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Quotes

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Limits, Denial, Doe, Sea, Running, Risk, Atmosphere, Long, Mean, Energy,
Years, Air*

Geoengineering means changing the Earth's fundamental large-scale processes.

~Graciela Chichilnisky

Climate change is new and complex. We don't have all the answers.

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We are in the midst of the 6th largest extinction event in the history of the plant and the first caused by human action.

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While denial leads to certainty, it is only the certainty of death. This is true for individuals and also for civilizations.

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Carbon negative power plants can provide energy while they overcome poverty and change economic values in the right direction.

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The sun is the source of all energy on planet Earth and we cannot experiment with our only energy source.

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The transformation of capitalism is unstoppable because we need limits on resources for humans to survive.

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The new markets that arise from ecological constraints will dominate the 21st century economy, and so will markets for knowledge.

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To survive, humans need food, water, and air. Yet biodiversity, the Earth's bodies of water, and the planet's atmosphere are all under threat.

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We need to support our future instead of undermining human survival.
Let's do it.

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If nuclear warfare is believed to be somewhat controlled, then climate change is now the greatest threat.

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Technology is a many-headed monster and perhaps it would be better to regress to a safer past and avoid technological change; it is tempting to think like that.

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Trying to conserve a privileged global position makes change traumatic for the US.

~Graciela Chichilnisky

Climate change is due to the use of energy for industrial growth, which has been and is overwhelmingly based on fossil fuels.

~Graciela Chichilnisky

We need a transformation of the world economy and of how we use and share the Earth's resources. We are running out of time. We are truly at the point of no return.

~Graciela Chichilnisky

The "can do" logic, by its own nature, does not accept limits. And an empire does not have a graceful way to evolve out of this role. History demonstrates this time and again.

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After denial comes anger and finally, acceptance.

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Signs of a poorly understood but treatable house fire requires action, not inaction.

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As difficult as it is to eliminate the risk of nuclear warfare, it requires fewer changes to the global economy than does averting or reversing climate change.

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The consensus is that climate change ranks along with nuclear warfare as the top two risks facing human civilization.

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