## Destroying Food to Fight Climate Change Is Madness And A Conceit That Could Prove Fatal

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On Earth Day, a 50-year-old environmentalist and photographer from Colorado named Wynn Alan Bruce <u>lit himself on fire</u> outside the US Supreme Court.

Friends of Bruce, who subsequently died, said he was worried about climate change.

"This guy was my friend," said Kritee Kanko, a senior scientist at the Environmental Defense Fund. "This was not an act of suicide. This is a deeply fearless act of compassion to bring attention to [the] climate crisis."

Bruce's act of immolation is one example of increasing fear of climate change, a fear that is damaging humans in various ways, including a surge in so-called "climate anxiety."

This fear is also manifesting itself in other ways, including the realm of public policy.

Many countries around the world are aggressively pursuing net-zero carbon emission plans designed to mitigate the effects of global warming.

## 'Losing' a Million Sheep and Cattle

While people tend to think reducing emissions involves shutting down coal plants, driving more electric vehicles, and relying more on solar and wind power—each of which comes with environmental and economic costs—these are not the only policies on the table.

Increasingly governments are targeting a different emission source: food (livestock specifically). The reasons for this are not hard to find.

No less an authority than the <u>US Environmental Protection Agency</u> (EPA) notes that about one third of climate warming from greenhouse gasses stems from human-caused emissions of methane. While CO2 gets more attention, the EPA notes that methane is actually a more potent greenhouse gas, trapping about 30 times as much heat as CO2 over a century.

A new law in Northern Ireland sets a target of zero net emissions by 2050, and the BBC reports the legislation includes a proposed 46 percent reduction in methane emissions.

Since about a third of human-caused methane gasses come from livestock, Northern Ireland is looking at a huge reduction of farm animals—especially sheep and cattle—to meet that goal.

"Northern Ireland will need to lose more than 1 million sheep and cattle to meet its new legally binding climate emissions targets," *The Guardian* recently reported.

Specifically, according to estimates from the Ulster Farmers' Union, some 500,000 cattle and roughly 700,000 sheep would have to "be lost in order for Northern Ireland to meet the new climate targets."

While the pig and poultry sectors also will need to be cut to meet emission targets, climate officials said these sectors are less harmful to the environment than "red meat" livestock.

"If you look at the evidence on the lifecycle of greenhouse gas emissions, the red meat livestock sources – beef, dairy, sheep – have the highest emissions because they're ruminant and they have high methane emissions," Ewa Kmietowicz, head of the land use mitigations team at the Climate Change Committee told the paper.

Chris Stark, CCC chief executive, told *The Guardian* that a switch to arable farming would likely be necessary to maintain food production levels.

## **Let Them Eat Synthetic Beef**

What is happening in Northern Ireland is part of a much larger push to wean humans off red meat, particularly beef, which humans consume to the tune of <u>350 million tons</u> each year.

Many people, including Microsoft founder Bill Gates, have argued nations have a responsibility to transition off beef for environmental reasons.

"I do think all rich countries should move to 100% synthetic beef," Gates remarked in an interview with MIT Technology Review last year. "You can get used to the taste difference, and the claim is they're going to make it taste even better over time."

Gates doesn't really explain how this transition should occur, but we're beginning to see.

While there's no question that <u>global temperatures are rising</u>—14 percent per decade, on average—people should find the efforts by central planners to curb climate change more alarming than rising temps.

Such policies have the earmarks of failed collectivist programs of the past, such as FDR's "porcine slaughter of the innocents," which saw millions of pigs and sows destroyed while people were going hungry—all in an attempt to keep prices high.

FDR's mad program was child's play, however, compared to Chairman Mao, who had plans to revolutionize China's agricultural sector with his Great Leap Forward.

Things didn't go as planned. It turned out food production was more complex than Mao anticipated. Via Britannica Online:

"The inefficiency of the communes and the large-scale diversion of farm labor into small-scale industry disrupted China's agriculture seriously, and three consecutive years of natural calamities added to what quickly turned into a national disaster; in all, about 20 million people were estimated to have died of starvation between 1959 and 1962."

Did you catch that? **Twenty million people died** under Mao's collectivist effort.

Nor was this the first man-made famine created by socialists. In 1932 and 1933, millions of Ukrainians died in a famine engineered by the Soviet Union.

"In the case of the Holodomor, this was the first genocide that was methodically planned out and perpetrated by depriving the very people who were producers of food of their nourishment (for survival)," wrote historian Andrea Graziosi, a professor at the University of Naples.

The genocide, Graziosi notes, was not just tragic but ironic in that it took place in a region globally recognized as the "breadbasket of Europe."

These accounts remind us of a dark and disturbing reality highlighted by economist Thomas Sowell.

"Many of the greatest disasters of our time have been created by experts," Sowell has observed.

In his Nobel Prize <u>acceptance speech</u>, the economist F.A. Hayek explained that such disasters stem from the lack of humility among central planners about the knowledge (or lack thereof) they possess in their *"fatal striving to control society."* 

Above all else, Hayek said, the role of economics is to temper such grand plans.

"The curious task of economics is to demonstrate to [humans] how little they really know about what they imagine they can design," Hayek observed in The Fatal Conceit.

