National Geographic, Back To Nature,

The Selfie Generation Gets Outside, October 2016

"The National Parks are our Holy Places" ~Parks were vital to a growing democracy

Enormous Natural Amphitheater ..."recognize the light of reality"

Known as the confluence, a sacred place in tribal stories, power spots of the land, are holy grounds in the various quarters of the Earth.

Recognized as the creativity of your own visionary awareness of the divine realm as to the living presence in your own natural environment.

The first rays of sunlight were touching...colors bright shades of antiquity...bathed in the glorious evening light.

With its lost world, sci-fi vibe, artsy types are drawn to it.

~Pockets of opportunity to dip back in... Forces you to think in long arcs, well beyond the quick –flash processes of our age...we are social travelers, you can share it now, its really happening...experience home...slow down geologic time, you can market your way back to relevance...far seeing Geologist~ Geographic Mysteries, in a safe natural setting.

"There is definitely a therapeutic effect, just being here...an island of soul-lifting land could still be found in the clutter of over-industry... and the deadly apathy of Luxury. ~Jonathan Jarvis Director, National Park Service

Cuyahoga Valley National Park ~Visitors 2015 Parks with People...Visitors Centers join the digital age

More young people and more people of color are visiting their country's historic sites, scenic wonders and sacred temples.

Kiosks~ Installations that provide virtual tours

Certain Behavioral Problems maybe a consequence of how little time young people spend outdoors...With more open views~ experience nature in the city for the nature near home will create more respect, care and political support for National Parks.

Programs, which bring students, create a conservation constituency in a newer generation that will need to protect wild places

- 1) ~Great First Impressions
- 2) ~Broad cultural shift
- 3) ~Return to a time when outdoor exposure was a basic nutrient of American life.
- ~Saul Weisberg, Executive Director, Mountain School

National Geographic, The Science of Jazz

March 2017, Herbie Hancock interview with Neil Degrasse Tyson NT: "we know the concept of STEM education- science, technology, engineering and math. There's been a movement to an A in there: STEAM."



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