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MS. BRATTON: Tara Bratton. I'm 23. I'm a lifelong resident of the universe. My grandfather came to Las Vegas to work with the DOE. He's a nuclear physician since more than thirty years ago. He's now in his 70s, and he's writing a book about America's nuclear age basically trying to find some sort of redemption in all of this. I don't think it will be found.

- 1... | I don't know all the details, but being young, part Cherokee and environmentally conscious above all, I have a number of issues with nuclear waste and nuclear anything for that matter. How about let's stop spending money on weapons and spend money on looking for viable alternatives to just burying nuclear waste? I believe this entire society needs to retool and to become a completely environmental country starting with the DOE. | It's a strange idea America is built on, to bury trash, to cover up lies, to gloss over murder and genocide. It seems to me that America is wearing a mask and it's time to tear it off.

France Phenom said every generation must fulfill its purpose or betray it. I believe my generation's purpose is to expose the lies and destruction inherent in the US Government. I will spend my life doing exactly that. |

- ...1 | The bottom line, nuclear power, shut it down. We don't need it. Solar, solar, solar, come on, people.  
3 | Nuclear waste, there are viable alternatives to just burying your trash out in the desert. Just bury it. Who cares out west? Big old desert. Don't matter. Yucca Mountain, we don't own it. We can't use it. We don't own it. We can't use it. We don't own it. We can't use it. Give it back.