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Climate change is one of the most pressing and ~~side~~ ~~side~~ issues in the world. However, it is also one of the most controversial issues, and conversations surrounding climate change often end with one party blaming another. Individuals may engage in scapegoating ~~Z K L F K L V~~ ~~the Hat of blaming~~ and often punishing a person or a group for a negative outcome that ~~V G X H D W O H D V W L Q O D U J H S D U W W R R W K H U F D X V H~~ (Rothschild et al. 2012, 1148). Rothschild et al propose ~~D 3 G R B W L Y H~~ of Scapegoating. They found that when