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Unsafe Drinking Water Is, Well, Unsafe To Drink

Water is like air, we need it to survive. Lots of unique, beautiful, strange, and amazing creatures live in our hydrosphere, and people are dumping trash and oil into the water, by doing that lots of those creatures are dying and are having to find new habitats. This also affects us. Those creatures are food, and the water they left is unsuitable for drinking. That trash seeps into the ground, and goes into the ocean, that connects to streams, and finally into our drinking water. The water on earth is important to us and all of the creatures in our homes, in our forests, our oceans, jungles, deserts and basically everywhere. With that being said, one issue that is facing our hydrosphere is pollution in our water that is making it unsafe to drink. But it's not hopeless, we can still fix this problem if we have enough helping hands to do so.

All over the world there is unsafe drinking water that is polluted and unsafe to drink. Something that might cause drinking water to become contaminated is if you get your water directly from a lake, river, stream or pond. People could easily be dumping manure or oil and other chemicals into the water on accident or on purpose, but that still doesn't negate that you are drinking chemical waste. By drinking water that contains chemicals you could get very sick or develop a deadly virus, which you could spread to other people, and most people don't have safe drinking water like in Africa, Florida, and many other places.

This is mostly due to what I said previously but this also happens because of plastic being dumped into our water supplies. Micro plastics are able to get into these water sources and make people be sick. Also, did you know that 7 billion pounds of plastic gets dumped in Lake Champlain every year? That's insane! I could only imagine how much plastic gets dumped into our rivers and ponds, and how many water supplies Lake Champlain drains into. Anyway, if we don't deal with the problem of not having enough safe drinking water, we would all get sick and die, and I'm guessing we don't want that. What I mean is, if we don't do something about this problem there will be no clean water to drink, we would take dirty showers, brush our teeth with dirty water, cook with dirty water. We could get food poisoning from the things we cook, and we could get sick from brushing our teeth and drinking dirty water. But there are some solutions.

Here are a few solutions that can help with our problem of having drinking water we can't drink:

- You could donate to places that are dealing with this issue!

By donating you can help with how much average money these people spend on projects to fix our water. Also, if they have any money left over they can use that money on their next job.

- Let people know!

You can help people become aware that their drinking water isn't very safe, and you could also try to email a news anchor and ask them to try to let people know that this is a problem, and we need to fix it.

- Contact places that specialize in this problem!

If you know someone who has unsafe drinking water and you want to help them, you can contact a place that can help them with their dirty water problem.

As you can see, if we all work together we can achieve anything! Millions of people with unsafe drinking water are dying every year, and that will stay the same if we don't change that. If you are still wondering what to do... Well, Here's A Solution!

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