

Modern Adventurer

You've heard the phrase "put your money where your mouth is." Keith DeGreen is putting his money where his 55-foot Nordhavn trawler is.

The Arizona-based radio host and financial adviser is halfway through a 12-month world journey. DeGreen has turned his trawler into a floating communications center that allows him to broadcast his radio show and post updates at www.theglobaladventure.com.

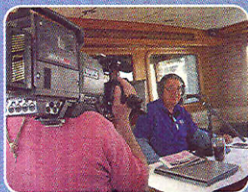
"We're dedicated to exploring interesting locations throughout the world and examining the economics, politics, culture and investment opportunities at each port of call," DeGreen said.

The Global Adventure left San Diego April 1. Its schedule includes stops in Japan, China, Vietnam, Brunei, Sri Lanka, The Maldives, Dubai and Cairo, among others. The plan is to finish the journey entering the Mediterranean Sea by way of the Suez Canal on April 1, 2008.

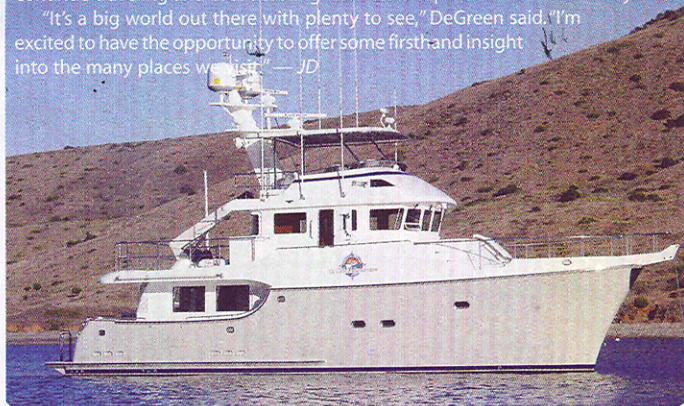
DeGreen has taken every precaution for his journey. The Global Adventure has a professional crew with two licensed captains, and the Nordhavn is fully outfitted with state-of-the-art — and redundant — gear and systems.

Following The Global Adventure's initial 12-month voyage, DeGreen plans to continue traveling and broadcasting from distant ports of call indefinitely.

"It's a big world out there with plenty to see," DeGreen said. "I'm excited to have the opportunity to offer some firsthand insight into the many places we visit." — JD



Arizona radio personality Keith DeGreen makes regular broadcasts from around the world on his 55-foot Nordhavn trawler.



FUEL PRICES for July 2007

| | DIESEL | CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR | GASOLINE | CHANGE FROM LAST YEAR |
|---------------|--------|-----------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| Seattle | \$3.14 | +\$0.65 | \$3.79 | +\$0.90 |
| San Francisco | \$3.59 | +\$1.00 | \$4.99 | +\$1.80 |
| San Diego | \$3.61 | +\$0.57 | \$4.15 | +\$0.91 |
| Los Angeles | \$3.79 | +\$0.76 | \$4.71 | +\$1.03 |

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Average price of diesel fuel one year ago: \$2.78; today: \$3.53