

INTRODUCTION TO SELF-RELIANCE AWARENESS AND PREPPING

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I would like the guests of PrepperFest Expo to know that this event requires a tremendous amount of teamwork. I would like to thank the countless professionals, employees and volunteers who have offered their love, guidance and constructive criticism, all of which is deeply appreciated.

—Tony Tangalos

DEDICATION

This booklet is dedicated to my father, Mr. Anthony Tangalos Sr., 1922-1998, a decorated Marine Flamethrower in the Pacific Theater of WW2. Dad trained me to be a self-reliant prepper from an early age. My dad was 7 years old when the Great Depression hit in 1929 and as a result of HIS father losing his job, my 7 year old dad often went to bed hungry at night and moved often from his parent's inability to pay the rent. That experience as a young child left an indelible impression on my dad who always had abundant food on the table for us so we were spared the trauma he experienced as such a tender age. Shortly after the Great Depression which immediately followed the roaring 20's began; Dad saw lots of people walking around saying "What Happened". He matured with an intense determination to never be unprepared for a disaster whether man made or natural and he was equally determined to ensure that his children were educated to never experience the trauma he did either.

Dad's wisdom, frequently reminding all of his children:

There are 3 types of people in the world,
Those who MAKE things happen,
Those who WATCH things happen,
And the vast majority who say:
WHAT happened!
Don't be a "what happened" type of guy.
Make sure you pay attention to what is going on
around you.

SELF-RELIANCE; IT REQUIRES A PARADIGM SHIFT Plan. Prepare. Prosper.

*“If you are properly prepared,
you have no need to fear the uncertain future!”*

For those who may have difficulty with the work required in amassing self-reliance supplies, what if you shift your thinking to another level and get away from the mentally and physically tiring activity of food storage!

What if you embrace the concept of accumulating an adequate supply of food, clothing and shelter as a way of life – **a preparedness lifestyle?** It would contain all the foods and other supplies your family would need if a natural, man-caused, or personal disaster struck your household. Suddenly it’s neither so daunting nor so burdensome—it becomes your normality—the way you live on a daily basis! Then it’s easy to manage your preparedness, step by step, and your life is simpler.

Take to heart this statement by Lt. General Russell Honoré (Ret.), Commander of the Joint Task Force Katrina in the aftermath of the Devastation of New Orleans:

“Each of us has a personal responsibility to be ready. We need to prepare our families and our homes. In many cases, family and personal preparations can be fairly simple. All it takes is a shift in our thinking...”

In this new paradigm, we have only two options:

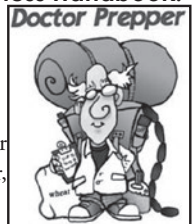
1. We can exist in a culture of fear and dependency, or
2. We can do the responsible thing: *Live comfortably in a culture of preparedness and readiness—a culture where individuals can save themselves and empower their local, regional and national governments to better respond to any disaster. It’s time for America to adopt this Culture of Preparedness.”*

(From Chapter 3, Doctor Prepper’s

Making the Best of Basics—Family Preparedness Handbook, by permission)

Doctor Prepper’s Making the Best of Basics—Family Preparedness Handbook:

- Celebrating its 40th anniversary in print.
- The all-time best-selling family preparedness handbook—more than 800,000 copies sold.
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- Get your copy autographed free (or bring your copy for signature.)



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(This Weekend Only!)**

3 CRITICAL PREPPER DEFINITIONS

These tools can help WAKE PEOPLE UP!

NORMALCY BIAS

From Wikipedia®, the free encyclopedia (adapted)

The *Normalcy Bias* refers to a mental state people enter when facing a disaster. **It causes people to underestimate both the possibility of a disaster occurring and its possible effects.** This often results in situations where people fail to adequately prepare for a disaster; and on a larger scale, the failure of governments to include the populace in its disaster preparations. The assumption that is made in the case of the normalcy bias is that since a disaster never has occurred, then it never will occur. It also **results in the inability of people to cope with a disaster once it occurs.** People with a normalcy bias have difficulties reacting to something they have not experienced before. **People also tend to interpret warnings in the most optimistic way possible, seizing on any ambiguities to infer a less serious situation.**

BLACK SWAN THEORY

From Wikipedia®, the free encyclopedia (adapted)

Black Swan Theory is a metaphor that describes **an event that is a surprise (to the observer) and has a major impact.** After the fact, the event is rationalized by hindsight. The theory was developed by Nassim Taleb to explain three phenomena:

1. The **disproportionate role high-impact, hard-to-predict, rare events have**; which are beyond the realm of normal expectations in history, science, finance, & technology
2. The **inability to predict these high-impact rare events** using scientific methods (owing to the very nature of their small probabilities).
3. The psychological biases that **make people individually and collectively blind** to uncertainty and unaware of the massive role of rare events in historical affairs.

Ex: Hurricanes Katrina and Sandy, the 9/11 attacks, the Japanese Tsunami.

Important: *What is a Black Swan Event to some is not to others:* it depends upon your awareness, and if you have stepped out of the *Normalcy Bias* to see the list of potential threats to your way of life. *What is a Black Swan Event for the turkey, is not for the butcher.* The key is to make sure you're not the "turkey"; by stepping out of the *Normalcy Bias*, taking a good look around at the threats & then sensibly preparing your family.

LIFE "ASSURANCE" PLAN

A *Life "Assurance" Plan* is a sensible plan in place to ensure the basic needs of your family are provided for on a long term basis **without having to buy anything in the event of a disaster.** More practical than Life, Health or Auto insurance; a **Life "Assurance" Plan converts your cash investment into tangible products** you can consume and replace; whereas Life, Health and Auto insurance relieve you of your cash with only a promise to compensate you from a loss or expense. A **Life "Assurance" Plan** includes a minimum 30-day water supply, a 90-day food supply and a plan including other basic preparedness resources to comfortably see your family through many short term disaster scenarios.

CRITICAL PREPPER QUOTES TO HELP YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

Snap out of the Normalcy Bias and prepare for a Black Swan Event with a Life Assurance Plan

So many people living in a limited state of awareness are so quick to knee jerk condemn preppers and prepping before they even begin to investigate things like NSA spying, GMO's impact on our health, how hopelessly irreversible our national debt is, and how extremely fragile our dollar and economy are, or any of the other dozens of reasons people choose to prep. Stuck in the "Normalcy Bias", these "Stage 1 Ostriches" ridicule preppers and prepping as if it is a waste of time. As you continue on your "Journey to Preparedness" please ponder these famous quotes and see if they trigger an increased awareness of the intelligence and value of becoming self-reliant! Preppers have a sense of peace, they have "situational awareness" of their surroundings, and are ready to respond to any challenge.

There is a principle,
Which is a bar against all information,
Which is proof against all argument,
And which cannot fail to keep man in
EVERLASTING IGNORANCE!

That principle is:
Condemnation BEFORE investigation!

—Edmund Spencer

~

All truth passes through three stages:

First, it is *ridiculed*;

Second, it is *violently opposed*;

Third, it is *accepted as self-evident*.

—Arthur Schopenhauer

~

For my part, whatever anguish of spirit it may cost,
I am willing to know the whole truth;
to know the worst of it,
and to provide for it.

—Patrick Henry ("Give me liberty or give me death!")

HEALTHCARE 101 — THE BASICS

The basics below are often overlooked; failing to pay attention to them often contributes to not feeling well and even can lead to illness.

#1 BREATHE DEEPLY

Many of us don't breathe deeply enough to pump abundant oxygen into our blood stream. If you monitor your breathing, don't be surprised if you find that you are not breathing frequently and deeply. This is particularly true during periods of heightened stress or anxiety. It is a good EVERY-DAY practice to periodically focus your attention on breathing deeply and frequently to ensure a sufficient oxygen supply gets into your blood, and in particular to BREATHE deeply when under increased stress. Placing signs in the home to remind loved ones to BREATHE deeply often helps.

#2 DRINK COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER

Most of us do not drink enough water. The quickest test for whether you are getting enough water is the color of your urine, which should be almost clear. The darker yellow it is, the more dehydrated you are becoming. Without sufficient water, your circulatory systems ability to process and purge toxins and waste material out of your blood and into your urine for elimination from your body is severely compromised. As with breathing above, this challenge heightens under stress and anxiety. As your mind is preoccupied with whatever perceived crisis is at hand, both breathing and drinking water often suffer declines which serves to increase buildup of toxins and make you less prepared to deal with the challenges you face.

#3 MANAGE YOUR pH LEVEL: 7.0 IS THE GOAL

This is not as well-known as the other top 5 basics but may be the most important. John Ossipinsky aka LymphMan states the body's Lymphatic System which is critical for removing cellular waste will not function properly in a highly acidic environment. I started treatment to balance my pH level and activate my Lymphatic system about 3 weeks before this booklet went to print and frankly it has revolutionized my health and wellness. Chronic knee pain caused by inflammation and swelling, which persisted for years despite attempting a litany of treatments completely disappeared after I balanced my pH levels; allowing me to resume vigorous exercise without pain. Please visit

LymphMan in booth # 239 and consider buying his book on the dangers of an Acid-Alkaline Imbalance. It may change your life as it did for me.

