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ECONOMIC INEQUALITY

Amuse-Bouche

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Welcome to our 'bar' :)

We have opened this place because we want to have conversations with real humans about what we are interested in, and also to get our app, technology and values out there, to see what people like you think.

This menu is focussed on economic inequality, because we believe it's simultaneously one of the most important issues facing modern society, but also something we could all take a hand in changing, if we tried.

For as long as there has been an economy, there has been economic inequality. For centuries, kings and feudal barons hoarded the wealth, while unpaid peasant serfs worked the fields. The economic inequality imposed on Germany after World War I was the ticket that the country's National Socialist Party rode to power in the 1930s. Today, in the so-called "developed" world, economic inequality, between cities and towns, men and women, Black people and white, has led to hunger, violence, and political disillusionment.

The number of billionaires has doubled since the financial crisis a decade ago, and their fortunes grow by \$2.5bn a day. The super-rich pay ever lower rates of tax while nurses wrap themselves in bin liners trying to save COVID-19 patients' lives.

This a huge, difficult, pervasive problem, but we desperately need to talk about it.

We need to consider how we reframe the conversation around value exchange, how we support and incentivise local, respectful, sustainable businesses, and how we keep value circulating in our local communities.

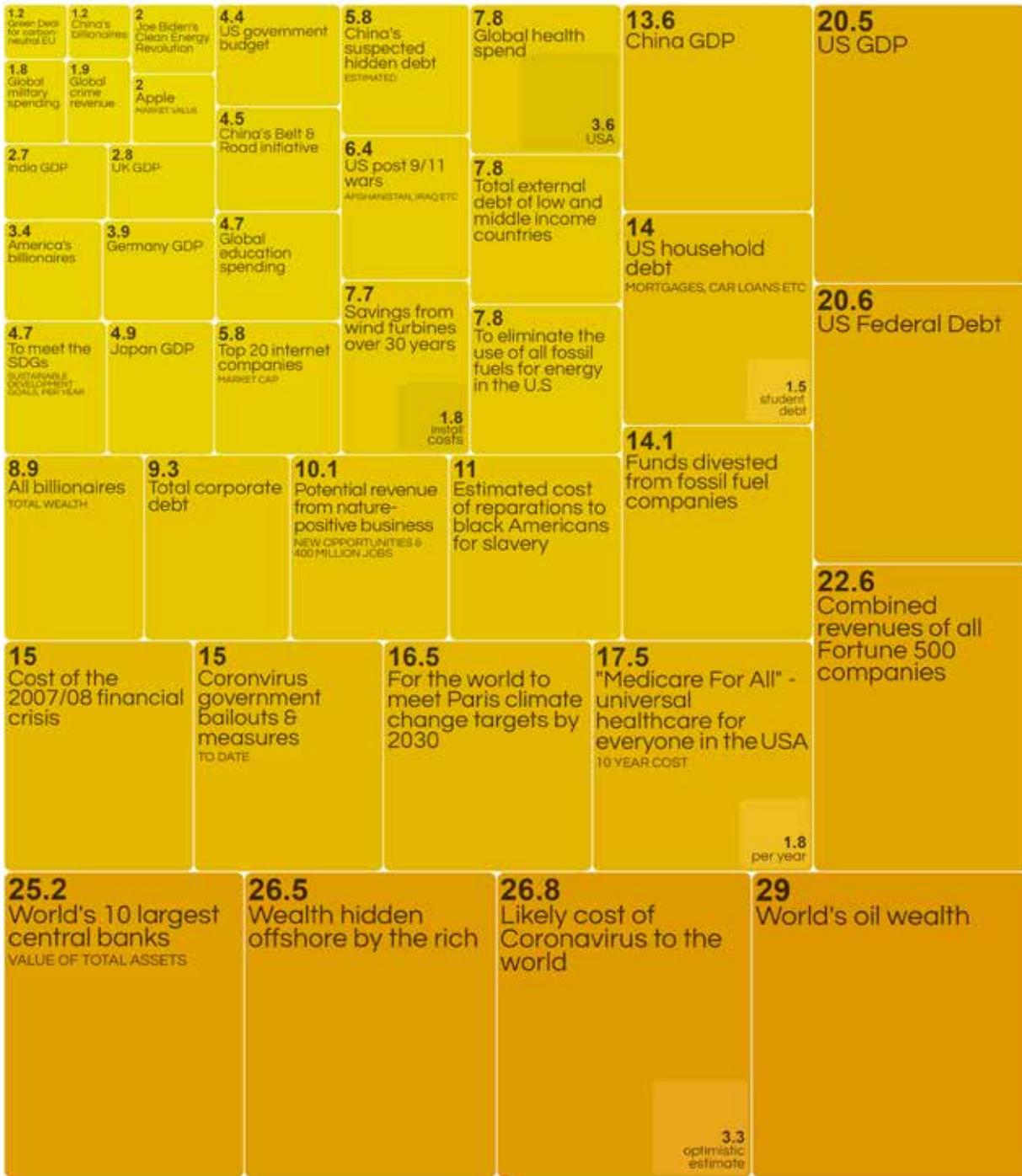
PeepI doesn't have all the answers, but we can at least start the conversation.

