



Howdy Folks,

Once upon a time a well-known news commentator, Paul Harvey, told a story that made an impression on me. It was from his 'The rest of the story' series.

On April 13, 1800, Tom, a 57 year old man was making a list of his lifelong accomplishments and at the top of the list he wrote how he had gotten a group of people together and cleaned up the Rivanna River back in 1763.

This was a man of many accomplishments including being President of the United States, and he put cleaning up a river at the top of his list. His name was Thomas Jefferson.

Maybe I can understand a bit of how he felt. Today a group of over 20 volunteers from Emory & Henry College arrived to pick up trash from along the banks of the North Fork of the Holston River. This was immediately followed by Deputy Sheriff Tim Chapman driving a truck and trailer assisted by 2 inmates to haul away the trash. These efforts were the second such cleanup this year coordinated by the Upper Tennessee River Roundtable, a non-profit organization working in cooperation with Emory & Henry College, Washington County Sheriff Dept. and Raymon Grace Foundation.

This was part of Keep Southwest Virginia Beautiful, the largest regional affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, which is the lead organizer for the Great American Cleanup. This is an annual national event taking place March through May with millions of volunteers participating in such events.

Now Thomas Jefferson's work crew was moving logs and rocks to clear the river for navigation for commerce. We were clearing the river from the trash that would be picked up in the next flood. Trash consisted of such things as old tires, plastic bags, stuffed animals, food containers, cans, fabric and all manner of car parts just to name a few.

For 36 years I have picked up trash, washed down from upstream where people have dumped it along the road, which is near the river. In the past few years the Upper Tennessee River Roundtable has been working to clean up streams and we have joined forces with them to help.

The Raymon Grace Foundation established a 'Foundation Chair' with Emory & Henry College to provide for annual cleanups of the river from now on. Our Foundation also funded a 'water table model' to be used in schools to show how the water table is polluted by dumping trash and chemicals on the ground.

We have also funded Appalachian Sustainable Development, another non-profit organization which goes into schools with information about respect for water and growing food. My daughter April is involved with these organizations.

In this area, people dump trash in the river because that is what they have seen all their lives. Trash dumpsters are located throughout the area, but people are creatures of habit. Ignorance and lack of respect are the basic causes of this type of pollution. With chemical pollution, greed is a factor. Hopefully, by going into the schools to teach kids about respect for the water and the earth will produce a generation of smarter and more respectful people.

Am writing this today to show you what can be done when people work together. What we did today can be done all over the world. It just takes someone to do something rather than talk about it.

I didn't start the Upper Tennessee River Roundtable or the Washington County Sheriff Department or Emory & Henry College, all I did was join forces with them for a common cause.

Over 25 years ago I set a goal to clean up water and hoped to find a way to do it throughout the world. At the time I didn't have a clue as to how to accomplish this, so I started picking up trash from the river on my farm and at the beach. Later I learned how to change the energy in a cup of water, then to energize a swimming pool, then how to take pollutants out of a well. Now our information on how to change the energy of water and clean it up is available in 48 countries. See what can be done by setting a goal and working toward it.

The pictures of the cleanup are at <http://www.raymongracefoundation.org> .

You can do the same thing in your community!!! Remember, if you do nothing—nothing will happen.

If you do something then something will happen---SO DO SOMETHING!!!



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Many folks have watched the You Tube version of Tim Carpenter & I discussing how to grow vegetables in a very small space with no dirt, we decided to offer a good deal on the complete interview. Seems like lots of people are getting interested in growing their own food but they don't own a farm. This DVD shows you how you can do it and it saves about 80% of the water used for a garden in the ground.

I am using this growing system in connection with my regular garden and it is working well, I was able to pick strawberries while standing up.

Until the end of July, you can get this DVD for \$15 + \$2 shipping if you order through our newsletter. Any profit from this goes to support the Raymon Grace Foundation to further the work we are doing.

To order, click here.

We stopped making monthly DVDs last fall because I couldn't think of anything else useful to film and wanted to make sure that we provided something worthwhile. We now have another one filmed this spring with Martial Arts Grandmaster David Harris and I discussing how we plan to offer an energy clearing for larger group of people.

This is technical stuff that is over my head but I understand the bottom line. For a few years we have been showing people how to affect the energy of water, people and places with the use of our DVDs. Now we are taking it a step further to use it through cell phones, i-pods & computers.

In this interview David demonstrates some simple hand movements you can use to change energy. I volunteered myself as a demonstrator for his techniques so you can watch exactly how this is done. As of now, I can say this is working well for me.

This also works well for those who have not yet learned to dowse. This DVD will be available on the Raymon Grace Foundation Website in July.

Any profit from any DVD sold on the Raymon Grace Foundation website supports the work of the foundation.

And now it is time for the Call to Action.

Please join us June 21st. For full details visit

<http://www.raymongraceprojects.com/calltoaction.htm>