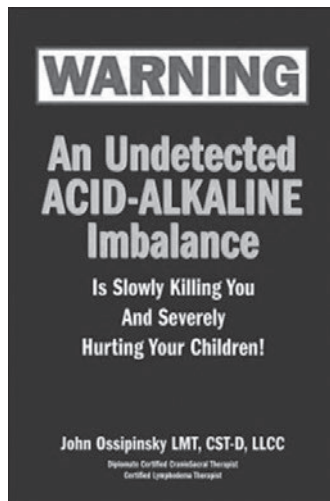
Check the speaker schedule to see when John will be sharing his valuable knowledge on this critical yet seldom discussed acid-alkaline imbalance.

4 POSTURE

As John Ossipinsky states in his book; *An Undetected Acid-Alkaline Imbalance*, page 188, good posture is essential to proper organ function. When you slouch, you may be limiting optimal circulation and lymph flow. Proper posture opens up the airways for enhanced breathing as well as balancing muscles with the skeletal system. It feels better to sit and stand upright instead of hunched over, increasing confidence.

#5 AVOID GMO (Genetically Modified Organism) FOODS

I believe that the introduction of GMO created foods will go down in history as one of the greatest health care catastrophes to plague this planet. Space does not permit explaining this GMO crisis in detail, please head over to the GMO Free Arizona booth #350 and learn how ingesting food produced with GMO seeds is linked to increasing rates of a litany of health care illnesses. Rachel Linden of GMO Free Arizona will be covering this in several seminars this weekend.



“CONSPIRACY THEORY” VS “COINCIDENCE THEORY” The GMO healthcare crisis

We live in a world where we are bombarded by a litany of conflicting information from a variety of sources about issues that directly affect your health and security. Who can you trust and believe to give you the honest truth about a number of issues that can significantly impact the health of you and your loved ones who trust you and look to you for their protection? It's all about AWARENESS!

The facts are clear. Our country is facing a growing health care crisis of epic proportion with dramatically increasing rates of all manner of illness including Autism, Cancer, Celiac Disease, Diabetes, Crohn's Disease, Intestinal Track Disorders, Immune System Disorders, Ulcerative Colitis and Obesity to name just a few. Most all of these disease rates began to increase around the time that Monsanto introduced Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO's) into our food supply.

Many preppers are accused of being “conspiracy theorists” and their concerns are often branded by the media as not substantiated, yet the media typically does little if any research into the concerns before dismissing them. For years, preppers have been warning that “big brother” is spying on all of our e-mails, recording all of our phone calls, and monitoring all of our website browsing. This “conspiracy theory” became “conspiracy FACT” when Edward Snowden courageously exposed the N.S.A. last summer. As David Blume (Alcohol Can Be A Gas) retorts when people accuse him of being a conspiracy theorist: “Oh I see, you must be one of those “coincidence theorists” thinking that a lot this compelling evidence is merely a coincidence”. When researching information, ask yourself the following questions:

- **Do you trust the government to give you straight talk about the severity of our government debt, the risk of inflation and how to best protect yourself from future dollar instability?**
- **Do you trust the media to give you all the facts about how skyrocketing increases in Autism, Diabetes, Celiac, Chron's, Intestinal disease and a host of other health maladies coincide with the beginning of widespread use of Monsanto's Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO's) in 1996?**
- **Do you trust American multinational food conglomerates to play fairly when it comes to allowing the public to vote on GMO labeling without their running highly distorted and untrue ads on the impact of GMO labeling?**

If you answered NO to any of the above questions, or are seeking additional information on them, then PrepperFest Expo and the websites listed near the end of this program offer you a litany of information on these critical issues.

The overwhelming consensus of GMOs by the FDA's own scientists is that GMOs are dangerous and need more study. Yet the FDA leadership refuses to authorize

the studies their own scientists demand. **Michael Taylor, an ex-Monsanto executive, is now the food safety czar as Deputy Commissioner of the FDA for Foods and Veterinary Medicine.** Mr. Taylor is thwarting our government oversight for public safety, the proverbial fox guarding the hen house. **U. S. Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas is an ex-Monsanto attorney** who has also ruled against the GMO research other countries have conducted. Monsanto's own studies about GMOs being safe are as trustworthy as the tobacco industry studies are on whether smoking cigarettes are responsible for contributing to lung cancer!

Here is a portion of Mr. Michael Taylor's bio on the FDA website:
www.fda.gov/AboutFDA/CentersOffices/OfficeofFoods/ucm196721.htm

Meet Michael R. Taylor, J.D., Deputy Commissioner for Foods and Veterinary Medicine

Mr. Taylor began his career as a staff attorney at FDA, holding various positions including deputy commissioner for policy. He was involved in issuing regulations to address seafood safety and in carrying out nutrition labeling requirements.



Other positions held by Mr. Taylor include senior fellow, Resources for the Future; professor, School of Medicine, University of Maryland; partner, King & Spalding law firm; and **vice president for public policy, Monsanto Company.**

Dare we say: Fox guarding the Hen House? YOU BETCHA!

GMO labeling is mandated in virtually every European and South American country, yet it is fiercely resisted in the U.S. with Monsanto cronies spending tens of millions of dollars to lie to the American public and infiltrating many layers of government thwarting the labeling GMO food.

Do you want to be a part of the change needed in the world?

If so, PLEASE make a beeline to booth #350 and sign up for the **GMO-Free Arizona** e-mail list.

Also visit the following websites to become more informed:

- **gmofreeaz.org** Become active locally to raise the awareness of the need to label/ban GMO's
- **flushthetpp.org** Just when you think this GMO catastrophe can't get worse – it does.
- **organicconsumers.org** a great website with excellent e-mails on the national fight for GMO labeling



ThePrepperPatch

The Prepper Patch encourages visitors to explore a 4-step journey to increasing Preparedness, Self-Reliance and Independence:



ThePrepperPatch Radio Show

STEP 1: WAKE UP TO THE INCREASINGLY UNSTABLE WORLD WE LIVE IN

This step is currently served by *The Prepper Patch Radio Show*, broadcasting on **KFNX 1100 AM from 2-3 each Sunday** since October, 2012. Tony Tangelos has the only self-reliance oriented radio show in Arizona and he features guests who are proficient in helping people prepare. Each week Tony offers a “take-a-way” that listeners can use or apply in their self-reliance lifestyle. The Prepper Patch Radio Show has a growing following and is consistently among the highest downloaded shows on the www.preparednessradio.com website.



PrepperFest

STEP 2: ACQUIRE PREPPER KNOWLEDGE & RESOURCES TO PREPARE FOR CHANGE

This step is currently served by *PrepperFest Expo*; our first expo was held in April, 2013. We are planning future shows at WestWorld in Scottsdale. Our next Expo is April 11-12, 2015. We may be expanding with additional shows in neighboring markets, please check www.prepperfestexpo.com for the latest expo show schedule. For more information: www.prepperfestexpo.com.



The Prepper Games

STEP 3: BEGIN PRACTICING FAMILIARITY WITH YOUR PREPPER ITEMS

The Prepper Games combines firearms, tactical and self-reliance training, to offer participants a rich educational experience which includes HANDS ON raining in areas that many preppers lack. Gun owners practice familiarity with their guns, preppers need to become familiar with practicing their “preps”.

Our next *The Prepper Games* event will be held November 15, 2014 and combines wilderness, firearms and tactical training and competition in a safe and stimulating environment. You need to practice your preps to be able to use them in any situation. For more information and to sign up for the first public event visit booth #300. We encourage you to visit our *The Prepper Games* partner and discover their extensive educational curriculum for self-reliance:

Marauders Tactical Training – Mike Simpson – Booth #300
www.marauders.us, 602-326-9849



Prepper RANCHES

STEP 4: THE FINAL STEP — FINDING A RURAL LOCATION TO LIVE OFF THE GRID

This step is emerging as a growth area and enables preppers to have a place to go to live the agrarian, self-reliant lifestyle. The final step on the “Journey to Preparedness” for many preppers is to have a fully stocked and prepared Bug Out location in an isolated, rural, temperate location with abundant well water. *Prepper Ranches* is working with numerous property owners to engineer and outfit fully self-reliant Bug Out locations for preppers to move to as they prepare for an increasingly uncertain future. These properties are engineered for self-reliant living with solar power, well water, livestock, gardens, crops, aquaponics, greenhouses and other amenities to enable owners to live a totally “off the grid” lifestyle. They can be used today for a wonderful rural second home or campsite location and provide enormous piece of mind for the future. For more information please visit booth # 617 or visit www.prepperfestexpo.com.

PERMACULTURE PAVILION

Valley Permaculture Alliance is the leading organization promoting Permaculture (Permanent + Agriculture) to valley residents. Preppers would do well to spend considerable time at Valley Permaculture Alliance for stored food will only last so long. Ultimately, to be truly self-reliant and to avoid the reported adverse effects of GMO's (Genetically Modified Organisms) you want to be growing much of your own food. PrepperFest Expo organizers believe Permaculture is so critically important to prepping that we have dedicated an entire classroom (A) to Valley Permaculture Alliance for their strong educational curriculum. **Prepping in a sense is short-term self-reliance, Permaculture is truly long-term self-reliance!**

Valley Permaculture Alliance has a wonderful interactive website @ www.vpaaz.org where you can post a blog, start a forum and really interact with other "permies". Valley Permaculture Alliance also sponsors the increasingly popular "**Tour De Coops**", every October where thousands of guests tour chicken coops all over the valley to learn how to start their own coop. Learn more here: <http://tourdecoops.org>

The staff and volunteers at Valley Permaculture Alliance are friendly and will help you get started planting a garden or raising chickens, goats or rabbits. Visit their **booth #245** and learn about how permaculture is your ticket to long term self-reliance.

