

FRUITFUL LIFE FROM THE WORD

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OR HAOLAM
MESSIANIC SYNAGOGUE

Moshe lived by the Word, spent his life teaching it. So, he is called “Moshe Rabenu.”

Died also according to the Word of ADONI, as G-d appointed it.

Place of death not known or likely would have become a shrine.

Each year, around Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish New Year, tens of thousands of Jewish people make a pilgrimage to Uman, a city in central Ukraine. Despite the Russian attacks, the city streets are jam-packed.

Their destination? The gravesite of Rabbi Nachman, who, 200 years ago, promised to intercede on behalf of anyone who visited him on Rosh Hashanah.

Rabbi Nachman of Breslov



Tomb of Rabbi Nachman in Uman, Ukraine



- Old Jewish Cemetery, Prague - A historic site with graves dating back to the 15th century.
- Cemetery of the Great Synagogue, Vilnius - Home to many notable rabbis and scholars.
- Westwood Village Memorial Park, Los Angeles - Final resting place of famous Jewish personalities like Marilyn Monroe.

Moshe died in strength
“eyes undimmed and vigor
undiminished”

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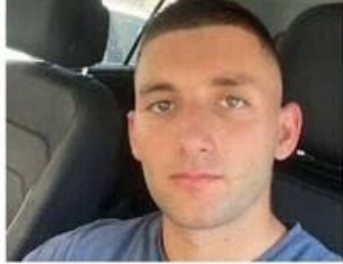
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**Welcome home Alon, Ariel,
Avinatan, Bar, David, Eitan M.,
Eitan H., Elkana, Evyatar, Gali, Guy,
Matan A., Matan Z., Maxim, Nimrod,
Omni, Rom, Segev, Yosef, & Ziv!**



“When ADONI brought back the captives of Zion we were like men who dreamed...ADONI has done great things for us and we are filled with joy.”(Psalm 126:1,3)

The twenty released include 11 men kidnapped from the Nova Music Festival: Elkana Bohbot, 35; Rom Braslavski, 22; Evyatar David, 24; Guy Gilboa-Dalal, 23; Maxim Herkin, 35; Segev Kalfon, 27; Bar Abraham Kupershtein, 22; Eitan Abraham Mor, 23; Yosef-Chaim Ohana, 25; Alon Ohel, 24; and Avinatan Or, 32.

From Kibbutz Kfar Aza, Gali Berman, 27, and Ziv Berman, 27, were freed. From Kibbutz Nir Oz, the released include David Cunio, 35; Ariel Cunio, 28; Eitan Horn, 38; and Matan Zangauker, 25.

Also released were Omri Miran, 47, who was kidnapped from Kibbutz Nahal Oz, Matan Angrest, 22, who was kidnapped from the Nahal Oz outpost, and Nimrod Cohen, 21, who was kidnapped near the Gaza border.

Many of the hostages who have returned have testified that they were held for long periods in dark tunnels and subjected to torture, severe starvation, and physical and sexual abuse.

It remains to be seen IF Hamas will follow through on their commitment to disarm and disband.

Yasser Abu Shabab is a prominent anti-Hamas figure in Rafah. However, Hama confirmed that one of his senior aides had been “liquidated” as part of the operation. “The campaign will continue until no one violates the law,” a Hamas security official said.

The bloody effort to consolidate control highlights both Hamas's fragility and its determination to reimpose order amid Gaza's ruins—underscoring the deep volatility surrounding efforts to secure lasting peace in the enclave.

**HOWEVER, step 1 and 2 were
successful!!**

Let us rejoice.

Naphtali Herz Imber was born into a Hassidic family. After receiving a traditional education, he left home to wander the world. In Constantinople, he became friends with Laurence Oliphant, a Christian Zionist, and went to Palestine¹ with him in 1882. He had also become a believer in Yeshua. He was accused of "converting to Christianity" because of his constant poverty. However, he remained poor even after coming to belief in Yeshua, so the accusation is obviously false.

In 1878, he was inspired by the founding of the settlement called Petah Tikvah in Israel. He wrote a poem describing his feelings, and called it, *Tikvatuenu* (Our Hope). This man set the poem to a melody based on a traditional Modavian-Romanian folksong called "Carul cu Bol" (Cart and Oxen). It was renamed *HaTikvah* (The Hope), and later became the unofficial anthem for the nation of Israel.

