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Talk about repeatedly convincing yourself of a bad idea, these guys and their followers seem to believe they are going to start a revolution off the back of a blockbuster, I am reminded of the monkeys tune daydream believer.

Whats most hilarious about all this is the fans. They are convinced this movie is going to help raise awareness and change the course of events for their movement. More than likely it will make a few bucks for the people

who funded it and entertain people for 2 hours, then back to bed and back to work. In fact I would hazard a guess this movements membership is the target audience for the movie, they will be the people most likely affected by it, and paying to go and see it.

They actually think that the movie will be so inspirational it will cause people to revolt and join their cause, I am reminded of movies like dave, wag the dog, the Manchurian candidate, avatar, the killing fields, hotel Rwanda, ghandi, Alex Jones docs, Michael Moore movies and then I think yeah I watched those with millions of other people, and nothing has changed.

Do these people actually believe their message is more powerful than say all the other movies that have ever been made ?

It's more likely a money-maker for the people involved, if they do it right they can get some cash and use it elsewhere for whatever their purposes are. I can imagine them now, planning for this movie with the potential looming disaster in their minds, "what if it fails to bring people in to the movement?", "well at least we made a few million to fund our next movie projects".

I think the paparazzi are going to have an absolute field day with this lot, once they find out that its made by "a bunch of guys who are into conspiracy theories, and want to abolish the monetary system and live in a techno village." Thats the kind of quotes that will be all over news papers and spread on tv, in fact I imagine that this group will be more famous for their ideologies and background in a derogatory way, than they will be for their fantastic movie.

I suppose they are expecting this of course, but it's not going to be pretty.

I also wanted to mention how most of these people who are consumers of the leaders ideals, most of them will be 17-25 year old males who have recently been informed that the world is not how they thought it was. The shock they went through having their eyes opened by the zeitgeist movie led them to join the movement, and now they are being capitalised upon by free labour, free marketing, free promotion. Think about that for a moment. This is the kind of MTV generation mentality we live in, where people believe they can sell us revolution [thanks gillian], where art can make us fight for our rights, and numbers of people will flock to help out.

You want to change the world? They suggest sit down in the movie theatre with your friends, grab some popcorn and watch a movie.

Sounds like a joke doesn't it.

 \sim by anticultist on January 10, 2010.

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1. You know, about 5 years ago in the previous TVP forums, I did suggest they do a movie..

So I'm not entirely against the idea, though whether it will be up to the level of Starwars, I'm not so sure... I hadn't really imagined we would have PJ's video effort, which I'm not really a fan of at all.

I also suggested a TV series, and that seems in the works too, though whether it turns out a flop or not is a big unknown at this stage.

I suppose the real concern is if it makes money, whose pockets does it end up in, with PJ hiding his identity, and Fresco seemingly looked after like the goose that laid the goldern egg, I do worry that people are going to exploit any success he has, and using mostly free labour too!

I did suggest though, that a movie was just part of a solution, its a bit of a shame all efforts are directed towards it and nothing left for anything else, after all, the movie might be a flop.

Its funny how we are having this convo here instead of on the main Z forums, but as many of us know, being critical too much there can rather get you banned, so you got to be awfully careful what you say.

I just hope it doesn't turn out rather dull like Frescos previous efforts himself, or too conspiracy like which PJ does. I kinda imagine a cross between Babylon 5 and lets see, Lost in Space the origional series.. Where as I think it should be, lets see.. Silent Running meets Riverworld.

Nanos said this on January 10, 2010 at 4:23 pm | Reply

2. I dont disagree its value of entertainment and even its potential aesthetic beauty, I think its appeal is undoubtedly suited for the sci-fi genre.

But I honestly think the zm guys have this over ambitious idealism that the movie is going to surpass movies like silent running, and other sci fi genius works. And at the same time bring in a horde of followers ready and willing to march into the future, hand in hand to fix the worlds wrongs.