Also visit Greg Peterson at The Urban Farm in booth #349, Jim Kennard of Food For Everyone in booth #347, David Blume of Blume Distillation in booth #241 and all the other permaculture booths to discover their passion for educating you in long term resilient permaculture self-reliance.

Both "preppers" and "permies" share the common bond of wanting the freedom to raise livestock and grow plants without burdensome government interference and also want the right to know what is going into our food.

HAM RADIO PAVILION

Amateur (HAM) Radio is a grid down communications tool that is vital to communicating when all other ways fail and it saved countless lives in Hurricane Katrina, Sandy and in other areas where the grid failed. Visit the Amateur Radio Council of Arizona in booth #150 and discover how valuable it is to get a Ham license and how easy it is to study for and pass the license test. Below is information on what websites to study for the test, when and where to take the test and also how to find a Ham Radio Club in your neighborhood to meet existing hams who will show you the ropes to using your radio effectively. Step inside the HAM radio Pavilion to observe several HAM radios operating across the airwaves and speak with knowledgeable operators who can answer your questions.

FIND A HAM CLASS: ARRL Amateur Radio Class search:

www.arrl.org/find-an-amateur-radio-license-class

A LIST OF AMATEUR LICENSE EXAM OPTIONS:

3rd Monday of every month

6:00 PM (Walk-ins allowed)

East Valley VE Team Contact Steve, KY7W (480) 804-1469

Email: KJ7WK@COX.NET

Location: City of Mesa Bldg, 640 N Mesa Dr, Mesa, AZ 85201

3rd Tuesday of every month

Sponsor: Boy Scout Troop 127

8:00 PM (Walk-ins allowed)

Contact: John H Kelly (602)264-6854 Email: KELLYJ127@AOL.COM

Location: St Francis Xavier School, 4715 N Central Ave Phoenix, AZ 85012

4th Saturday of every month

AARC Contact Gary, K7GH (602) 996-8148 Email: K7GH@ARRL.NET

Location: American Red Cross, 6135 N Black Canyon Hwy Phoenix, AZ 85015

7:00PM **(No walk-ins) Pre-Registration required. Notify contact by Thurs night**

1st Saturday of every month

9:00AM (Walk-ins allowed) DeVry/West Valley

Contact: David, N7TWT (623)925-0680 Email: N7TWT@ARRL.NET

Location: Devry University 2149 W Dunlap Ave Phoenix, AZ 85021

See www.arrl.org/find-an-amateur-radio-license-exam-session for additional testing sessions.

TO FIND A HAM CLUB NEAR YOU: visit the Amateur Radio Council of Arizona website www.arca-az.org, call 602-881-2722 or e-mail ARCA officer Mark Kesauer @ n7kkq@arca-az.org.

HAM is easy to study for, easy to test, inexpensive to own and provides an invaluable communications resource for you and your loved ones in a grid down scenario.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS PAVILION

Our Constitutional Rights are under assault and it is every American's responsibility to become informed about this threat and to take an active role in protecting them from an increasingly tyrannical government. People used to call the notion of "Big Brother" snooping on every e-mail, phone call, text and web browsing session "Conspiracy Theory" and paint those claim such actions as paranoid and extremist. Edward Snowden single handedly turned this "conspiracy theory" into "fact" just a few weeks after our national "Director of Intelligence" James Clapper lied under oath at a congressional hearing saying that the NSA was not collecting information on Americans. Our government is more focused on capturing Snowden for outing our illegal snooping activities than they are prosecuting James Clapper for lying under oath.

Our government spying on Americans isn't the only problem; our Constitution is under assault, primarily from the "Patriot Act I & II" which have served to cannibalize our Constitutional Rights. There is a clear pattern of increasingly socialist actions coming from our government leaders with the Affordable Care Act and other legislation that threatens to relinquish our sovereignty to the U.N. on issues from gun ownership rights to energy consumption. Agenda 21 threatens to pervade every area of our lives.

A part of being Self-Reliant is taking personal responsibility for protecting and preserving our Constitutional Rights that many of our founding fathers died to create. They warned us that government is not to be trusted and it is increasingly clear that our nation is quickly moving in the direction of the very tyrannical government that they worked so hard to protect us from.

At PrepperFest Expo we have the nation's leading Constitutional Rights advocates here with solutions that you can engage in to become a part of protecting and preserving our liberty.

- The American Academy For Constitutional Education led by Shane Krauser headlines our Constitutional Rights Pavilion and has a wealth of information of how you can take steps to keep America free and great.
- Another of the nation's leading advocates for protecting our Constitutional Rights is Sheriff Richard Mack who founded the C.S.P.O.A. Sheriff Mack travels the country tirelessly enrolling hundreds of our nation's sheriffs into re-affirming the oath they took to never violate the sacred constitution they swore to uphold.
- Stewart Rhodes, founder of Oath Keepers C.S.P.O.A works with Sheriff Mack to enroll our nation's military and civilian law enforcement to reaffirm the oath they took to never violate our Constitutional Rights.

PrepperFest Expo leaders implore you to take preserving your Constitutional Rights seriously by joining the Oath Keepers, joining a sheriff's posse and becoming a part of the solution for protecting this country from all enemies foreign and domestic.

If and when the dreaded "executive orders" that are poised to be implemented at the president's whim are launched, it will be the sheriffs, and the sheriff's posse that will mobilize to protect this country from a tyrannical takeover. You can be a part of the solution, but only if you take decisive action, join these organizations and take personal ownership of preserving the liberty most Americans take for granted.

Tea Party & Constitutional Rights Groups

Please join a Tea Party and/or Constitutional Rights Group in your neighborhood to learn about the challenges our Constitutional Rights face and take an active role in sharing this information with your friends and family. Be a part of the change you wish to see in the world. Be a Patriot and help protect the Constitutional Rights that make America great.

Group Name	Area	Contact	Contact Phone
Arizona Project	Shea & SR-51	Ron Ludders lemonsplash1@gmail.com	602-677-1496
Daisy Mountain Tea Party Patriots	Anthem	Vera Anderson veraanderson41@gmail.com	602-821-4675
Deer Valley Tea Party Patriots	101 & I-17	Jean Maddox jama111142@cox.net	602-795-7815
Grassroots Tea Party Activists	Glendale	Francine Romesburg grtp@grassrootsglendaleteaparty.com	623-979-8825
Northwest Valley Tea Party	Sun City	Ted Farmer tedf@nwvteaparty.com	360-271-6974
Red Mountain Patriots	East Mesa	Randy Hatch redmountainteaparty@gmail.com	480-964-0334
Scottsdale Tea Party	Scottsdale	Pat Shaler patriots@teapartyscottsdale.com	480-946-8069
Surprise Tea Party	Surprise	Bernard Paluch BPaluch777@aol.com	623-466-8370
Superstition 912 Tea Party Patriots	Apache Junction	Judy Novalsky jnovalsky@gmail.com	480-983-9211
Tempe Tea Party	Tempe	Gary Johnson garyjemail-ttp@yahoo.com	480-964-0334

PREPPER MEET UP GROUP PAVILION

Consider Joining A Prepper Meet Up Group

The Benefits of Joining a Prepper Meet Up Group

The benefits of joining a Prepper Meet Up Group are numerous. Membership is typically free and the leaders of these meet up groups along with many of their knowledgeable and experienced members work very hard to provide quality training and educational opportunities to anyone who attends their meetings. Working together and getting connected with other like-minded individuals provides exceptional rewards and tangible benefits when you network with others who share your interests. If you are thinking about joining or starting your own Prepper group, try attending one of the groups meetings, anonymously if you prefer, and discover why so many others have found it valuable to be connected with dozens of other like-minded individuals. Attend the “Forming a Prepper Group” class that Ernie Enge of Arizona Rifles Tactical Survivalist is teaching on Saturday, Oct 25th @ 1:30 PM in classroom A and find out why joining a group is so popular and worthwhile.

Arizona Rifles Tactical Survivalists Group—Booth #450

Ernie Enge leads the Arizona Rifles Tactical Group which is specifically focuses on preserving and maintain the family unit. Arizona Rifles is a bit different than most Meet Up groups in that their membership is limited and subject to an application, review and approval process before you can join and attend meetings. There are no direct fees to membership, but members are expected to contribute their time on a monthly basis to growing within the group fabric and becoming familiar with other group members. For more information please visit: www.azrifles.com
Ernie Enge 480-209-6602 PCS-1314@hushmail.com



Mesa R U Prepared Meet Up Group—Booth #451

Dave & Michelle Waller lead the Mesa R U Prepared Group, the largest Prepper Meet Up Group in the East Valley. For more information please visit: www.Meetup.com/Mesa-R-U-Prepared
Dave Waller, vipmcg@gmail.com
Michelle Waller, rnwaller@moparmanuals.com



Northwest Phx Valley Survival Preparedness Meet Up Group—#452

Mike Gaston & Chris Mahn lead the Northwest Phx Valley Survival Preparedness Group, the largest Prepper group in the West Valley.