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John 1.1-3 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. All things came to be through him, and without him nothing made had being.

The Word, the Son, is the Logos, the logic of creation

Yn 8.31-32 So, Yeshua said to the Judeans who had trusted him, “If you obey what I say, then you are really my talmidim, you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”

“If you remain united with me, and my words with you, then ask whatever you want, and it will happen for you.

If our minds and hearts are in scripture, we will understand life and love.

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B'resheet (Genesis) 1:26

וַיֹּאמֶר אֱלֹהִים נַעֲשֶׂה אָדָם בְּצַלְמֵנוּ כְּדְמוּתֵנוּ
וְיִרְדּוּ בְּדָגַת הַיָּם וּבְעוֹף הַשָּׁמַיִם וּבַבְּהֵמָה
וּבְכָל-הָאָרֶץ וּבְכָל-הָרֶמֶשׂ הָרֹמֵשׁ עַל-הָאָרֶץ:

Then G-d said, “Let us make humankind in our image, in the likeness of ourselves; and let them rule over the fish in the sea, the birds in the air, the animals, and over all the earth, and over every crawling creature that crawls on the earth.”

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Genesis 1.26-28 בְּרֵאשִׁית

- Let us נַעֲשֶׂה
- In His image [first song?]
- Rule over creation

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בְּצֶלֶם אֱלֹהִים בָּרָא אֹתוֹ זָכָר וּנְקֵבָה
בָּרָא אֹתָם:

So G-d created humankind in his
own image; in the image of G-d
he created him: male and female

B'resheet (Genesis) 1:28

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them, “Be fruitful, multiply, fill the
earth and subdue it

Reverend Thomas
Robert Malthus
laid out in his 1798
writings, *An Essay
on the Principle of
Population*, a
theory called
Malthusianism.



Malthusianism is a theory that population growth is potentially exponential, according to the Malthusian growth model, while the growth of the food supply or other resources is linear,

which eventually reduces living standards to the point of triggering a population decline. This event is called a Malthusian catastrophe.

China's family planning policies began to be shaped by fears of overpopulation in the 1970s, and officials raised the age of marriage and called for fewer and more broadly spaced births. A near-universal one-child limit was imposed in 1980 and written into the country's constitution in 1982



