# It You Could Control The Quality Of Your Water, Would You?

# **Our Water**

Where does water come from?
For billions of years, the water cycle has sustained life on earth. It is constantly changing and man's environment has an effect on its purity.

Our water source has become increasingly more polluted and must be treated prior to us drinking it or bathing in it.

# **Our Municipalities**

The number one cause of death in the world is the water we drink, cook and bathe in. Yet, the US has the safest water in the world. Our municipalities are mandated by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to chemically treat our water supply to keep it safe and bacteria-free from the treatment plant to our homes.

# **Our Safety**

drinking or bathing in our water.

The use of chlorine and other chemicals in our water plays an important role in keeping our water safe and bacteria-free. Although these chemicals are required for immediate safety purposes, they have an effect on our long-term health and should be removed prior to

### **Our Peace of Mind**

The common theme here is that our municipalities are responsible and mandated to keep our water safe with chemicals and you have the option of leaving those chemicals in your water or taking them out. The hardness of your water and certain minerals may damage your appliances and fixtures. Softening your water and using whole-house carbon filtration is the total

# **Your Questions**

solution.

We receive many inquiries about how water softeners and water filters work. There are many myths and facts that you may not be aware of. Using water softeners, for example, conserves on soap consumption, is beneficial in protecting your fixtures and appliances, and the water is safe to drink. There are only 12.5 mg of salt in an 8-oz glass of softened water; with the recommended eight glasses of water per day, that equals 100 mg. This is less than what is in two slices of bread or 4.5 pieces of celery.

### **Our Answers**

Once people understand the myths and facts about water softeners and water filtration, the question then becomes "What are the benefits of safe, clean drinking and bathing water?" Some benefits are obvious and others may be new to you. Chemical-free drinking water prevents long-term effects from those chemicals that you drink, absorb through your skin and breathe while you shower. In many areas, softening your water may be needed to control mineral deposits and to minimize soap use.

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