

WELCOME TO THE FUTURE...

Well, here we are folks. Further into the future than any have ever gone before.

Sounds corny but it's definitely true.

Even if you just look around and everything seems to be the same as it was last year (2016 which was just a few days ago), in reality it is not the same. We are all just a bit older and hopefully wiser. The light of understanding goes on at different times for different people and while crossing into 2017 might have had a greater illumination for someone turning 40 or 50 or 60 who now realize that their life expectancy is growing shorter and that they'd better get with the program, for others it is a conscious decision to wallow in inaction and ignorance believing that ignorance is bliss. Only this time, this new year, they are aware of the choice they have made. You see with the future comes knowledge and experience regardless of what we do with the information.

I find the whole notion of "The Future" exciting because what will unfold can be both familiar and new at the same time and the way we handle each situation before us can also be familiar and different simultaneously.

When all is said and done I guess, for me, it comes down to, "I'm just happy to be here." Welcome to the Future. Use it wisely y'all.

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