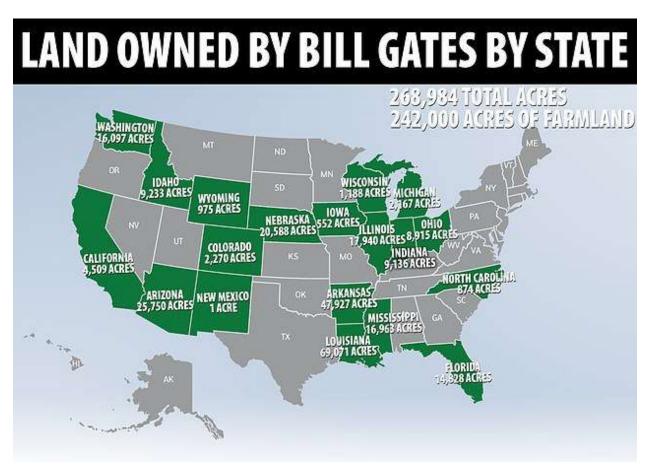
Attempting to curb climate change by destroying food supplies may not appear quite as crazy as lighting oneself on fire in front of the Supreme Court to protest a lack of government action on climate change.

But it may ultimately prove to be even more deadly.

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Jonathan Miltimore's article brings to the surface the real issue of Climate Change, that which we eat at the dinner table. In a previous article, I noted that the largest farm land owner was Bill Gates. Since he is no more a farmer than I am, we all have wondered what was his purpose in buying up land all across the U.S. I hesitate to answer for the Microsoft founder, but it is certainly worthy of discussion.



You are looking at 268,984 acres of prime farm land according to many in agriculture.

Bill Gates' Franken food to replace beef follows on from burnt down food factories

(<u>Natural News</u>) From the halting of fertilizer and animal feed shipments to the waves of arson that have burnt down food factories in America, the Biden Administration seems to be strategically and nefariously deconstructing America's agricultural infrastructure, but why? One reason is to convert the entire "meat" industry from real food into Franken-food. This plan, along with pushing blood-clotting vaccines for Wuhan

coronavirus (COVID-19), will ensure the population reduction plan goes into full swing sooner rather than later. Expensive and toxic test-tube meat made in a laboratory is coming to every store near you, and it won't just be a choice, it will be the ONLY choice.



Bill Gates is busy with his depopulation plans such as engineered food shortages then soon to get rid of red meat and replace it with a Franken food test tube concoction.

Cell-based, genetically modified meat is disgusting and a dangerous food experiment that will be all but FORCED on Americans, along with clot shots.

Most meat-eaters refuse to eat meat grown in a lab, but if given no other choice, will probably convert. Food shortages are being engineered across the board in America, and it's no coincidence about all the halting of feed and fertilizer trains, burning down of food factories, and boycotting imports from breadbasket countries.

Throwing gasoline on the fire in Ukraine (under the guise of NATO) is not helping the food shortage situation, all intended to drive Americans into eating only GMO-Franken foods for every meal and snack. Get ready for a gel-like substance grown in test tubes from the blood of animals, that's genetically modified and mutated to cause sickness in anything that consumes it. No safety tests have been run for human consumption of Bill Gates' GM meat, not for the short term or long term.

Once all animal feed supplies are destroyed and cut off from farmers in America, they will be forced to sell their farm animals for slaughter just to pay their bills, and then there will be no more livestock at all, just lab-meat made from stored blood. Fake steak. Fake burger. Fake chicken. Fake turkey. Fake pig.

Artificial meat is "built" with microbes and fungus, including fake meat, dairy, egg, and even lab-made "breast milk" substitutes.

Ready to be part of the grand cancer experiment? No? Maybe you should avoid Franken-meat, and Franken-eggs, and Franken-breast-milk then. From Ginkgo Bioworks and Motif Foodworks, to Nature's Fynd and BioMilq, lab-grown animal junk science is coming to stores near you, for good.

Wave goodbye to meat from actual animals that roamed the Earth. Wave goodbye to actual animal by-products like eggs and milk, because the Biden Regime, Bill Gates, and the other globalist pigs want everyone eating Franken-foods and getting injected with Franken-vaccines.

First Bill Gates pushed his nasty lab-grown meat stuff on third world countries, but now he's pushing it on everyone, everywhere.

Here's Bill Gates trying to turn the world's populace into Franken-Zombies who eat artificial meat every meal and get clot shots every 3 months until we reduce the world's population by a few billion. Here's Gates' plan to end all real meat and sell just lab-concocted junk-science funk: "I do think all rich countries should move to 100 percent synthetic beef. You can get used to the taste difference, and the claim is they're going to make it taste better over time. Eventually, that green premium is modest enough that you can sort of change the [behavior] of people or use regulation to totally shift the demand."

Bill Gates is very angry that Big Food won't yet allow him to call this bloody-lab-funk made from cow abortions "meat." He wants to end "meat" as we know it and substitute it all with his mass-funded lab concoctions.

That's why rail carriers are being forced to halt shipments of grain to cow herds across America — it's an engineered meat collapse to "shift the demand" to Franken-meat. Remember, the Health Ranger has called this out already in several articles, where halting this feed for animals is devastating the farmer's ability to keep livestock alive and producing products without killing them all off to do it. **America's food infrastructure is being deliberately shut down,** as Mike Adams has stated.

Blessings,

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