For more information please visit: www.Meetup.com/Northwest-PHX-Valley-Survival-Preparedness-Group
Mike Gaston, mikegaston@cox.net
Chris Mann, cdmahn@yahoo.com



UPCOMING PREPPERFEST EXPOS & SHOWS

In our effort to provide additional opportunities for people to increase their self-reliance we are pleased to announce a Strategic Alliance between **PrepperFest Expo and Arizona Gun Radio** to produce **Prepper Fest Shows** at the Glendale Market Expo, Shriners Hall in Phoenix and Tucson Expo in Tucson in 2015.



PrepperFest Expos will continue with major semi-annual expos in April and October at Westworld of Scottsdale. Our expos will continue to include rich educational offerings with dozens of seminars and hundreds of exhibitors along with large event programs booklets. We also feature Ham Radio, Constitutional Rights, Meet Up and Permaculture Pavilions and many interactive kid's activities, including a petting zoo.

Our dates for 2015 PrepperFest Expo:

April 11-12 and October 17-18, 2015 at WestWorld of Scottsdale

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PrepperFest Shows will be smaller, more intimate shows and in most cases will blend guns and knives with prepping items. PrepperFest Shows will not have as diverse of an educational curriculum or large event program booklets as PrepperFest Expo but will provide the same level of customer care that patrons of PrepperFest Expo and Arizona Gun Shows have come to enjoy.



All Prepperfest Shows are in venues that offer free parking.

Our current dates for 2015 PrepperFest Shows:

January 24, 25, 2015 Glendale Market Expo

February 28 March 1, 2015 Tucson Expo

July 11, 12, 2015 Shriner's Hall

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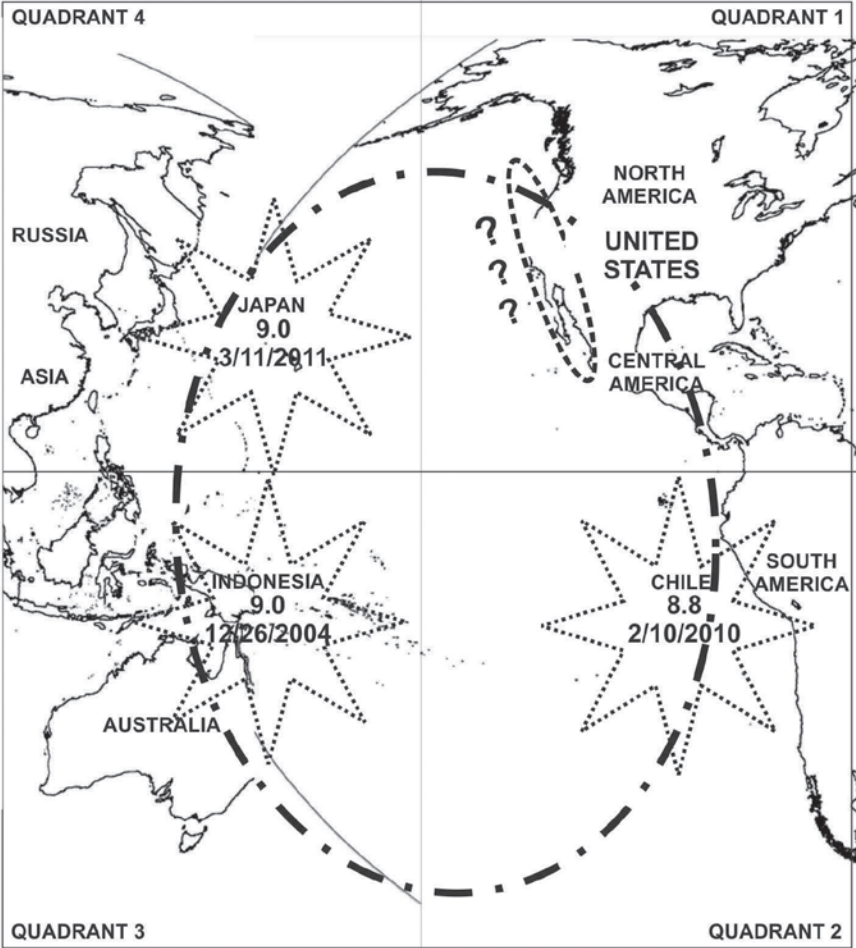
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THE 4 QUADRANTS OF THE 'RING OF FIRE' AND LOCATIONS OF ALL EARTHQUAKES OF MAGNITUDE 8.6+

R I N G O F F I R E

North America & the US stand out conspicuously by the absence of a major 8.0+ earthquake in recent history. Experts predict it is only a matter of time before an 8.0+ magnitude earthquake hits the west coast of North America. If an 8.0+ Earthquake hits the West Coast of North America...
How will that affect YOU?



Please see the following page for ALARMING information for residents in AZ & beyond.

HOW A LARGE COASTAL EARTHQUAKE COULD AFFECT ARIZONA RESIDENTS

Although the populated areas of Arizona are not known as historically experiencing large earthquakes, there is a regional earthquake threat that could have a major impact on those living in Arizona. Depicted on the preceding page is a simplified drawing of what is known as the “Ring of Fire” which is the name used to describe where the very largest earthquakes have historically occurred. The “Ring of Fire” is basically the large land masses surrounding the largest body of water, the Pacific Ocean. Theories as to the exact cause of WHY the largest earthquakes happen in the Ring of Fire are beyond the scope of this booklet.

What I believe is valuable for those living in Arizona to be aware of is how 3 of the 4 quadrants of the Ring of Fire have recently had profoundly large earthquakes over 8.8 in magnitude on the Richter scale. The dates, locations and sizes of these recent earthquakes in Quadrants 2-4 are depicted on the preceding page. The one quadrant conspicuous by its absence of having a large recent earthquake is the West Coast of the North America.

Experts believe that the West Coast of North America is overdue for a very large earthquake similar in size to the recent activity since 2004 in the other 3 quadrants. The reason why this is important to Arizona residents is due to the impact a large coastal earthquake is expected to have here in Arizona. Various state and regional agencies are reportedly preparing for up to 4 million Californians to migrate to Arizona if an 8.8 – 9.0 sized earthquake hits the west coast. I recall minor migrations from California after the 1994 Northridge earthquake which was comparatively modest at 7.4 magnitude.

The impact to Arizona of millions of Californians fleeing the aftermath is expect to overwhelm our freeways, schools, housing market and our way of life will change. You can use this information to contemplate in advance what if any changes you will make in your planning if a mega-quake hits the west coast.

10 Stages of Self-Reliance Awareness

Which stage are you in?

By Tony Tangalos, January 1, 2013

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Listed below are 10 distinct Stages of Self-Reliance Awareness that I have observed in others and experienced going through myself. By creating this list of the **10 STAGES OF SELF-RELIANCE AWARENESS**, it is my hope that you will look at the various stages and identify what stage you are currently at. One thing I have noticed is that you can only go higher on the list, never lower, for Self-Reliance is all about awareness. The more aware one becomes of the fragility of the world, the more likely one is to believe in the need to live a Self-Reliant Lifestyle. It is my hope that you assess where you are and if you find yourself at Stage 1 or 2, or ANY stage for that matter, that you “TRY ON” advancing to the next stage and see if it makes sense to you. Experience demonstrates that once you take the next step you will not regret it, for you will grow into to a deeper awareness of how increasingly fragile and delicate the world is today and, consequently, how critical it is to adopt the Self-Reliance Lifestyle that most all of our ancestors lived.

As Lisa Bedford states on pages 6-7 of her seminal book *The Survival Mom*:

‘When you think about it, the story of humankind has always been one of survival. Survival and self-reliance weren’t fads, there was no alternative.’ ‘To be less prepared than another family made you & your family vulnerable.’ ‘A self-reliant lifestyle and one of preparedness continued well into the 20th century.’ ‘I’ll bet your great-grandmother—maybe even your grandmother—knew how to preserve food, grow her own produce, and mend everything from socks to jackets.’ ‘Her life was unpredictable, and her family was vulnerable to anything and everything Mother Nature [or man-made events, for that matter] might hurl at them.’ ‘Being prepared wasn’t an option; it was a necessity. The years that followed World War II ushered a time of incredible, widespread prosperity, drawing more people (off farms) and into cities than ever before, and offering an easier lifestyle than any other civilization has ever known. Suddenly, the basics of survival became less of a necessity and almost quaint.’ ‘Understandably, many of the attitudes of self-reliance and preparedness were lost. They no longer had much value in this newly secure world, and it was into this world we were born.’

