spent half the time giving out stick-on clown noses. The second half was a</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>8</u> <u>17</u></p>

		<p>disadvantaged children in Western countries.</p>	<p>flurry of distributing small kazoos which we all played together in various groupings and with varying degrees of expertise. At the end of that time I was both exhausted and deeply touched by the unbridled enthusiasm everyone showed in joining me in my world of fun. I think we succeeded because again the response from everyone was heart-melting. The children laughed and eagerly ran up to the front when asked to participate in the serpentine dance that ended the show. Mothers put their infants in our arms to take pictures. Perhaps most surprising was the reaction of the men: they took selfie after selfie standing with us in camaraderie, arms around our shoulders. It was an unforgettable experience! I was proud to have played a small part in extending a happy welcome to their new lives.” — from a friend...who is a clown in Victoria, B.C.”</p>	
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<p>Breakthrough Science and Technology</p>	<p>Vortex Based Mathematics</p>	<p><i>Vortex Based Mathematics</i> -- mathematics as the language of God -- is explained in a 2012 TED talk. The speaker's goal is "to create a grassroots energy technology revolution by turning this over to the public for the good of the whole world."</p>	<p>"Mathematics based on zero-point energy, the source of the non-decaying spin of the electron... VBM Explains how black holes and white holes work... "A universal geometry designed for maximum efficiency and energy transformation..." (from the video)</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{8}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Transforming Planetary Consciousness</p>	<p>Aquarian Age Community</p>	<p><i>The Aquarian Age Community</i> is a pledged point of synthesis involved in the work of transforming planetary consciousness, resonating to the Aquarian keynote, "Water of Life Am I Poured Forth for Thirsty Men." Its main areas of work are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cooperating and collaborating with the worldwide community actively preparing the way for the reappearance of the World Teacher—the Christed (Anointed) One, the true Aquarian. • Cooperatively participating in the unveiling of the Spiritual Mysteries. • Promoting the evolution of human consciousness by advocating such new age sciences as meditation, building 	<p>"Ida Urso has for decades held regular Full Moon meditations in the UN Headquarters in NY, and more recently also online. She writes thoughtful monthly newsletters. They are a good resource for those who want to inform themselves of the significant happenings in the UN from a spiritual perspective. A great 'Sign-resource'."</p> <p>"Each month a creative meditation is held in planetary service to support the work of the UN."</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{7}$ <u>17</u></p>

		<p>the Antahkarana—bridging consciousness, and service.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encouraging the activation and mobilization of the will-to-good as sounded in the Aquarian keynotes of Joy and Resurrection. • Promoting the work of the United Nations as it seeks to uplift and improve all life on our planet. 		
The New Buddha	Ghum Monastery	<p>“<i>Ghum Monastery</i> is the oldest in Darjeeling. Its special significance is that there is a big statue of Maitreya, the Buddha, who poses his feet on the ground instead of the usual lotus position. It is a sign that the New Buddha will be deeply involved with the earth, towards a new civilization.”</p>	<p>“At this monastery the Roerichs met M.M. before leaving for the expedition.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>7</u> <u>17</u></p>
Music Education for Poor Children	Gandhi Ashram School	<p>“Fighting poverty with a violin in the remote Himalayan foothills of India” — PBS video.</p> <p>Started by a Canadian Jesuit missionary (Fr. McGuire) in 1993 in Kalimpong, the poorest of children are provided a violin. It gives them amazing and beautiful opportunities to develop their talents through free musical education. Music is their ticket to an education and a ticket out of generational poverty.</p>	<p>“We recognized in this initiative the same values on which our esoteric Teachings are based, even if expressed through different language; above all the concept that beauty and culture have the power to uplift human consciousness. Therefore, the Banner of Peace idea finds in this school a very practical application. Also, there is an experience of brotherhood, understanding that there are no limits to the expansion of consciousness and that the boundary between the esoteric and real life is artificial.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>7</u> <u>17</u></p>

