

Rob Tetrault Highlights How Inflation Can Benefit Investors

Inflation Insight: Rob Tetrault Reveals How Investors Can Leverage Economic Shifts

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/EINPresswire.com/ -- Renowned
wealth management advisor Rob
Tetrault, head of The Tetrault Wealth
Advisory Group at CG Wealth
Management, sheds light on the oftenoverlooked benefits of inflation for
Canadian investors in his latest
discussion.

Rob Tetrault begins by acknowledging the common perception of inflation as a financial burden. Rising costs for



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groceries, rent, and other essentials can indeed strain household budgets. However, Tetrault emphasizes the importance of understanding how inflation can also present unique opportunities for those who strategically manage their investments.



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One key advantage Tetrault highlights is the <u>appreciation</u> <u>of real assets during inflationary periods</u>. Assets such as stocks, real estate, and other tangible properties often increase in value as inflation rises. This means that individuals holding these assets in their portfolios can see significant gains over time, enhancing their overall financial position.

Moreover, Tetrault points out that inflation can be particularly advantageous for debtors. When inflation occurs, the relative value of fixed debt decreases. For instance, a homeowner with a fixed-rate mortgage will see the real value of their debt diminish as the purchasing power of the dollar erodes. This effectively reduces the burden of their debt over time, as long as their interest rates are locked in and remain stable.

Tetrault explains, "If you have a mortgage of \$500,000, with 10% inflation, the relative value of your debt decreases annually. This means you are effectively paying back your debt with dollars that are worth less in real terms, thus benefiting from the erosion of purchasing power."

Investors can also benefit from owning alternative assets that are less directly tied to traditional markets. Tetrault mentions private real estate, private equity, and private infrastructure as examples of investments that can perform well during periods of high inflation. These assets, along with others like music royalties, can provide a buffer against the negative effects of inflation on conventional stock portfolios.

"Our clients have seen the advantages of holding alternative assets," Tetrault notes. "In 2022, despite the challenges faced by many Canadians, those with diversified portfolios including alternative investments fared significantly better."

In conclusion, while inflation poses challenges, it also offers potential benefits for savvy investors. By holding real assets, managing debt effectively, and incorporating alternative investments into their portfolios, individuals can not only protect their wealth but also achieve substantial growth during inflationary times.

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