

MOKATORI

Our possible futures

Business as usual

Episode 1

Mokatori (or Motokari)* is a word of the Amazonian Yanomami indigenous people who designates climate change.

You can't predict the future, but you can achieve it



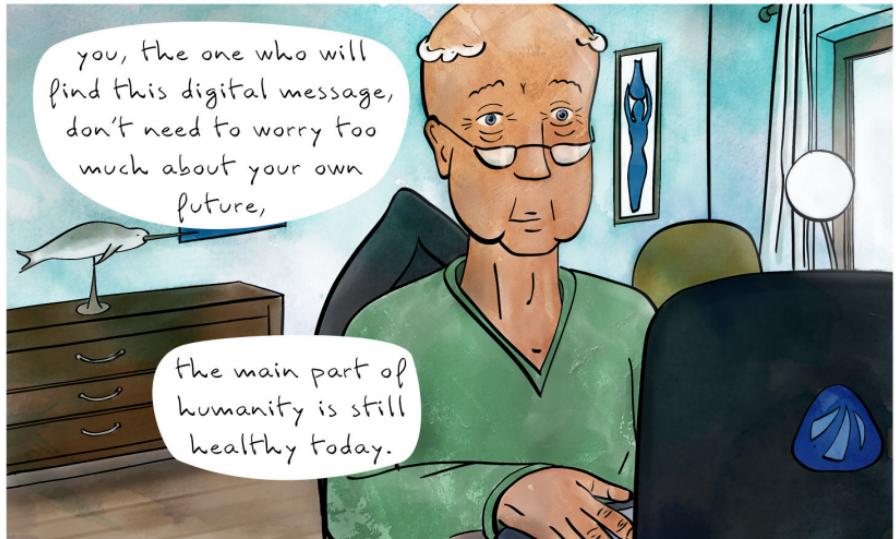
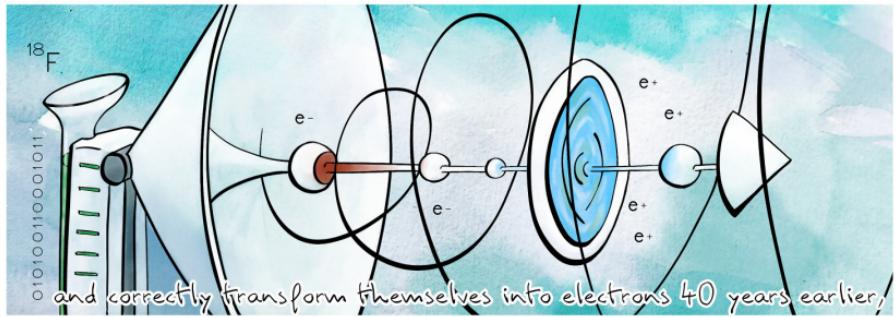
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IN MEMORY OF
FUKUSHIMA DAI SHI VICTIMS
2011 - 2057

Fukushima, March 11, 2057
Ceremony for celebrating the end of
the nuclear power plant decommissioning





I'm writing to you because I would have loved to have received a letter like this one, when I was young,



when I was so anxious to find a job, asking myself what was going to happen to me,

and if the planet would survive the parasites we are.



Well, the answer is yes, even if there were some small changes.

We are now 10 billion humans.

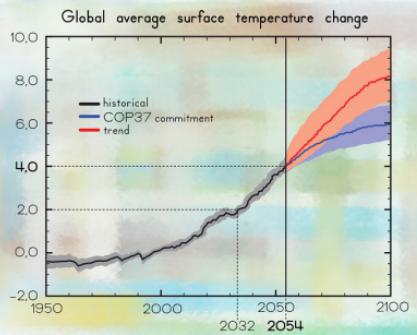
The IPCC* with its politically correct forecasts, and its caution, turned out to be wrong of course:



In the Northern Hemisphere, 1983-2012 was likely the warmest 30-year period of the last 1400 years*.

medium confidence

In what scientists had predicted for year 2100 is already today's reality.