			“What a wonderful way to reveal beauty to the children as well as provide other forms of education.”	
Peace Initiatives to Overcome Poverty	IPI	<p>International Peace Initiatives (<i>IPI</i>) is a global network of individuals and organizations seeking innovative and alternative means of overcoming the devastation of disease, conflict, and poverty in the world today. Founded by Dr. Karambu Ringera</p> <p>IPI accomplishes these initiatives through grassroots capacity-building, community-based research, and sharing information on successful practices in HIV/AIDS management, peacebuilding, and economic empowerment programs. IPI’s work in Africa uplifts the spirit and living standards of the people in their communities. Our tools are education, enterprise and empowerment.</p>	“Meeting Dr. Ringera, I knew that the impulse to create IPI was inspired by deep compassion and wisdom.”	$\frac{1}{6}$ <u>17</u>
Social Investment	Novel investment in Asia focused on doing good	From the PRI radio program, The Takeaway: A novel investment exchange in Asia is rewarding entrepreneurs who want to make the world better. Durreen Shahnaz calls herself a “defiant optimist.” She’s the first Bangladeshi woman to graduate from the Wharton School of Business and to work on Wall Street, and she’s spending her life coming up with new ways to invest social capital.	“It is social and it is about doing good and using finance to do good, which is really nice,” she says. “For once we are seeing what finance should be doing—working very holistically.” — Shahnaz	$\frac{1}{6}$ <u>17</u>
Meditation in World Service	Meditation Mount	The mission of Meditation Mount, a non-profit organization, is to promote the building of an enlightened and	“There is much beauty and light in these Meditation Mount newsletters.”	$\frac{1}{6}$ <u>17</u>

		<p>compassionate world through the power of Creative Meditation, inspirational educational programs, and community-based events. It focuses on the practical application of the following universal spiritual principles: Right Human Relations, Goodwill, Group Endeavor, Unanimity, Spiritual Approach, and Essential Divinity. It also puts out a monthly newsletter.</p>	<p>“The MM communications are like beacons of light, making the deepest truths so clear and accessible.”</p>	
<p>Wisdom Teachings</p>	<p>Sydney Goodwill</p>	<p>Sydney Goodwill emerged in 1979 when a small group in Australia undertook to make available the Ageless Wisdom teachings as presented for the Western mind by the Tibetan Master and Alice A. Bailey. It sponsors monthly meditations, spiritual programs, and puts out a monthly newsletter.</p>	<p>“The article, ‘The Upward Spiral of the Human Heart,’ is an inspiring reflection on these times of expectancy.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>6</u> <u>17</u></p>
<p>Igniting Compassion</p>	<p>Compassion Games International</p>	<p>Compassion Games International offers fun and creative ways to ignite and catalyze compassionate action in communities around the world. In the five annual Compassion Games, competition becomes ‘coopetition’ as teams and individuals challenge one another to strive together to make our planet a better place to live -- through community service, acts of kindness, and raising monies for local causes. The Games amplify what is already working in our communities and inspire increased engagement, leading to new activities that bring compassion to life and improve our well-being.</p>	<p>“Another inspired project to promote Right Human Relationships and build bridges between the peoples of the world.”</p>	<p><u>1</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u></p>

		The Giving Games for Youth and Schools is one of CGI's five annual projects.		
Ending Global Warming	Climate Change	Job One for Humanity is a non-profit organization promoting a comprehensive new plan to end escalating global warming. Our <i>Job One</i> Plan is based on current science, and it provides practical, prioritized and effective action steps you can start today to do your fair share to help end the global warming emergency.	"An excellent source of information for the changes in the Earth's environment."	<u>1</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
New Human Potentials	Beautiful children learning to use the third eye	This video shows the amazing potential of children to be taught how to use the 3rd eye.	"Truly marvelous."	<u>1</u> <u>5</u> <u>17</u>
Right Human Relations		<p>One day in a tea room downtown there were several Muslim women and their children at the next table. I took the opportunity to go over to them and enquired if I could ask them a question. They all looked at me and smiled and one said yes. I asked if it was a cultural or religious custom not to look at other women on the street. 'Oh no,' one said, 'we don't look because sometimes people will say mean things to us.'</p> <p>So I hatched a plan. Now when I pass by I will say to them As-salāmu 'alaykum which means peace be upon you and they will reply usually with a look of surprise and a smile and a response.</p>	"Thank you for sharing this heartwarming experience – it is a perfect example of the Law of Right Human Relations in action."	<u>1</u> <u>4</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Love for Humans and their Dogs</p>	<p>Ruby</p>	<p>Ruby, the 24-year-old vet who treats homeless peoples’ pets for free, has inspired other cities to set up similar services</p>	<p>“It’s becoming clearer that as we train our vision on the growing examples of the Christ appearing in humanity, we are witnessing the early stages of the Reappearance. One can begin to sense the magnitude of the Joy...”</p> <p>“This brings into focus how the human heart plays out through individual acts of inspiration... I particularly loved the Vet who treats homeless people’s pets for free.”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>Compassionate Caring</p>	<p>Helping the Homeless</p>	<p><i>Orange Sky Laundry</i> is the world's first free mobile laundry service for the homeless. It was born of a crazy idea in 2014 to put two washing machines and two dryers in a van and wash and dry clothes for free. Starting in the streets of Brisbane, Orange Sky has now grown to 10 services across Australia in Brisbane, Gold Coast, Melbourne, Sydney, Sunshine Coast, Canberra, Perth, Adelaide, SE Melbourne and Hobart. Orange Sky Laundry now does over 6.9 tonnes of laundry every week. Most importantly, we have over 1,300 hours of positive and genuine conversations every week.</p>	<p>“There are many large movements but there are also small acts of kindness that start as a simple idea, but with the heart acting it can bring pervasive change – at least in a human sense of connection and relation. I love these guys – they are so ‘Aussie.’”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u></p>
<p>New Leadership</p>	<p>Asia Society Asian Game Changers awards</p>	<p><i>The Asia Game Changer Awards</i>, launched by the Asia Society in 2014, are designed to fill a vital gap, identifying and honoring true leaders who are making a positive contribution to the future of Asia. These</p>	<p>“Inspiring, enlightening leadership”</p>	<p>$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u></p>

