

“Lessons from the Great Conservationists of the Past”

a presentation by

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These are stressful times for environmentalists. Will environmental regulations go down the drain? Is funding for environmental programs an endangered species? What can we do about it? For starters, we can turn for inspiration to the great conservationists of the past—people like John Muir, Rachel Carson, Chico Mendes and Wangari Maathai, who put their reputations and lives on the line to protect our environment.



Larry Nielsen is author of *Nature’s Allies: Eight Conservationists Who Changed Our World*.

"Riveting and inspiring...[Nielsen] does a superb job of outlining the lives of these heroic environmentalists."
(*Manhattan Book Review*)

"The ethnic and gender diversity of the subjects is a major factor in the book's favor..." (*Foreword*)

"Nielsen ... has the command of a practiced lecturer, and his biographical sketches of famous environmentalists zip by like *NatGeo* profiles." (*Sierra*)