



NEW DOCUMENTARY EXPLORES THE COMING DEMISE OF THE AMERICAN LIFESTYLE

What a Way to Go: Life at the End of Empire reveals an even more “inconvenient truth”

What: Wholesome vegetarian soup and bread meal followed by screening of “What a Way to Go” documentary. After the film people are encouraged to stay and talk about their reactions to the film. The discussion will be facilitated by Barbara Anderson, retired philosophy professor, founder of the Center for Sustainability at PSU and the O-An Zendo. This event is part of a new series of Sustainability Talks sponsored by Ahimsa Village Community.

When: Friday, 10/12 - Soup at 6PM; film 6:30 - 8:30 pm; discussion 9-10pm

Where: O-An Zendo at Julian Woods Community, Julian Woods Lane, Julian, PA 16844

Suggestion Donation: \$5 benefits the Ahimsa Education Committee

Described by Jan Lundberg at www.CultureChange.org as “perhaps the most important media message of our time”, *What a Way to Go*, features interviews with Daniel Quinn, Derrick Jensen, Jerry Mander, Richard Heinberg, William Catton, Paul Roberts, Chellis Glendinning, Thomas Berry, Richard Manning and Ran Prieur. It looks head on at our present global predicament, as oil depletion, climate change, species extinction and population overshoot converge in a “perfect storm” of cataclysmic dimensions.

*“Nothing less than a 123-minute cat scan of the planet and its
twenty-first century human and non-human condition.”*

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If you'd like more information, or wish to contact the producers, visit their website at www.whatawaytogomovie.com or email producer@whatawaytogomovie.com .

Ahimsa Village is a newly forming intentional community near State College, Pennsylvania. Ahimsa Village will consist of residential and nonresidential members, an education center, and small business enterprises. Activities include agroforestry; organic farming; summer camp; and workshops and classes on sustainable systems. The living environment is both vegetarian and ecologically friendly. Ahimsa Village is part of a 323-acre School of Living community land trust. We are located next to the Julian Woods Community. Our mission is to create a space that demonstrates the vitality of life, cultivating a physical and social environment that inspires people to "be the change they want to see in the world" (Mahatma Gandhi). In this light, we seek to be a model for reversing current social patterns that create over-individualism and alienation from nature. To learn more go to www.ahimsavillage.org, email info@ahimsavillage.org, 355-0850