

3 "Broad Spectrum Challenge"
They saw themselves as the People of Zero (circle)

4) Began to outline a New Ethics.
5 Time mag quote - hippies more ethical.

7- Wow 1968 - Leary - Krassner etc. - wrote "Declaration of Cultural Evolution" Dissolve allegiance to obsolete and harmful cultural elements

9. Why drug war - Repression

They see a threat to their continued dominance - & correct.
→ Began to invest in Cultural War

10 1969 Woodstock - New culture of opposition. To privatism, competition, commercialism, pretentiousness, elitism.

11 Rock sees hippies as living leftists vision creating new personality & institutions.

12 Book - The Human Be In - 1970

Photos - Poster of Human Be In - Gathering of the Tribes

Outpouring of peace & love Jan 14, 1977

15 Marvin called hippies "The only Viable Social Revolution"

Were having "revolutionary impact"

And - My book would have had Rev. Impact & caused much more social change - & could have saved

Why don't we mostly care about working on ways to have only wanted people producing very hi quality of life and civilization - potential - for them - rather than control by threat/fear. Ans. Because otherwise control (money, power) might somewhat slip away from the threat/fear / exert control/gang. Cheaper and secures power thru threat / fear rather than potential actualization/quality of life.

17 - good quote "genuine new form of religiosity for the west."

18 - we find ourselves, to our surprise, in a religious revival, simple atheism was not enough.

26 Dope was utterly intrinsic to the counterculture

So - Drug war is cultural war / anti democratic /

27 Pleasure Ethic But U.S.A. + culture of confinement / prudism

30 "Dope" solved Existential Philosophical Problems

You could try dealing with real problems / reduce drug use based on pain.

30 If your body is not your own you are little more than a domesticated animal

31 History - Failed Prohibitions Coffee Tobacco Cannabis, Alcohol

35 Pot is - Cultural Detoxificant - emotional detergent that breaks thru sham, hypocrisy, living death

35 - CW → Death - Ram Dass - Deconditioning Agent -

"Drugs break patterns - then new worlds can emerge."

Why illegal - "Showed the way out of the retrace to a more comfortable, relaxing, meaningful life."

34-37 Religious Experience and pot / psychedelic Many Experiments

Non Religious people have religious experience
Also builds religious community - very strong sense of belonging. Palms

39 - Substance use as basis of group intimacy.

ECME - The mystical Experience can develop into an ethical imperative reason? for ethical concern of 60's - self transcendence
Reason for repression of such a substance.

41 - Sex - Better Sex

- Sociogenic More intimacy, interaction, Co-operation
Retracting from the metaphysical Dualism that for centuries
→ privatism, individualism.

42 Set & Setting - Vastly helps determine experience.

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49 Counter culture as a whole loved dope - its psychic staff of life.

55 There was much sexual loosening after 60's era.

60 - Role of Playboy Magazine in Nudity & Sexual Liberation

Loss of Shame with wonder and playfulness
Nudity & sex were fun per se - did not have to be therapeutic
religious

61 State denies basic right to nudity → cultural taboo → a way to dissent.

64 on Sexual Revolution - "Promiscuity" Leary's advice
Takes an incredibly high level of consciousness to pull that off - great opportunity for dishonesty.

74 Folk music was music of counter culture till around 1966.

76 Charles Reich - "Greening of America" - dope was "integral part of the musical experience".

77 Rock lyrics sang of the demise of straight culture of the urgency of cultural revolution.

82 - Great Rock Festivals - Definitive gatherings - Significant as any pilgrimage. - Ballroom Concerts were lesser services.

Sense of Cultural Identity at the Festivals, that was Not available elsewhere - So Cultural Festivals

After woodstock - on their way - Stopped slough off old culture... excuse - "drugs"

- 82 Emphasize in Book - What could have happened at Woodstock - like "bein" was something new - So it was crushed
- 90 Dope - Weakens Ego Boundaries - housing, sexuality, economics, nurturing, birth,
- 93 Family Structure - Bio logical Family gave way to cultural tribe. / Kinships + relationships up for grabs.
- New/Close Knit family was goal - Communalism can help you get there
- 98 Problem - "New Age" projects attract too many unbalanced people who cont functioning groups
- 100 - Do we restrict our freedom a bit when we are collectivistic (- in the sense of striving together for cultural change instead of hedonism? No Many of us psychologically must fight back.)
- Resolution wording for Loss of ego/individualism to a more collective consciousness - Argument With that base of collective care and empathy the way was opened for an individualism of sorts that was far better than the law of the jungle
- Flamboyant self expression is great - but first commitment to the group, not the steady.
- 103 Central Contention that American culture had reached a closed end. by mid century.
- 104 The Epitome of LOVE came with the great Be Ins * The Beginning of the New Age. LOVE - the Key Ethical Imperative of the New Age
- 105 LOVE was the only answer to the massive problems
- 109 ECMC Doctrine - Humans are part of Nature - goal is to adapt and allow the unfolding of evolution - rather than interfering & conquering.
- 109 Many hippies derided in 1960's for ① Love of Nature and ② Sense of impending doom.
- New Age - Disown life oriented toward work, status, power w/ anti simplicity, now ideas
- 110 Most great Rel Figures - Dropped out to seek for enlightenment
- 112 Play - a central concept of the counterculture why? - Sustainable. In nature Built on Protestant Ethic Hippies heresy was that play was better than work - Classic study

