

Direct Democracy, and more...

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Preface

If the latest domestic and international events have shocked you, you are not alone. The world we live in is in tremendous turmoil, and the causes are many. From Washington, D.C. to Europe, and from far too many leftist demonstrations in the US to the sabre-rattling dictator of North Korea there seem to be many unsettling world problems. There are specific reasons why all events occur, who is behind them, the games played by different politicians and nations they serve. Many events are caused by ideologies, toxic ideologies, and sterile propaganda.

As a concerned student of world history and politics, I have tried to make a short analysis of the domestic and world events, and present them to you, the reader. Sir Francis Bacon said that *information is power*. This means that if you are well-informed, you may better comprehend the events around you and, consequently, you may make better decisions for you and your family. This is the actual reason for my writing this book.

Knowing the past will help you understand the present and predict the future. However, the past is not very pretty, the present is turbulent, and the future is obscure.

One of the main causes of past and present problems were and are created by ideologies. Empty rhetoric that has resulted in revolutions and set the stage for imperialistic leaders that have caused wars. Most revolutions and wars result in millions of casualties. At the same time, traditional politics has been prostituted to serve the interests of mentally-deranged country leaders, narcissistic and insatiable conquerors of another peoples' land. Democracy, on the other hand, is misconstrued for the sole purpose of promoting egotistic interests and gaining personal gratification. Furthermore, democracy, as a political system, has dissatisfied many parts of the electorate. Many citizens believe that under the guise of parliamentary democracy, so popular in many countries, some politicians promote the interest of a political party or a group hidden behind the curtain of this system.

Politics and ideologies divide people. The struggle for political domination has created partisanship and even hatred. *There must be a better way* since division is not conducive to peace and political tranquility. *A country is only strong when the people are united.* For the past several years, the citizenry of the US have been very divided by toxic ideologies, sterile discourse, and a disjunction of the political and economic objectives.

Present political systems, parliamentary democracies, are corrupted and corruptible. Therefore, I wanted to offer you a different type of democracy: *Direct Democracy* which is not based on ideologies and political parties. On the contrary, Direct Democracy is a political system in which people, by a direct vote, decide what they believe is best for them and their country. No ideologies. No political parties. No professional politicians. A system where is only one interest: you, the people, and your country.

Thus, Direct Democracy is discussed and promoted by this book.

Do you want a life that is more simple and effective?

Adopt Direct Democracy.

How is the Book Organized?

To best serve your curiosity on the subject, *Direct Democracy*, the content of this book has been organized into two parts and eight chapters. Chapter One intends to inform you about the historical evolution of political systems, forms of democracies, and a brief presentation of economic policies.

The ideology that captivates some, and impacts many, is presented in Chapter Two. Although a precarious subject, political ideologies must be well-comprehended so that you can distinguish between what is right and what is fallacy. Furthermore, the universally promoted socialism and, in some quarters even communism, has resulted in incredible atrocities that no one discusses anymore (Chapter Three). Therefore, I will illustrate the human costs of socialist/communist ideologies so that you might familiarize yourself with the atrocities committed by a few indoctrinated against the opposing majority. Nowadays, when almost everything you read in the media seems to be distorted or manipulated for the sole interest of professional politicians, their political parties, and the supporters behind the scene, there remains parts of the catacombs of political propaganda (Chapter Four).

Both the ideologies and propaganda are social/psychological weapons of political parties and the professional politicians that belong to a *political party* and *its doctrine*. Thus, we must *eliminate political parties and professional politicians from our lives for good*. However, before we achieve this goal, we must be informed to penetrate through the veil of ignorance that has clouded our vision for far too long. This discussion will be followed by a condensed presentation of the benefits of ***Direct Democracy*** (Chapter Five).

A few other problems of the world that affects our lives are discussed in Part 2, (Chapter Six), such as the impact of Russian Imperialism on the peace of the world, followed by (Chapter Seven): the influence of the *Elites* on the world order. Finally, the light of the tunnel will be visible in Chapter Eight: *Pax Constantia*. Or, *how to establish a constant peace*. A very difficult task, anyone's dream that will never be achieved unless it is tried.

Yes, *constant peace is a dream: a God-given life and family satisfaction*. However, also, an obligation to leave behind us, for the next generations of humans, a peaceful world, a clean and healthy environment, with singing birds and playful animals.

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Indeed, it has been said that democracy is the worst form of Government except for all those other forms that have been tried from time to time.

Winston Churchill

"I... call one's own labor, and the equivalent exchange of one's own labor for the labor of others, the 'economic means' for the satisfaction of needs, while the unrequited appropriation of the labor of others will be called the 'political means.'"

Franz Oppenheimer, The State

Political systems influence the nature of all other relations in a society, and as everyone desires an improved standard of living, the chief aim of any political system should be allowing each man to go about attaining his peaceful goals free of unreasonable restrictions. As peaceful means are more efficient for fulfilling ends, civilization itself flourishes best when the individual is free from coercion and violence. The rules of a

peaceful society are relatively simple to understand and apply as they are fundamentally based on individual and property being respected.

No one may harm, defraud, or steal from another thus leaving only voluntary means to fulfill ends. *Supply and demand* utilizing a freely-established and purely subjective price mechanism guides decisions in the market. Worldly imperfections or injustices are the result of our own perceived beliefs, or actions, and cannot be ascribed to the conceptual market process. Humans, by nature, desiring ever-increasing improvements, demand cheaper and more efficient ways to reach goals. Capitalism, therefore, results in higher quality goods and services at lower prices while regularly undergoing fundamental revolutions in production capabilities and methods that overturn established order.

A Synopsis of the Political Evolution over Time

Civilization can be defined as the peaceful organization of large groups of people unconnected by blood ties through efficient and effective political systems. Throughout the classical world, the freeman had a large measure of both personal freedom and a voice in the affairs of his homeland, usually a city-state. The city-states of Classical Greece, as the widely recognized source of Western Civilization, went through many well-documented forms of political organization; monarchy gave way to oligarchy, then to democracy, finally devolving into tyrannies of the earlier types.

Antiquity: The Roots of Our Political Philosophy

It is from Antiquity that we practically get our entire political lexicon. The *demos* (people) were always key to the study and understanding of *kratos* (power). In the inter-war period, the poet Ezra Pound wrote: “democracy implies that the man must take responsibility for choosing his rulers and representatives, and for the maintenance of his own 'rights' against the possible and probable encroachments of the government which he has sanctioned to act for him in public matters.”

This was and still is the theory behind our most-widespread system of governance along with some applied principles: majority rule; open and frequent elections; and one vote per citizen. The word politics derives from the Greek *politicos* (of the citizen, or, belonging to the state), based ultimately on the *polite* (citizen) of the *polis* (city). This term, however, also has the meaning of *leader*, which refers to how the city must best be organized and led by a leader. The Romans also, during their Republic, balanced the aristocratic and oligarchic Senate with the democratic tribune system, which allowed the common people a voice and a veto over public matters.