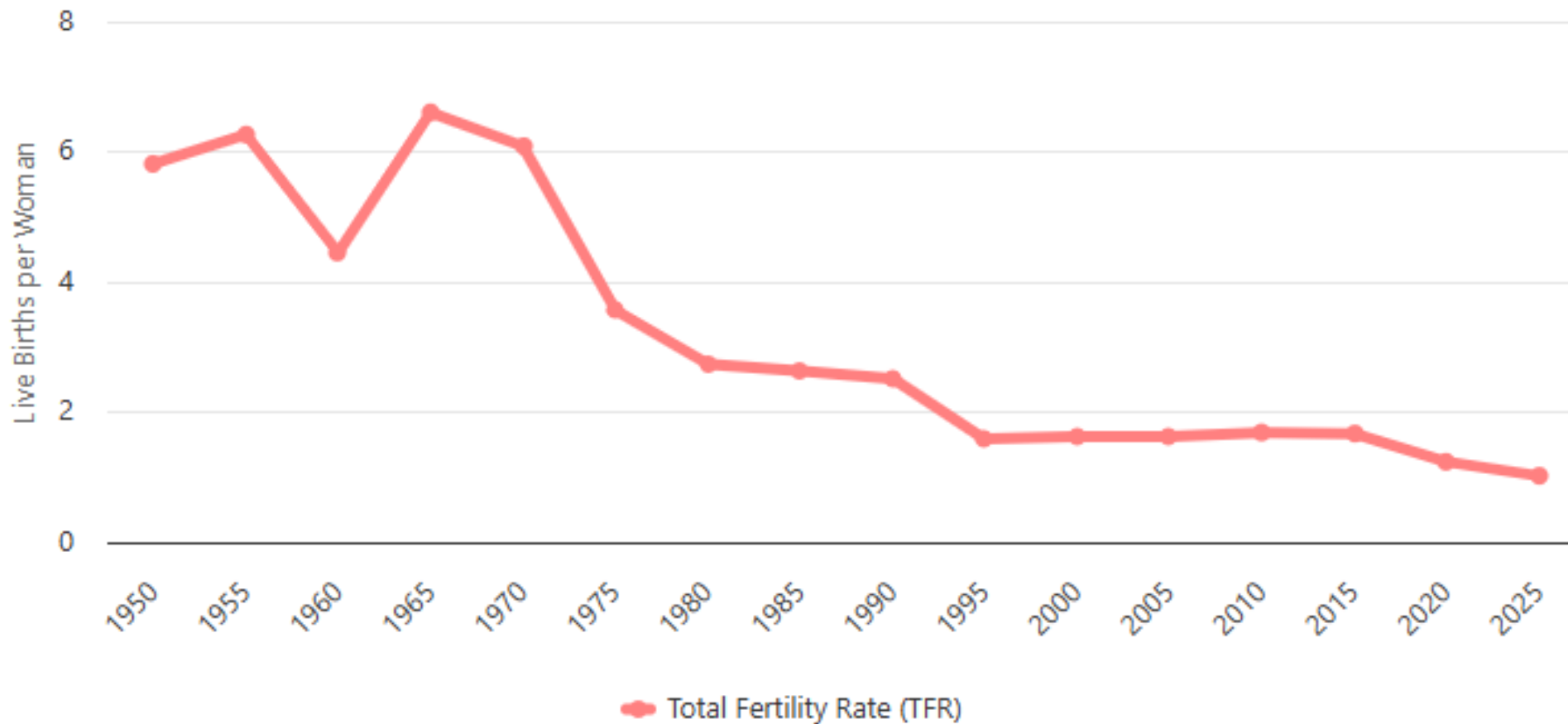
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Propaganda slogan on a building at Yangxin County, Hubei, reading “an IUD after the first, tubal ligation after the second.”