		awards are bestowed annually to individuals, organizations, and movements that have inspired, enlightened, and shown true leadership in areas that reflect Asia Society’s core pillars of policy and business, arts and culture, and education.		
Music for the Good	Fighting terror with music	Karim Wasfi, cellist, conductor and activist believes in the power of music to challenge ugliness, hatred and terrorism. He is dedicated and determined that the good and humanity will win. Wasfi received the Asia Society's Game Changers award.	“A fearless and compassionate man.”	$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u>
Extraordinary Person	Steven Greer Implications for the Environment, Poverty, World Peace and the Human Future	"In the final analysis, then, we are faced with a social and spiritual crisis that transcends any technological or scientific challenge. Peace on Earth and peace in space—a universal Peace, wisely enforced; for every other path leads to ruin. This then is the greatest challenge of the current era. Nothing less than the destiny of the human race hangs in the balance." — Stephen Greer	“A view of 2017 and where things need to be going.”	$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u>
Protecting the Environment & Sacred Sites	Lessons from Standing Rock	By staying on message and advancing through prayer and ceremony, Standing Rock’s pipeline protesters, or water protectors, have offered the world a template for resistance.	“Demonstrating the Courage that helps us to continue ... that becomes the power of reasoned sacrifice now coming into expression.” “People working with vision, single pointedness and sacred humility.” “Standing Rock is a symbol and its title alone carries enormous power of meaning and significance.	$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u>

			Deep appreciation to them all – my heart bows to that greater love.”	
Guaranteed Basic Income	Finland trials basic income for unemployed	Finland has become the first country in Europe to pay its unemployed citizens an unconditional monthly sum, in a social experiment that will be watched around the world amid gathering interest in the idea of a universal basic income.	“Government caring for the poorest among us.”	$\frac{1}{4}$ <u>17</u>
Extraordinary Indigenous Women	Indigenous women lead the fight for the environment	<i>Indigenous Women of South America</i> are leaders in the fight to protect the environment.	“The Indigenous women of South America are uniting, 60 million strong.”	$\frac{1}{3}$ <u>17</u>
Peace as Priority	Speech by new Secretary General	The new UN Secretary General Antonio Guterres, proclaims "On this New Year’s Day, I ask all of you to join me in making one shared New Year’s resolution: Let us resolve to put peace first."		$\frac{1}{3}$ <u>17</u>
Compassion in Action	Universal Sign of Compassion	A hand gesture of compassion by Urmila Jagroep, member of the Charter for Compassion . CFC believe that all human beings are born with the capacity for compassion, and that it must be cultivated for us to survive and thrive. CFC encourages people to partner with, read and sign the	The Charter of Compassion (2008) was the idea of Karen Armstrong . Specifically, she asked TED to help her create, launch and propagate a “Charter for Compassion, crafted by a group of leading inspirational thinkers from the three Abrahamic traditions of	$\frac{1}{3}$ <u>17</u>

