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Trees.... Trees....Trees....

Trees continue to be a fascinating subject for me, even after some forty five years working with these largest plants on our planet. They continue to reveal their secrets to me how they live and cope in an ever more challenging environment. It seems that more than ever we need to give thought to their needs, whether these trees are growing in an highly artificial 'city scape' or in the 'natural' landscape. Human activities and natural disasters cause all over the world rather more miserable than favourable conditions for trees. Trees are subjected to heavier storms than ever, Sudden demise of large tracts of trees as result of insect infestations and fungal attacks of epidemic proportions are reasons for intense concern.



Dear Tree Friends

Let me first of all thank you for engaging me one way or another with your trees, in private estates, gardens and public spaces. or with tree related e-mail questions during the past year.

Projects for clients in New Zealand and the USA. Are currently in progress. Traveling from New Zealand went via the UK where I spent some time in Wales. This newsletter reaches you from my desk in New York.

Whilst 2012 will certainly entail more travel, clients in the USA will have the benefit of me being here at least till April and clients in New Zealand by using my services through a combination of site visits carried out on my behalf by my son Jelte - yes he is an arborist!, combined with e-mail and phone consultancy via Skype. Communication technology is getting more sophisticated from year to year! Looking forward hearing from you.....

Kind regards, Frank

*Happy Holidays
and
Best Wishes
for 2012*



The accelerated decline of in particular older trees is becoming more prevalent.

In New Zealand, the UK and also here in the USA are many such examples easily found.

The soil biological life appears consistently poor. It is becoming clear that healthy trees need biologically active soils with ample mineral supply. Any attempt to implement 'Bio mimicry' restorative work does wonders for the trees.

Trees will show their appreciation if you give them the right care!



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