

daharja (1 year ago)

Thanks for a fantastic video.

They say a butterfly flapping its wings in one part of the world can cause a tornado in another. This video is being posted all over the blogosphere, and the sustainability bloggers are abuzz with it. You've encouraged us all to prove what can be done not with big spaces, but with small ones.

Thank you so much for sharing your wisdom and your lives with us.

Leanne

(Melbourne, Australia)

turoski77 (11 months ago)

Simply put, this is the revolution. You and your family are the start to something on a whole new level. Inspiration, dedication, and motivation is all that I can feel. I will follow in your footsteps, and teach all others about what I've learned over the years about horticulture. I love this video. I thought that I was the only one who had a dream like your own. Thank you very much for your video. God bless.

verdeco (11 months ago)

I have been drowning in a sea of gloom and doom. This video has gently nudged me out of my stupor and has reminded me why I even started paying attention to all that needs to be changed in the first place.

I can start this right now, right here, today, in my own backyard. I don't need to wait for oil to run out, or the Great Depression Part II. This is something that I can do for my family and for myself.

VideoJudgment (8 months ago)

Beautiful, educational, necessary video for today! Very inspiring!

anonsummer (8 months ago)

i started a small garden in my apartment, this video i will share with as many people as possible, thank you for living free and sharing

anyusmoon1 (6 months ago)

What a fresh and wonderfully hopeful suggestion for folks to actually solve problems through ACTION.

Love this.

doctordude (6 months ago)
one of the best videos I've ever seen on youtube. Nice job.

iadornu (4 months ago)
Thank you for this amazing inspiration. My husband and I want to do a similar urban homestead in sunny Las Vegas. Thank you!

Anniebear561 (4 months ago)
Wow this is empowering.
-Anne

hobbitpat (4 months ago)
one word explains this video - inspirational, no better feeling then growing your own food :)

RANGERBEAN (3 months ago)
Great Video Fantastic Information
I say send this video to everyone and to everyone I say plant your seeds and grow your freedom.

hiddenmind (3 months ago)
Wow, this is true revolution at its roots. If 1 of 10 American families does this, it will change the country.

EffieJane1 (2 months ago)
Wow wow and WOW! Our growing season is over here on the east coast, but look out next year!
Inspiring!!!

neuraxianfusion (1 month ago)
Enough excuses. I plan to grow my own home garden next year. To the extent that I can supplement most, if not all, of my diet. Thank you, thank you, thank you for the inspiration.

Date: February 1, 2009

After I cried, I sent your video on to all of my friends. Two of them wrote back to say they cried and sent it to all of their friends.

What you are doing is amazing (and of course it shouldn't be-it should just be life). I am certain that you are the Nearing of the times and your actions will be a legacy and a model for the world to follow.

Thanks for your inspiration and dedication to living the good life in the city. What you are doing isn't just feeding your family, but feeding the world as you provide others with a courageous path to freedom and health.

Thanks so much for doing what you are doing!

TF

Date: December 31, 2008

I came across your videos while searching for inspiration on starting our own garden. I certainly found inspiration in your story! I used your goals to create my own goals of self-sufficiency. Your photos gave me permission to use my front yard as well as my back yard (I was afraid to take out my front lawn). And I've shared your video with my family and closest friends to inspire them to begin growing food in their own yards! Thank you for sharing your story.

SC

Date: July 15, 2008

I just want to thank you for posting your videos on YouTube. They inspired my whole family to really get into gardening because it showed them what was possible.

AJ

Date: January 31, 2008

A friend sent me a link to your YouTube movie, very inspiring. I am nearing retirement age and want to do what you are doing, grow as much organic produce as possible and have chickens for eggs. Thanks for sharing.

AL

Date: May 31, 2008

Subject: your YouTube "Homegrown Revolution" inspired me

Dear Homegrown folks,

I'm 55 years young, a pastor in Scottsdale, Arizona. born in New York, went to Woodstock (the original one), happily married and have 5 delightful grandkids (and one on the way). I saw your YouTube "Homegrown Revolution" back in March of this year, and that last line - that if you want to change the world, it all starts with the changing one's self first, well - it got to me. I decided right there that I'm going to do something about changing the world by doing something radical - changing myself; getting out of my "city-thinkin'-comfort-zone" and get my hands dirty - like people did throughout the ages in every culture.

I've done just about no gardening all my life [...]. But I decided to get free and just "go for it." [...] I went to Home Depot, got the material to build 4 huge raised garden boxes (3 @ 4' X 4' and one 10' X 4' - with irrigation - drip system in each box), I ordered 4 1/2 tons of Organic soil, and, with my lovely wife, planted vegetables, herbs, flowers, trees and beautied my back yard. I don't know what got into me - but whatever it was, it was very good! It truly does bring a sense of freedom...can't explain it...it has to be experienced. And if I can do it, anyone can! Anyway, here are the pictures.

Thanks for your inspiration.

ML

Date: May 27, 2008

Subject: Eyes Opened

I finished watching videos about the garden and it was inspiring. For a long time, I wanted to do something right for the earth but didn't know what. Thank you for helping me find my cause. I never thought a home can do so much. I plan on starting my own garden tomorrow. Thank you

DS

Date: May 26, 2008

Subject: Hau mikola!

My wife found you guys on YouTube today and this gives us great inspiration and hope during these unstable times. We are looking forward to being able to do this in the near future. Thanks for sharing your lives and useful info and hope for normal food like I grew up with!

TW