The ancient Greek thinkers and philosophers, chiefly Socrates, his student Plato (in his *Dialogues* and especially in *The Republic*), and Aristotle himself (in an aptly named *Politics*) attempted to lay the foundations, at least in theory, of an ideal society. Its basic elements were ethical governance to promote civic responsibility and to protect the rights of the individual citizen. Socrates argued against both tyranny, widespread in his world, and against democracy as it was practiced in contemporary Athens.

Aristotle was unquestionably the greatest impact upon Christian Europe than any other single person of the classical world. Among the Romans, few influenced political philosophy like the Stoics Marcus Tullius Cicero, Lucius Annaeus Seneca, and Emperor Marcus Aurelius. Stoicism saw its greatest impact in the early centuries of the Christian Era when the Roman Empire was at its height; but, like many other classical ideas, it experienced a resurgence during the Renaissance. It promoted moral virtue through dispassion and cosmopolitanism.

During Socrates' time, the people, all the people of Athens, had the freedom to vote in a direct fashion: white (for) and black (against) stones deposited into an urn. This was the early form of *Direct Democracy*!

Remember: Later on in his life, Socrates had expressed the feeling that there were too many ignorant people in the society and had doubts that every citizen has the information to vote correctly on the issues at hand so that the result would be beneficial for the society. In other words, people had to be educated and informed about the issues facing the country before casting a vote at the ballot. If not properly informed, citizens could be corrupted by the rhetoric of a politician and vote in discord to the interest of the society.

Socrates believed that the most efficient way to govern a society was through wise and virtuous leaders chosen *directly* by the citizens. Socrates (in Republica) has offered this example as an equivalent to free voting for all:

If you want to go on a sea cruise who would you want as a captain? Anyone? Or, a knowledgeable person?

The Middle Ages

The Middle Ages can be chiefly defined by the dominance of Christianity over Paganism. Also, a heavily decentralized Western Europe where the concepts of the classical world, while almost lost for a time, had an ever-growing impact. The Germanic peoples who migrated into large parts of the declining Roman Empire had long held fast to the idea, as Tacitus tells us, of sovereign man possessing considerable autonomy against any potential master or overlord.

Thus, the earliest documentary evidence we have of the Anglo-Saxon kingdoms, in today's England, shows a deep respect for an ancient custom granting the common man inherent and inviolable rights. Even the king himself was subject to the law. This would change drastically in 1066 when William of Normandy claims the title of King and all the land in England. In times of crisis or war, however, future kings would still need to call together representatives of the people to be able to levy taxes. From this was born the parliamentary system.

By 1215, King John needed money to wage his Continental Wars, and in return for funds and to avert a total rebellion, he grudgingly signs a document acknowledging that his barons, freemen, and serfs have certain rights that cannot be undone without some form of public consent. This document put into writing for the first time since the Conquest of England by the Normans in 1066. This created a system that would check the actions of the King against the will of the great barons and, in theory, freemen. Recognized by his son King Henry III, it became recognized as the Magna Carta Libertatum (Great Charter of Liberties).

Chief among the demands of the nobles were *habeas corpus* (literally to have the body) which required a trial before convictions, consent before certain taxes could be levied, protection of Church property and administration of quick and fair justice. Although not always enforced, these demands, at least, were the key in establishing the tradition of freedom from coercion by the King or his men over the next centuries.

Renaissance: Idealism vs. Realism

The Renaissance that began in the 15th century emphasized man's predominance, in the world of Western ideas, having slowly replaced God as the center figurehead. This humanism, eventually, resulted in widespread freedoms of expression, thought, and creativity. One of the most influential authors of this period was Florentine Niccolò Machiavelli who revolutionized political philosophy through his most wellknown work, *The Prince*, published in 1513. In this short work, he drew attention to the world of *realpolitik* in which rulers lived and, all too often, died.

A prince's dilemma might best be expressed as whether it was better to be feared than to be loved. Machiavelli suggested in his work that *in politics, the ends justify the means* and as such, his name became a byword for political manipulation and deceit at all costs. He also noted that rulers, no matter how powerful, require a degree of respect and support from those they ruled sufficient enough to keep them in power. He went against centuries of both classical and Christian thought that attempted to idealize and perfect the idea of power and politics.

Industrialization and Modern Era: Good (democracy) vs. Bad (socialism)

The 17th century saw great changes in England's political system with three civil wars occurring in just under a decade, an interregnum, a short-lived restoration of the exiled Stuarts and a Glorious Revolution, that resulted the very next year, in the Bill of Rights of 1689. This guaranteed all Protestants a large degree of freedom, limited the power of the King, and made the Parliament the source of all laws and the enforcer of justice. This document heavily influenced Thomas Jefferson who largely wrote the American Declaration of Independence in 1776 and aided the composition of the French Declaration of the Rights of Man and of the Citizen of 1789.

The French Revolution that began in 1789 led to profound changes to French political structures and political philosophy in France and the Western world. The terms *left*, and *right* as denoting the political spectrum came into use. The most important and long-lasting consequence of the Revolution was to include the bourgeois, the small and prosperous middle-class, in the reformed political system. It did so by increasing both political liberty and equality for the masses, at the same time as it centralized power in a way few would have thought possible during the reign of kings. This paradoxical shift had far-reaching consequences in the centuries to come.

The same era saw the beginnings of the *Industrial Revolution* with its early machines, factories, rapid urbanization, and increases in the standard of living. Possible only with the free and widespread use of capital, it caused a reaction in the form of syndicalism and socialism. Most famously, Karl Marx predicted the immanent and imminent death of capitalism due to its need and creation of systemic exploitation and inequality. Marx belittled the free market process by reducing it to mere capital, as his *magnum opus* was titled. In so doing, though, he summarized a basic truth: capitalism requires personal freedom to peacefully and voluntarily accumulate savings over time with which to invest in future enterprises. *No other system has come close to giving large numbers of people so high a standard of living in so short a time.*

In every instance where a political system has attempted to override the individual's need for a large measure of freedom, the result has always been an unparalleled disaster. To learn, man must be free to both succeed and fail based on his own actions. *Command economies* (the Government is making all the decisions, if necessary by force), like any form of centralization, does not work past a certain point because it eventually denies those most affected the ability to adapt and change quickly and responsibly. Increasingly, inefficiency and corruption will creep in and rot any system, no matter how well-intended. Free market economies should not be tinkered with for base political purposes, and certainly not without a readiness to accept the consequences.

