Whilst it is true that we cannot live without air and water, the thing that nourishes the body is food. Hence the saying, “Food is Life”. Food and nutritional security are the foundations of a decent life, good health, sound education and, indeed, the achievement of all the Millennium Development Goals. Food Security is the basis for economic development and social stability. It is also an important prerequisite for national independence and world peace. UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon warned the world on 10 February 2009 — “We do not see many references these days to the food crisis in the news. It has been eclipsed by economic fears. But we are still not out of the woods. I call it our forgotten crisis — because it has not gone away.” The global food insecurity situation has worsened since then and continues to represent a serious threat for humanity. At present, the international community is under the dual pressure of an international financial crisis and a global food crisis. FAO estimates that the number of hungry people could increase by a further 100 million in 2009 and pass the one billion mark. According to the FAO “The silent hunger crisis — affecting one sixth of all of humanity — poses a serious risk for world peace and security. We urgently need to forge a broad consensus on the total and rapid eradication of hunger in the world.” Recurrent droughts and crippling crop failures all over the world are combining to set the stage for a potentially frightening food crisis. Will the world be facing a devastating food crisis by the beginning of 2010? Will shortage of food result in violence and starvation deaths in the near future? To quote Mahatma Gandhi, “There are people in the world so hungry, that God cannot appear to them except in the form of bread.” Let us discuss the causes for the unprecedented Global Food Crisis and the possible cure to save humanity from the impending catastrophe.