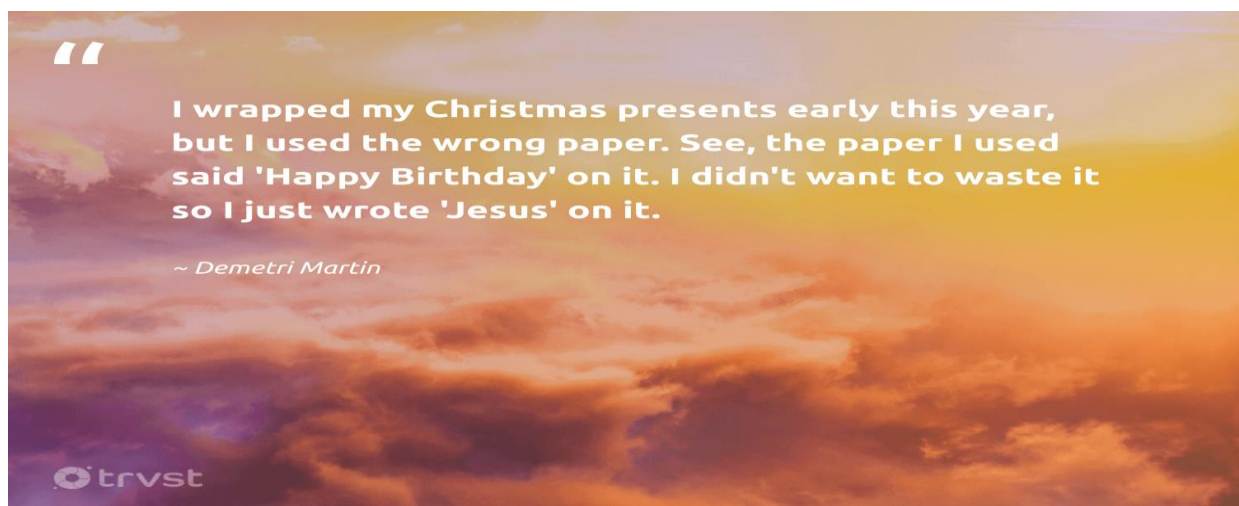




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Sustainable Waste Management and Practices



Humans generate a lot of waste, much of which now affects the air we breathe, the water we drink, and land on which we live. According to the United Nations, about 11.2 billion tonnes of solid waste is collected worldwide, almost all of which comes from humans alone. We therefore not only need to manage this waste but also come up with strategies that will manage such waste sustainably. This article will talk about sustainable waste management, its importance and said strategies for sustainable waste management.

Waste management refers to the practice of collecting, transporting, processing or disposing of, managing and monitoring various waste materials. It is important to observe sustainability in this aspect so that every bit of waste can be managed in an efficient manner rather than just dumping it all in landfills.

Army Institute of Management and Technology (AIMT) conducted a session on ‘Sustainable waste management practices on 22nd April 2021 on Earth Day. The session was conducted by Dr. Karishma Chaudhary and Ms. Sonali Sharma. They gave insight view of different types of solid waste special reference to E- waste, Plastics waste, and share the brief idea about bio medical waste in reference to Covid. The objective of this session was to make the students aware about the E- waste, plastic waste, and bio medical waste.

The key take away from the session is

- How to reduce the E-waste management.
- Say NO to plastics bags.
- Bio medical waste should be properly treated.

The session was ended with student's questions answer and with a small quiz session.