1914 saw the start of what became the First World War (WWI). Almost immediately, the participating governments removed their currencies from the gold standard and proceeded to tax, borrow and spend their citizen's wealth into oblivion. For the first time, large parts of the economy were taken over by government appointed bureaucrats and managed solely for waging efficient war. German victory on the Eastern Front, in 1917, led to the collapse of the Russian Empire, and Lenin's Revolution (the leader of the Russian Communist revolution of 1917) ended with a Communist victory. American entry into the war, however,

tipped the balance against Germany, led to the lop-sided Versailles Treaty, and the Paris Peace Conference in 1919.

Four major empires collapsed at or near the end of the war. They were replaced with dozens of new countries based, at least in theory, on the principle of self-determination proposed by US President Woodrow Wilson. The interwar period saw many international socialist (communist) and national socialist (fascist) movements attempt to gain and hold power across the world.

In 1939, a short-lived pact (Molotov-Ribbentrop Pact) was signed between the pre-eminent models of these ideologies in the form of the Soviet Union (communist Russia) and Germany; but was broken two short years later when Germany invaded the Soviet Union. The epic struggle resulted in the total defeat of Germany by the Soviet Union and its major allies the United Kingdom and the United States in 1945.

This period of just over three decades years saw the logical culmination, horrifically, of man's quest for both liberty and equality that began with the French Revolution. While trying to force everyone to be both equal and free, civil society was decimated by an unaccountable class of bureaucrats that dictated every minutia of life like a new aristocracy. States, far larger and more powerful than those of past monarchies, led to the waging of total wars that destroyed large sections of cities and indeed countries in the two global wars. Depression across the globe in the aftermath of World War One (WWI), and specifically in 1920-1921 in the United States, saw governments reacting very differently when contrasted with the response to the Great Recession that began in 2007.

Top-down policies that attempt to mitigate or deny basic laws of economics can only succeed in making the clear majority equally poor and less free. Very sharp downturns in employment, production, and spending even resulted in, the otherwise interventionist Woodrow Wilson as well as his free market successor in the presidency Warren G. Harding, the balancing of the federal budget and raising interest rates. No stimulus, no jobs program and no bailouts were administered, and recovery was evident by the end of 1921.

The opposite reaction, less than a decade later, by both Herbert Hoover and his successor Franklin D. Roosevelt resulted in almost two decades of lost productivity and stagnation in living standards. This quest for perfect control over every aspect of both economic and political life has continued today whereby governments across the world rescue failed institutions and corporations at the price of stagnation for the poor and middle class.

A Short Review of Two Dominant Forms of Democracy

The post-war era saw the establishment of democratic systems across the globe. These can be divided into two broad categories: *constitutional monarchies* and *parliamentary democracies*.

Parliament, from Old French *parliament* (and *parler*, to speak) refer to a consultation or assembly where matters of wide-importance are discussed. Today parliaments are the legislative branch of government and can have either one or two houses; a lower house and an upper house distinguished by length of service, method of election, appointment, or inheritance, or a combination thereof. The upper house, most commonly a Senate, can only be symbolic serving to rubber-stamp decisions already made in the lower house or can serve to slow down the legislative by re-examining proposed laws and changing them as the chamber sees fit.

Some parliamentary systems fold the executive branch within the legislative branch whereby members hold positions in the cabinet and decide policy, and they have a chance to vote on issues or laws. In other systems,

the executive branch is separate from parliament and has different and greater duties for different lengths of time. It is elected directly by the people if the country is not a monarchy.

Thus, the United States has two legislative houses with lengths of service of six years for the Senate (originally appointed by the individual States of the Union) and two years for the House of Representatives. Both Houses together are called the *Congress* which originally referred to a gathering of sovereign nations which is what the States were after their Independence from England. The President is separate, as head of the executive branch, and appoints the members of a Cabinet and the Senate must approve them. The *President* does not initiate legislation but can veto proposed laws if they do not have enough votes, and the President has a fixed term which is renewable only once and can be removed from office for certain wrongdoings. However, the President can give pardons or commute sentences. Most non-monarchies closely emulate the American system of government.

In the rest of the Anglosphere, Spain and Northern Europe, *constitutional monarchy* means that the ruling sovereign is the head of state with chiefly ceremonial duties, and the Prime Minister is elected separately in each Commonwealth. The Prime Minister is a member of Parliament and stands for election at the same time as all other members of Parliament and can be replaced by the Cabinet or ruling party parliamentarians without triggering an election. The ruling party can lose a vote of confidence in the House, and this causes an election, which usually takes no longer than a month.

Some governments have no set expiration date except for a predetermined period between elections (a preset number of years). This can often result in a single party not getting the majority of the seats, and that would require it to enter into a coalition with one or more parties, and if no agreement is reached another election is triggered.

There is a *hybrid semi-presidential system* where the President is more than just a ceremonial head of state, but there the Cabinet appointed by the President is responsible to and can be dismissed by the legislative branch. France best exemplifies this system.

In theory, *parliamentary systems* give common citizens a frequent and indirect vote on all issues while keeping power balanced between branches of government. This means that no one person can accumulate power to override the will of the people; this allows for problems to be addressed quickly by the ruling government and has meant that countries that share parliamentary and democratic systems of government do not wage war on each other.

However, in practice, the people do not have any direct say on any issue especially after an election is over. Depending on the electoral system, a political party can take power without having the support of the majority of voters let alone citizens. Furthermore, although not originally a factor, political parties very quickly overtook utmost importance in governance making it either very difficult or virtually impossible, to get elected as a member of parliament let alone to govern as an independent. Party politics has, therefore, become of much greater importance than public service. Frequent elections, although seemingly an advantage to holding politicians accountable, has led to special interests capturing the attention of parliamentarians looking only to secure re-election. In the process, the parties ignore the commoners who gave them their vote.

All too often, when the ruling parties change it means that, once elected into office, the politicians focus on accumulating favors, money, and power knowing that they could potentially be replaced in the next round of voting. Instead of focusing on their primary role as being the true representatives of the people, they look to their own personal and financially selfish interests. As a means of securing re-election more easily, there is nothing in place to stop those in power from simply making promises that either cannot be or will not be

kept and will cause harm long after that politician has left office. Indeed, we should here note that even absolute monarchs, at the height of their power, would not have plundered and deceived their subjects on such a scale. While the Monarchs committed many wrongs, they knew from both history and experience that their subjects were fickle and realized their own tenuous positions. Too many promises or defeats would bring them down because they could not hide behind a populist veneer.

Our modern democracy, however, has allowed our rulers to justify anything they do as being in the public interest. Deep down most people already know this, which easily explains the low participation rates in political processes and even lower approval rates of most politicians. Paradoxically, most politicians are unfortunately re-elected, because once promises have been made, no grassroots campaign can take on a system that is supported by politicians, special interests and indeed, many voters as well. Envy and greed have allowed corporations, labor unions, and government bureaucrats to be the only consistent winners as every major country borrows ever larger amounts of money to save a system based on still more past promises and seemingly limitless debt.

The 20th century has shown that socialism fails in all of its stated goals, and yet Western democracies have constantly moved in that direction.

