

"It's  
my  
choice"

# Coral reefs, a world of wonder.

Touch the coral  
with your eyes... Human contact  
causes damage.

Fish know  
what they can eat.  
Let them find their  
own food.

Turtles are independent  
creatures. Treat them  
with respect!

To store up  
marvellous souvenirs, a superb  
photo is worth more than  
a piece of dead coral.

On the beach, plastic  
and styrofoam objects  
can be blown away  
by the wind. In the water,  
they look like food  
and can be lethal  
to many animals.

Water is scarce.  
At the hotel,  
take shorter showers  
and remember  
to turn the taps off.  
This is a first step...

## Ten ideas to keep them alive.

You are encouraging  
a dangerous trade  
if you buy souvenirs made  
from species living on the reef.

Have you already thought  
of supporting marine  
protected areas?

Anchors damage reefs.  
Remind the boat  
captain taking you out  
on excursions.

The greenhouse effect  
is increasing. You can help  
to stop its progress by  
switching off the lights  
and air conditioning  
when you leave your room.

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