

Earth Day

Lunar exploration changed
our view of Earth

“It truly is an oasis — and we don’t take very good care of it. I think the elevation of that awareness is a real contribution to saving the Earth.”

Dave Scott
Apollo 9 Command Module Pilot (as seen here) &
Apollo 15 Commander to the Lunar Surface

Apollo 9 astronaut Dave Scott looks down at Earth from the Apollo 9 Command Module during the ten day mission in March 1969.

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