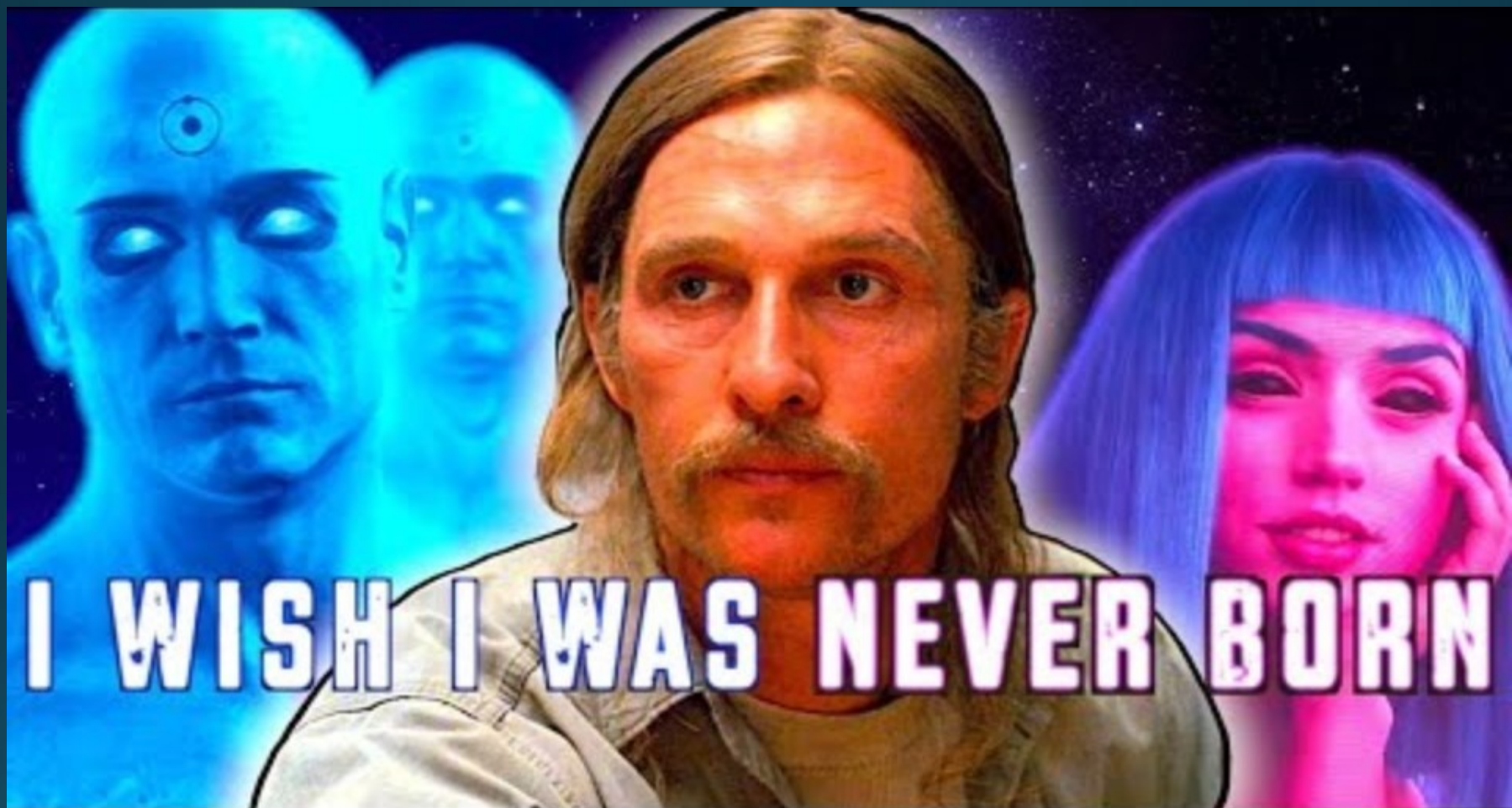


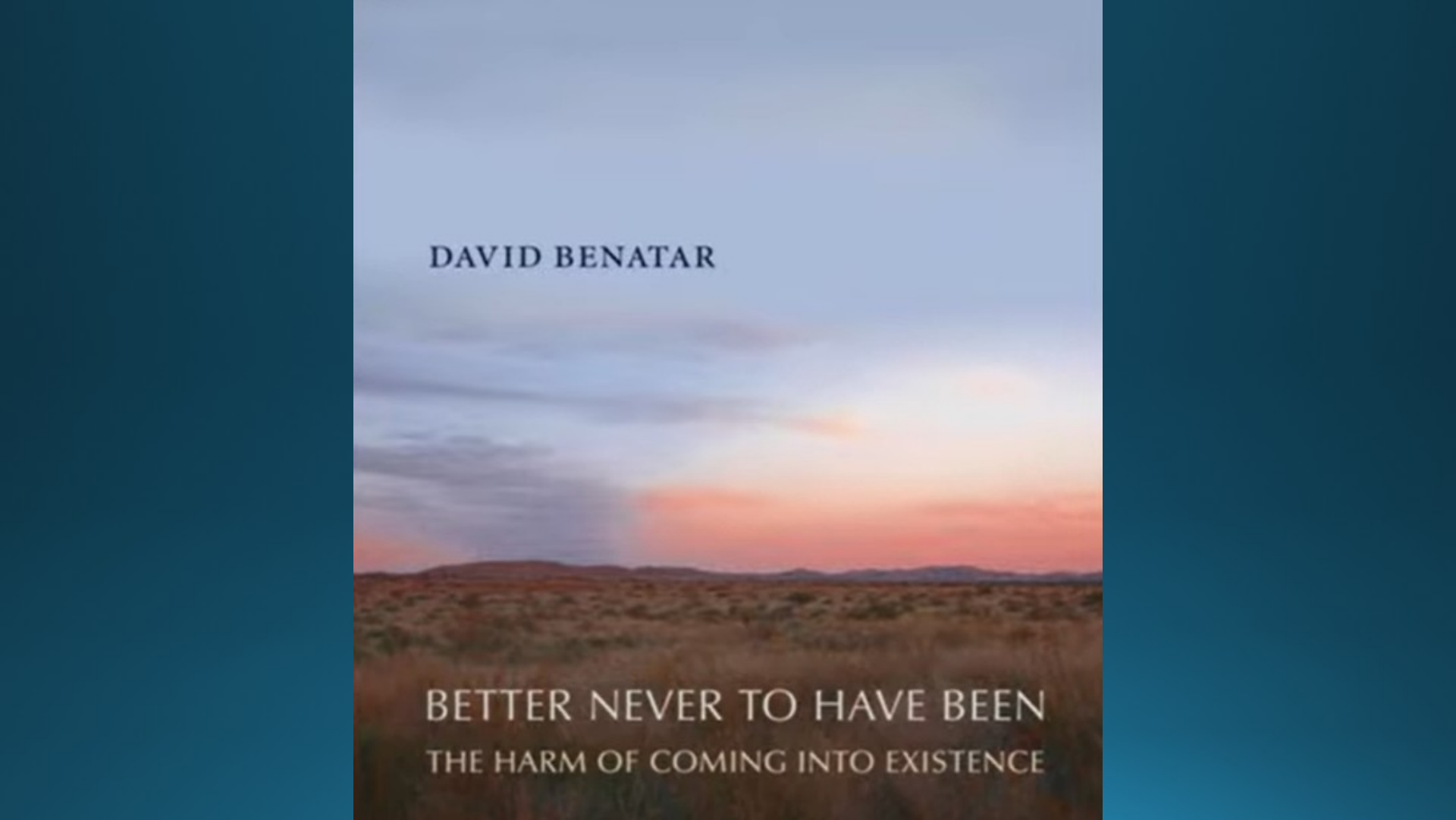
Total Fertility Rate in China

(1955-2025)



This fear of life grew worse, in a movement called Anti-natalism





DAVID BENATAR

BETTER NEVER TO HAVE BEEN
THE HARM OF COMING INTO EXISTENCE

Sophocles
Oedipus at Colonus

Not to be born is, beyond all estimation, best...



RE VIDEOS

recorded anti-natalist sentiments appear
in Fifth Century bcee Greek literature

In July 2021, the Chinese Communist government removed all limits, shortly after implementing financial incentives to encourage individuals to have additional children.

The rationale for the reversal / abolition was summarized by former Wall Street

Journal reporter Mei Fong: "The reason China is doing this right now is because they have too many men, too many old people, and too few young people.

They have this huge crushing demographic crisis as a result of the one-child policy. And if people don't start having more children, they're going to have a vastly diminished workforce to support a huge aging population."

A similar population issue,
but worse.

A landmark study published in the journal Human Reproduction Update analyzed data from over 40,000 men across North America, Europe, Australia, and New Zealand. The results were staggering – a 52.4% decline in sperm concentration between 1973 and 2011.

The authors warn that the mean sperm count has now dropped dangerously close to the threshold that makes conception more difficult, meaning couples around the world may encounter problems having a baby without medical assistance.