Direct democracy offers a perfect solution to the ever growing disconnect between those who rule and those who are ruled. Practiced, most notably, in ancient Athens, it required every free male citizen to vote or participate in public matters. This system is as responsive to the voice of the people as could be possible especially when considering the effect modern technology can truly have on widening the franchise.

Switzerland is a very good working model of this decentralized and localized system. While few know who the President of the Swiss Federation is, the country is renowned for its financial system, specialized industries, and neutrality. This is even more noteworthy when one considers that the country is mostly alpine territory, has four official languages, and was historically balanced between Protestants and Catholics, yet has one of the highest standards of living in the world. For more than a century, its frequent use of *direct* voting by citizens on laws and *referendums* at all levels of government has proven that when mere commoners can voice their honest opinion, they choose the path of free trade, prosperity, and peace.

Political Economy: Free Market vs. Government Control

The term of *political economy* had initially been used in a now obscure French publication from 1615 when Antoin de Montchrestien has published *Traite de l'economie politic*. However, the work best known as founding economics as a field of study is Adam Smith's 1776 work, *The Wealth of Nations*. It involves the study of *supply and demand* through production and trade in markets between individuals and groups. It also refers to the interplay between politics and economy, sociology, psychology, and political science. Essential to political economy is also the skills of planning, and mathematics, mostly for the needs of mathematical analysis of market and the economic activities of private companies.

Paradoxically, it is Smith, the father of the study of the free market, who introduced the erroneous labor *theory of value* that was picked up by every thinker and economist for the next century until the introduction of the subjective theory of value, in 1871, which became the Austrian School of Economics in Vienna.

Politicians and economists, alike, are in constant search for best relationships between the free market and the government, and what is necessary to do to create a successful society and economic effectiveness. The 20th century witnessed the search to find the best economic system, such as capitalist, socialist, communist

or mixed economy. There are several aspects of political economy that affects everyone's life and the economy of a country that must be briefly mentioned:

- Politics are useless unless they have a positive effect on the economy.
- Politics must be subordinated to economics.
- The role of government is to *create the environment for the free market to function effectively. Nobody should dismiss the law of free market economy.*
- To facilitate good economy, the government must reduce government regulations and lower taxes for both corporations and individual citizens.
- The Government must not take the role of *commanding* the market, to create, like how socialists and communists, create a *command economy*.
- Socialist economics (*command economy*) have failed miserably. Nobody should ever, utilize a failed economic system.
- The political economy must respect the major law of free market economy: *supply and demand*: when demand is high, and supply is low, prices increase; when demand is low, and supply is high, prices decrease.
- *Command economy is based on Government's Central Planning* (volume and types of goods are planned by politicians and not economists), who create the laws and rules everybody must follow, discourages innovations and individual creativity.
- The Government, however, can have a positive role in investment and planning the infrastructure of a country. It also can stimulate investment by lending money to selected corporations without stimulating corruption.
- Each Government must have a financial and budget *control agency*, a check and balance organism, where the financial budget and expenditures are constantly verified without exceeding its role.

We should always remember President *Ronald Reagan's* credo: **"The Government is not the solution to our problem; the Government IS the problem."**

Conclusions:

- Always remember Socrates: **Direct Democracy**
- **Question: If communist economy (*command economy*) was working why did Communist China move towards market economy?**
- The role of the government is not to intervene on the market with unnecessary rules and regulations but rather to *create the best conditions for a free market economy.*
- The law of supply and demand is the cornerstone of a free market economy.
- Command economy, typical of socialist/communist regimes, dictated and controlled by the government, has failed miserably! Why are the American socialists, the Democratic Party, still promoting this system?
- A good government must reduce taxes and eliminate regulations made by bureaucrats of the government.
- Parliamentary Democracy can often result in corruption: politicians promise everything just to be elected.

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For best understanding of where we must go as a society, first, we must be informed where we are right now in the world's evolution of politics. Therefore, a short analysis of ideology is presented below.

The purpose of this chapter is not to sink into the swamp of ideologies, but rather to illustrate the fallacies of most ideologies, how political parties confuse us and capture our attention to their emptiness of ideologies. However, more importantly, the intent is to also illustrate in the following chapter the human cost of the aggressive ideologies utilized for territorial expansion of countries with imperialistic desires. The etymology of the term *ideology* can be traced back to ancient Greek: *idea* and *logos* (word). In other words, ideology refers to ideas, theories, doctrines, and beliefs used as the foundations to organize the society to function effectively.

Ideologies are a battleground, a real *cultural war* between the *left* and the *right*, between those who believe in the *freedom* to decide the course of their lives and those who consider that *government* should have the supreme power to decide for the people. From this struggle of ideas, the best solutions are supposed to be employed for the benefit of the people. This sounds great but has never happened. If the US could be used as an example, the ideology of the *left*, the *Democrats* vs.. the *right*, the *Republicans* has resulted in a deeply divided American society. Some have more confidence in people's capacity to make decisions for themselves while the others trust in this big, super-dimensional, and corrupt government.

Ideology has started to be important during the French Revolution where the term *citizen* has referred to people, whereas the noblemen became the enemies of the people. Russian communists have used similar

terms during the Communist Revolution of 1917, where *tovarish*, had the meaning of a *comrade* in the fraternal struggle of the communist takeover of the Russian empire.

In late 1700's political *parties* were organized. The first party in the US, the Republican Party (1790), has brought together the elite of the society to oppose the federalization movement of the United States. However, party politics we witness today became visible only after the French Revolution, the first revolution created by the *left*. Political parties desire power, mostly the power of decision in the party but also in the society. That is why Hans Kohler, an Austrian philosophy professor, has warned us that a political party could become oligarchic, that it can impose its will on all of society. In their arrogance and desire to have supreme power the politicians of some parties *regard their citizens as incompetent to make decisions*, and, as such, *that role must be reserved for politicians*. Only politicians are competent to lead, organize and make decisions. The people are just an *obtuse* group, a so-called *civil society*.

An intra-party and inter-parties struggle is visible to the entire world, except in the controlled societies of the left, where dictatorships are a reality. The only solution to eliminate dictatorship and the strict control of the society by political parties is *Direct Democracy* (Chapter Five). *The use of referenda to decide by the people is the real solution in a confused world*.

Science is often used for the benefit of political parties and their politicians. As such, *sociologists* and *psychologists* are employed to manipulate concepts for political benefit.

