

The Next American Revolution Sustainable Activism For Twenty First Century Grace Lee Boggs

Looks at the problems with America's current economic system offers a revolutionary way forward that the author claims is not corporate capitalism or state socialism, but rather a system that is uniquely American.

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"Our current environmental crises-- most notably, climate change-- call on us to upgrade to a new way of life that will sustain us and our world far into the future. When you read this timely, accessible, and thought-provoking book, you will discover: We already have the capacities and tools to create a health and environmental revolution; Specific actions you and I can take now that will help us and our world prosper -- not just in the future, but immediately; How the strategies shared in this book can uplift our society and democracy; Why creating a high-tech and high-nature way of life could spark an economic boom ... Through science and stories, Our Earth, Our Species, Our Selves makes the case for hope, optimism, and practical solutions we can take individually and collectively to green our technology, green our economy, strengthen our democracy, and create social equality."--Page 4 of cover.

Tim Euston was willing to risk his life for his nation's independence and his opportunity came when a murder led him into a dangerous involvement with smugglers and spies. It was 1777, the end of the second year of the American Revolution, and the town of Yonkers was on the Neutral Ground - the no man's land that separated the British on Manhattan Island from the Americans to the north. On a cold January night, Tim Euston was thrown in jail - accused of robbery by the man who had his hands on Tim's fourteen-year-old sister, Sadie. Two days later the only adult who could testify to Tim's innocence was found dead. Testimonies of friends were enough to get Tim out of jail but the father of one of these boys was wrongfully convicted. Who was the real killer? Those with motives had alibis, and many just did not care. Both the man killed and the man punished were poor and powerless. But Tim Euston cared. They were his friends. Tim wanted justice and he would keep looking until the real killer was identified.

Rise Above Now

A New Edition

Game-Changing Advisory Boards

What You Must We

Reclaiming Family, Friendship, and Community

Doctor Zhivago & an Anatomy of a Revolution

James Boggs (1919-1993) and Grace Lee Boggs (1915-2015) were two largely unsung but critically important figures in the black freedom struggle. Born and raised in Alabama, James Boggs came to Detroit during the Great Migration, becoming an automobile worker and a union activist. Grace Lee was a Chinese American scholar who studied Hegel, worked with Caribbean political theorist C. L. R. James, and moved to Detroit to work toward a new American revolution. As husband and wife, the couple was influential in the early stages of what would become the Black Power movement, laying the intellectual foundation for racial and urban struggles during one of the most active social movement periods in recent U.S. history. Stephen Ward details both the personal and the political dimensions of the Boggses' lives, highlighting the vital contributions these two figures made to black activist thinking. At once a dual biography of two crucial figures and a vivid portrait of Detroit as a center of activism, Ward's book restores the Boggses, and the intellectual strain of black radicalism they shaped, to their rightful place in postwar American history.

"As enjoyable as a day at the beach." That's how USA TODAY summed up this hilarious and big-hearted romp in the Florida sunshine. When Murray Zemelman, a.k.a. The Bra King, pops another Prozac and heads to the Keys, he has nothing much in mind beyond a quixotic hope of winning back his first wife, Franny, whom he dumped years before. But when he forms an unlikely friendship with Tommy Tarpon, the last remaining member of an obscure Indian tribe, another plan also starts shaping up in his fevered brain. Why not open up Key West's first casino? Why not? Well, how about because the Mafia, in league with some of the nastiest politicians you will ever meet, is determined to kill anyone who tries? Somehow, Murray, Tommy, and Franny didn't think of that until they were in way too deep. Laugh along as they improvise a manic and ever more desperate campaign to keep their casino dreams--and themselves--alive.

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21 exciting tales of Alternate History! What if fate had turned out differently in these United States? What if the Louisiana Purchase never happened? What if George Washington had been a Loyalist? What if a billionaire cloned the Founding Fathers? What if the Vikings had settled North America? What if the Apollo 11 moon landing had failed? These and many other scenarios are explored in Altered America! Featuring stories by Jackson Kuhl, Dan Gainer, Bruno Lombardi, Edmund Wells, Sam Kepleid, Brad Halford, Erik Bundy, Dusty Wallace, Owen Morgan, Ryan McCall, Jason Sharp, Sean Menken, William R.D. Wood, Jeff Provine, James S. Dorr, Martin T. Ingham, Lauren A. Fory, Cyrus P. Underwood, Charles Wilcox, and Philip Overby.

