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Author Bio

Richard “Rick” Gasaway is a professional electrical engineer who has more than 18 years experience in electrical power plant design.

Rick earned his Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (BSEE) in 1990 from the University of Missouri-Rolla. Married with one son, Rick loves to snow ski and watch St. Louis Cardinals baseball. Every year since he was 12, Rick had made Christmas ornaments out of bread dough, and says they are “marvelous conversation starters.”

His last name, “Gasaway,” is also a conversation starter, particularly in light of the fact that Rick is a strong advocate for reducing gasoline usage and promoting a hydrogen gas economy. A contributing author to the compilation book, *Living the Serenity Prayer* (Adams Media, 2007), Rick lives in Overland Park, Kansas.

Book Recap

An Inconvenient Purpose: While gasoline and electricity are crucial to our daily lives, few think beyond the dollars and cents it costs us at the pump or on the utility bill.

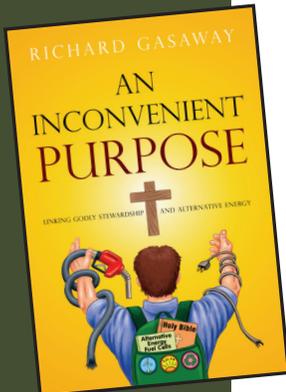
This book encourages readers to strengthen their relationship to Christ through godly stewardship of His creation:

- Promoting better energy solutions
- Reducing dependency on foreign oil
- Promoting cleaner fuel choices for the environment

This book details how readers can become leaders in using and promoting sustainable energy resources.

Interview Questions:

1. Just how concerned should we be with the issue of global warming?
2. You assert that energy usage and dependence is the root cause of many of our political, economic, and national security problems. Please explain this cause-effect relationship.
3. Are the oil and automotive industries quashing the move toward energy alternatives?
4. We hear the term “sustainability” a lot lately. What does that mean, in laymen’s terms?
5. How do Christians perpetuate our dependence on non-sustainable energy resources?
6. How is environmentalism a biblical issue?
7. How can Christians collectively change the world, in terms of promoting sustainable energy alternatives?
8. What are some steps individuals can take now?
9. How can paying attention to energy issues enhance the Christian’s mission of bringing others to Christ?



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