We hope you enjoy the menu, if you have any comments or feedback, please write them on your table, or, talk to us!

Welcome and thanks for visiting,

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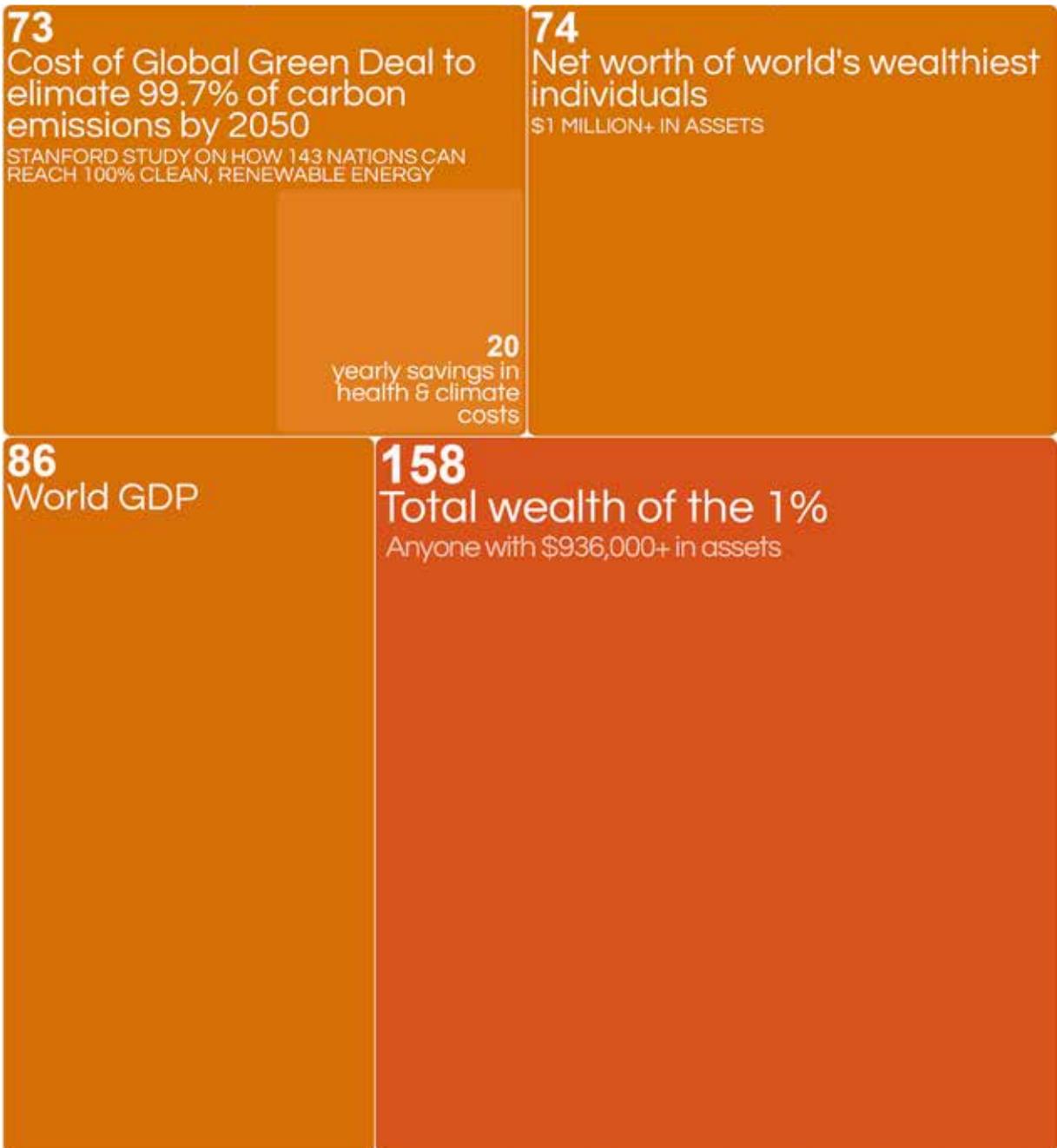
\$Trillions