Pages from a Black Radical's Notebook

Sustainable Activism for the Twenty-First Century, Updated and Expanded Edition, New Afterword with Immanuel Wallerstein

Renew and Sustain

Conversations in Maine

Don't go there. It's not safe. You'll die. And other more >> rational advice for overlanding Mexico & Central America

An Autobiography

All profits from the sale of Shiftability will be donated to charity water.org. Acclaimed business leaders Mitch Little and Hendre Coetzee share their decades of expertise in this innovative guidebook focused on helping you succeed in the sales force. The ways we do business and engage with customers are constantly changing in our high-tech, global world. Sales professionals must also change their methods to reach clients. In their book Mitch and Hendre show how to achieve the mind-set shift you need first in order to have the capacity to change your methodologies. Mitch's expertise comes from leading sales and marketing teams at Microchip Technology, which reached its one-hundredth consecutive quarter of profitability in 2015. Hendre is a transformation specialist and advises business executives and boards on reaching their full potential. Together, these experts identified six core shifts--some surprising--that will empower sales professionals and lead to success. The sales world will continue to undergo dramatic changes. New strategies and methods are essential, but they require the right mind-set. Shiftability lays the necessary mental groundwork sales professionals need in order to implement these changes in methodology and thrive in a new environment. Brent Adamson, author of The Challenger Sale and The Challenger Customer, reiterates the importance of adaptability in the sales profession in his foreword. Have you ever questioned life and wonder why you? Can you hear yourself saying, "Is there more to life than this?" I can identify this with you. Did you know? Our brain process approximately 70,000 thoughts on an average day. Often many wonder why so many give up and quit in life. In this book I will show you how to rise above mediocrity. No more settling for less than God's best and only fantasizing about your heart desires - Its time you Rise Above, Now.

A-State Department of Sustainability: Software Applications in Business Project A-State Department of Sustainabilityis a fictional organization in which the student works as the Executive Assistant. The project consists of 28 workdays (June 1 - July 8) during which students complete the following tasks: Create and update spreadsheets, databases, charts, graphs, an organizational chart and Gantt Chart; write business letters, memos, emails, a slogan, and press release; design a letterhead, brochure, advertisement, flyer, t-shirt, web site and blog; organize a global conference and conduct problem solving. Instructors may assign tutorials for software as needed. Tutorials are not included in the text. All assignments refer to "spreadsheet, database, word processing, ect." so the instructors/students can use their preferred software brands. Examples of how to format letters, memos, emails, and spreadsheets are included. In the optional research and presentation components students research and present topics related to global and domestic sustainability. This textbook has been designed for lower-level and upper-level courses and can be easily adapted for in-class or online use. From the author: I created this textbook while teaching Software Applications in Business because I could not find a suitable text. I have conducted many iterations of refinement during classroom use. Many years of industry experience together with a 15-year State University of New York tenure have enabled me to design a textbook that will meet the needs of instructors who wish to create a realistic experience which builds a skill set that students can confidently take into the workplace. Students have returned after graduation and told me this was a valuable class and they could immediately utilize the skills they developed during the class in their current jobs. For more information: https://www.facebook.com/AStateDepartmentOfSustainability This book provides a concise and instructive review of the revolutions of the twentieth century, with separate chapters on the Russian, Chinese, Guinea-Bissau, and Vietnamese revolutions, in which the authors seek to extract the principle lessons from each of these struggles and the special course taken by each. In these and in a summary chapter on the dialectics of revolution the authors furnish a picture of the principal aspects of Marxism, Leninism, Maoism, and the other currents of Marxism active in the revolutions of our times. A second section is devoted to the United States, and begins with a survey of the class forces in American history from the settlement of the original thirteen colonies to the present, with special attention to the enslaved black population. Thereafter, the authors present their ideas on the objects and means of an American Revolution.Includes new introduction by Grace Lee Boggs.