Furthermore, one of the founding fathers of USA, Patrick Henry (1736-1799), Governor of Virginia, was famous for his speech: *Give me liberty or give me death*. In late 1790, Patrick Henry became very concerned about political parties and partisan politics. If he were to live in our times, Patrick Henry would strongly criticize the over-ideologization of politics and the deep division resulting from it. The language, violent behavior during present-day demonstrations is far from being conducive to civilized relationships between the American people. Thomas Jefferson issued similar warnings about extreme partisanship and ideological rigidity so visible on the *left* (Democrats)

The Role of Sociologists in Political Ideology

Sociologists divide the society into study groups, to research their behaviors, conflicts, and interests of different elements of the society; and, as a result, they use them. Regrettably, if conflicts do not exist, politicians and the media will fabricate them. In this way, they learn to understand the composing elements of the society and, more importantly, how to manipulate them. A very brief analysis of selected theories will illustrate how they are used for the sole purpose of creating ideologies for the benefit of politicians and their political parties:

- *Conflict theory* is based on the studies and writings of Karl Marx, the *father* of communist theory. Marx theorized that society is fragmented into conflicting groups, between the *owners* of businesses (capitalists) and *workers* (proletariat). Often, fabricated conflicts are used to destabilize society with the ultimate goal to *acquire power* and *dominate*. This has always been used at the beginning of every revolution, for the profit of given groups and their members. Socialists and communists around the world have used *conflict theory* to destabilize and take over power.

The Roman General, Julius Caesar, and even Napoleon Bonaparte, the ruler of France after the French Revolution (1799-1814), who became the emperor of France, have used what it is known in Latin as *divide et impera* (divide and conquer). If you do follow what is happening in the early administration of Donald Trump, the divisiveness promoted by Democrats and the media has the same scope: divide for the purpose of conquering the White House.

- *Chaos theory* studies the unpredictability and overall behavior of the groups of our society and the relationships between groups in each community. Political parties, particularly the Democrats and their supporters, especially the superrich, create chaos to provoke conflicts. The Democrats' supporters have provoked all the demonstrations of late 2016 and early 2017. Most of the marchers (Occupy Wall Street, Women march in December of 2016, pro-immigration and for the admission of Islamic groups into the US and Europe, violence in some university campuses, etc.), were organized by the *left*. Most of the *demonstrators are professionals*; they follow the command of the organizers and are paid by them. The exception, many of those were done by Russian Troll farms trying to appear as Democrats, according to recent Federal indictments.
- *Feminism theory, including radical feminism*, analyzes the status of women in the society, demanding a voice to women (read: *leftist women*), and exclude discrimination based on sex, gender, and economic inequality. However, feminism is very political, a voice of the anticonservatism anti-Republican party, pro-big government, which means pro-socialism. In fact, Leftist feminist, especially the radical feminist's groups, are constantly participating in most of the demonstrations organized by the *left*. Their main scope is to destabilize the society and...revolution! The following slogans are constantly visible in the demonstrations of the left: "*Female liberation as the basis for social revolution*," and "*A woman's place is in the revolution!*"

NOTE: these new revolutionaries are on the payroll of the *left* and their rich donors. Their goal, destabilize the US from within, and create the best strategies for the *revolution*, to *take over the control* of the US and *world socialists*. The precedents are known: French Revolution, Russian Revolution of 1917, the revolutions in Cuba, Nicaragua, Venezuela, several African States, North Korea, etc.

The Psychologists role to define Political Ideology

Psychologists, on the other hand, study the mechanisms of human behavior of politicians and electorate. As such, political psychology investigates attitudes, motivations, human thinking, personality traits, relationships between individuals and groups (group dynamics), conflicts and socialization, and how their actions change the course of politics. Samples of political psychology techniques are below:

- *Personality analysis*. Political psychologists assess the personality of own and opposition politicians, to assist the preferred politician regarding the decision-making process, to design the best winning strategy, to determine how one can best control power. Much time is dedicated to studying the interaction between segments of the electorate, their aggressiveness, and reactions in case of political conflicts. Specific studies are directed towards electorate behavior and the process of designing political strategies for elections.
- *Convert negatives into positives*. Study negative perception of the electorate to counter smear, use negative tactics of the opposition, and convert them into positive feelings.
- *Select methods to counter false rumors*. In the 2008 US elections, rumors were launched regarding Mr. Obamas' religion: He is Muslim! Instead of denying this rumor, Mr. Obama's psychologists used a positive tactic: Mr. Obama is a Christian.
- *Negative tactics work!* Including misleading information and lies.

- *The art of deception.* Use class warfare to affect the opposition: *Republicans are the party of the rich!* In reality, *Democrats are the party of the rich* since many donors and supporters are super rich: *Bill Gates, Mark Zuckerberg, George Soros, Jeff Bezos, donors from Google, Wall Street, etc.*
- *Apply a constant attack on the opposition,* such as Democrats and media attack on President Trump regarding the Russian collusion. No evidence at all but they keep attacking every single day with this falsehood. However, the media forget that, in reality, *Hilary Clinton was the person who colluded with the Russians.* She proposed to *reset* the US-Russian relations. Not to mention that during Mrs. Clinton's tenure as the Secretary of the Department of the State has facilitated a Russian purchase of 20% of the US uranium reserves! How would you call that? Could you imagine the reaction of the Democrats and media if a Republican would do that? Traitors! Traitors! Traitors!
- *Create a climate of fear,* with claims such as: if the Republicans will be elected the economy will be in a recession! You will lose your jobs! How would you call the US economy during President Obama's term in the White House?
- *Exploit emotional reactions:* If the Republicans win the elections, you will lose your pension!

As seen above, both of these two sciences are used to assess and then to *manipulate the electorate* prior, during and after the election.

Political ideology: *Left vs. Right*

Political ideology is at the foundation, the reason political parties have been organized. People of similar ideals and doctrines have decided to organize a political party. The actual debate in the original political party was to:

1. How should the society function, and
2. How to best structure the society for maximum administrative efficiency

However, since many politicians were far more interested in inefficient and sterile theoretical debates, they were called *ideologues*, not a flattering term in those days. Therefore, Napoleon Bonaparte, one of the best generals of the world, ridiculed his adversaries as being *ideologues*. A kind of empty talk with no results.

Table 2.1. The spectrum of political parties and their ideologies.

Extreme left	Center left	Center	Center right	Extreme right
Communists Socialists Extremist greens Nazi Fascists	Social democrats Democratic party Ecologists	Liberals	Conservatives Christian democrats	?

The following short description of Table 2.1 has the scope of the specifics of main ideologies:

-Extreme left is occupied by the communists but also by socialists with similar views: dictatorship, no individual political freedom, no private property, the government is the owner of all the means, types and

volume of production, their cost, wages, housing, how to divide them in the society. Everything is at the mercy of political leadership of the country. ***Government-command economy.***

NOTE: *in the semantics of the left, socialism is just the first stage on the road to establishing a communist society. In a socialistic society, the political elite forms the government and controls everything because they are the government. People work, live and receive the compensation the government decides. It is said that education and healthcare is free. However, the reality is completely different. Corruption is rampant. For every service needed you must bribe, or else... Socialism is just a transition to communism, the dictatorship of the extreme left. In a socialist society, there are still some minor liberties, (own a car). The real dictatorship is achieved in communism.*

-Center left: represents a compromise between some socialist-type economy and free market economy. The state, via an overused government, intervenes far too often in the economy, culture, and social affairs. The public sector is very large, inefficient and very costly. Some elements of the free market economy are tolerated, such as to own a restaurant, barbershop, etc. however, the all mighty governments dictate everything and affects every aspect of people's life. There are some individual rights, including private property (small plots of land, own a home).