Love Lane Lager

One of the city's best loved beers, made with Pilsner and Munich malts for a delicate, herbal brew. Love Lane's spectacular beers are all brewed just round the corner from here, in their Baltic Triangle brewery.

if you came here in a car or a taxi for one – 5.00 GBPx
if you didn't – 4.60 GBPx



David McCandless
information is beautiful

sources: New York Times, Bloomberg, UNESCO, WorldBank, Forbes, World Health Organisation, Stanford Uni, Credit Suisse & others
updated Sep 2020 data: bit.ly/TRILLIONS

Pomegranite Gin Fizz

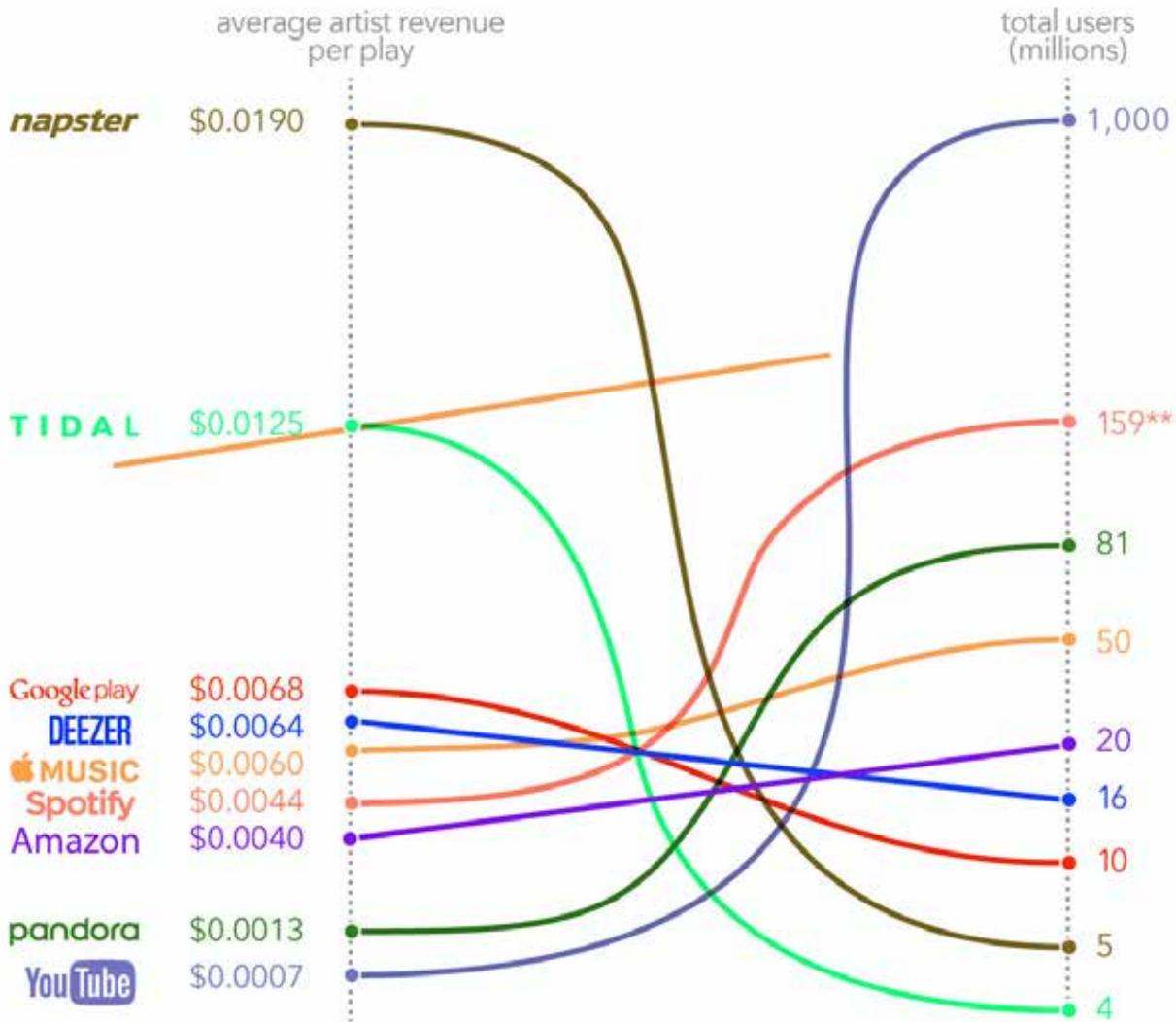
This combination of pomegranate with Persian rose petals and Turkish apple creates a particularly aromatic and refreshing gin. Mix that with some sweetness, some lime, and some club soda – delicious!

