



# Renewal

As the chill of winter gives way to the warmth of spring, nature embraces another season and the islands come alive. In the Apostle Islands' "Gaylord Nelson Wilderness", an area protected from development, this transformation is at its purest. Humans may enter to escape, to find solace, and to be *renewed*.

## The Wilderness Act, 1964

*"An area of wilderness shall further be defined to mean in this Act an area of undeveloped Federal land retaining its primeval character and influence, without permanent improvements or human habitation, which is protected and managed so as to preserve its natural condition..."*

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