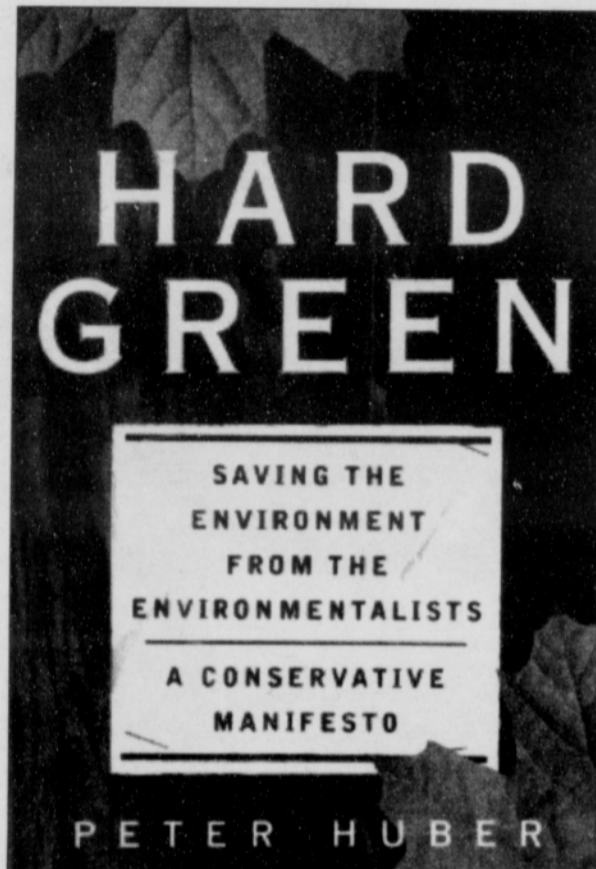


**In Print**

**Hard Green: Saving the Environment from the Environmentalists, A Conservative Manifesto**



By Peter Huber  
Basic Books; 2000

Hard Green indicts environmentalism as we know it today – and articulates a robust, conservative alternative. Captured as it has been by the “Soft Green” oligarchy of scientists, regulators and lawyers, modern environmentalism does not conserve forests, oceans, lakes and streams – it hastens their destruction. The alternative: a return to Yellowstone and the National Forests, the original environmentalism of Theodore Roosevelt and the conservation movement.

Chapter by chapter, Peter Huber takes on the big issues of environmental discourse, from scarcity and pollution to efficiency and waste disposal. Hard Green’s essential arguments:

- Conservatives should advocate more public property set aside for common use.
- Many of the high-tech products liberals condemn are actually good: chemicals like growth hormones make cows more efficient; plastic packaging and preservatives cut down on spoilage; and new furnaces and air conditioners use less energy.
- Free market capitalism is the only economic system that is effectively green.
- We will NOT run out of natural resources. Contrary to liberals’ dire warnings, the earth regulates and replenishes itself.

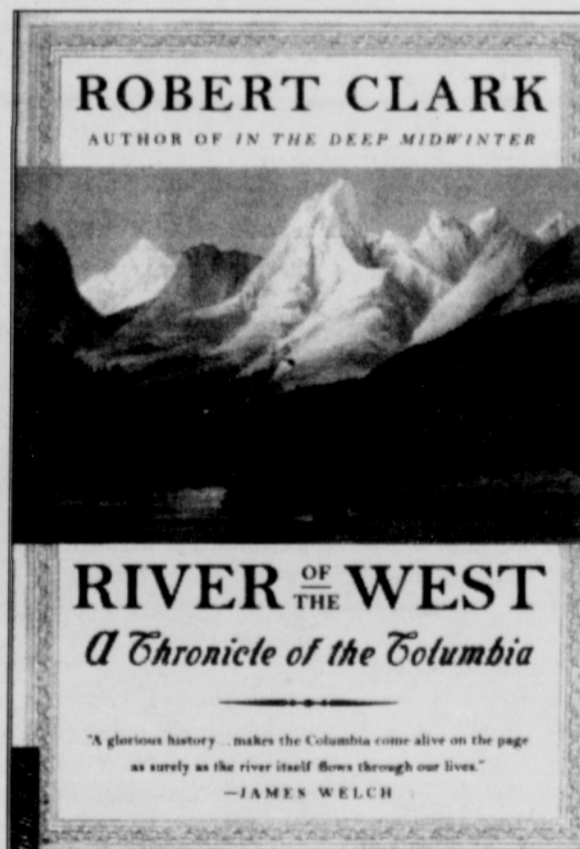
Hard Green is a strongly argued critique of environmentalism from the right. Huber argues that Soft Green environmental policies do exactly the opposite of what they intend, and lays out a clear program for a Hard Green (conservative) approach to the environment.

**River of the West: A Chronicle of the Columbia**

By Robert Clark  
Picador; 1995

From glacial floods that began to shape the Columbia River twelve thousand years ago to its discovery, conquest, and colonization by the English, Spanish, and Americans, the story of this river encompasses not only the full range of American history but also a geography of myth, hope, and tragedy.

*River of the West* is an unforgettable portrait of the people who lived and died on the Columbia’s banks – conquered native peoples, European adventurers, New England missionaries, emigrants from the drought-ridden Midwest, and dreamers seduced by hydropowered New Deal promises peace and prosperity. With a scholar’s eye for detail and the art of a gifted storyteller, Robert Clark surveys the meaning and mystery of this great river running through the American imagination.



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**SPRING EVENTS**

**I & I**  
“Reggae Inna Afrikan Stylee” · Thursday, March 23, at 7pm

**BATTLE OF THE BANDS 2000**  
STEVE BRADLEY GROUP WITH JON KOONCE  
VS. THE X ANGELS  
Thursday, March 30 at 7pm

**HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN’S BIRTHDAY STORYTELLING**  
featuring Will Hornyak  
Sunday, April 2, 6:30pm to 8:30pm · Reservations required  
Adults \$10 · Children Free (maximum four children per adult)

**JACKSTRAW**  
Bluegrass · Thursday, April 6, 7pm

**JACK McMAHON BAND**  
Country Rock · Thursday, April 13, 7pm

**THE STEVE BRADLEY BAND**  
Surf Rock · Thursday, April 20, 7pm

**EASTER BRUNCH WITH THE BUNNY**  
Sunday, April 23, 9am to 2pm · Call for reservations

**JIM BASNIGHT BAND**  
Pop Roots Rock · Thursday, April 27, at 7pm  
All ages welcome · No cover charge unless noted

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