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Money Too Tight to Mention?

Major music streaming services compared

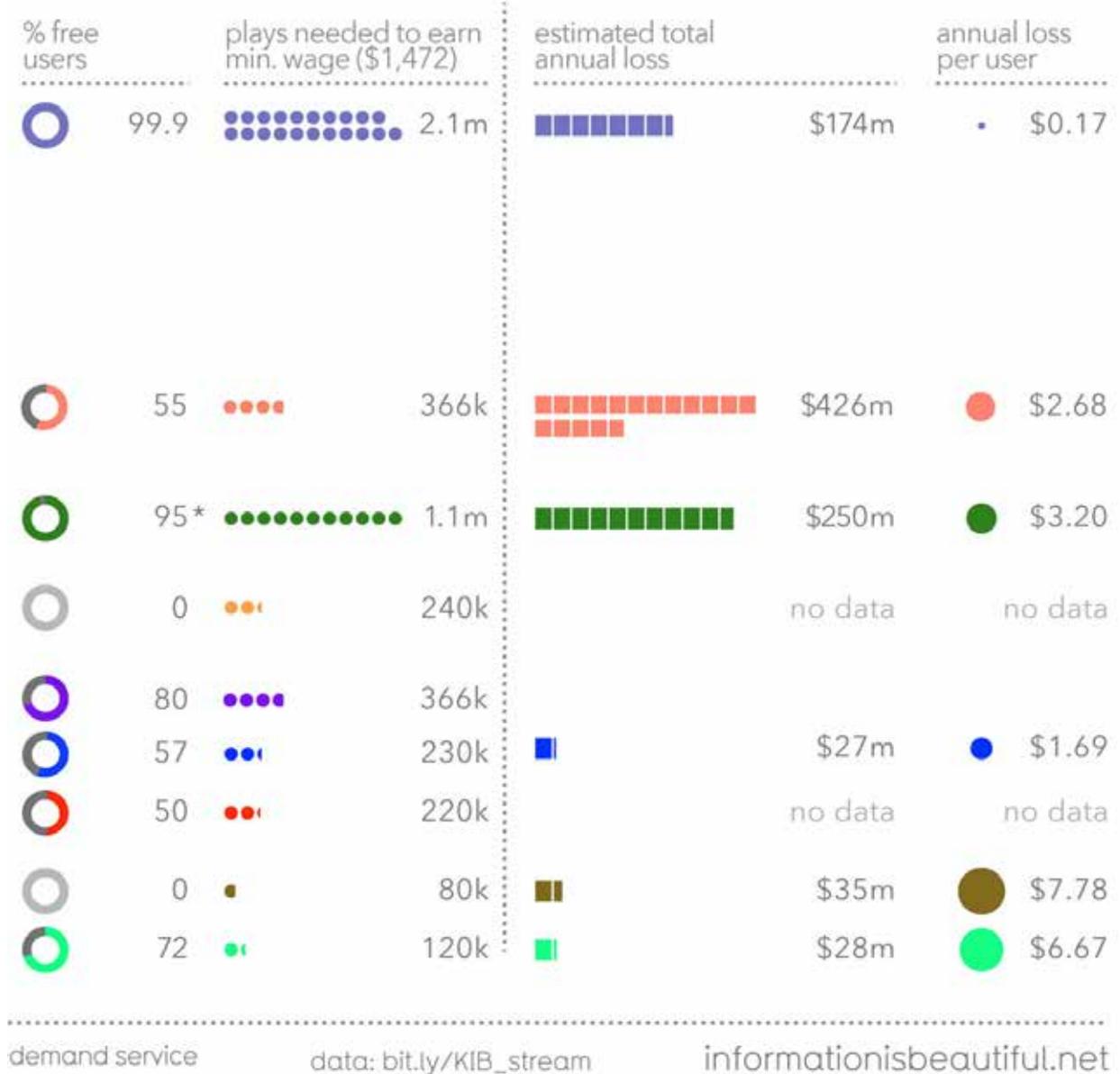


Last Update: 3rd Mar 2018 * based on 5% of standard Pandora users taking up their new on-
 ** Spotify count every person on a family plan as a separate user

Gin & Tonic

Choose from traditional dry gin, sophisticated pomegranate, or moody coffee & vanilla – all distilled just round the corner, in the Love Lane Brewery, and bottled by hand.

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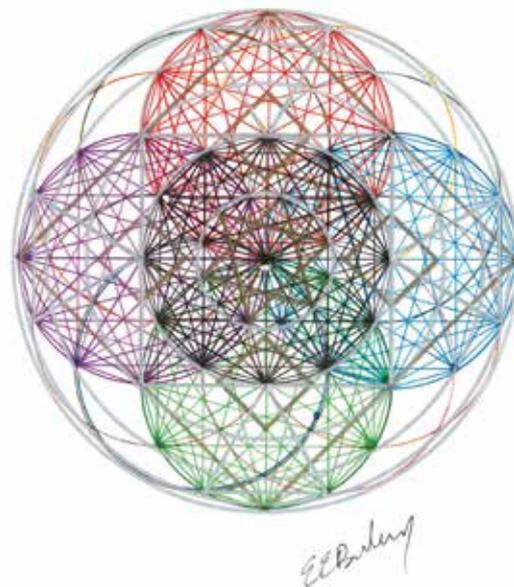
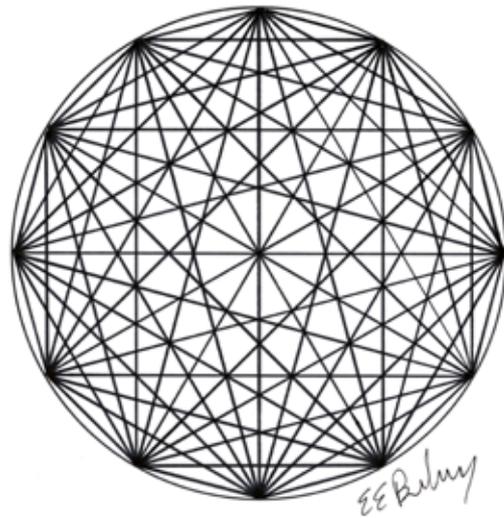


Dark & Stormzy

AKA dark rum and coke, with a splash of fresh lime. The fine rum at the heart of this drink is made by the Big Bog Brewing company, a real living wage employer based in Speke.

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if you didn't – 4.00 GBPx



12 around 1 - Emanuel Brierley - @eb_sacredgeometry

My collection of drawings in this series called "12 around 1", are a representation of how unity expresses itself through singularity. With the sequential unfolding of these drawings I've had insights into how the unmanifest, infinite nature of creation, or pure consciousness manifests into each form and it's through this aperture of singularity that the infinite expresses and knows itself.

Oolong Tea

A Chinese speciality oolong tea, grown in the Fujian province. Calming, tasty and quite refreshing after, or before, a drink or two - it is a Monday after all.

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if you didn't - 2.70 GBPx

An address as part of the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom

Remembered as a rallying cry for equal rights amongst all people, Martin Luther King Jr's 'I Have a Dream' speech was built around a central demand for economic equality that he later expanded upon in his 1967 book, 'Where Do We Go From Here: Chaos or Community?'