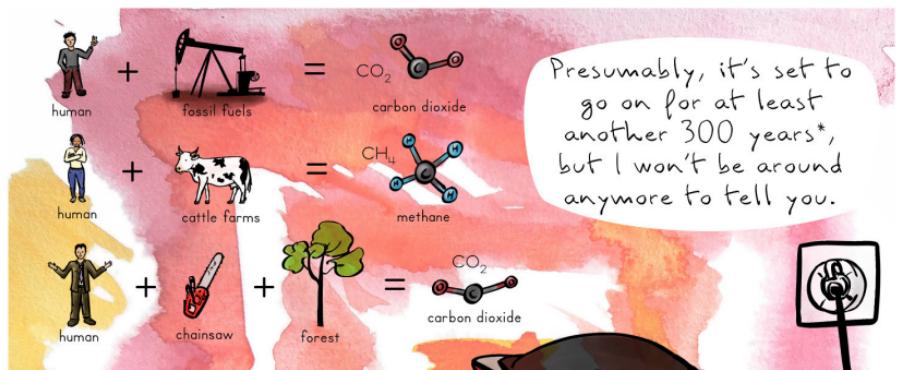
There were many "crises",

but we eventually ended up abandoning that word, which didn't really make sense for a permanent state.



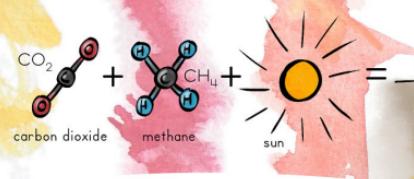
Today we say we are "in remission" and we are not doing such a bad job doing this.



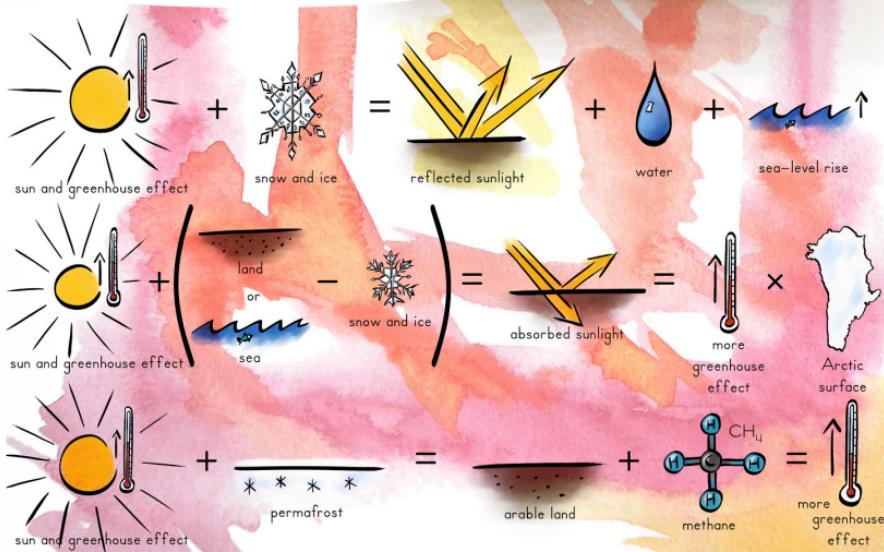


Presumably, it's set to go on for at least another 300 years*, but I won't be around anymore to tell you.

My grandchildren will suffer even more from the heat,



because since we have given the impulse to the planet, it's warming up all by itself.

