

Greetings from Tyler,

You don't need me to tell you that global warming is not in the forefront of our daily concerns right now. It is with a certain sense of guilt that I mention that our high temperature today was four degrees below freezing, because this is downright mild compared to the conditions many of you are confronting. But it is never-the-less dangerously cold, with hospitals and Salvation Army facilities being overrun with people needing warm shelter.

A [National Geographic program on our solar system](#) aired last night, where it was repeatedly emphasized how "lucky" we are that the earth is exactly the right distance from the sun. Not only does that allow life to thrive on earth, but provides us with distinct seasons. The word "luck" and "lucky" is used repeatedly throughout the otherwise excellent presentation. If there was any reference to design, I must have missed it. The impression you're left with is that our existence is nothing short of an accident, and that we're on our own on this planet, just us and Al Gore and those who would profit from our ignorance and wield global regulatory power. As we've mentioned before, the pope is fully on board with the idea, claiming that rich nations must assume responsibility for the climate crisis!

At this point, I must pass along some of the headlines from this week lest some believe that the current conditions are some kind of anomaly that somehow is perfectly in keeping with the man made global warming theory.

[Winter Could be Worst in 25 years for USA](#)
[Britain's Big Snow Shuts Cities](#)
[Gas Supplies Running out in UK](#)
[Army Drafted to Rescue 1000 Snow Stranded Motorists](#)
[Vermont Sets all-time Record for one Snowstorm](#)
[Iowa Temps a Solid 30 Degrees Below Normal](#)
[Seoul Buried in Heaviest Snowfall in 70 Years](#)
[Midwest Sees Near-Record Lows, Snow by the Foot](#)
[Miami shivers from coldest weather in decade:](#)
[Florida Gov. Signs Emergency Order](#)
[Cold Snap spurs Power Rationing in China](#)
[Midwest bracing for heavy Snow – Windchills of 50 below!](#)
[Next Arctic Blast Blows even Colder](#)
[Death Toll rises to 22 in UK's biggest freeze for 30 years](#)
[Arctic Blast Freezes Texas](#)
[Weekend Freeze Looms for Gulf Coast](#)
[Ice Delays Flights in Tampa](#)

In times past, these events might have been called "Acts of God," and though that would be politically incorrect in today's environment you can't help wondering whether our thermostat has been lowered a few notches just for grins.

You are aware that we are still targets of Islamic radicals, despite all the goodwill the new administration has brought to bear. The undie bomber has been lawyered up at taxpayer expense and plead “not guilty.” We now know that former Guantanamo detainees are actively planning attacks such as the recent airline incident over Detroit. What they’re calling “full body scanners” are reportedly on their way to airports across the U.S. When they caught the shoe bomber, they made us all take off our shoes. Apparently the terrorists have won another victory, since now the government feels the need to check in our underwear before they can let us fly. What will they think of next?

Chris Cumming sent me a [news report](#) today on a devout Jewish religious group preparing artifacts to adorn the Third Temple whenever it should be constructed. And of course they reject the prophecies of Jesus Christ that indicate another Temple will be in existence in the end time. It is obvious that cannot happen without tremendous upheaval throughout the Middle East. And though the region constantly simmers just below the boiling point, major upheaval is all but guaranteed in the near future.

We had an excellent response to the GTA telecast this past week, with 521 requests overall and two hundred forty nine first time contacts. We’re working on some other exciting media prospects, and I hope to be able to report something concrete soon. Our roads are expected to be dry this weekend, but I know that’s a luxury many of you won’t have and some services will have to be cancelled. Regardless, stay warm and stay safe. We’re obviously not completely on our own or at the mercy of global warming! Right now we’re in danger of freezing to death.

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P.S. I just heard from Robert Nunnery, and his recovery is progressing very well. He thanks everyone for their prayers and for the many calls and letters. Before long he should be completely back up to speed.

Resources:

News story: [Temple Altar Construction Begins on Day of Destruction](#)