**Humans: Property Agents, employed by God.**

In this Anthropocene Age, the Armenian Church theology beckons us to turn around and take another look at our purpose on Earth.  God placed humankind, Adam and Eve, on earth to care for HIS creation.

Now, if the environment, creation itself, could take humankind to court to seek justice, how would we fare?

I think the answer is obvious.

In one of our hymns leading up to Easter, we sing that the angels are the Stewards of heaven, while, here on Earth, we are the Stewards assigned to care for this tangible world.  And in Genesis, "The Lord God took Man and put him in the Garden of Eden to work it and take care of it."  The Earth and all the benefits we reap from it....life itself....is not our personal property.  We are simply property agents for God. And, we are turning His property into a fixer-upper.

Human action, by our disregard for nature,  is not only destroying Earth, but, ironically, we are bringing death upon ourselves. The air we breath, the food we eat, the lifestyle we live....all of this is bringing death upon ourselves and future generations.

The solution is so simple.  Jesus Christ (God-in-the-flesh), came to restore humankind back to our former selves....images of God.  We, in turn, can restore this Earth by responsible living and by encouraging our governmental representatives to take the environment seriously.

As we enjoy Summer and enjoy the outdoors, let us be grateful and remember our purpose on Earth: Property Agents for God's Garden.