Like you said above, the monetary aspect is a big issue, and over on their forum its simply not debatable, because "how dare you consider they might be making a buck off us?"

anticultist said this on January 10, 2010 at 4:30 pm | Reply

3. I really dont think a tv series or a movie is necessary at since a very popular tv show did already show what a resourc based economy is like — STAR TREK THE NEXT GENERATION...and Voyager..and to an extent DS9.So there really is no point to waste time creating a tv show or film but unfortunately Fresco, Meadows and Joseph suffer from really bad cases of torsonic polarity syndrome. To be honest if TZM and the three stooges really get any real public media exposure they are going to be savaged by alot of the big names in politics, science etc. (god i can imagine Penn Jilette and Teller doing a Bulls**t episode focusing entirely on TVP and TZM)

Shane Nolan said this on February 16, 2010 at 4:01 pm | Reply

4. Did you know they even have a name for this fantasy already?

"And the world will be won"

Source [under project 2]: http://www.thevenusprojectdesign.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=157&Itemid=53

anticultist said this on February 16, 2010 at 4:12 pm | Reply

5. "Sounds like a joke?"

Actually, yeah because you say this:

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I know, a movement suggesting to make a film that has already made films to prove what they want implies failure to me.

"I can imagine them now, planning for this movie with the potential looming disaster in their minds, "what if it fails to bring people in to the movement?", "well at least we made a few million to fund our next movie projects"."

They can easily say that they plan to use the money for actual projects after that big film is finally out and about, then after they can say that they are going to use the profit from the DVD sales after the big theater appeal is over with for more projects. But would all this be transparent? I highly doubt it.

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Seeing TZM or TMZ would be pretty hilarious, I'll admit.

Conclusion:

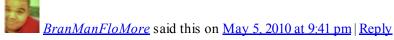
"Insanity: doing the same thing over and over again and expecting different results."

- Albert Einstein.

I don't think there needs to be any more films made either. We have an overdose of documentaries ranging from many many issues. I think everyone understands the situation now with this planet.

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I left, so I can say what I want. I rather not stay at FORUMS being told to "behave" like I'm in kindergarten or something. I haven't been told to "behave" personally but I have been belittled before by them and have seen them tell people to "behave". It's belittling on so many levels and MODs wonder why they get so much heat. The root-cause is right there.



6. well, i hope that you will join us over at RBEF as we explore this and the abuse of TVP. You don't have to watch what you say and you don't have to tip toe around eggshells. We won't tell you to behave the i may point you to some materials if you get unruly. We won't lock threads or censor them, the we may split them and organize posts.

In short, come on over to RBEF. We are having a TVP roast to be certain we never do stuff like that. Think of it as TVP but.. you know.. without all the abuse..

http://www.rbefoundation.com/viewgroup.php?f=389

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prometheuspan said this on May 6, 2010 at 2:53 am | Reply

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You know I'm doing my share.

:)

BranManFloMore said this on May 6, 2010 at 3:08 pm | Reply

7. This blogs pages are becoming an advertisement for RBEF, I have put it up in links already so no need to erm...'whore it' for lack of better words.

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• That's true and we thank you for sharing the links to RBOSE and RBEF.

I welcome more of your input there too, we need to organize all the abusive behavior that takes place in TZM.

To spin this back on topic, I said this comment:

"I don't think there needs to be any more films made either. We have an overdose of documentaries ranging from many many issues. I think everyone understands the situation now with this planet."

I didn't mean to sound dogmatic, but I see so much advertisements with movies alone that I get tired of the constant promotions instead of action. My main point is that there should be more action and less film making.

Just wanted to make myself clear there.

BranManFloMore said this on May 6, 2010 at 3:26 pm | Reply

• Yeah I also find it interesting that all they seem interested in doing is providing more visual stimulus for people.

How this will achieve any level of credibility or even address the issues is beyond my comprehension. If you were to consider they wish to achieve more advertising and PR then yes thats what they are doing.

But again I reiterate this:

Hollywood movies in theatres will not be achievable without certain criteria being met, and their team will have to make a lot of cooperative adaptations/compromises, inclusive of financial and ideological ones.



anticultist said this on May 6, 2010 at 3:34 pm

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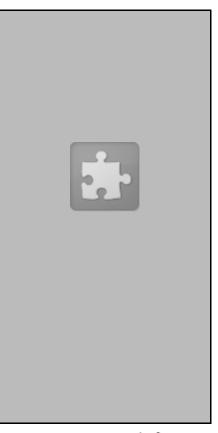
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