As Lisa points out in *The Survival Mom*, being self-reliant and prepared has been the default position of every civilization from the beginning of time until the end of World War II. It is only over the last 60 years that people have collectively lost sight of the value of living a Self-Reliant Lifestyle. Our extremely fragile society is

living in a “Just In Time” inventory management process to stock grocery stores. With so many potential threats lurking out there; a multitude of real dangers are poised to potentially impact our society should a Black Swan Event rock our world. Below are just a few of the many threats we face:

1. Unrestrained government debt leading to hyper-inflation and fiat currency collapse.
2. Heavy dependency on technology at a profound risk of total collapse in the event of a natural or man-made Electromagnetic Pulse (EMP). Think the TV show: Revolution. The power grid could be down for years, and no... a little token will not be able to magically restore the power grid. A minor EMP hit in Quebec, Canada
3. An Israel-Iran war breaking out & pulling major players around the world into the fray and dramatically expanding the war and related violence, destruction, and instability everywhere.
4. An asteroid or meteor striking Earth, causing significant damage. They seem to keep getting closer and closer. See NASA's latest reports for shocking information.
5. A massive 9.0 earthquake on the western U.S. seaboard, the only remaining quadrant in the “Ring of Fire” that has not experienced an 8.8- 9.0 earthquake recently.
6. A rogue nation or terrorist group or lone madman getting possession of a live nuclear weapon or a dirty nuclear bomb, and deploying it in the US. A nuclear explosion will cause E-1, E-2, and E-3 shock waves that will trigger an EMP for hundreds and even thousands of miles.
7. A pandemic that could spread quickly and kill millions of people.

Even if you never experience the above disasters or any disasters in your lifetime, adopting a Preparedness Lifestyle will prepare you for just about any and all sudden and extreme changes in your lifestyle, employment status, or experiencing other major, life-changing challenges, limitations, or disabilities by you possessing the means to keep yourself and your family fed for many months to ride things out. The name and description of the first Stage of Self-Reliance Awareness may seem a bit harsh and strident as you read it. That is by intent; it is to wake up those in Stage One to realize that condemning something like prepping as ridiculous—without first investigating—is 1 of the dictionary and textbook definitions of ignorance. A considerable percentage of the population is in Self-Reliance Awareness Stage One.

The goal of this 10 Stage list is to help people recognize the precarious situation they are in and to encourage them to grow out of it. My apologies in advance for any offense taken; it most certainly is intended to wake people up. We will accept a few being offended as necessary to wake up the masses rather than being overly concerned with “Political Correctness”. Our goal is for this educational material to

STAGE ONE THE OSTRICH

Estimated Percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 45%

PERCEPTION: “Preppers are paranoid, extremist morons. I have no time or interest to investigate the facts and data they present to me. Instead, let’s talk about something more relevant: should we order pizza or wings for dinner tonight, and are we going to watch *Entertainment Tonight*, *The Voice* or *The X Factor* on TV?” These people take particular delight in mocking and ridiculing Preppers and are a big reason why prepping has been so slow to develop critical mass.

REALITY: The “Ostrich” reality is that they are stuck so far into the black hole of the “Normalcy Bias,” there is little hope for change until a MAJOR “Black Swan Event” whacks them upside the head. These lost souls will be totally unprepared for enduring a “Black Swan Event” of any kind for any duration, and many will panic and become “Pirate Preppers.” Despite their ignorance, preppers are encouraged to have compassion—not disdain—for the “Ostrich,” for any of us once was or could easily still be hopelessly trapped in the Matrix of the “Normalcy Bias.”

DEFINITION by quotation: *“There is nothing more certain to keep people in EVERLASTING IGNORANCE, than Condemnation Before Investigation.”*
—Edmund Spencer.

FEAR: These people fear being seen taking any precautions as they erroneously think it is a sign of their weakness and lack of confidence in their future ability to overcome any obstacle.

HOPE AND CHANGE: There is little hope for these people, for they are blind sheeple who are blind followers, and who will only begin to prep when they see virtually everyone else prepping. Their ignorance will make their experience of a “Black Swan Event” much more difficult than it would be otherwise; if they just TRIED to use the critical thinking skills God gave them and just TRIED to seek out the wide range of information and resources available through family, friends, experts, books, programs, classes, and all over the internet. All it takes is a good, hard look around at what profound changes are taking place in our world and it should help people mature into a deeper level of Self-Reliance Awareness.

STAGE TWO THE PIRATE PREPPER

**Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 5%
Stage One + Stage Two = 50% of the population**

PERCEPTION: Believe it or not, there are more than a few people who know the “Skittles” will hit the fan someday, and they have an intentional plan to store nothing and go and steal others’ prepping stash whenever a “Black Swan Event” occurs. I know it is both extremely sad and disappointing, but many people have actually stated their “A Game Plan” is to take others’ stash by force and threat of death when faced with the crisis of responding to a “Black Swan Event.” Just look at how much looting went on when Hurricane Katrina hit and look at other disaster areas, be it an act of nature or a man-made disaster: it really happens.

REALITY: The “Pirate Prepper” reality is that these people are taking a great risk of running into preppers who know how to defend themselves and are more than ready and willing to do so. They are also placing the lives of preppers at great risk. The greatest concern of all with “Pirate Preppers” is the widely held belief that their ranks will exponentially grow fast; approximately 3 days after a “Black Swan Event,” when the grocery stores are cleared out, the cupboards are bare, and the lady of the house tells the man of the house: “the kids are hungry, you need to go out and get some food and water for them!”

It will quickly turn into a real “life or death” survival situation. With the stores cleared out, and approximately 90% of the current population stuck in levels 1-5 of Self-Reliance awareness and having virtually no Preparedness Plan, legions of these people stuck in the “Normalcy Bias” will flip like a light switch into becoming “Pirate Preppers” and will go out looting and pillaging and wreaking havoc whenever they think they can get away with it. This “mob mentality” has been observed time and again in inner cities when any type of natural or man-made disaster strikes. This is not theory; it is a routinely observed characteristic of human behavior.

FEAR: The fear is of “Pirate Preppers” grows as their numbers become legion. Scenes resembling movies like *Mad Max*, *The Book of Eli*, and *The Road* will likely become commonplace in urban environments.

HOPE AND CHANGE: There is not much, if any, hope and change for these people, for the majority will become “Pirate Preppers” after it is far too late to change. It will be similar to someone already physically dead trying to find their religion; it will simply be too late. Our goal for many Preppers is to have a rural haven to live in, if things get really bad; so they can minimize the possibility of encountering a “Pirate Preppers.”

STAGE THREE THE RELUCTANT SEEKER

Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 25%
Stages 1 + 2 + 3 = 75% of the population

PERCEPTION: The “Reluctant Seeker” has recently begun to sense the “Normalcy Bias” Matrix that Stage One “Ostriches” are steeped in, and is finally—albeit reluctantly—starting to at least cursorily look into the barrage of factual information that the Preppers in his/her life have presented. The “Reluctant Seeker” is troubled by the deteriorating condition of world events and is beginning to realize that there may just possibly be something more to this whole PREPPER movement than the presently dominant illusion of “Preppers are paranoid, extremist morons.” Still stuck in the “Normalcy Bias,” they at least recognize that the “Normalcy Bias” actually exists; and they are willing to question whether it is their best move to stay trapped in the “Normalcy Bias” Matrix or start looking around.

REALITY: Although better than being hopelessly lost as those in Stage One or Two are, the “Reluctant Seeker” reality is that they are still so gripped by the Matrix of the “Normalcy Bias” until and unless they conduct some honest assessments of the data presented to them, they are not going to advance to a stage where they actually start taking concrete steps to preserve their life.

FEAR: Their main fear is now a balancing act between not wanting to be labeled a PREPPER, yet not wanting to be the last person to GET that they need to start prepping when this preparedness movement starts to really take off. They want to be on the popular side and they sense the public sentiment is beginning to shift.

HOPE AND CHANGE: Hope now exists as they start to explore their world and the data presented to them, and they start to put the pieces of the puzzle together and advance to the next stage.

STAGE FOUR THE CURIOUS SEEKER

**Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 15%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 = 90% of the population**

PERCEPTION: The “Curious Seeker” is now starting to notice that the world they live in does not even remotely resemble the world they grew up in. Someone, or something, somewhere in their life, got through to them to help them start to realize that the “Lamestream Media” is focused on keeping them “sheeple” and that there is an “Information War” going on using “Weapons of Mass Distraction”. They see more and more public growing dependent on government social welfare programs, holding their hands out for record-breaking government handouts—where more people are asking what their country can do for them than people asking what people can and should do for themselves—and this alone is headed towards financial disaster. The “Curious Seeker” is beginning to take personal responsibility for educating oneself about the need for adopting the Self-Reliance lifestyle.

REALITY: The “Curious Seeker” reality is that they are now entering the road to understanding the Self-Reliance Lifestyle. They still have a long way to go, but at least they are beginning to wake up. They must move quickly into adopting deeper levels of self-reliance, before it is too late for them; but at least they are on their way.

FEAR: The fear is that they do not invest the time to do the necessary research to see just how far down the road they are to being prepared and surviving a “Black Swan Event” that could rock their world. At this point, it is time for them to advance to the next Stage of Self-Reliance Awareness in time to actually complete the “Basics of Prepping” before it is too late.

HOPE AND CHANGE: The hope is that they take the time and make the commitment to do their OWN research, which if undertaken, will lead them to the truth of just how fragile our society is, and this truth will validate the need for them to take rational steps to start adopting the Self-Reliance Lifestyle.

STAGE FIVE THE RELUCTANT BELIEVER

Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 5%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 = 95% of the population

PERCEPTION: The “Reluctant Believer” has now reached the half-way point on the Self-Reliance Awareness Stage checklist by having conducted enough research into the data that others have presented to realize that there is something credible and authentic about it. Their Prepper friends are not the “paranoid, extremist morons” that the Stage One and Two critics believe; but those preppers actually have some valid and rational positions. The next transition to Stage Six is the most important, as although the “Reluctant Believer” recognizes the need to begin prepping, they have not begun the critical step to begin taking concrete steps to begin adopting the Self-Reliance Lifestyle, because they use the daily cares and concerns of their busy lives as an excuse to delay prepping for another day.

