

## Save the Earth With Rain Water Tanks

Our world as we know it is fading away. Pollution and overuse of the Earth's natural resources are slowly causing irreparable damage to the environment. We as the earth's inhabitants must do everything in our power to slow the destruction and try and preserve what is left of our natural resources. We can do this and we can do it without any major cost or extensive manual labor.

One of the easiest things every household can do is to incorporate the use of [rain water tanks Melbourne](#) into their water system. The tanks or barrels can be purchased for as little as \$10 and save literally hundreds of dollars every year on water bills. The savings to the environment are endless and are a step in the right direction in saving our planet. Using rain water for outside watering needs can save millions of gallons of valuable water every year.

Water is a precious life sustaining commodity that every organism on earth needs to survive. Without water the earth will literally shrivel up and die, as well as its occupants. Although the world is made up of 70 percent water it is not enough to sustain life forever. The water supplies are constantly tainted with toxic chemicals and poisons making them unsuitable for human use.

Using a rain barrel to catch the clean and toxin free water from the sky can help preserve the clean water we do have for drinking. The rain barrels are strategically placed under the corner of a roof or under a downspout. The water runs into a screened barrel and provides plenty of water for watering gardens and lawns.

Some barrels are equipped with small inexpensive pumps that provide enough water pressure to run a sprinkler. A garden hose is attached to the bottom spout of the barrel and uses gravity to fill the hose with water in a drip line system. The water is clean and toxin free making it a healthy substitute to treated city or well water supplies.

A homeowner can store enough rain water to get them through drought seasons without losing their valuable gardens. The barrels are made with food grade material that are dark enough to limit any bacteria growth. The water in the barrels can be held for several months without deteriorating or growing mold. Screens will keep out small animals and children as well as debris.

The rain barrels can be purchased from several home stores in a variety of styles and sizes. These barrels can be designed to match the exterior of a home and be very aesthetically appealing. The more expensive barrels are designed to look like animals, homes or other decorative objects. It is possible to save the earth and look good at the same time.

### About the Author

Solar Flow specialises in solar hot water and [rain water tanks Melbourne](#). Solar flow not only install [rainwater tanks](#) and solar hot water systems, they also provide consultation to ensure that you purchase the correct rain water tank or solar hot water system to meet your needs

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