As The World Burns: 50 Simple Things You Can Do To Stay In Denial#A Graphic Novel
Synopsis

Two of America’s most talented activists team up to deliver a bold and hilarious satire of modern environmental policy in this fully illustrated graphic novel. The U.S. government gives robot machines from space permission to eat the earth in exchange for bricks of gold. A one-eyed bunny rescues his friends from a corporate animal-testing laboratory. And two little girls figure out the secret to saving the world from both of its enemies (and it isn’t by using energy-efficient light bulbs or biodiesel fuel). As the World Burns will inspire you to do whatever it takes to stop ecocide before it’s too late.

Book Information

Paperback: 224 pages
Publisher: Seven Stories Press; 10.2.2007 edition (November 19, 2007)
Language: English
ISBN-10: 1583227776
Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.5 x 8.9 inches
Shipping Weight: 14.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)
Average Customer Review: 3.9 out of 5 stars See all reviews (29 customer reviews)
Best Sellers Rank: #658,396 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #72 in Humor & Entertainment > Humor > Rural Life #590 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Politics & Government > Public Affairs & Policy > Environmental Policy #667 in Science & Math > Earth Sciences > Climatology

Customer Reviews

Derrick Jensen and Stephanie McMillan’s As the World Burns is a revolutionary graphic novel decrying the failure of the green movement. We have become a self-congratulatory society of "green" consumers, recyclers, yogi mediators, and letter-writers. Utilizing pigtailed girls, a one-eyed eco-revolutionary bunny, and a wise bird, the authors expose the fallacies of patting ourselves on the back as we continue down an unsustainable consumption path headed straight for world destruction. Some quick math performed by Kranti (a character from McMillan’s Minimum Security cartoon) reveals that even if everyone (100% of the US population) changed our light bulbs, recycled half our total waste, cut our driving in half, installed low-flow showerheads, and adjusted our thermostats by two degrees, the end results would be a ONE-TIME 21% reduction in carbon emissions, which given our current rate of growth, would be offset in 10 years. The real culprits in
our ecocide? Corporations and the government they have in their pockets. And what are they doing? Running marketing campaigns and releasing movies to convince individual consumers to take the blame. In As the World Burns, a former-politician-turned-activist conspires with corporations to distract individuals from the systemic predicament, knowing full well that green consumers will pay more to feel good about themselves. As the World Burns is much more than sharp dialogue about the futility of eco-friendly consumerism. Aliens have also arrived on the planet, intent on eating up all Earth’s resources, and expecting to have to fight the planet’s current residents.

Download to continue reading...

As the World Burns: 50 Simple Things You Can Do to Stay in Denial

#A Graphic Novel

Wes’ Denial: Tease and Denial Book Two

Caperucita Roja: The Graphic Novel (Graphic Spin en Español) (Spanish Edition)

The Graphic Designer’s Digital Toolkit: A Project-Based Introduction to Adobe Photoshop Creative Cloud, Illustrator Creative Cloud & InDesign Creative Cloud (Stay Current with Adobe Creative Cloud)


Walk Your Way To Weight Loss 2nd edition: The Ultimate Guide On How To Lose Weight, Burn Fat & Stay Thin With Walking (Weight Loss, Exercise, work out, ... stay thin, energy, fitness, healing)

Splitsville: How to Separate, Stay Out of Court and Stay Friends Too Good to Leave, Too Bad to Stay: Decide Whether to Stay In or Get Out of Your Relationship Don’t Let the Bastards Grind You Down: 50 Things Every Alcoholic and Addict in Early Recovery Should Know, or How to Stay Clean and Sober, Recovery from Addiction and Substance Abuse

100 Simple Things You Can Do to Prevent Alzheimer’s and Age-Related Memory Loss

His Forge Burns Hot for Mosaic Damascus: Knife Patterns & Techniques: Damascus pattern making & techniques. Learn how to make mosaic Damascus patterns ... techniques for making Damascus patterns. Bring It!: The Revolutionary Fitness Plan for All Levels That Burns Fat, Builds Muscle, and Shreds Inches

The Burns & Allen Show

Burns-The Medical and Forensic Model

Mr. Burns: A Post-electric Play

The Practice of Nursing Research: Appraisal, Synthesis, and Generation of Evidence

(PRACTICE OF NURSING RESEARCH: CONDUCT, CRITIQUE, & UTIL ( BURNS) Book 1)

How to Become a Paralegal: Learn How You Can Quickly & Easily Be a Paralegal The Right Way Even If You’re a Beginner, This New & Simple to Follow Guide Teaches You How Without Failing

How to Play Lacrosse: Learn How You Can Quickly & Easily Master Playing Lacrosse The Right Way Even If You’re a Beginner, This New & Simple to Follow Guide Teaches You How Without Failing

Sneaky
Math: A Graphic Primer with Projects: Ace the Basics of Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, and Calculus with Everyday Things (Sneaky Books)

Dmca