

## Is Living Off The Grid For You?

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Faced with power shortage, unabated burning up of non-renewable energy coupled with power supply's growing demand, every single day there are warnings regarding damage being caused to the environment which should be enough to let us know its high time we did something to reverse this trend. There really something we could do? For beginners, try and live off the grid? In case you think I have hit with a bolt of light then let me make it clear that this way you are helping the environment plus saving power; additionally your electricity bill will come down. This way you receive direct benefits of the good you do, moreover there is a 'feel good' factor about it.

Let me introduce you to the benefits derived from leading a life off the grid.

- Dependency on depleting resources is reduced: The idea of leading a life dependent on public supplies isn't a choice you would like! Leading a life off the grid aids you in depending on one's own resources and discarding supplies received from corporations or governments. Have there been times when you were faced with a blackout right in the middle of get-together? Don't you think the time is apt to take upon yourself to change such matters? Turn to alternating energy solutions.

- Using freely obtainable resources: Just imagine what it would be like if you won't be required to pay for power used by you. Also using more power sans having to worry of the electricity bills would be like a dream come true, wouldn't it? The huge power resource available from mother nature is more than sufficient to cook food and light up houses. Wind and solar power are solutions that can fulfill your power requirements.

- Costs for power brought down, money saving increase: What would be your feelings if electricity bills completely stop? By using alternate solutions for you power needs you can soon expect good returns on such investment, and in the long run power supply to your home shall be free!

- Creating healthy environment: People who planted trees a number of years ago did their job well, a job that is serving us well today. Wouldn't you like to make our planet greener to secure the future of upcoming generations? Slash the use of non-renewable energy. Reduce water use as much as possible. Drinking water too is depleting rapidly and not much is left for upcoming generations. If you find it hard to lead a life off the grid, try and resort to alternate power sources and to your amazement you shall see that apart from being cost-effective there is great viability in it.

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