

## **EARTH GUARDIAN**

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When I hear the word Earth what comes to my mind is that Earth is a wonderful place of human beings because God created the earth full of arts, colorful environment, different kind of species and animals, and gorgeous view of different natural resources. It is sometimes referred to as the World, the Blue Planet. Home to millions of species including humans, Earth is currently the only place in the universe where life is known to exist. Earth is very important to us because it is the place where we live us. All the things we have done are occurred in the earth.

So much of that we must protect our Earth from the dangerous happening because, incessant exploitation by human beings has left Mother Earth ravaged. A number of problems including environmental pollution, ecological destruction, population expansion, resource shortage and environmental deterioration, increasingly put human survival and development at risk. These problems all force us to review and ponder the path that human beings have taken. Because of these problems we must help our Earth to face these kinds of trials. It is our time to take an action to protect our Earth so that we can live longer together with our Mother Earth because our Earth is dying right now. It is our time to give attention to it.

Now a days our Mother Earth is looking for an Earth guardian who can save it from the various problems encountered by our mother earth. So my question is who can be these Earth guardians? All of us have the ability to be Earth guardians. We can actually do something we just have to be aware. Every little step we do contribute to the big goal of achieving a better Earth. All of us have the responsibility be concern with our mother earth because this is a place where we live and we must protect it. We must feel guilty of what is happening today because we are just temporarily residing in the earth and what we are doing is to destroy it. We have to take care of our mother earth so that the next generation can still see the real beauty of nature.

We have to act now! Come and join me and be an Earth guardian too!