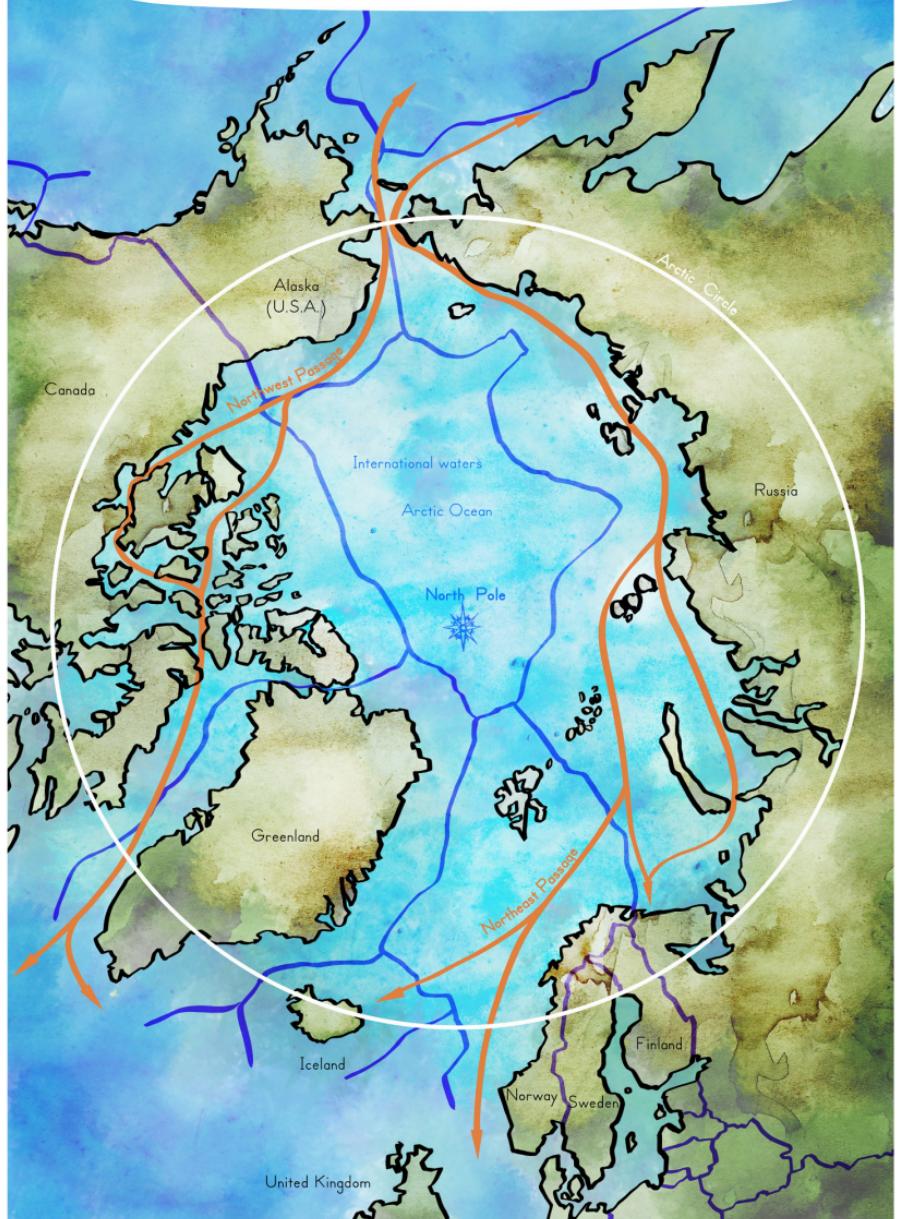


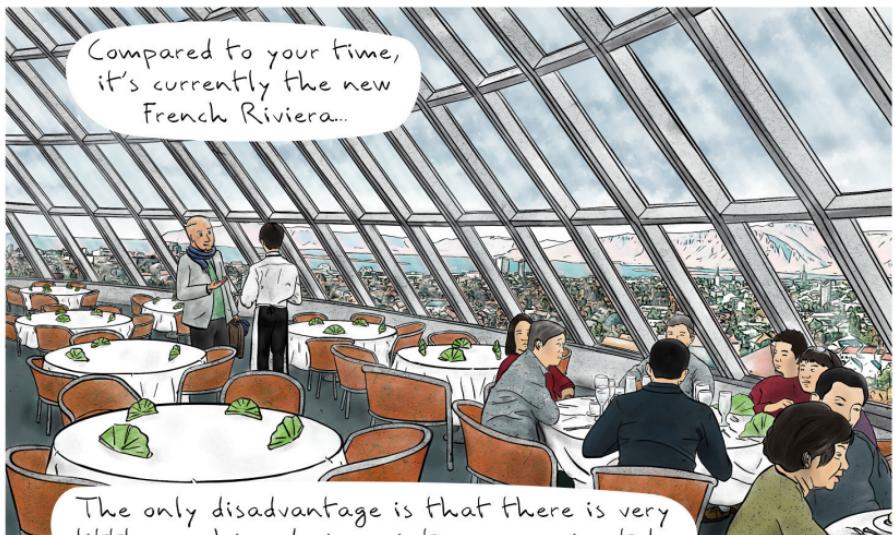


and during this spring day, we have a pleasant
12 °C (53.6 °F), the almond trees are in blossom.



After the permanent opening of the two Arctic sea routes, the population increased considerably here.





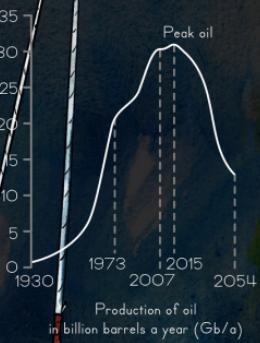




Of course we don't
use oil anymore,



Oil price per barrel
on March 20th, 2054



except for international
super-freighters.



Bikes, often electric, are popular, my grandchildren never passed their driving license.



