Environmentalists Internet Hunt

Directions: Use the internet to find answers to the following questions. Make sure to write your answers in COMPLETE sentences!

1. Rachel Carson’s book Silent Spring warned people about what problem?
2. Who was John Muir? What are two national parks that he helped establish?
3. How did Theodore Roosevelt help to preserve America’s natural beauty?
4. What was Gifford Pinochet’s belief about our Natural Forests?
5. What natural resource did Jacques Cousteau fight to protect?
6. What animal species did Dian Fossey study? What happened to her?
7. How did Luna Hill fight to save a redwood?
8. What is the Goldman Prize? Select a winner and describe how this person had a positive effect on the environment?
9. In 2004, Wangaria Maathai was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. What has been her environmental cause?
10. Mary Walton’s inventions sought to fix environmental problems. Select one of her inventions and explain how it improved people’s lives.
11. Use your internet research skills to find a person (not mentioned above) who has made a contribution to an environmental issue. List the name of the person and what they did.