

# A Look at the Future

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Know how. Know **now.**



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**“Position yourself to  
do well if the market  
goes up or down.”**

*Bud Williams*

# Three Years into the Future

- Disruption in world trade Probable
- Hyper-inflation Probable
- Shortages Highly Probable
- High Interest Probable
- Extremes in Expenses Highly Probable
- Extremes in Prices Highly Probable
- Devaluation of Dollars Probable
- Increased Crime Probable
- Increased War Probable
- Crash in Land Prices Probable
- Socialized Health Care Highly Probable
- More Environmental Regulations Highly Probable
- More Human Animal Care Regulations Highly Probable
- Deconsolidation of Ag Products Highly Probable
- Credit Shortage Highly Probable

**“These turbulent  
times will create  
many opportunities  
— be ready.”**

*Terry Gompert*

# Winners

- **Low Cost Producers**
- **Grass-based Agriculture**
- **Local Food Sales**
- **Managers and Caretakers of Assets Owned by Others**
- **Stewards of the Land and Livestock**
- **Consulting & Teaching Sustainable Ag**

# Outcomes

- More People Making a Living on the Land
- Soil Quality ↑
- Quality of Foods ↑
- Consolidation of Farming & Ranching ↓
- Improved Environment ↑
- Local Trade ↑

# Position Yourself for Success!

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