And the decline isn't slowing down. More recent data suggests the trend is continuing and possibly accelerating. But why? What's causing this dramatic shift in just a few decades?

The findings, published on Tuesday in the journal Human Reproduction Update, serve as "a canary in a coal mine," said Professor Hagai Levine, the study's lead author from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem's Hadassah Braun School of Public Health.

"We have a serious problem on our hands that, if not mitigated, could threaten mankind's survival," he said in a statement.

- 1.The Sedentary Lifestyle Crisis
- 2.Environmental Toxins
- 3.Nutritional Deficiencies
- 4.Stress and Sleep Disruption
- 5.Electromagnetic Radiation
- 6.Some Prescription Medications

The study, commissioned by the nonprofit organization The Club of Rome, predicts that if current trends continue, the world's population, which is currently 7.96 billion, will peak at 8.6 billion in the middle of the century before declining by nearly 2 billion before the century's end.

Japan's population is projected to lose 18.7 million people between 2024 and 2050. The population is expected to shrink from 123.8 million to 105.1 million, a 15.1% decline. Japan's population has been falling since 2011 due to very low fertility rates (1.42 births per woman) and an aging population.

The population of Greece is expected to shrink from 10 million to 8.8 million, a loss of more than 12%, over the next 26 years. Greece's population began declining in 2011 when the first negative birth rate was recorded. Greece's population could decline by up to 50% over the next 50 years if nothing is done to combat it.

So, the secular world
was panicked about
overpopulation,
and is now panicked
about depopulation.

