

#MATRIFUTURE

The International Movement for a Balanced, Re-mothered Future!

For millennia, indigenous matriarchal societies of peace all over the world have been showing us how an egalitarian, caring society is entirely possible, with practical ways of being that work for everyone; not a utopia! By placing the principle of mothering at their heart and trusting in the mother-given world, a matricentric social order is re-created, day by day.

From all over the world, as sisters and brothers, mothers and fathers, scholars and feminists, carers and human beings – we need to learn from these societies how to re-mother or re-matriate our own social order as we strive for:

A Peaceful World in Balance

Let's create a #MATRIFUTURE together!

The capitalist patriarchy embraces the belief that the world must, at any level, be transformed, controlled, supplemented and even replaced by an artificial, human-made counter-world. We now face a number of life-threatening crises that are dragging human beings down into a state of separation and loneliness, as well as progressively more impoverished communities. The fundamental crisis of the natural sphere we're witnessing today threatens life itself and even the one and only planet we can live on, our beloved Mother Earth.

Given these multiple global crises, new and creative approaches are essential for the survival of humanity and our entire planet. Together we can move from a PATRIcentric, control-based and divisive social order to a MATRIcentric, flow-based and integrating society.

We can transform our society

from a Patri-crisis towards Matri-ecology and a Gifting Society

In a #MATRIFUTURE, bigger is not necessarily better. Priority is given to the smaller units of society, responsible for engendering a more person-to-person and transparent approach. This means developing structures that foster various types of alliances among neighbouring communities and networks of women and men that meet the needs of mothers and children.

In a #MATRIFUTURE, gift-giving and the life-creating flow of a gift represent the core economic principles in regional networks and the dignity of every generation is honoured. We overcome artificial divisions between women and men, between the old and young, between sexual preferences, different abilities and between the body, mind, and soul by building up networks founded on the ongoing sharing of resources based on need.

The #MATRIFUTURE we create is aware of the mutual bond between humans and nature. The world itself is seen as a living organism and the sacredness of Mother Earth and of all her children is respected.

It's up to all of us to make this a reality!

AN INCLUSIVE - CARING - EGALITARIAN - MATRIARCHAL SOCIETY

LET'S BRING ABOUT THE #MATRIFUTURE NOW!

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