- of play found freedom most important characteristic
- 113 Play was seen as the wave of the future - offered a Real Alternative to authoritarianism and ecocide - Welcoming of pleasure and sensuality
- Ginsberg - Life should be ecstasy - we need appropriate life styles and social forms
- 114 Real Scarcity of Resources does not exist
- 115 No More Talk about "Automation Replacing work" so play "assumes its rightfully central role."
- 116 Why long hair? Symbol of Separateness - a countercultural declaration of independence.
- 117 Hippies Allowed women to dress in pants in our society Androgynous Appearance Threatening.
- 117 Culture War Shown in misplaced sense of shock, is killing for Sex Obscene What is really obscene? Tell true nature of culture.
- TIMOTHY MILLER Indo/Xian Ethic - Was contradicted by the deliberate pleasure The University of Tennessee Press * Knoxville
- 119 - heavily proposed "Hedonic engineering" to raise the hedonic index of people Anti hedonic Culture / anxiety - uptight, punishment oriented war like Not Sustainable
- 120 Morals don't have to be relative, they are just personal - sin of attitude as much as action
- Dominant Culture - moral + ethical depravity as low as level of physical comfort is?
- 121 Reason - The Big Questions lay in a plane beyond reason And Peoples heads dont work logically - people are emotion freaks.

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We were Eros to the Logos of the Dominator Culture

126 Idealism - Hippies the Vanguard of the peace and harmony of the Age of Aquarius

126-129 Analysis of Counter culture effects Morality

Old Rights, Rural Romanticism, Protect Earth, Sex, materialism, Old Society too corrupt - only when enough drop out will change in Consciousness Come. WELL NO

New, Dope? - universally used would effect an enormous change in consciousness

② Ethics of fun and play ... Post Society - Post WAR about that anymore.

NOT Hedonism "the doctrine that pleasure or happiness is the highest good is to allow the matter to live and evolve - just pleasure

Pleasure mat. Not that to implement ways to bring humankind harmony with the earth ecosystem - & that as much natural evolution as possible can happen?

Plus → Why does Yahweh want to dominate us below? NOT

129 ??? Rejection of rationality and whole concept of objective consciousness

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① Legitimate Recreational Drugs (phk.: alk. paper)

② Sexuality much more open/accepted

Data on Sex acceptance.

③ casual appearance This book is printed on acid-free paper.

④ Hippies thought ultimate cultural triumph of New Age was inevitable. Did not see conservatives coming.

134 Statistics on Public attitude toward cannabis

Attitudes hardened Decades Later

129 Impact on Society/Sex/Music / Cult of The Body

135 - Americans think Drugs are greater problem than Nuclear weapons

135 "cult of the body" - exercise Food

Food may be biggest lasting counter cultural influence

136 - New Age Movement - most active remnant. But is a fragment or parody - individual level Nut care for oppressed.

And - Socially responsible investing Buddhist attitudes towards Mat. / Right Livelihood

137 Feminist Movement Rekindled by counter culture Environmental Consciousness - Most Enduring Legacy covers

At deepest level counter culture demanded NEW MORALITY

139 - Hip Permissiveness & DRUGS - speed, coke, heroin

Opened the door to the destruction of hip.

DRUG concern Mis placed - Alcohol costs us 116 billion per year - All illegal drugs - half that - maybe 60 Billion?

Deaths? 400,000, 125,000 | Heroin & Cocaine maybe 6000 (so war on drugs kills more than that.)

FOR ABRAHAM A Free Spirit

140 Destruction ? Psychotic Near Child Killer?

from Drugs caused by illegality legalizat ion? More use but less destructive consequences?

141 - Hippies - created disastrous Backlash - leave things Worse.

animosity causes rise of the New Right.

Ongoing?

① New Age movement International Communities

② Communitarian movement - Communes would grow greatly - without "drug war".

③ Culture more open and interesting.

and - It lives on in the hearts of all of us who know

it was absolutely right & historically necessary.

It was very good. We still believe we had Hope Then