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Has 'Going Green' Gone Too Far? Creationists Ken Ham and Dr. Jason Lisle Available for Interviews on Earth Day 2010

WHAT: As environmentalists around the world prepare to celebrate the 40th anniversary of Earth Day (April 22), people of all cultures and religious beliefs join the cause of caring for the earth.

While Christians agree they are called to be good stewards of the earth's resources, they also caution the activists not to put the creation above the Creator.

- WHO: Ken Ham, president and founder of the biblical apologetics ministry Answers in Genesis (AiG) and the acclaimed Creation Museum, and Dr. Jason Lisle, AiG astrophysicist, say that using global warming as a scare tactic has made the fight the focus, rather than true concern for the environment. They also warn that many Earth Day celebrations have an evolutionary basis and are a doorway to paganism and new age mysticism. They caution that participants should not be taken in by this worship of "Mother Earth."
- WHEN: Tuesday through Thursday, April 20-22, by appointment
- WHERE: Via phone or Skype at the Creation Museum (near the Cincinnati Airport)

• Most environmentalists celebrate Earth Day for selfish reasons.

- The true reason to participate in conserving our natural resources and protecting our environment is out of love for the Creator and His direct command to care for the planet (Genesis chapter 1).
- While there is evidence for global warming and climate change at a minute level, this is a natural occurrence and will not lead to doomsday scenarios as some scientists and politicians have claimed.
- This should not be taken as an excuse to abuse the world, but rather the real justification to care for it without resorting to scare tactics and exaggerations of the data.
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