REALITY: The “Reluctant Believer” reality is that they must continue to do additional research, and the key to their future independence is to make the greatest transition to Stage Six, where they actually begin to take concrete steps to prepare for their own and their family’s future safety and security.

FEAR: The “Reluctant Believers” keep putting off until tomorrow what they know they should be doing today, and find themselves seriously regretting their inaction; particularly if a “Black Swan Event” hits, knowing they should have prepared all along. They are the Grasshopper in *The Grasshopper and the Ant* story. The Grasshopper did not prepare for the winter and laughed at the Ants who busily prepared. When the winter set in, the Grasshopper was starving while the Ants lived comfortably.

HOPE AND CHANGE: These are the people ripe to entering the Self-Reliance Lifestyle; their safety and security depend when facing a “Black Swan Event” largely depends on their moving to Stage Six before it hits them.

STAGE SIX THE NOVICE PREPPER

Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 2%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 = 97% of the population

PERCEPTION: The “Novice Prepper” has done enough research to know that they should start preparing and they have taken the pivotal and critical step to start doing so. “Novice Preppers” should congratulate themselves, as they have just entered the rarified level of the top five percent of the population. It is widely regarded by many prepping advocates that approximately five percent of the population has any basic kind of Self-Reliance Plan in place. If you are attending our PrepperFest Expo, you are more than likely at Stage Six, or higher.

REALITY: The “Novice Prepper” reality is that once on the self-reliance mission, most people start to take it seriously and split their time between doing more research to validate the need to prep and taking steps to implement the preparedness lifestyle. The process is a feedback loop, as when the data is researched the answer keeps coming back that having a “Life Assurance Plan” is just as logical—if not even more so—than having auto, homeowners, life and health insurance. The “Novice Prepper” has chosen to identify and see through the “Matrix” of the “Normalcy Bias” and has chosen to break out of it.

FEAR: Typically, when the realization of the need to begin prepping hits, people often fall into “Analysis Paralysis”, not knowing where to start or what to do first.

HOPE AND CHANGE: This is where it is critical to be connected to the “Preparedness Veterans” resources, preppers who can guide “Novice Preppers” into what steps to take to become self-reliant and prepared. Join a prepper group, buy a great introductory book, like Lisa Bedford’s *The Survival Mom*, or James Stevens’ *Making the Best of the Basics: The Family Preparedness Handbook*.

STAGE SEVEN THE PRIVATE PREPPER

Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 2%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 = 98% of the population

PERCEPTION: Now the “prepping bug” has captivated the “Selfish Prepper’s” imagination and he/she wisely realizes that just when a “Black Swan Event” hits, many people will be competing and looking—sometimes, ruthlessly—for a limited amount of resources. The “Selfish Prepper” takes great effort to hide his/her prepping lifestyle and goes out of the way to disguise it from friends, coworkers, neighbors, and even extended family members, out of the fear that the “Selfish Prepper” will become a “target” and a “magnet” for others to seek out if and when the next “Black Swan Event” hits.

REALITY: The “Selfish Prepper” reality is not too far from their perception: it is true that once others learn of one’s Self-Reliance Plans, they will seek the “Prepper” out for help at the next “Black Swan Event.”

FEAR: For the very reason that there are so few prepared, it is critical that once someone advances to the “Selfish Prepper” stage, they do not stay trapped there, as so many do. We are all in this together, and the more that the enlightened Preppers endeavor to both wake others up and to advance to the next Stage of Self-Reliance Awareness, the better off we will all be when the next “Black Swan Event” occurs. Staying trapped in this stage will lead to many conflicts between friends, coworkers, neighbors, and family who are refused when requesting direct assistance right after a “Black Swan Event.”

HOPE AND CHANGE: The hope is for the “Selfish Prepper” to advance to the next step, to start educating and also prepping for his extended family, friends, and neighbors.

STAGE EIGHT THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS PREPPER

Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 1%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 8 = 99%

PERCEPTION: This is the first stage where the Prepper is starting to act altruistically, and endeavoring to go beyond serving his own immediate family by helping friends, neighbors, and extended family. The joy of earnestly endeavoring to help others is profound, yet experienced only by those with the heart to actually try it. This is where prepping becomes joyful and preppers “get their prepping out of the pantry” as well-known author “Dr. Prepper” (James Stevens) says.

REALITY: Just like every other advance made on the 10 Stages checklist, once someone starts to prep for others, there is no going back to a lower stage, for the sense of fulfillment and satisfaction realized when one endeavors to help others is so strong that it often overwhelms the giver. The sense of gratitude that some will convey when you have provided for their needs when they were trapped in the “Normalcy Bias” is more than worth the investment in preparing for them. A sense of peace begins to wash over Stage Eight Preppers as they know they are reasonably prepared for just about any situation they could face. **THEY ARE CALM, PEACEFUL AND SELF-ASSURED.**

FEAR: There is not much fear at this level, other than to balance what prepping resources the “Family and Friends Prepper” will give out with the resources they will keep for their own immediate family. Another key is to avoid exuding an “I told you so” attitude to those still trapped in the “Normalcy Bias,” particularly those in Stage One who made a point to ridicule you and now come begging for help from you, one of the very people they mocked. Compassion for others’ ignorance will yield tremendous blessings.

HOPE AND CHANGE: The hope is that with only two steps left, the traveler on the journey to Self-Reliance can take the next step to altruistic prepping for even larger numbers of people; to the extent that one’s resources permits.

STAGE NINE THE ALTRUISTIC PREPPER

**Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013 is 1%
Stages + 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 8 + 9 = 99+%**

PERCEPTION: The “Altruistic Prepper” has come to terms with the reality that, despite his/her best efforts, a significant number of his/her extended family, friends, and neighbors are hopelessly trapped in the “Matrix” of the “Normalcy Bias” and refuse to prep, despite being presented overwhelming evidence of the need to prep. Having matured through the phase of preparing for their families own needs, their hearts are now focused on expanding their prepping capacity and resources to store extra provisions for their extended family and possibly even their friends and neighbors still stuck in the “Normalcy Bias.”

REALITY: The “Altruistic Prepper” reality is that unless they have virtually unlimited financial resources, they will have to draw a line somewhere as to whom they can help and how much they can help them. Their hearts are to help as many as possible, their resources management must be balanced to maintain adequate provisions for their own, as they reach out to help others. As James Wesley Rawles states on page 16 of *How to Survive the End of the World as We Know It*, “my philosophy is to give until it hurts in times of disaster.”

DEFINITION by quotation: “I want to know the WHOLE truth, the worst of it and to provide for it.” —Patrick Henry

FEAR: Their fear is that not enough people will prep, and their resources will not accommodate the demands of their friends, family and neighbors during the next “Black Swan Event.”

HOPE AND CHANGE: Realizing their fears are real, they progressively move toward finding the courage to become STAGE TEN PREPPERS, out of love and concern to help as many others as possible. Having recognized that as the Lord has led them through each stage on this plan to Self-Reliance, they want to reflect the love the Lord has shown them back to Him by becoming a Self-Reliance Advocate.

STAGE TEN

THE SELF-RELIANCE ADVOCATE

**Estimated percentage of population as of 1/1/2013:
less than .01%**

PERCEPTION: Their perception IS reality! They see the world as the incredibly fragile and potentially dangerous place it is. They have thought long and hard about the legacy they want to leave on planet Earth and the “Self-Reliance Advocate” has decided that he/she wants to be remembered for loving their fellow man enough to transcend pop culture, peer pressure, and political games to be a Prepper with the hope that he/she will make a difference and—somewhere, somehow—someone’s life may be saved as a result.

REALITY: The “Self-Reliance Advocate” commits his/her life to helping people prepare. They give zero thought to minimizing their activities in order to avoid enduring the Stage One ridicule; if anything, the irrational attacks of others spur them on to work even more valiantly to help their fellow man, like a soldier running behind enemy lines works to establish a beachhead, as he bravely risks death taking flak from all sides. The “Self-Reliance Advocate” knows that he/she is honoring God by tirelessly leading others to prepare. Receiving eternal blessings for unselfishly helping others is not the reason why the “Self-Reliance Advocate” reaches this final plateau; it just happens to be one of the many blessings he/she receives as a result of taking this final step.

DEFINITION: You know you are over the target if you are taking flak. “Self-Reliance Advocates” are constantly under attack for working unselfishly to help others.

FEAR: Their greatest fear is the reality that so many people still stuck in the “Matrix” of the “Normalcy Bias” will needlessly suffer and lose their lives as a result of ignorantly refusing to investigate the legitimate reasons to prepare before the next “Black Swan Event” comes their way.

HOPE AND CHANGE: They are the hope and change they want to see; for the world to wake up and prepare for an increasingly uncertain future. They sincerely hope that through their efforts to boldly champion the Preparedness and Self-Reliance Lifestyle more lives will be saved if and when the next “Black Swan Event” hits.

CONCLUDING THOUGHTS ON SELF-RELIANCE AWARENESS:

It is my sincere hope that you take very seriously the wide-ranging information available to you about the increasing possibility of a “Black Swan Event” occurring in the near future, and if you are still trapped deep in the “Matrix” of the “Normalcy Bias,” you recognize the mental cage you are imprisoned with and learn to “Snap Out” of the “Normalcy Bias” and start preparing your “Life Assurance Plan.”

