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The Dream of the Earth

Thomas Berry, Ph.D.

Fr. Thomas Berry, a renowned 20th century eco-theologian and scientist, elaborates "A New Story of the Universe" that is scientifically-based and spiritually-inspiring.

The Great Work Thomas, Berry, Ph.D.

Fr. Thomas Berry was called the "Bard" of the New Cosmology which teaches that the Earth is primary while everything else is derivative.

Silent Spring Rachel Carson

The classic first warning about the danger of toxins, chemicals, and pollutants to wildlife, humans, and plants

Zen and The Art of Saving The Planet

Thich Nhat Hanh

One of the world's most revered spiritual leaders shares his wisdom on how to be the change our planet urgently needs.

Braiding Sweetgrass Robin Wall Kimmerer

An exploration of reciprocal relationships between humans and the land.

Under A White Sky

Elizabeth Kolbert

A look at environmental problems we create and the unintended effects when we try to fix them.

Spiritual Ecology – The Cry of the Earth Llewelyn Vaughan-Lee, Ed.

2nd Edition, 2017

A collection of 23 essays by Chief Oren Lyons, Brian Swimme, Wendell Berry, and other notable environmentalists.

When the Trees Say Nothing Thomas Merton

Writings on nature by this internationally famous author and monk.

The Overstory Richard Powers

Winner of the Pulitzer Prize

A fable about genuine environmental truths.

Finding The Mother Tree: Discovering the Wisdom of the Forest Suzanne Simard, Ph.D.

The world's leading forest-ecologist forever changes how people look at forests and trees.