Wave your magic wand

In our September survey, we asked what you would do if you had a magic wand you could use to improve just one thing in your own life or in the world. Here are some samples of the profound and interesting responses you sent:

- I would wave the wand over my depression and be happy all the days of my life!
- I would eradicate COVID completely from the whole world!!!
- I would to be able to know when anyone I meet needs a kind word or encouragement and quickly act on it.
- I would decrease fires so there wouldn't be so much smoke.
- I would immediately stop ecological destruction around the world.
- I would bring back the belief that we examine people at the individual level and that individual's character, rather than a group identity.
- I would remove anger from the world including from my life.
- I would never have to worry about my finances.
- I would have dinner appear at my house to feed my family, so I don't have to stress about that after work. (Could we do this for the world?)

- I'd increase compassion in the hearts of everyone. I think then the world would be more peaceful.
- I would go back 26 years and make better choices for my life.
- I would wave my wand and eradicate racism and hatred!
- I would wave my magic wand across the entire planet so that all humans wholeheartedly cared for our planet without question or doubt - 100% of the time.
- If I had a magic wand, I would wipe out all Covid variants worldwide.
- I would automatically give myself this degree I am working on :)
- I would have people care for and look out for one another as they would themselves. This would eliminate all the hatred and violence in this world.

Thank you to everyone who responded to our survey. We look forward to hearing more from you in future surveys.