359 kr

Our electric cycles selection

spring 2054

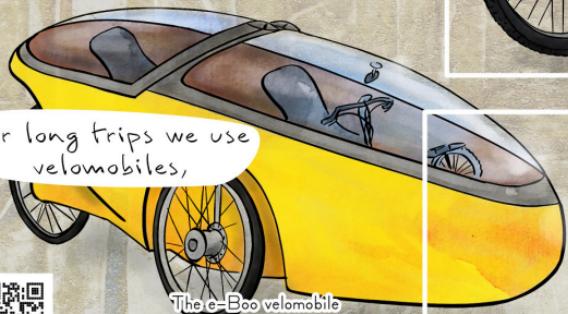
399 kr



599 kr



For long trips we use
velomobiles,



479 kr



895 kr

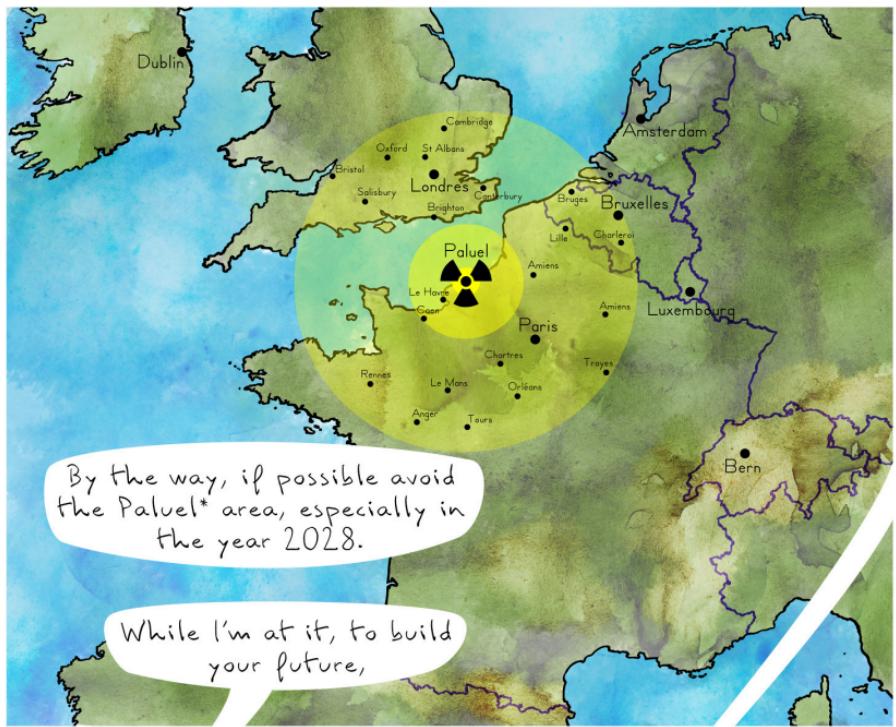
to transport children
cargo bikes,

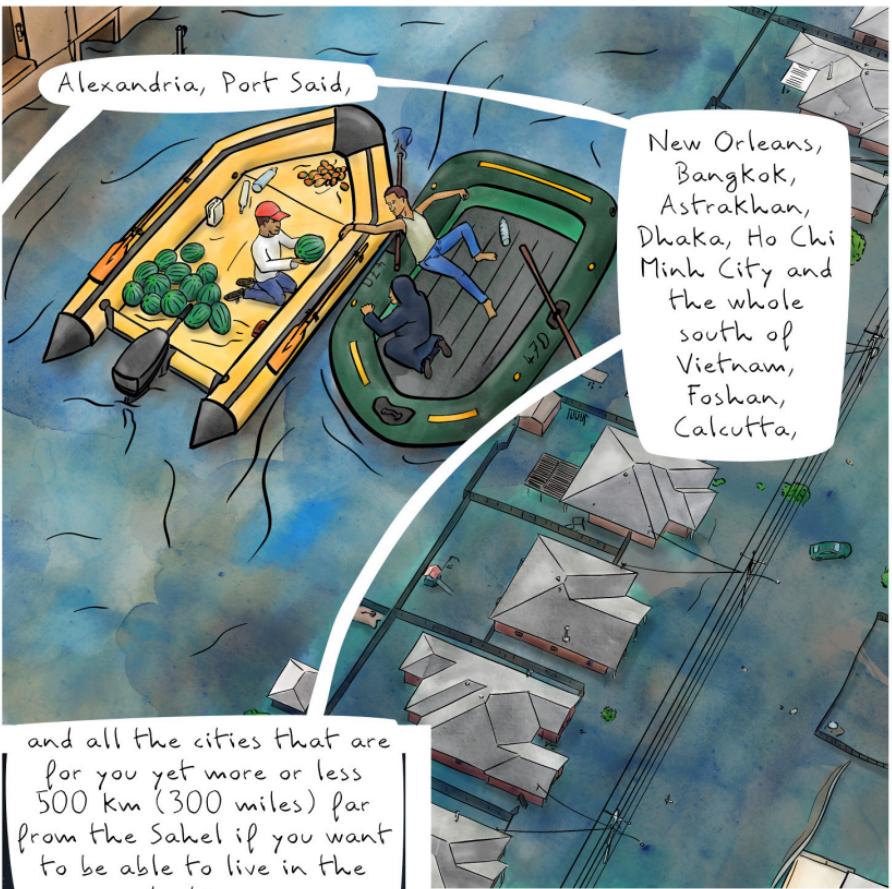


and when we get too
old, we sit in the back
of cycle rickshaws.

To discover also:
Our electric snowmobiles
and our skis winter sales

Fortunately we don't have the Paris,
London and Brussels radioactivity.





and all the cities that are
for you yet more or less
500 Km (300 miles) far
from the Sahel if you want
to be able to live in the
daytime...

I hope I haven't forgotten any.









