

# David Foreman

## Quotes

*Population, Cancer, World, Environmental, Race, Rivers, Earth, Animal,  
Biosphere, Zero, Working Together, Limits, Ebola, Ice, Islands, Fire, Earth Day,  
Eugenics, Beautiful, Aids Epidemic*

I believe that human overpopulation is the fundamental problem on Earth Today" and, "We humans have become a disease, the Humanpox

~David Foreman

Our environmental problems originate in the hubris of imagining ourselves as the central nervous system or the brain of nature. We're not the brain, we are a cancer on nature.

~David Foreman

Phasing out the human race will solve every problem on earth, social and environmental.

~David Foreman

The AIDS epidemic, rather than being a scourge, is a welcome development in the inevitable reduction of human population... If it didn't exist, radical environmentalists would have to invent it.

~David Foreman

We must all work together in order to save the environment and the world that we live in from further change.

~David Foreman

There is no more honorable thing any of us can do with our lives than to work to put part of the world off-limits to the activities of human beings.

~David Foreman

We advocate biodiversity for biodiversity's sake. It may take our extinction to set things straight.

~David Foreman

... do something. Pay your rent for the privilege of living on this beautiful, blue-green, living Earth.

~David Foreman

The human race could go extinct and I for one would not shed any tears.

~David Foreman

Never Get Into An Argument With A Customer. If You Win The Argument You Will Almost Invariably Lose The Sale. And I Don't Like Your Chances For A Sale If You Lose The Argument Either.

~David Foreman

The optimum human population of earth is zero.

~David Foreman

I founded Friends of the Earth to make the Sierra Club look reasonable. Then I founded the Earth Island Institute to make Friends of the Earth seem reasonable.

~David Foreman

An Ice Age is coming and I welcome it as much-needed changing. I see no solution to our ruination of earth except for a drastic reduction of the human population.

~David Foreman

Capitalism is a cancer in the biosphere.

~David Foreman

Humanity is the cancer of nature.

~David Foreman

Free shackled rivers!...The finest fantasy of eco-warriors in the West is the destruction of [Glen Canyon] Dam and the liberation of the Colorado [River].

~David Foreman

My heroes used to be cowboys.

~David Foreman

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