## A Big Lie: Climate change is the greatest threat to mankind.

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I am really tired of hearing the lie that climate change caused by man-made CO2 emissions will soon lead to irreversible ecological disaster. Let's look at the facts:

- CO2 levels only comprise 0.04% of the Earth's atmosphere. Man-made carbon dioxide comprises about 1/3 of the Earths CO2, or just over one one-hundredths of one percent of the atmosphere.
- A fact sheet issued by the Obama Administration's EPA suggested that the proposed regulations to reduce carbon emissions at power plants would have prevented less than 0.02 degrees Celsius of global warming by 2100.
- A 2020 study by federal researchers stated that "it is premature to conclude with high
  confidence that human activities, and particularly greenhouse gas emissions that cause global
  warming, have already had a detectable impact on human activity.
- In 2019, US CO2 emissions fell by 2.9% compared to 2018 levels. American CO2 emissions now stand approximately 1.5% below 2000 levels even as they continue to rise throughout the rest of the world.

The climate has always changed and always will. I come from MN and grew up with Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter. And each season was different than years before. The climate was always changing. After decades of dire warnings of imminent destruction from climate change, none of the predictive models created by alarmists have been accurate or true. Today leftists blame climate change for heat waves, cold snaps, droughts, floods, hurricanes, and earthquakes. To them nothing is exempt from being caused by climate change. Progressive politicians proclaim climate change is an existential threat to mankind even though climate models predict only a 1-2 degrees Celsius increase in global temperature over the next 50 years. Based on past failures of climate modeling these increases are not likely to occur.

Why do they lie? The Left's theological orthodoxy on climate change becomes clear when they condemn "climate change deniers."

And the Left's solutions to climate change have one thing in common, they place more power in Washington and international organizations. They also demand a tremendous amount of sacrifice from regular Americans in return for negligible future gains. Look no further than the "Green New Deal," a proposal light on details but intended to "massively transform our society."

The Left isn't actually interested in improving the environment. As the data show, many of the societal transformations they are advocating would result in little to no reduction in actual pollutants. But those transformations would lead to government control of everything from the car you drive, to the food you eat, to how you travel. Control is their game, nothing else. Climate change as a threat to mankind is a lie. People that advocate it are liars.