		Charter For Compassion. They believe that peace in our time requires inner change.	Judaism, Christianity and Islam and based on the fundamental principles of universal justice and respect."	
Evolutionary Christianity	Center for Action and Contemplation	"Christianity is meant to be a loving way of life now, not just a system of beliefs and requirements that people hope will earn them a later reward in heaven. " — Richard Rohr, founder of CAC.	"Here's a Sign , (a CAC daily meditation) sent by a participant in the wider group about the Christ Spirit moving within organized religion." Richard Rohr is a major proponent of evolutionary Christianity.	<u>1</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u>
Fighting Terror with Love	Chancellor of Germany	"Our state does everything to guarantee its citizens security and freedom... In 2017 our government will promptly get under way and implement measures where policy or law changes are necessary," — excerpt of Angela Merkel's speech on New Year's Day.	"...conveys the sense that she is consciously working as a spiritual warrior. And she will be the only remaining leader of the 5 major European nations in this new year." "Angela Merkel was branded 'mad' and 'off her rocker' today after giving a bizarre New Year's Eve speech telling Germans to fight the bombs and guns of Islamic State with love and compassion. "The embattled Chancellor, who is surrounded by armed guards around the clock and travels everywhere in a bullet-proof car, said terrified citizens should meet the ISIS terror threat with 'openness.'	<u>1</u> <u>3</u> <u>17</u>

			<p>“Her remarks come less than two weeks after a failed asylum seeker drove an articulated truck into families at a Christmas market in Berlin, killing 12 and seriously injuring dozens more.” — Geller Report</p>	
Hopi Wisdom	Now is the Hour	<p>Excerpt of a letter from a Hopi Elder: “All that we do now must be done in a sacred manner and in celebration. We are the ones we've been waiting for.”</p>	<p>“I feel it is definitely part of “preparing the Way”.</p>	<u>$\frac{1}{3}$</u> <u>17</u>
Meaning of Christmas	<p>Queen Elizabeth’s 2016 Christmas message</p>	<p>Queen Elizabeth II delivers her annual Christmas message from Buckingham Palace. The theme of this year's message is the gift of inspiration – inspiring others for the good. She spoke of “the cumulative impact of thousands of small acts of goodness” in the spirit of Christ.</p>	<p>“We watched the Queen's message yesterday here in Jerusalem, and it was truly heartening. The existence of the NGWS is proclaimed from the roof tops.”</p> <p>They (Queen and Prince Charles) are definitely members of the NGWS. Service is woven into their lives. For instance, the Prince of Wales's (Charles) heraldic badge consists of three white ostrich feathers emerging from a gold coronet. A ribbon below the coronet bears the motto Ich dien (German for "I serve”).</p>	<u>$\frac{1}{3}$</u> <u>17</u>
Courageous Warrior for Justice	Baltasar Garzon	<p>A Castellan (Spanish) international lawyer and protector of human rights, the rights of indigenous peoples, and a proponent of universal justice.</p>	<p>“All men are equal in their rights to freedom, prosperity and the protection of the law.” (Voltaire)</p>	<u>$\frac{1}{1}$</u> <u>17</u>

<p>Educating Girls</p>	<p>Malala Fund</p>	<p>The <i>Malala Fund</i> empowers girls through education. Inspired by co-founders, Malala and Ziauddin Yousafzai, our aim is to raise girls' voices and ensure every girl has access to a quality secondary education.</p>	<p>“Malala must also be considered a 'sign of the times.' Just thinking of her and what she represents brings tears to my eyes.”</p>	<p><u>$\frac{1}{17}$</u></p>
<p>International Justice for the Environment</p>	<p>Polly Higgins</p>	<p>Scottish Polly Higgins is an international lawyer, UK based barrister, award-winning author and lead Ecocide law expert. Her proposal to expand the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court to include Ecocide as an international crime (to stand alongside genocide, war crimes, crimes against humanity and crimes of aggression) will ensure global governance and protection against some of the most egregious crimes, namely State and corporate crime that causes or fails to prevent climate disasters as well as other ecological catastrophes.</p>	<p>“A truly determined soul.”</p>	<p><u>$\frac{1}{17}$</u></p>
<p>Standing for Unity</p>	<p>PM Trudeau</p>	<p>Prime Minister Justin Trudeau says in his New Year’s speech that his resolution for 2017 is to "stand against the politics of fear and division."</p>	<p>“Great speech”</p>	<p><u>$\frac{1}{17}$</u></p>
<p>A Global Peoples’ Voice</p>	<p>Avaaz</p>	<p><i>Avaaz</i>—meaning "voice" in several European, Middle Eastern and Asian languages—launched in 2007 with a simple democratic mission: to organize citizens of all nations to close the gap between the world we have and the world most people</p>	<p>“Avaaz continuously points toward hope, even as they target and advocate to change the biggest grievances. They are 40 million strong.”</p>	<p><u>$\frac{1}{17}$</u></p>