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Normal vs. abnormal

Normal life choice



↓
Humanity

Abnormal life choice



↓
No humanity





Today is a day that the United States Senate has declared Charlie Kirk Remembrance Day on what would've been his 32nd birthday.



President Donald Trump plans to give the slain conservative activist the Medal of Freedom at a White House ceremony.

Dobson: Where do you get the guts to do that?

Charlie Kirk: So, I grew up in Chicago, which is... the fun thing about being from Illinois as a sidebar is we have term limits. That's one term in office, one term in jail for all of our leaders. But look, I'm a Scot and it's kind of in my blood to love a good fight.

I'm also just not comfortable only talking to people that agree with me all the time. I find such invigoration and excitement and energy to go to places where not a soul agrees with me. That is the coolest thing in the world

If you go to the early speeches of Turning Point USA in '13, '14, '15, '16, and some people in the line were remarking on this, and they're totally right, which is Charlie, I didn't know you were a Christian. [This is] because even I was raised in a church community where I was told you do not talk about these two things together ever.

I go as far to say that if someone is thinking that they're transgender, that they are participating in an equivalent of gender blackface, that they are trying to pretend something that they are not to appropriate an identity to try to blur right and wrong.

Just to give you an idea of a flavor of how blunt I am on these campuses. And most kids are kind of in shock and in silence when I say this, but honestly, a lot of kids that will find that to be oppositional, we have a way we run our events,

and anyone who's been at a
Turning Point USA campus event
will tell you that we do this every
time. If you disagree, you get to ask
the first question.

I think we're one of the few organizations and Dr. Dobson, I think you could be one of the others that can get swinging from the chandelier Pentecostals and Five Point Calvinists and Episcopalians all in the same room to agree that we need to do something about liberty and to destroy the woke.

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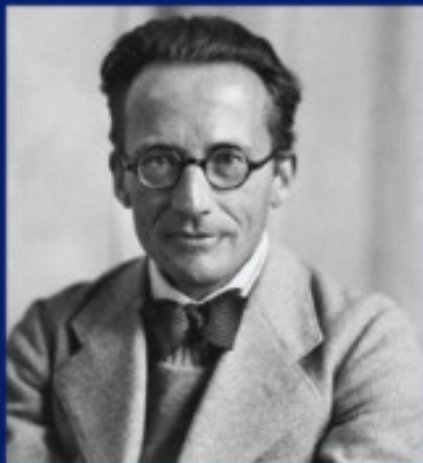
Yn 8.31-32 So, Yeshua said to the Judeans who had trusted him, “If you obey what I say, then you are really my talmidim, you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”

Schrodinger's Wave Equation

The time-independent Schrödinger wave equation in three dimensions is

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{d^2\psi}{dy^2} + \frac{d^2\psi}{dz^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2}(E - P.E.)\psi = 0$$

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Austrian physicist,
Erwin Schrodinger

Erwin Schrödinger was awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1933 for his work on atomic theory and quantum mechanics.

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Malachi 4:6 He will turn the hearts of the fathers to their children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers; or else I will come and strike the land with a curse.

Yeshayahu/Is 44.3-4 I will pour water on the thirsty land and streams on the dry ground; I will pour my Spirit on your descendants, my blessing on your offspring. They will spring up among the grass like willows on the riverbanks.

Yeshayahu/Is 44.3-4 One will say, 'I belong to Adoni.' Another will be called by the name of Ya'akov. Yet another will write that he belongs to Adoni and adopt the surname Isra'el."

Isaiah 60.4 Lift up your eyes and look all around: they all gather—they come to you— your sons will come from far away, your daughters carried on the hip.

Ps 90.16-17 Let Your work appear to
Your servants, and Your splendor
on their children. Let the favor of
the Lord our God be upon us.
Establish the work of our hands for
us— yes, establish the work of our
hands.

Psalm 145:4,13 One generation will
commend your works to another;
they will tell of your mighty acts.
Your kingdom is an everlasting
kingdom, And Your dominion
endures throughout all
generations.

Psalm 100:5 For Adoni is good and his
love endures forever; his
faithfulness continues through all
generations.

2 Cor 5.7 **For we walk by faith, not by sight.**

2 Cor 4.18 **We look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen. For what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.**

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