

# Jonestown on a Global Scale

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I have no problem with Jim Jones.  
He succeeded on a small scale

with what the other inhabitants of the planet,  
who aren't human, need- our extinction,

our human extinction. Picture it-  
air not clogged with the shit

that makes Beijing the dark joke  
of the developed world. Water

clean enough to drink- no benzene rings  
to choke the life out of cells too small

to register much in the consciousness  
until a painful and permanent loss

of consciousness. It's a small world  
after all and the oil you burn in Canton,

Ohio, leaves its death smudge in  
Killybegs, Kilkerry and Kildare.

Things in Glocca Morra are not good.  
Dominion- what a lethal concept.

Our corpses would blossom with life  
perfectly fine without us.