David, a friend of mine, said it best when he compared the challenge of snapping someone out of their “Normalcy Bias” as being similar in difficulty as it is to change someone’s closely-held religious beliefs. People cling to the “Normalcy Bias” like it is a religious experience, and changing it requires a religious conversion that often comes for many only after they experience a “Black Swan Event.” At that moment, it is almost always too late. It is for this reason that those in the higher states of Preparedness should TRY to have compassion for those still trapped in the “Normalcy Bias.”

Remember:
Prepping: It’s not for Doomsday; it’s for EVERY day!

Thank You. May God bless you and the USA.

—Tony Tangalos

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Jim Covarrubias is an accomplished local artist who will be doing a performance painting on Saturday afternoon, proceeds to benefit a veterans organization. He will also share Native-American attitudes and cultural practices concerning "living off the land".

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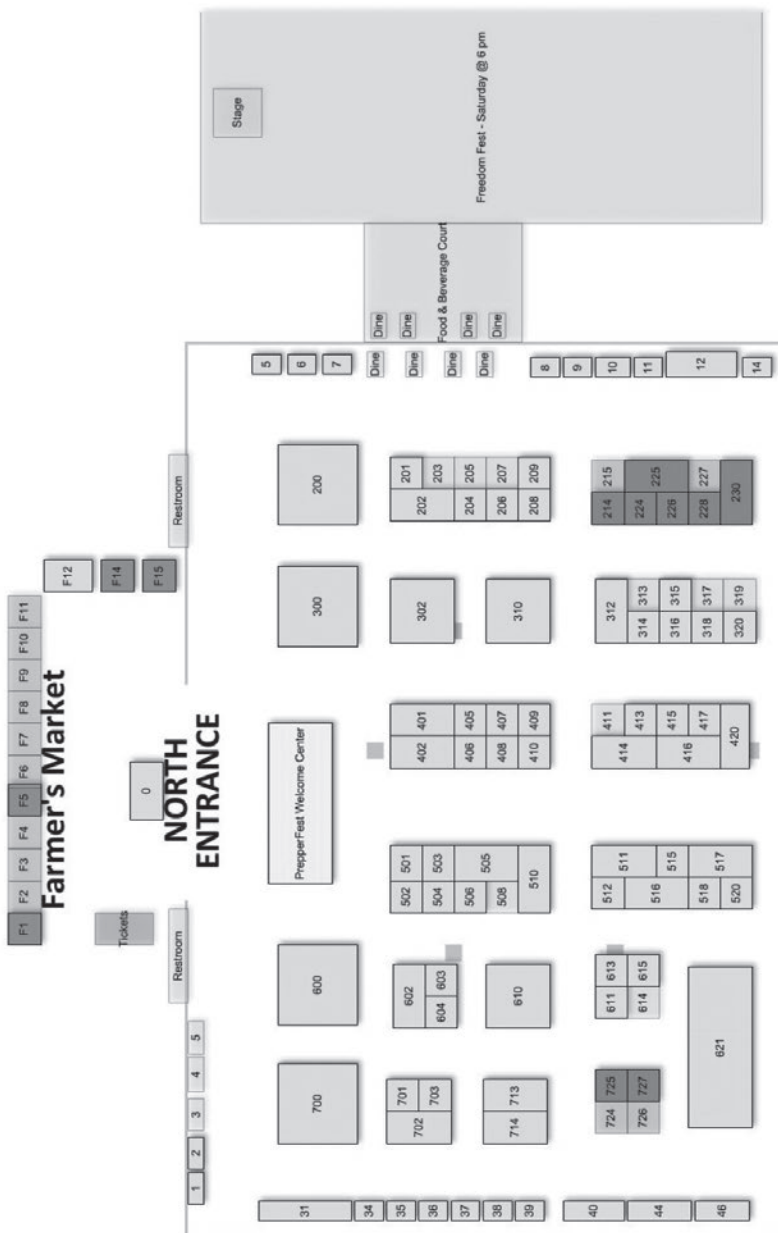
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9:00	Welcome to the PrepperFest Expo!	Welcome to the PrepperFest Expo!
9:30	Jim Covarrubias Going Native: Native American Prepping Practices	Laura Denyes Permaculture Principles
10:00		
10:30	Craig Carnahan Intro to Amateur Ham Radio	Justin Rohner 7 Simple Steps to Homestead Planning for Any Size Property
11:00		
11:30	Peter Bigfoot Sustainable Living	Greg Peterson Fruit Trees
12:00		
12:30	Todd Jostes Embers: Up in Smoke...How to Build a Fire	Chad Hudspeth Introduction to Aquaponics
1:00		
1:30	Ernie Engle Forming a Prepping Group	Jim Kennard Mittleider Method of Gardening
2:00		
2:30	Chef Tess Solar Cooking Basics	Nick Klein Rabbits 101
3:00		
3:30	David Blume Alcohol Can Be a Gas	Don Kupper Black Soldier Flies
4:00		
4:30	Mike Simpson Urban Disaster Survival Training	Kari Spencer Composting Techniques
5:00		
5:30	Last Chance to Visit Exhibitors!	Last Chance to Visit Exhibitors!
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2:00		
2:30	TBA	Kari Spencer Planting Techniques & Container Gardening
3:00		
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9:30	David Pruett Introduction to Wound Management (\$75 Pre-registration Fee to Participate & Free to Watch)	Marjory Wildcraft (VIA SKYPE) Shortcuts to Finding the Perfect Survival Retreat: A Woman's Perspective
10:00		Sam Paine Constitutional County Project Restoring American Liberty One County at a Time
10:30		
11:00		
11:30	Clean up Class area	Joel Skousen World Affairs Briefing
12:00	Visit Our Exhibitors!	
12:30	Michelle Waller Building a Personal Medical Kit	Alan Korwin Preserving Our Gun Rights
1:00		
1:30	Joni Leckey Prepping for Health & Strength	Sheriff Richard Mack County Sheriff: America's Last Hope
2:00		
2:30	Genetic Roulette: The Gamble of Our Lives Special 60 Minute Showing	
3:00	Genetically Engineered Foods. The Real Risks	Doctor Prepper Basics of Prepping
3:30	Rachel Linden GMO's: Eating Around the Issue	
4:00		
4:30	John Ossipinsky Prepping With Lymphatic Detox	
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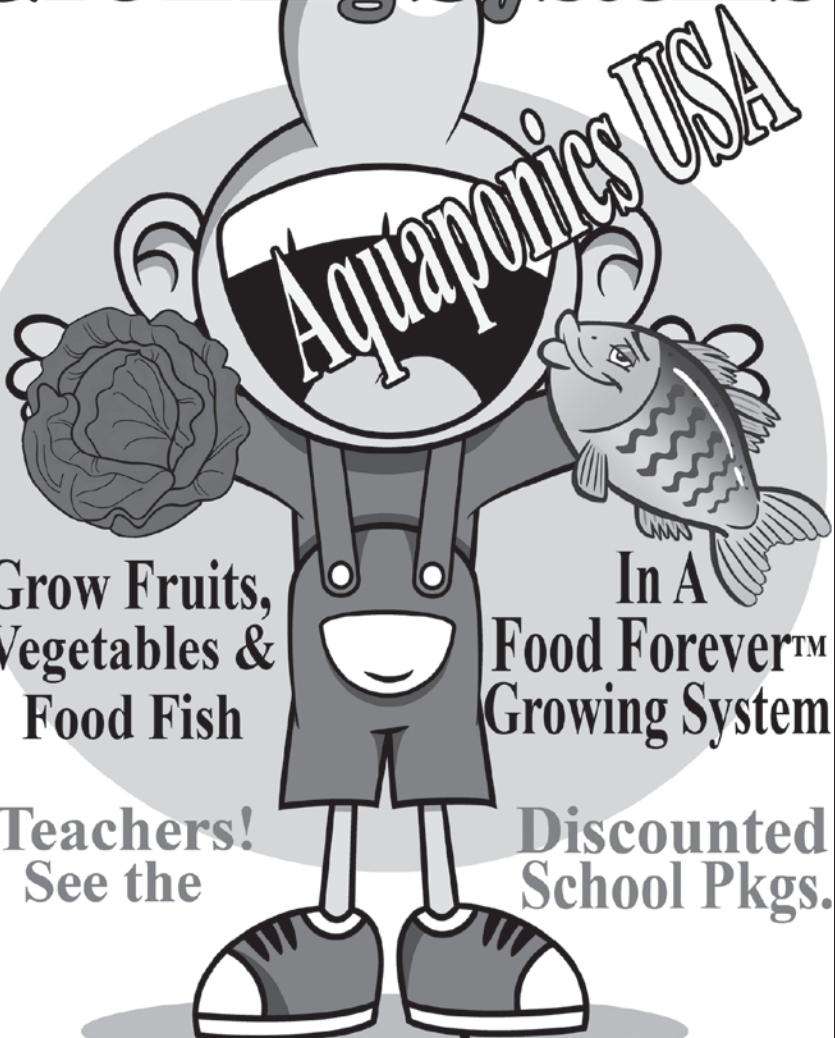
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WORDS OF WISDOM FROM DOCTOR PREPPER

**You cannot control disasters occurring in your future;
You CAN control whether or not you are
adequately prepared for them.**

When you prepare, your fear decreases & your confidence to be able to handle the emergencies that life throws your way will greatly increase. *

There are no emergencies for the truly self-reliant;
they **have no fear!** *

*From Chapter 4 of Dr. Prepper's Family Preparedness Handbook

**Visit Doctor Prepper at Booth #302
for a special offer on the best-selling book in
Self-Reliance history.**

I would like to offer my deepest appreciation to James Talmage Stevens A.K.A. Doctor Prepper for his unbridled enthusiasm, guidance, support and love in helping to make PrepperFest Expo as successful as possible. Many of our cadre of speakers would not be presenting this weekend without James endorsing this expo and encouraging them to support our educational mission.