-Center: is occupied by a European-type of liberalism, an amalgamation of socialists, free and center-right Democrats. Liberals in Europe have small visibility, especially in Germany, UK but more in Romania. In Canada, however, the liberals have a strong presence, especially in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. In the US, the term liberal has a pejorative meaning, and it is equated with the term socialist. Often Canadian liberals lean too far to the left, especially under the Trudeau's leadership of 1970's (Pierre Trudeau) and after the elections of 2016 (Justin Trudeau). The utilization of the term *liberal* seems to be a cover-up for the term *socialist*. *If the US people were to know that the Democrats are in fact socialists, their popularity could drastically sink.*

-Center right: Conservatives and Christian Democrats attract a patriotic electorate, with strong national dignity, and fierce promoters of the free market economy, limited government. Maximum individual, economic, political, and religious liberties are the foundation of their ideology. The over-bureaucratization of the country interferes with their strong belief in their God-given freedoms.

-Extreme right: Leftist politicians believe that the Nazis, the *fascists*, occupy the extreme right in the spectrum of political ideologies. However, in their misleading concepts, the socialist-minded politicians' leftist politicians suffer from grave amnesia: the Nazis were *national socialists*: socialists with a nationalistic tent.

The term Nazi originates from the German name, *nazionalsozialismus*, or national socialistic party of 1933-1945 lead by Adolph Hitler. Therefore, the Nazis must also be placed on the extreme left box of Figure 2.1. The difference is that after the Nurnberg Trials (1945-1046), where Nazi Germany has been condemned for the atrocities of pre- and during WWII, and the communist not! As a result, the Nazis have disappeared as a political ideology from planet Earth, whereas their socialist's brothers of Communist Russia did not. On the contrary, instead of being crucified at Nuremberg the communism has been legitimized and still active in several countries of the world, including the US and Western Europe.

Question: **When will the communists and their socialist brothers have their own Nuremberg Trial for the atrocities they have caused to humans in four continents**

Sidebar: Since the term fascist is often used nowadays to insult the right you might enjoy learning how everything started. In 1919 Benito Mussolini, Italy's dictator of the 1930's, a dedicated and active socialist and leader of the Italian Socialist party since late 1890's, has established Fasci Italiani, and in 1922 the National Fascist party of Italy. Mussolini was so impressed by the greatness of Rome that he decided to adopt some of Rome's symbols of power for his fascist movement: the fasces, Roman salute and the Roman eagle (Aquila).

After Adolph Hitler gained power in Germany (1933), also a great admirer of the Roman power and military achievements, adopted the Roman salute, and a slightly altered fasces. However, Hitler was also impressed by the symbolism of swastika (known and used by a multitude of cultures as a religious symbol for more than 5000 years) using it by his propaganda machine. Let us explain the meaning of these symbols:

Fasces, from the Latin fascia, symbolised the penal power of a Roman magistrate. Fasces was made out of a bundle of wooden rods surrounding a single axe. Since the Italian and German socialists wanted to imitate Rome's symbols of power, to project their own greatness, they borrowed the term **fascist** to name their movements: **fascism**. Please remember: fascism was introduced in politics by the Italian and German socialist parties and does not have anything to do to the conservative movements of US or other countries.

The **Roman salute**, is falsely considered as a **Nazi salute**. This typical salute was used by all the romans to greet a friend. As the right arm was lifted slightly higher than the shoulder, the romans also pronounced either **salve** (salute) or **servus** (I am your servant).

Swastika is made out of two crossed S's, symbolising socialism, but the two SS are also visible in the term Schutzstaffel, a protection squadron of the Nazi party leaderships. Towards the end of WWII a new military entity, Waffen SS, an elite army unit, has been used in the most difficult battles of WWII.

Please do not accept any similitudes between Rome's achievements and its symbols and the socialist-fascist movement of Mussolini and Hitler. In doing so, you insult everything Rome has done for human history and culture. Please also remember that both Mussolini and Hitler were socialists and had never adopted any policies of the right and a free society such as capitalism, free market economy, freedom of the press and free speech.

However, the entire world of socialism and communism are constantly attempting to blame the **right**, the conservatives of the world, for the atrocities of the 20th century. This is why the socialists associate the conservatives with Nazism and fascism and the crimes against humanities committed by the socialists-fascists. **The real fascists are the socialists and communists** (see above). In reality, the **socialists and communists of the world have to be blamed for the crimes of the 20th century: for the social experiments that occurred in Russia, Germany, entire Europe, China, etc.** The conservatives of the world are blameless. Socialists of the world have to be ostracised for the incredible crimes of the last century (please refer to chapter 3).



Figure 2.1 Illustrates (from left to right): fasces, the Roman salute, swastika and Roman eagle. (under the eagle there is the acronym: SPQR, or Senatus Populusque Romanum (the Senate of the peoples of Rome)

In our far too confused and manipulated world, there are a series of political organizations, parties, and individuals who still have sympathy for the socialist and communists. Do these people know about the atrocities against millions of people who have perished just because they did not accept to live in a socialist/communist system? There are members of the media, leftist professors, and politicians who drastically accuse the Nazis of the atrocities of 1933-1945 but very conveniently suffer amnesia when fingers are pointed to the socialists and communists of Russia and the world.

Sidebar: Communism could not be imposed on the Russian, Chinese and Eastern Europe people nor create so many human atrocities without their fraternal, direct or indirect, support received from the social democrats of the United States and Western Europe!

Try to imagine what could have happened if a similar type of individuals would have attempted to minimize the atrocities produced by the Nazis! Alternatively, if Nazi sympathizers would have taken a pro-Nazi view

in congresses or the media, a world catastrophe could have happened. New York Times (some call it New York Pravda, the communist media organ from Moscow), Washington Post, CNN and leftist media from Europe could vehemently react with direct attacks to destroy such individuals. These representatives of the left would like to remind them that a Nuremberg Trial for socialists/communists was not organized yet. Only the national socialists were exposed and punished. The leftists of the world are still free and enjoy a happy life.