Rediscover the Constitution and Get America Out of Its Fiscal Death Spiral

Our Earth, Our Species, Our Selves

Life with an Accent

The Next American Revolution

How We Show Up

A-State Department of Sustainability

Meditations on activism following the turbulent 1960s—back in print After the Detroit Rebellion of 1967, James and Grace Lee Boggs decided they should rethink what activism looks like. Pairing with trusted veteran activists Freddy and Lyman Paine, they ruminated on central questions emerging from their politics and activism, and they do so in a way that human beings share for the future. The recorded dialogue among these four friends invites readers to consider the fundamentals of activism with tough, thought-provoking questions. Their conversations at the Paines' home on Sutton Island, Maine, not only function as political act but also present unsettling truths and develop connections to the present. This book is a call to all citizens to work together and think deeply about the kind of future we can create.

In the year 2040, America faces divide. Terrorist assaults, racial conflicts and political opportunists threaten its very survival. A riveting, thought-provoking tale, Melting Point 2040 explores the human costs of an America growing apart - following intertwined lives of a young Mexican immigrant, a disconnected survival gaming fanatic, a UN peacekeeper, and a young girl. As the world around them changes, the four protagonists resolve disputes on their terms. It's a different world. America's economic supremacy has been surpassed. Computer programs drive cars that shape around passengers. English is no longer the primary language in several of 52 states. With a second Great Depression embedded in the nation's mindset and many issues unresolved for generations, the Civil War is coming to full boil. America's future may depend on a reluctant hero.

Poems about animals we live around, nature and its affects on us, also other things to pause and think about. Contains color pictures. This is a paperback with thirty-six pages, twenty-eight poems.

September 11th, 2001 was America's wake up call to terrorism. Unfortunately, we hit the snooze alarm. The next wave of terror attacks won't be nation shaking, cataclysmic events. We're ready for that. Instead, they'll be minor, localized nightmares. Mere pinpricks to our country, but catastrophic to the small towns that find themselves isolated. We can do to stop it from happening - or is there? A gritty novel extrapolated from real world events, this fast-paced, riveting thriller will leave you alarmed, angry, and awestruck at America's unpreparedness for the next wave of terror attacks. Some might refer to it as death by a thousand cuts, but the counterterrorism community calls it a sweeping wrongheaded security infrastructure and a testament to the resilience, resourcefulness, and integrity of the average American. You'll wonder why it hasn't happened already. Perhaps it's happening right now...

A Cutting Edge Approach to Being Socially Responsible, Environmentally Conscious, and Incredibly Profitable for Businesses, Schools, and Government.

Small Ball

Choose This Day

Altered America

A James Boggs Reader

Gone to America

A teenage boy uncovers a horrific family secret. A widower seeks vengeance on the creatures that killed his wife. A drug addled writer stalks the woman of his dreams, a woman much more sinister than she appears. A federal agent races to find the cursed relic powering this city full of spooks, spirits, and serial killers. The lives of these and others will collide in the dark and dangerous streets of AdlerLass. A seed of evil was planted under AdlerLass, a city where monsters hide behind masks of humanity and ordinary people shuffle anesthetized and addicted by the sickly supernatural power wafting up from below. The city was built over the crystalline skull of a bloodthirsty beast. Now, the hunt is on for this lost treasure and whoever finds it first will control the fate not only of AdlerLass but of the entire world. sixteen-year-old Simon Cubbins, young and naive, may be the key to unlocking the mystery buried in this twisted labyrinth of hidden agendas. He also unknowingly harbors a secret that could destroy the Cubbins bloodline. As different characters fight for control over Simon, he will have to decide whether or not to carry on his family's legacy.

A world dominated by America and driven by cheap oil, easy credit, and conspicuous consumption is unraveling before our eyes. In this powerful, deeply humanistic book, Grace Lee Boggs, a legendary figure in the struggle for justice in America, shrewdly assesses the current crisis--political, economical, and environmental--and shows how to create the radical social change we need to confront new realities. A vibrant, inspirational force, Boggs has participated in all of the twentieth century's major social movements--for civil rights, women's rights, workers' rights, and more. She draws from seven decades of activist experience, and a rigorous commitment to critical thinking, to redefine "revolution" for our times. From her home in Detroit, she reveals how hope and creativity are overcoming despair and decay within the most devastated urban communities. Her book is a manifesto for creating alternative modes of work, politics, and human interaction that will collectively constitute the next American Revolution.

