

A H I M S A C E N T E R NONVIOLENCE IN THOUGHT AND ACTION

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A Virtual Talk by Michael Charles Tobias

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Nonviolence in an Age of Mass Extinctions

Given the extent of humanity's dominion over the biosphere, how can individuals contribute meaningfully to the amelioration of suffering? To the end of our mindless domination of so many other species? Where are the moments in our past and present which offer a window for the future in terms of true conscience at work, compassion in action, a vision of the future that can help all of us to re-embrace the natural world sustainably? Dr. Tobias will discuss nonviolent options for this generation that might yet empower our species' ability to collectively instill an ethical, ecological consensus.

Dr. Michael Charles Tobias is an author, historian of consciousness, a global ecologist, and filmmaker. He is the author of over 55 books, has written, directed and/or produced over 100 films. He has conducted ecological field research in over 90 countries. Tobias has taught at Dartmouth College, the University of California-Santa Barbara (as both Distinguished Visiting Professor of Environmental Studies and the Regents Lecturer), and the University of New Mexico-Albuquerque (as the Visiting Garrey Carruthers Endowed Chair of Honors). Long-time President of the <u>dancingstarfoundation.org</u> Tobias has been deeply involved in wildlife conservation and animal/habitat liberation on every continent for half-century. For more, visit: <u>https://peoplepill.com/people/michael-tobias</u>