		everywhere want. Avaaz empowers millions of people from all walks of life to take action on pressing global, regional and national issues, from corruption and poverty to conflict and climate change.	<p>“They have an amazing focus on everyday world events.”</p> <p>“I really appreciate the positive tone they/we use.”</p>	
Planetary Event	Massive waves of cosmic energy bombarding Earth.	One of the biggest galactic and cosmic events in history may be taking place on earth at this time. There are enormous waves of energy being recorded by scientific instruments such as the equipment used for (MIMIC) Morphed Integrated Microwave Imagery at CIMSS .	“A video that highlights recent Earth-Change Events that have occurred towards the close of 2016. “	<u>12</u> <u>31</u> <u>16</u>
Spiritual Evolution	Live the Future Now	The purpose of the website is to help people understand the big picture of what’s unfolding on earth today behind the scenes, and help people raise their frequency and transform themselves in order to make a contribution to creating a brighter future for all life on earth. Founded by Gordon Davidson and Corinne McLaughlin.		<u>12</u> <u>31</u> <u>16</u>
Expanding Human Rights	Canada’s Prison policy changing	Canada's prison system is revamping its policies around transgender inmates amid growing calls to place offenders based on gender identity, not genitalia. Correctional Service Canada has confirmed it will amend its guidelines for accommodation policy and gender reassignment surgery early in the new year.	“An example of kindness and inclusive consciousness.”	<u>12</u> <u>31</u> <u>16</u>

<p>Promoting Tolerance</p>	<p>Tag Meir</p>	<p>A grass roots organization founded in 2011 which works against racism in Israel.</p>	<p>“They are doing the work of the heart, showing up in villages and neighborhoods where hate crimes have been committed, offering their help, flowers or plain humanness, showing that not all Israelis are racist and oblivious.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>31</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Good News</p>	<p>Good News Agency</p>	<p><i>GNA</i> concentrates on supporting and spreading the ideals of brotherhood, unity in diversity, and responsibility for the common good. Through the spread of such news items, it aims to instill new ethical and social values.</p>	<p>Positive news from around the world. “There’s a powerful heart impact as one reads through the list.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>30</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>The Power of One Voice</p>	<p>The KKK needs to be exposed not concealed</p>	<p>The courage of one person to spread understanding, not hate.</p>	<p>“One man (or woman – or group, for that matter) standing for truth can plant a seed that can transform society—when the time is right. Such people, acting in a totally unexpected way—standing on principle—can set a precedent simply by coming from their own center in the face of ‘societal norms.’ The result can be the transformation of outworn ‘norms’ and entrenched patterns of behavior. This article offers us a great view of what is possible, reminding us that ‘one seed of truth’ sown by one courageous soul can just possibly bring real and lasting change.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>30</u> <u>16</u></p>

<p>Positive News</p>	<p>99 best things that happened in 2016</p>	<p>Worldwide positive events.</p>	<p>“It’s certainly a list of positive signs.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>30</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Inclusive Spirituality</p>	<p>Abrahamic Reunion</p>	<p>Founded in 2004, The Abrahamic Reunion is a team of religious & spiritual leaders – men, women, Jewish, Muslim, Christian, & Druze – dedicated to uplifting human consciousness and building peace in the Holy Land by opening hearts to the love and wisdom of all spiritual traditions.</p>	<p>“They are a growing group which works for many years in Israel/Palestine, the USA and perhaps other places. I know some of their leaders. The letter is a good introduction to their work, and it mentions Rabbi Fruman, the late father of the one who initiated the Syria help fund for children.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>29</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Middle East Peace</p>	<p>John Kerry’s speech on Israel</p>	<p>Kerry’s speech of encouraging the creation of conditions for peaceful coexistence and co-operation between Israel and Palestine</p>	<p>“John Kerry has spent countless hours envisioning right human relations in the sore that is the Middle East. He is one of the NGWS on the international stage.”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>28</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Reincarnation and a Dog’s Love</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1jLOOCADTGs</p>	<p>A new Hollywood movie will be coming out in the new year about a dog who discovers his/her soul purpose after many lifetimes loving different people.</p>	<p>“It starts with him asking about the meaning of life. He/she changes genders, sizes, breeds in different lives, finding that he’s needed again and again, eventually realizing that it’s his purpose to bring love to people. “If I can get you licking and loving, then I have a purpose.” Based on the preview, it’s charming, delightful and full of heart. Keeping in mind that one of the major teachings of Christ, the</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>28</u> <u>16</u></p>

