

“Traveling Recycle Status-2 continued”

Dear Adam and Eve:

(Readers-This is a continuation of last issue's "Traveler" letter.)

On the plane, the flight attendants asked for the aluminum drink cans separate from the other trash they were picking up. When asked why, she very proudly said they were for recycling!

As many know trans-Atlantic flights are very long so ultimately one winds up reading anything - even the brochure about the plane “in the seat-pocket in front of you!!”

There one can also find the Sky Mall magazine, a modern day version of the old Sears and Roebuck catalogue (some things don't really change except maybe the name!). In this catalogue, however, they were advertising a huge array of products good for the environment. Some of my favorites:

WATER POWERED SHOWER LIGHT uses water flow of the shower to provide energy for the light, saving electricity of the regular bathroom lights.

POWER COST MONITOR/ENERGY METER is a wireless sensor that clamps on your electric meter and displays real time and cumulative energy use, showing kilowatts being used and cost. You can turn off any appliance, A/C, lights and immediately see what you're saving! I'd like to try this one!

SOLAR POWERED CHARGER can be used for cell phones, MP3's, digital cameras, etc.! Take it with you anywhere and charge 'em up!

ELECTRIC MOUNTAIN BIKE can do 20 mph for up to 25 miles on one charge and an electric scooter is good for 20 mph for up to 10 miles on one charge. No pollution! Very Quiet!!

Signed, Traveler

Dear Traveler:

We'll follow more of your environmental travelogue in the next issue.

RETHINK! REDUCE! REUSE! RECYCLE!

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