Martin Luther King, Jr | Washington, D.C. | 28 August 1963

Five score years ago, a great American, in whose symbolic shadow we stand today, signed the Emancipation Proclamation. This momentous decree came as a great beacon light of hope to millions of Negro slaves who had been seared in the flames of withering injustice. It came as a joyous daybreak to end the long night of their captivity.

But one hundred years later, the Negro still is not free. One hundred years later, the life of the Negro is still sadly crippled by the manacles of segregation and the chains of discrimination. One hundred years later, the Negro lives on a lonely island of poverty in the midst of a vast ocean of material prosperity. One hundred years later, the Negro is still languished in the corners of American society and finds himself an exile in

his own land. And so we've come here today to dramatize a shameful condition.

In a sense we've come to our nation's capital to cash a check. When the architects of our republic wrote the magnificent words of the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence, they were signing a promissory note to which every American was to fall heir. This note was a promise that all men, yes, black men as well as white men, would be guaranteed the "unalienable Rights" of "Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness." It is obvious today that America has defaulted on this promissory note, insofar as her citizens of color are concerned. Instead of honoring this sacred obligation, America has given the Negro people a bad check, a check which has come back marked "insufficient funds."

Elderflower Collins

Refreshing Love Lane dry gin, lemon, sugar and elderflower cordial. Not much history to this drink other than it came from a Google search and the BBC Good Food guide.

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if you didn't – 6.80 GBPx

But we refuse to believe that the bank of justice is bankrupt. We refuse to believe that there are insufficient funds in the great vaults of opportunity of this nation. And so, we've come to cash this check, a check that will give us upon demand the riches of freedom and the security of justice.

We have also come to this hallowed spot to remind America of the fierce urgency of Now. This is no time to engage in the luxury of cooling off or to take the tranquilizing drug of gradualism. Now is the time to make real the promises of democracy. Now is the time to rise from the dark and desolate valley of segregation to the sunlit path of racial justice. Now is the time to lift our nation from the quicksands of racial injustice to the solid rock of brotherhood. Now is the time to make justice a reality for all of God's children.

[...]

But there is something that I must say to my people, who stand on the warm threshold which leads into the palace of justice: In the process of gaining our rightful place, we must not be guilty of wrongful deeds. Let us not seek to satisfy our thirst for freedom by drinking from the cup of bitterness and hatred. We must forever conduct our struggle on the high plane of dignity and discipline. We must not allow our creative protest to degenerate into physical violence. Again and again, we must rise to the majestic heights of meeting physical force with soul force.

The marvelous new militancy which has engulfed the Negro community must not lead us to a distrust of all white people, for many of our white brothers, as evidenced by their presence here

today, have come to realize that their destiny is tied up with our destiny. And they have come to realize that their freedom is inextricably bound to our freedom.

We cannot walk alone.

[...]



And so even though we face the difficulties of today and tomorrow, I still have a dream. It is a dream deeply rooted in the American dream.

I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal."

I have a dream that one day on the red hills of Georgia, the sons of former slaves and the sons of former slave owners will be able to sit down together at the table of brotherhood.

I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character.

I have a dream today!

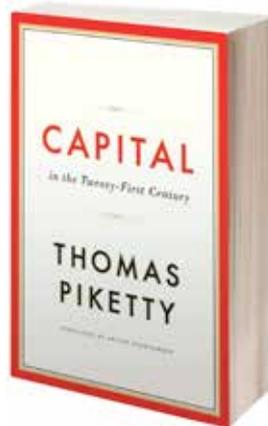
Mineral Water, Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite

All the classics.

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Piqued your interest?

**Check your local library for
a copy of Thomas Piketty's Capital.**



**“A must-read explanation of how
the build up of capital, and current
financial instruments, have been
increasing economic inequality
exponentially since WW2.”**

– Leon

Proper Scouse Tap Water

Liverpool's finest, which it turns out actually comes from Lake Vymwy, in the Welsh hills. We thought it was the Mersey at first, but looking at the Mersey lately, we're quite glad it's not.

if you came here in a car or a taxi for one – Free
if you didn't – Free

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**“God does not create poverty.
We do, because we do not share.”**

— Mother Theresa

**“Ill fares the land, to hastening ills a prey,
Where wealth accumulates, and men decay.”**

— Oliver Goldsmith

**“We cannot all succeed when
half of us are held back.”**

— Malala Yousafzai