			World Teacher, will be about reincarnation, it's an interesting sign."	
Light Art	Art forms embracing light	Amsterdam Light Festival 2016/17 Transparent art by Jaume Pleensa Art created to raise awareness for a cause	"More hopeful signs of our times from a different angle. Something perhaps worth mentioning among co-workers who are preparing the way for the re-appearance of the Hierarchy and of The Christ: in the visual arts world great movements are going on including the depicting of "light" and "transparency," breaking through the layers of illusion/glamour as never before."	<u>12</u> <u>27</u> <u>16</u>
New Perception of Jerusalem	Convocation of Jesuits	A meeting took place in Rome (October 2, 2016) among Jesuit priests in which Jerusalem was "celebrated as the Mother of all Nations." Particular reference was made to Psalm 87 which refers to the Gates of Zion (a reference to Jerusalem). An excerpt from a commentary on this Psalm: "God had said concerning Zion, This is my rest for ever; here will I dwell. There he met his people, and conversed with them, received their homage, and showed them the tokens of his favour, and therefore we may conclude how well he loves those gates."	"A new perception of Jerusalem was emerging from within the Jesuits (to whom Pope Francis belongs) -- a significant departure from past thinking."	<u>12</u> <u>25</u> <u>16</u>

<p>The One Humanity Marching</p>	<p>Peace March</p>	<p>Hundreds of marchers, mainly Europeans, will retrace the route taken by the refugees from Syria to Europe, to bring the world's attention to the terrible plight of the people of Aleppo and all the refugees from the region. They will pass through 8 countries, walking hundreds of miles over several months, sleeping in tents, depending on the kindness of strangers for food, water, and other necessities. Acting as a voice for the voiceless, they are attempting to do what the world's nations have failed to do.</p>	<p>"A dramatic international display of the One Humanity responding to a great humanitarian crisis."</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>26</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Coming of the New Star</p>		<p><i>Urusvati. It is time to say that this is the name we have given to the star which is irresistibly approaching the Earth. Since long ago it has been the symbol of the Mother of the World, and the Epoch of the Mother of the World must begin at the time of Her star's unprecedented approach to the Earth.</i></p> <p><i>The Great Epoch is beginning, because the spirit understanding is linked with the Mother of the World. Even to those who know the date it is marvelous to behold the physical approach of the predestined. The approach of this very great Epoch is important; it will substantially change the life of the Earth. A Great Epoch! I rejoice so much, seeing how the new rays are piercing the thickness of the Earth. Even though in the beginning they are hard to bear, yet their</i></p>	<p>"...as we know that just the coming of the new star, Urusvati, will mark the beginning of the New Era and of course it will cause great upheavals and disasters, modifying earth's orbit and other needed "adjustments" in the solar system, but for a greater good. It is the Mother's planet, coming from Sirius (or closely linked with it), Orion's bride and Orion is the Cosmic Christ."</p> <p>"Helena Roerich stated that in the sky two suns will shine and Nikolas Roerich recalled an ancient prophecy about the coming time of the new planet (and Jupiter is involved). In 2012, following this prediction, I deducted a</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>24</u> <u>16</u></p>