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No one can tell in advance what form a movement will take. Grace Lee Boggs's fascinating autobiography traces the story of a woman who transcended class and racial boundaries to pursue her passionate belief in a better society. Now with a new foreword by Robin D. G. Kelley, Living for Change is a sweeping account of a legendary human rights activist whose network included Malcolm X and C. L. R. James. From the end of the 1930s, through the Cold War, the Civil Rights era, and the rise of the Black Panthers to later efforts to rebuild crumbling urban communities, Living for Change is an exhilarating look at a remarkable woman who dedicated her life to social justice.

Melting Point 2040

Revolution and Evolution

Heartbeat of Struggle

Sustainable Activism for the Twenty-First Century

America Faces Divide

Straight Talk about the Next American Revolution

An anatomy of a revolution through the perspective of a free individual. "This is how Greece became Rome and how the Russian Enlightenment became the October Revolution." Doctor Zhivago -- Boris Pasternak

Carol Tyler has been a professional (and highly acclaimed) cartoonist for over 20 years, appearing in such venues as Weirdo, Wimmen's Comix, and Drawn & Quarterly magazine. But over the years her status as a working mother has drastically curtailed her ability to set aside time for her cartooning. Thus each rare new story from her pen has been greeted with hurrahsas well they should be, because she's one of the most skillful, caustic, and emphatic cartoon storytellers of her generation. This new book presents the biggest, richest and most delightful collection of Tyler's work to date featuring many new and previously unpublished works. p.p1 {margin: 0.0px 0.0px 0.0px 0.0px; font: 13.9px Arial; color: #424242}

Clearly, the "normal" way of life is the opposite of genuine sustainability, and it has an expiration date. Any way of life that is fully in balance with the family of life must be genuinely sustainable, a healthy path with a future. At present, too few really comprehend this concept. It would be wise to learn, and Sustainable or Bust is a useful tool for the job.Seven-point-something billion people can't switch to sustainable living this afternoon, because it's temporarily impossible. But the collapse of industrial civilization is now in its early stages, and when it's done, the human sphere will be much smaller, slower, and simpler. Decades down the road, many new options will become possible, including genuine sustainability. We could help our descendants find a more direct path to health and balance by learning about sustainability now, and sharing this wisdom with the young ones. There's never been a better time to hit the books and feed our minds -- before the lights go out. Nothing can change until ideas change. My first book, What Is Sustainable, presented an introduction to genuine sustainability, with an emphasis on food. Sustainable or Bust is a collection of 64 book reviews, and 16 rants. It's a gallery of thinkers, scholars, and ideas that might make "normal" minds itch and squirm. This book is for pilgrims who are awake, alive, and weary of normal -- minds hungry for outside-the-box ideas. I don't expect to see the end of the collapse. What the survivors, if any, choose to do is entirely beyond my control. I am not responsible for the decisions they make, but I am responsible for doing what I can to help them understand their history, predicament, and options. Who are we? Where are we from? How did we get here?

As Ruben Wells kneels with a gun pointed at his head all he can do is reflect on the life he spoiled. What has led him here? Was it his willingness to always try to do the right thing that has him staring at the barrel of a gun? Or was that he was too much of a people pleaser having a hard time saying no that has led to him begging for his life? Every thing begins and ends with a choice. The moment a choice is made it only takes a second for a life to change. Ruben made a choice to initiate a relationship with the alluring Bianca Jones. She makes heads turn and every man's dream. She is beautiful as a gazelle, but as dangerous as a lioness, as she's unavailable due to being unhappily married with children. Being married doesn't keep her from wanting to pursue Ruben as well as being pursued by him. Getting involved with Bianca changes Ruben's life in ways he never could have imagined. Choices are a gift constantly given to everyone. The choices made lead to different paths. We all have to choose this day what we're going to do with our own lives not knowing what the end result will be. What kind of impact will Ruben's choices have on his life?

