

Hi Louis!

how's it going over there? I've just arrived in 2023! These time machines are great! I'm still in Athens, but it's different from how I left it. It's quieter, no mopeds taxis, no dirty buses. You still have to be careful crossing the road though, I nearly got knocked over by kids on hoverscoots! They're like your old skateboard, but they run on the rubbish that's been salvaged from the oceans and turned into Nutrogas, strange stuff - Ever since the system crashed and capitalism with it, new sciences have developed. When they discovered the vaccine for the virus, other technologies and eco-fuels were developed - So now all the rubbish in the oceans is sucked up, piped to a massive factory underground, refined. All the solid stuff is reformed into energy biscuits and the gas converted into Nutrogas and used to fuel the hoverscoots. The emissions actually feed plants, so there's fruit trees, exotic flowers, birds and bees everywhere! How did it get like this? Well, yes it's sad that the virus wiped out 70% of the population here, and I know it was much worse in UK, but it's much nicer with fewer people don't you think? The first 2 years were horrible. We had to nurse thousands of dying. And then dispose of the bodies. I'm glad you're all ok. I'm so sorry I missed your 18th birthday. Do you remember your 14th? When we flew over! Remember flying? Jet planes tearing across the skies.. no more of that! There hasn't been a plain in the sky for 3 years now. Just birds and butterflies. But I hear they're developing the Nutrogas and soon it'll be possible to hover across Europe. So I was thinking for your next birthday, we could hoverscoot and meet half way, say Innsbruck in Austria and we could go hoverskiing! Bye for now!