		<p><i>emanation induces new elements, so needed for the impetus.</i></p> <p><i>New rays are reaching the Earth for the first time since its formation. Today is the beginning of the feminine awakening. A new wave has reached Earth today, and new hearths have become alight; for the substance of the rays penetrates deeply. It is joyous to feel the approach of the New Epoch. — Leaves of Morya’s Garden II, 138</i></p>	possible hypothesis: the outcome was June 2025!”	
Planetary Event	Mysterious Vibration	Mysterious vibration – a signature detected by seismographs around the world that looks like an earthquake but is not one.	“Earth is sensing something.” — video link narrator	<u>12</u> <u>23</u> <u>16</u>
Space Weather Event	Space Weather Chaos	President Obama orders the government to prepare for space weather chaos.		<u>12</u> <u>23</u> <u>16</u>
Earth Changes	Antarctica	A new rift or crack continues to grow in Antarctica picked up by satellite imagery. Shortly after Secretary of State John Kerry first senior U.S. official ever to visit Antarctica	“...imminent earth changes to help heighten group awareness about ‘the magnitude of coming events.’”	<u>12</u> <u>23</u> <u>16</u>
Climate Change	Snow storm hits Sahara	“The Algerian town of Ain Sefra —known as ‘the gateway to the desert’—is probably not the first place that springs to mind when someone mentions snow.”	“People of all walks of life are registering that something unusual, if not unprecedented, is happening and that it’s global—a preparation is going on in human consciousness in many ways in the world, a preparation for something unknown but increasingly expected.”	<u>12</u> <u>23</u> <u>16</u>

<p>Social Fundraising</p>	<p>GoFundMe</p>	<p>Since its inception in 2010 this crowdfunding platform has become a major force for helping philanthropic causes.</p>	<p>“GoFundMe is a perfect example of a new movement often referred to as "crowd funding" (but described here as ‘social fundraising’). Such efforts are wonderfully Aquarian in nature—both in spirit and in form. Under the Aquarian Paradigm, free-willed, integrated units of light merge intentionally in response to a single note—a shared 'calling.'”</p>	<p><u>12</u> <u>23</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Solidarity</p>	<p>https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2016/dec/20/trumps-response-to-terror-attacks-risks-adding-confusion-to-dangerous-situation</p>	<p>A statement from German president, Joachim Gauck (The Guardian, Dec. 20, 2016), in response to the Berlin Christmas market attack. Stressing solidarity among religious and ethnic communities, he said: “The hatred of the perpetrators will not seduce to hate. It will not drive a wedge through our coexistence. We will reach out to each other, we will talk to each other and we will care for each other.”</p>		<p><u>12</u> <u>21</u> <u>16</u></p>
<p>Awards for The Good</p>	<p>http://www.cnn.com/specials/cnn-heroes</p>	<p>CNN’s 10th Annual Heroes Awards (Dec. 11 2016) “Celebrating What is Good in the World.” Called “The academy awards for good people.” It has been incorporated into schools, with teachers asking students to pay attention to “what makes your heart feel good.”</p> <p>The first awardee—for a program to heal abused women—observed: “Love is the most powerful force for change in the whole world.”</p>		<p><u>12</u> <u>21</u> <u>16</u></p>

Women for Peace	Prayer of the Mothers and Women Wage Peace	Jewish Israeli and Arab Palestinian mothers march together to the song “Prayers of the Mothers” to promote peace.	The song celebrates the Women Wage Peace movement.	<u>12</u> <u>16</u> <u>16</u>
Global Good News	The Intelligent Optimist	A magazine that publishes only positive stories.	“Optimist Daily” is an online service that sends regular links to positive news from around the world in several fields.	<u>12</u> <u>16</u> <u>16</u>
Findhorn	New Story - Findhorn	An initiative of the Findhorn Foundation which also sends weekly positive news stories from around the world.		<u>12</u> <u>12</u> <u>16</u>
Heart of Humanity	HeartMath	“HeartMath was founded by Doc Childre in 1991 to help individuals, organizations and the global community incorporate the heart’s intelligence into their day-to-day experience of life.	“Dedicated to helping activate the heart of humanity, HeartMath is believed to be an inspired initiative in response to an Ashramic impulse.”	<u>12</u> <u>10</u> <u>16</u>
Spiritual Education	Circle of Goodwill	An online program to give inspiration and encouragement to put one’s own findings into daily practice. To bring light into everyday life so that slowly the light will begin to radiate and inspire others.	"May the Light beautify our lives."	<u>12</u> <u>9</u> <u>16</u>
Altruism	CBC News – Sick 15 month old boy	Over 200 Winnipeg citizens take DNA test in hopes of helping boy with leukemia.	Hope, love and sacrifice.	<u>12</u> <u>8</u> <u>16</u>