Shiftability

Fascism Vs. Capitalism

Time to Pause

The Revolutionary Life of Yuri Kochiyama

One Immigrant's Quest to Belong

21 privately-owned company owners share stories of how they leveraged advisory boards to help them build valuable, sustainable companies.

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This is a memoir presented in an anthropological - like format; in other words, a collection of short stories, on the life of the author. It starts when he was growing up in the Philippine countryside of Ilocos Sur province. Just like a normal kid, he played with his friends, did crazy things, went to school and moved to Manila, for his college education. He got married while in fifth year college, but still graduated on time. This book relates his struggles, failures, as well as successes, including his coming to America. Searching for the American Dream was no picnic either, but with perseverance, he achieved some of them in modest ways. Foreigners planning to immigrate to the great ol' USA could get glimpses, on what it takes, to come and live in America.

The Plot of the Book Title: Revolution in Wazobia: The Revolutionary Vision of the Triumph of a Triumvirate Written in 407 pages including the preliminary pages, 14 Chapters and a Postscript Copyright: Anene Nwuzor, 2013; Published in 2015 Publishers: Ann's Indulgance Limited (AIL), Abuja, Nigeria. The book is a historical fiction for a general readership. The author, Anene Nwuzor, uses a unique approach to deal with realities in the United States. Bad leadership and corruption have contributed to having most of the African countries falling behind with failed education, economic and socio-political systems. Just like many innovations, which come with imaginations turned into clear visions, the author put up a challenge to a possibility, which with commitment can be brought to reality. Just a reminiscence of the saying, "with imagination one can fly", with his vision in order to inspire in the people a rethink, hope and confidence for a change towards for growth and development of African countries. The author's analogy of the prevailing pathetic state of African countries, using an imaginary country in this book started in his earlier book: Educating for Democracy in Nigeria, a psycho-socio-analysis, which specifically analysed the systems' failure in Nigeria. The book pitched from helping readers in understanding human and developmental psychology went on explaining to readers what contributed to the systems' abnormalities. With an unassuming boldness, the author in this new book traced the need for social change, reformation of minds and use of scientific innovation (Nanotechnology) to offer what will help change the systems. While some people have given up hope on a change to normal standard systems, some have the notion that for the countries in Africa, if at all a positive change will come, it will come with revolution, which has been mostly viewed as one of violence, bloodshed. However, the author in another different stroke daringly offered a practical solution on how the needed change can happen. Committed to impacting on societal growth and development, he reaffirmed the need for a radical change-not one of bloodshed-but in attitude with Revolution in Wazobia. Despite portraying the disheartening tales of abnormal things that have become normal things, which people seem not working on changing but rather devising means to living with or leaving for some other foreign lands, Revolution in Wazobia created a fascinating and mind-boggling thriller of the tales that make readers to laugh hilariously (this is possibly to nerve the readers while exposing the weak structure of the educational, economic, social and political institutions), but then the readers pause and think. The book is a diagnosis of what ails Western society, but also sheds light on how we might repair the damage that has been done, and with the help of the intellectual work of great minds like Murray Rothbard and Ron Paul, we might see a society shed the fascism of our times and look to freedom instead.

The American spirit of self-reliance goes hand in hand with the mystical tradition of Zen -- yet it hasn't found its own bare wire. The best revolution, and the domain of the Zen adept, is an inner one. The Zen Revolution reads like a novel, each compelling chapter revealing another nuance -- the whole gamut, from origin to fiery culmination. Delving into both the spiritual and worldly aspects with equal candor,

The Zen Revolution takes on the basic question of existence, perhaps the most important question we face. There's a new adventure in every chapter, leading to an eventual breakthrough -- something never unheard of in the Zen literature of the West

Presents the biography of the courageous Asian American activist who, on February 12, 1965, cradled Malcolm X in her arms as he died, although her role as a public servant and activist began much earlier than this pivotal public moment. Simultaneous.

Fix It Now

Creating a Sustainable Competitive Advantage in Selling

The Zen Revolution

Tim Curious

Late Bloomer

Sustainable Activism for the Twenty-first Century

A reader-friendly explanation of the need to restore limited government and other American founding values.

Living for Change

The Revolutionary Lives of James and Grace Lee Boggs

A Little Book of Western Verse