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Garbage Island

Researchers have recently discovered a large floating mass of debris in the Pacific Ocean somewhere between California and Hawaii and have nicknamed it the Great Pacific Garbage Patch. Some estimates say it could be twice the size of Texas! Just Google "garbage island" to find out more.

Do you think this is what God had in mind when He created the world? Read Genesis 1:20-28 and 2:15

During our time on earth, we have been charged, like Adam, with taking care of the earth and its creatures. "The Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to tend and keep it". Showing respect and caring for the land, the ocean, and the air is our duty as believers in Christ.

This world is a gift from God, and many, many lives have been lost protecting it and defending us. You are probably seeing a lot of poppies on collars this time of year. In fact, over half of all Canadians wear a poppy in November to recognize, remember and honour the men and women who have fought to defend us. The poppy is another of God's beautiful creations, and it is just perfect as a symbol of remembrance.

We can become defenders too—we can aim to defend what God has created for us and to protect the beautiful gift of our free country and our global community.

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Papaver rhoeas (common names include corn poppy, corn rose, field poppy, Flanders poppy, red poppy).

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