The Corona Virus Covid-19 has a Major Devastation on People and Travel and Tourism

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The Corona Virus is spreading across the World killing thousands of innocent people and making others very ill. Hopefully soon there will be a vaccine to possibly stop the spread. Tourism Attractions such as Zoos, Amusement Parks, Museums, Historic Sites, State Parks are suffering tremendously because the world is practicing social distancing. The places where you would dine for lunch or dinner will not allow for you to come in. They want their guests to place to go orders because of possibly spreading the virus. This pandemic has an impact on people who work in the travel and hospitality industry and those who would like to travel. The Hospitality, Travel and Tourism Industry have been a large contributor to many global economies. Hoteliers, Travel Agents are facing an economic disruption with travel plans are being canceled or postponed and aviation is taking the biggest hit asking for a bail out in America.

The young people are not taking this virus seriously enough because they are flocking to beaches and social gatherings because it is Spring Break in some areas. Corona Virus is an infectious virus that spreads very easily and stays on surfaces for hours. It affects the respiratory tract causing breathing problems resulting in people having to go on a ventilators. Thousands have lost their lives worldwide with China, Italy and the United States leading in the highest number of deaths and the virus originated in China. Parents are having to home school their children and the children are having to get adjusted to this idea of not being in a traditional classroom with their friends.

According to Bloomberg.com it takes Covid-19 the (Corona Virus) nine months outbreak to pivot into “recovery”. The COVID19 outbreak clearly presents a significant threat to the industry as a whole, to those employed within it, and those wishing to continue traveling.www.WTTC.org World Travel and Tourism Council. Small Businesses and Tourism are the backbone of the economy and many areas are asking for a government bailout. Executives in the tourism industry in North America say the economic impact to the travel industry will be worse than 9/11 and the recession in 2008. The United States now have the highest cases of Corona Virus patients and deaths because they are not practicing social distancing and some are refusing to wear masks. The world is slowly re-opening but it is crucial that we practice social distancing and wear a mask to prevent the spread of this virus. We have the victory because of our faith and will get through this. Don’t cancel your trip, just postpone it. GOD Bless this World! Let’s save tourism!

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