Spirit of Christmas	NBC News - terminally ill 5 Year old Boy	Moving story in today's news about a sick boy who wanted to celebrate Christmas before he died, and through a coincidence of events, ends up dying happy in Santa's arms.		<u>12</u> <u>6</u> <u>16</u>
People Power	Standing Rock	Indigenous peoples uniting to protest the granting of permits to drill on sacred land in North Dakota. Successful on Dec. 5, 2016 in getting the Army Corps of Engineers to reject the permits.	Demonstration of the power of world prayer, focused thought, unity and peaceful protesting.	<u>12</u> <u>5</u> <u>16</u>
Political Event	Austria defeats right wing populist presidential candidate		Victory for freedom and equality.	
Spiritual Initiative	Esoteric Advent	Begun in 2013, <i>EA</i> is a yearly worldwide program of weekly and daily contemplations focused at Christmas and Easter.	A NGWS initiative preparing for the Reappearance of the Christ.	
Humanity's Crisis and Choice	Un-acknowledged (release pending 2016)	<i>"Unacknowledged"</i> will vividly paint a picture of the profound existential crisis and choice now facing humanity and the Earth: Continue with the status quo and face a near-extinction event, or embrace a new world free of poverty and pollution while looking forward to an interstellar future. One path leads to endless war, global climate and environmental catastrophe and	The purpose of the film is to end the suppression and secrecy surrounding Free Energy technology.	

		<p>upheaval; the other a world of peace, abundance and a sustainable interstellar civilization for thousands of years yet to come.</p>		
<p>Website/ Initiative</p>	<p>CE-5 Initiative</p>	<p>The <i>CE-5 Initiative</i> has as its central focus ‘conscious contact’ -- ETI-human communication based on mutual respect and universal principles.</p>	<p>Helping humanity with the shift.</p>	
<p>Culture of Peace</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FfF0o6LrMlo</p>	<p>Sharon Deep’s talk on a culture of peace to a U.N. committee.</p>		
<p>Cultural Event</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com</p>	<p>Patti Smyth singing the prophetic Dylan song “A Hard Rain’s A Gonna Fall” at the 2016 Nobel Peace Prize ceremonies.</p>	<p>Dylan’s song is prophetic and its choice at this ceremony is somewhat ironic.</p>	
<p>Truth of Past Enshrined in New National Memorial</p>	<p>Equal Justice Initiative</p>	<p>A "Memorial to Peace and Justice" will sit on six acres of land in Montgomery, Alabama and become the nation's first national memorial to victims of lynching.</p>	<p>“There has never been a public accounting for the terrible crimes against humanity committed during slavery and the post-slavery era of racism in America, as there has been in South Africa with the Peace and Truth and Reconciliation Commission, in Rwanda and elsewhere. Now there is a project gaining steam to finally face America’s dark past—bringing the hydra’s heads into the light of day re: slavery, lynching in particular (though it does not address crimes against native Americans). It represents potential for healing and</p>	

			one can sense in it the heart of the Christ.”	
Women’s Rights in Middle East	https://www.c-span.org/video/?193589-1/iraqi-prime-minister-address	Iraqi Prime Minister, Nouri Al-Maliki, addressed a joint session of Congress and spoke of greater equality and respect for Iraqi women.	Though this happened in 2006 it is a sign re: the Mother of the World.	
Person	http://www.resurgence.org	Satish Kumar, founding member of a movement called ‘Resurgence & Ecologist’, which focuses on the environment, activism, social justice, the arts, and ethical living.		
Subtler Science	http://www.cbc.ca/news/technology/scientists-measure-antimatter-atom-for-1st-time-1.3903268	Physicists from CERN in Switzerland have taken another step forward in our understanding of the makeup of the universe.	“Are we beginning to understand the nature of the etheric plane?”	
Prophecy	Winged White Horse Prophecy	A vision of the Winged White Horse of Sagittarius by Lisa Rising Berry	Lisa’s website .	

Reconciliation with Past Wrongs	Apology to the aboriginal people of Australia	Righting the wrongs of the past.	“A very deeply moving Apology by the then prime Minister of Australia to the aboriginal people of Australia. It has reverberated ever since.” (2012)	
Redemption of Past	Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada		“It is wonderful to learn that efforts towards reconciliation with indigenous peoples is active all over the world!”	

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