For example, I would never have imagined that I would miss,
among others,

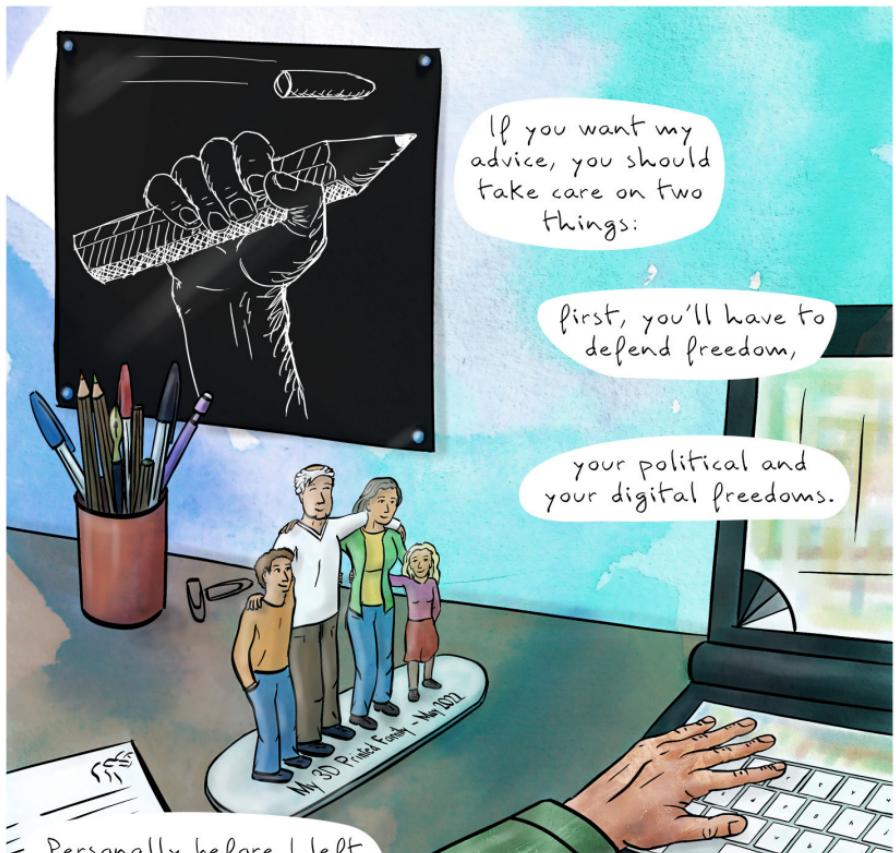


And honey too...

I ate so much when
I was young.



Well, anyway,
it's all right,
we aren't the
worst off.



= Personally before I left France I couldn't stand the "report" buttons on Facebook anymore.







Now I must stop,

I won't have enough
positrons to send the
message otherwise.

I hope we'll get
the opportunity
to meet.

Please give me
your opinion about
this message.



May be this will happen within
the next 40 years for you,

may be just within
a moment for me.

I wish you fair winds,
nice warm fair winds!

Svalbard Global Seed Vault, opened since 2008, store at -18 °C (-0.4 °F) about 2,000 global seed varieties for hundreds of years.*



Navdanya Agrobiodiversity Conservation and Ecological Farm in India, safeguards, produce and share approximately 1500 varieties of regional seeds, and helped hundreds of similar projects to be born worldwide since the beginning of its activities in 1995.*

Following in the next episode "Time Machine"...

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*p7 : https://www.ipcc.ch/pdf/assessment-report/ar5/wgl/WG1AR5_SummaryVolume_FINAL.pdf RID B1 p5

*p8 : https://www.ipcc.ch/pdf/assessment-report/ar5/wgl/WG1AR5_SummaryVolume_FINAL.pdf RID E1 p20

*p12 : https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Peak_oil

*p19 : Wink to the jungles of Douanier Rousseau and to Gaston by Franquin

*p22 : Wink to « The Great Wave off Kanagawa » by Hokusai

*p25 : <https://www.croptrust.org/our-work/svalbard-global-seed-vault/>

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