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A Chicken can't lay a Duck Egg: How Covid-19 can solve the climate crisis

The pandemic offers a unique chance for radical economic and social reform.

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To slow the pace of climate change, the fossil fuel industry, aviation sector and auto business have to be dismantled. Until recently that was thought impossible. Covid-19 proves this wrong. The Coronavirus shows that it *is* possible to shut businesses overnight, cut greenhouse gas emissions and pay people during a transition. Because Covid-19 has done half the job for us, a sustainable future is finally within our grasp. This new book shows how societies can embrace this unique chance for change and build a future where people can live in balance with nature.

“Read and act on the wisdom of this book now. In another decade it will be too late.” **Dr Susan George, President, Transnational Institute.**

“A must read for every thinking person.” **Prof Paul Shrivastava, Penn State University.**

“Passionate about the realities; clear about the changes; funny when it needs to be. This book takes us from chaos to opportunity.” **Martin Palmer, Secretary General, Alliance of Religions and Conservation.**

“The time for governments to act is not when the consequences of their negligence and folly have become overwhelming. It is now”, says **Dr Bernice Maxton-Lee** one of the authors. “Societies have very little time to introduce the radical changes that are needed.”

“The change needs to be led by young people, and those who have not been brainwashed by the economic virus killing the planet”, says co-author **Graeme Maxton.** “It is time for a new political leadership to build a different, less selfish future for humanity.”

“We can use the pandemic to help us reset our relation to the Living Planet as a whole,” says **Dr. Thomas E. Lovejoy** in the book’s foreword.

The book is part of the series [Resetting our Future](#), published by [Changemakers Books](#).

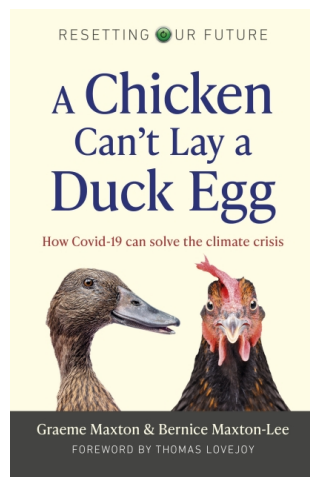
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