Tony Tangalos

October 2014 PrepperFest Expo featured seminar presenters

Prepperfest expo presents an exceptional opportunity for you to attend over 40 classes on a wide range of self-reliance topics

Prepperfest Expo is committed to expanding your self-reliance knowledge by offering you an all-star cadre of Self-Reliance, Constitution Rights and Healthy Living speakers for your enjoyment. Listed below are just a few of the dozens of instructors who offer seminars on a wide variety of self-reliance topics. A full listing of all the educational seminars is right after the floor plan centerfold of this booklet. This information is also available on the www.prepperfestexpo.com website under the SEMINAR tab.

All of our courses except the two medical suturing classes from AMP-3, which include a number of medical tools are included for free with your PrepperFest Expo admission!

We have a wide range of courses from many of our partners including Valley Permaculture Alliance which is teaching over a dozen courses in Educational Room “B” on subjects including food preservation, planting seasons, water harvesting, community gardens and a host of other gardening and animal husbandry courses.

If concerned about your health, consider attending the seminars on GMO Free living, and other healthy living seminars.

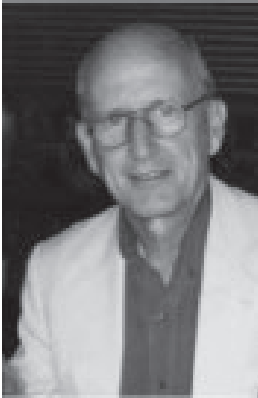
If you want a reliable communications medium even in most grid down scenarios we have a number of intro to HAM radio courses taught by the helpful leaders of the Amateur Radio Council of Arizona.

We have courses on raising rabbits, quail and goats, aquaponics, wilderness medical treatment, tactical survival, protecting your Constitutional Rights, water purification and a host of other subjects. Wherever your self-reliance interest journey takes you, PrepperFest Expo has a class to help you get to your destination.



Marjory Wildcraft, is a regular guest on many national radio and television shows; most recently, she was featured as an expert in sustainable living by *National Geographic*'s "Doomsday Preppers". An author of several books, Marjory is best known for her video series "Grow Your Own Groceries" which helps you create an organic food producing paradise in your backyard. "Grow Your Own Groceries" has produced over 300,000 copies used by homesteaders, survivalists, universities, and missionary organizations around the world.

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Joel Skousen, Famed author of *Strategic Location* and *The Secure Home*, Joel is our nation's foremost authority on identifying the optimal "Bug Out" location and how to build a defensible structure that will increase your family's safety and security in a period of social unrest. www.joelskousen.com, www.worldaffairsbrief.com



David Blume, Author, *Alcohol Can Be A Gas*. David is the nation's foremost authority on fuel alcohol distillation and he wrote the definitive bible on the subject: *Alcohol Can Be A Gas*. David will be enrolling attendees in LEGALLY distilling ethanol for fuel, a very popular class for those seeking energy independence and self-reliance. David will be personally autographing his books at the Expo. www.blumedistillation.com



James Talmage Stevens, A.K.A. Doctor Prepper is the author of *Making the Best of the Basics—The Family Preparedness Handbook* has sold over 800,000 copies to date and is widely considered the best single self-reliance book ever written. James also founded www.PreparednessRadio.com, a leading site for prepper radio show podcast downloads with dozens of instructors radio shows available for download including all of **The Prepper Patch** radio shows. James has taught classes for several decades all over the United States and is highly regarded for his sage advice.



Sheriff Richard Mack, Founder of the Constitutional Sheriffs and Peace Officers Association (C.S.P.O.A.), Sheriff Mack and his close friend Stewart Rhodes of Oath Keepers are reaching out to civil servants at every level of government and enrolling them in reaffirming their oath they took to uphold the constitution of the United States. Sheriff Mack is a hero to so many for his tireless efforts to preserve our constitutional rights. www.cspoa.org



Alan Korwin, Internationally recognized author of over a dozen books on gun rights and gun ownership, Alan is a fierce defender of gun rights, currently in litigation with the City of Phoenix over their removing his popular “Guns Save Lives” ads on city buses. www.gunlaws.com

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITES:

- **prepperfestexpo.com** For more information about The Prepper Patch radio show, PrepperFest Expo & PrepperFest Shows
- **preparednessradio.com** Hundreds of podcasts on prepping including all The Prepper Patch shows
- **myfearlessfuture.org** For prepping fearlessly and managing the tsunami of fear and anger
- **thesurvivalmom.com** Lisa Bedford's excellent site for prepping solutions from a female perspective
- **survivalblog.com** Most popular survival / prepping site by James Wesley Rawles, see "getting started" tab
- **prepper.org** A site for connecting with other preppers & property
- **vpaaaz.org** Valley Permaculture Alliance site on Permaculture & Animal Husbandry
- **meetup.com** Constantly posts local prepper meetings in your area
- **teapartycommunity.com/erpcpreppers-patriots** A prepper community defending constitutional rights
- **inflation.us** For truth about our irreversible government debt crisis, view "Dollar Bubble" & "Meltup"
- **thelibertyman.com** Excellent site for receiving credible information on Planet X, (Nibiru)
- **responsibletechnology.org** Jeffrey Smith's excellent site on the dangers of GMO's
- **flushthetpp.org** Just when you think that this GMO catastrophe can't get worse- it does
- **www.youtube.com/watch?v=jf0khstYDLA** Michael Murphy's Geo Engineering Chemtrail video
- **christianemergencynetwork.org** supports preparedness education to and through clergy

PASSPORT TO PREPAREDNESS

We are committed to your receiving the most enriching educational experience possible at PrepperFestAZ Expo; as you explore our various Self-Reliance Ports of Call on your Journey To Preparedness. Listed below are some of the critical ports of call that we feel are important in achieving your basic Self-Reliance education. Once our guests complete their voyage and receive their approved stamps at the ports of call on their passport, they can return to our free drawing booth and register for a chance to win the Big Berkey Water Filtration system Saturday Grand Prize drawn at 6:00 PM Saturday, October 25th and the Endless Food Systems Sunday Grand Prize which will be drawn Sunday, October 26th, 4:00 PM.

Five of the Six Passport to Preparedness destinations listed below have only one approved exhibitor booth you can visit to receive your stamp, with the individual booth number listed inside the destination below.

The SIXTH Passport to Preparedness destination has 4 different exhibitors, any of which are approved for stamping in the Constitutional Rights Pavilion. Please review the list and choose which of the exhibitors below that you wish to learn more about how you can be empowered to take individual, personal responsibility for protecting the cherished Constitutional Rights that so many take for granted.

**Ham Radio
Pavilion
Booth 150**

**The Urban Farm
Booth 349**

**GMO Free AZ
Booth 350**

**Prepper
Games
Booth 300**

**LymphMan
Booth 239**

Constitutional Rights Pavilion

A stamp from any ONE of the 4 booths below fulfills this port of call

Booth 56 Oath Keepers

Booth 544 C.S.P.O.A.—Sheriff Richard Mack

(Constitutional Sheriffs and Peace Officers Association)

Booth 552 Constitutional County Project

Booth 549 A.A.F.C.E. —Shane Krauser

(American Academy for Constitutional Education)

REGISTER FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN THOUSANDS IN PRIZES AT PREPPERFEST EXPO

Saturday Grand Prize drawing at 6:00 PM:



A Big Berkey water filtration system from LPC Surviva/The Berkey Guy (Booth 501). Berkey® Water Filtration and Purification Systems are the ultimate in water filtration and the ideal personal protection traveling companions. Used worldwide for normal, hostile and emergency environments to provide the purest, sparkling clean water possible.



Saturday Grand Prize drawing at 4:00 PM:



A \$2,500 Aquaponic Fish Powered Garden from Endless Food Systems (booth 100). This system includes a fish pond, growing bed and all plumbing and motors and will be delivered and custom installed at your residence (within greater Phoenix area) at no extra cost.



Eligibility for entering the drawing for the two above grand prizes requires you to complete the Passport to Preparedness section on page 79.

For our two grand prizes above, winner need not be present. For all other prizes awarded each hour, winners do need to be present. All hourly winners will be listed on the awards winner boards at the main PrepperFest Expo registration booth and also on Classroom B, grand prize winners will also be alerted via e-mail.

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER FREE DRAWING, ONLY ONE TICKET ALLOWED PER PERSON FOR THE FREE DRAWING

PrepperFest Expo would like to thank our sponsors for providing the free prizes: Endless Food Systems, LPC Surviva/The Berkey Guy, and many, many others.

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