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In article <140av216n8k1bs72cmv9u98g377p4hnmqd@xxxxxxx>, MassiveProng wrote:

On Mon, 12 Mar 2007 06:21:04 +0000 (UTC), [don@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:don@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx) (Don Klipstein) Gave us:

In article <[ln5Jh.64720\\$Du6.44255@edtnps82](mailto:ln5Jh.64720$Du6.44255@edtnps82)>, Homer J Simpson wrote:

"Eeyore" <[rabbitsfriendsandrelations@xxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:rabbitsfriendsandrelations@xxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote  
in message  
[news:45F4DAFF.729EAC10@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:45F4DAFF.729EAC10@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

Or dump it and water on  
Mars. Terraforming in  
action.

Please don't make me want to thump you for  
cretinism !

It's a somewhat real suggestion. Enough CO2 would create  
an atmosphere,  
warmth and protect the planet. Plants would convert the CO2  
to O2, fixing  
carbon.

Of course it's a long way to haul gas.

Somehow I think Mars has a problem of insufficient gravity to hold onto  
a good atmosphere.

Huh? You are thinking of the moon. Mars HAS an atmosphere already.  
Mostly CO2. Where do you think the 200MPH winds come from? Then,  
there's those cool purple sunsets!

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Some extremely thin one comprised mostly of CO<sub>2</sub>. They get a few dust storms.

Put much oxygen there with its lower molecular weight especially in the case of a thermosphere, and see how long it stays. Maybe millennia, maybe a bit more, ???

– Don Klipstein (don@xxxxxxxxxx)

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