Knowing the objectives of world socialists and the way they are attempting to impose their ideology on the world, we also like to see the communists and socialists be stigmatized for their part in the crimes against over 200 million victims of their ideology! ***Only then, the world will really be free! Free from the ideological nightmare.***

The appearance on the world political stage of Mr. Vladimir Putin, president of Russia, reopens the discussion regarding the political ideology of the extreme right. Mr. Putin's dream about the recreation of Soviet Union, the Russian empire started by Ivan the Terrible, the Russian Tsar that opened the imperialistic appetite of Russia (1547-1584). The tsarist ideology of dominating 122 nations and ethnic minorities of Ivan the Terrible, Peter the Great (17th century), Catherine II (18th century) and Joseph Stalin (20th century) and other Russian communist leaders promote the slogan: *where the Russian flag has been hoisted it will never be removed!*

Mr. Vladimir Putin's aggressive, imperialistic ideology repudiates several international agreements, including the *Rights of Nations to Self-determination* proposed by the US President Woodrow Wilson at the Treaty of Paris (peace treaty following WWI) and are accepted by all the participating nations. Mr. Putin's policies in Ukraine, the Romanian territory of Bessarabia (now the Republic of Moldova), Balkan states and Syria can be considered an ideology of the extreme right. Mr. Putin's ideology and aggressiveness are inspired by the policies of Soviet Russia of 1919-1940 when the Russians exported communist revolutions in Germany and conquered land from Eastern European nations. In fact, the internal problems of 1930's Germany represented a fertile land for the Nazi propaganda machine and created political conditions for the 1933 election of Adolph Hitler as chancellor of Germany. In other words, Russia's political aggression was at the basis for the Nazis victory in Germany.

The Ideology of the American Left (Democrats) and Right (Republicans)

Socialist/communist ideology had also penetrated into the US in since 1919 when the *US Communist Party was established*. For Communist Russia, Germany and US were essential political targets to establish socialist/communist states. The Russians, with the scope of destabilizing internal and external of the US, they have directly funded US communists. Labor leaders and leftist lawyers were the core of the leftist movement. In 1937, leftist lawyers established National Lawyers Guild (NLG) where an important segment of the US communist party was present in its leadership. Once again, the role of NLG was to propagate socialistic policies and communist ideology

The ideology of the American left, the US Democratic Party, is clearly aligned to the ideology of International Socialist, an international organization whose scope is ***world revolution to replace capitalism with communism***. The US Democratic Party has a large wing of the party dedicated to extreme leftist ideologies. This reality has made Congressman Allan West (R-Florida), a retired army colonel, to proclaim in 2011 that ***80% of the Dems congressional representative and senators are socialists or even communists.***

Political Issues of the Left

Probably the most visible representative of the Democrats, the extreme left segment of the party, is Senator Bernie Sanders, whose discourse contains terms and meanings like:

- *Progressive*: meaning socialist
- *Working class*: meaning just those who work in a factory. Does it mean that you and I are not working? You do not have a contribution to the economic development and wealth of your country.
- *Class action*: working-class activities that should lead to a leftist revolution
- *Equality*: take from the haves and give to have-nots (please also refer to the next chapter)
- *Fair share* was also used by the communist regimes in Russia, Eastern Europe, China, Cuba, and Venezuela. By now, we know how fair it was!
- *Tax the rich*. True, but do not forget that many of the affluent people are key investors in countries' economy. Tax them but also offer them an incentive to make profits that are continuously reinvested to develop the economy

Let us stop here. It is quite visible that the left's ideologies, issues, and concepts, are so outdated that it is no secret that most Americans and Westerners are not members of the leftist political parties. By the way, when have you heard the US leftists chant: USA! USA! USA!

No wonder that the US is so deeply divided. The political discourse is so aggressive and toxic that the political message often becomes a... hate message. *#Resist. #Resist is the slogan of our days*. What does that mean? To resist, to oppose to President Trump's economic policies, to reinvigorate the US economy? Often it seems that the Democrats are concerned not about their country but rather about their ideology and political party. America? Who really cares about it!

There is a visible struggle for a larger chunk of the US electorate. Both the Republicans and the Democrats apply various strategies to achieve those ends. Among others, the Democrats use some of the following methods:

- **Political correctness**. However, to many, it has been discriminatory simply because in certain situations the standards to be accepted in an ivory league university have been lowered and do not serve the needs of being better educated. If one had good quality education entry standards do not have to be lowered
Political correctness can be equated to a method used to shut off people's right to speak their minds. If initially had some positive effects for some minorities; now, its role seems to fade away and has become a restriction of free speech.
- **Affirmative action**. In 1961, President John F. Kennedy's signed an executive order to ensure that anybody who applied for a job, a government position, must be treated equally, without prejudice: race, origin, and national origin. Over time it became a policy that favors minorities.
- **Big government**. The darling of the left is big government. Why? Simply because in any socialist-minded society the government dictates everything that is occurring in the society, from controlling and monitoring your life to dictating how things have to be organized. Big government is, in fact, a political and social infrastructure, a segment of the political control that penetrates every sector and fiber of your life. In a socialist-minded society, nothing happens without the government: everything is planned by the government, monitored by the government, and imposed upon you by the government. This is why it must be...big!

- ***Socialist propaganda in schools and universities.*** While school education is a semi-disaster, where the comprehension of scientific matters is very low, the education system has become a battleground for the future US intellectuals and professionals. The present generation of Americans is witnessing an incredible expansion in high-tech information and development. Informed people are aware that future jobs will be in the IT (Information Technology) and Hi-Tech fields (from robotics to artificial intelligence, nanotechnology, photonics, high diversity of engineering, etc.). The US education system is failing its students. Instead of stressing mathematics, physics and applied sciences, subjects that prepare the students for the future, the US education system is still using a structure of the past: *emphasizing social sciences instead of real science subjects!* Despite the incredible amount of money being spent in the elementary and high schools, US education is failing its citizens and the future needs of the American society.
- ***Abortion*** is the darling of the anti-Christian, anti-God-given life political strategies of the Democrats. Why? Because every single young woman that aborts her child is a potential voter for the Democrats. As soon as these women, mostly from the minorities groups, steps out of the hospital, she is courted by the Democrats. She is a potential voter! Therefore, she is offered all the necessary financial support to cover her needs. However, the Democrats never mention that the US citizens sponsor the woman in her unintended crisis. From their taxes. Are the Democrats also involved in educating these young to avoid pregnancy?
- ***Open borders*** is a highly regarded policy to bring immigrants into the US and transform them into voters for the Democrats. The slogan of the Democrats is: *Let them come!* However, the open border strategy is also beneficial for the drug lords, and smugglers of all kinds. Several US states have drug crisis, where many children become drug addicts, some of them ruining their young life. Just in 2016, 50.000 US citizens were dying of drug overdose. Yet, the Democrats are against building a wall to protect US Southern border from illegals and drug lords
- ***Illegal immigrants.*** US invasion by illegal immigrants is, in fact, a policy of destabilizing the US as a country. Several interested groups are directly involved in bringing to US immigrants from many parts of the world, especially from the South of USA. This policy is applied in concert with *open borders*.
- ***Sanctuary cities*** attract some illegal immigrants, but the concept is also highly utilized by drug dealers, criminals coming from South American countries, and smugglers of all kind. This policy is favored by some Democrats. Once again, the reason is votes: become US citizens and vote for Democrats.
- ***Entitlement society***, or welfare society, created by populist politicians. It is very easy to promise, even when you do not have the money. This political strategy, mostly from the left is pure and simple a method to corrupt the electorate to vote for a given party. Capable, but weak citizens, fall into the trap laid down by politicians. The slogan goes like this: *we will give you welfare if you give us votes!* This is socialism of the worse kind. Some members of the US society have been transformed into the beggars of professional politicians. Anybody who accepts socialistic types of entitlements should remember what *Margaret Thatcher*, the prime minister of Britain said during the time of President Ronald Reagan:

Socialism works only for as long as somebody else pays the bill

- ***Cornucopia***, or the *horn of plenty*, is the symbol of the promises made by politicians. The arrays of promises before political elections are an embarrassment for any civil and decent society. It is an insult to any person's intelligence to promise money or things of value for a vote! A disservice

to the country. Do you remember the promises made by Senator Bernie Sanders during the 2016 elections: ***Free tuition!***

Good propaganda. However, who will pay for it?

- ***Climate change.*** Originally called Global Warming, it had to be changed into *climate change* simply because Mother Earth did not warm up to the expectations of socialist-minded ecologists. So now we have a new concern, that the Earth changes the climate constantly. Didn't we know that planet Earth has constantly changed its climate for the past 4.5 billion years? Now, the anti-capitalist, anti-industrialization ecologists aggressively promote the difficult-to-prove scientifically concept that our climate is changing at an alarming rate.
- ***Racism.*** For many decades, racism was used by the Democrats to attract many African Americans to their side. Under the guise of protecting and helping the black population, the Democrats profit from approximately 85-90% of the African-American votes. They vote for the Democrats. However, this is pure exploitation! Can anybody show us how much the black population has improved his or her standard of living in the past decades? Did they escape from poverty? Have the blacks improved their children's education? This is in fact corruption. It is cultural/political tribalism. The Democrats simply corrupt the African-Americans to vote for them. Without the black voters, the Democrats would have a lower number of representatives in the Congress and Senate.
- ***Victimization: who benefits from it?*** The scope of the Democrats is to show that the American society is full of prejudice, that many segments of the society are discriminated against most of the white population. From gays to minorities all are victims of our society. The white, Christians and conservatives, are accused of victimizing the minorities. By presenting themselves as the *protectors of the victims* of US society, the Democrats are successfully transforming these victims into voters for the Democrats!

The constant political struggle between Republicans and Democrats is mostly ideological. A sterile fight, with vitriolic messages do not serve anybody's objective of a tranquil and decent society.

Sidebar: For as long as we will have political parties and ideologies this struggle will not be tamed or disappear. On the contrary, it might lead to higher toxicity of their messages and ideologies. Only Direct Democracy can create a different political environment and eliminate this ugly political fight.

During the 2016 presidential elections, and after Donald J. Trump had been elected President of the United States, the acuity of the Democrats vs. Republicans political dispute has become very acidic. The ideological divisions of the US society have reached an intolerable state. The following examples might reflect the reality of this struggle:

- On January 16, 2017, the leadership of the Democrats decided to undermine Presidents' Trump policies economic strategies. ***Do whatever necessary to make them fail!***
- Democrat strategists are asked to hunt Republicans! Hunt? What does that entail? Just demonstrations or also use weapons, violence, civil war? *This is immaturity at the highest level!*
- The anti-Trump Women March on Washington (January 21, 2017), the demonstration at Berkeley in the same month, in New Jersey, and in different university campuses, had the same theme: *anti-Trump*. Most of these demonstrations were organized by world socialists, anarchists and by leftists of all kinds. Violence was present in most of them and the political discourse toxic. Insults were flying from all directions.

Skirmishes were also present; some of them being provoked by some very confused youth with red, communist flags with hammer and sickle! Do you remember who had the red flag with these symbols? It was the *flag of Soviet Union, Communist Russia*! Similar flags were also displayed in some of President Trump's rallies. What is the meaning of waving this red flag at US rallies? Do you mean that politically we are moving in the direction of elusive, anti-Christian communism?

Many demonstrators were bused from different parts of US and paid \$2,500.00 plus \$50.00 per hour during the demonstration. There were many illegal immigrants with Mexico's flag in their hand, professional demonstrators, anarchists, and paid, it is said, by George Soros, the unrepentant socialist billionaire! Do these people know what they are doing? What they stand for?

- Left-wing haters, such as ANTIFA, an anti-fascist, an anti-capitalist group, directly promote violence, dressed in black like the Hitler's SS (Schutzstaffel, or protection squadron). They are well organized and have cells in different US cities. Why is capitalism equated in the same discourse with fascism? Should we assume that the promoters of leftist ideology are socialists/communists? *Do they want a communist US?* Are these demonstrators conscious of what they stand for? Please read on to inform yourselves about the human costs of those who have opposed communism (Chapter Three). Some critics consider ANTIFA as a George Soros' brainchild, an anti-law, domestic (communist) terrorists.
- Anti-Republican violence is also acknowledged in the Congress, where some 30 Republicans have been threatened with actions against their life (June 20, 2017). In fact, it happened to Steve Scalise (R-LA) during a baseball game for charity when he was shot by James Hodgkinson, an extreme leftist democrat. He went to the game with specific intentions of shooting Reps. when he arrived at the game, he asked: Are these Republicans? Then he started to shoot. He shot just one Republican from his list of six more (June 7, 2017). The shooter belonged to a radical left group created with the specific scope of terminating the Republican Party! As a Bernie Sanders supporter, the shooter calls President Donald Trump a...Nazi! As per the explanation in Chapter Three, the shooter is not aware of the fact that the ideology he has adhered to is directly associated with Nazism: socialists and communists belong to the same family of the anti-Christian, anti-democratic ideology as the Nazis!
- It seems that we are approaching the state of political terrorism. Do not be surprised to learn that socialism and communism have always called for *revolution*! This is the only way in which they have gained power. *Never at the voting box*!

Mondialism and Political Incorrectness: A Brief

The latest political and ideological issues that are present on the political stage seem to be conflicting and confusing to some people. Among the most visible issues are *mondialism* vs. *globalization*, and *political correctness* vs. *political incorrectness*.

Globalization and Mondialism. If *globalization* has a minimal positive meaning, it promotes and opens the trade and exchanges of goods produced by many countries, *mondialism*, on the other hand, is an ideological concept with a negative connotation for many. *Mondialism* is an ideological project, a Laic religion for the left (Alain Soral, 2012), and has the scope to determine national governments, political parties, and even the public at large, to accept a world government. A world

led by the elite and controlled by the elite via the social democratic parties of the world. In other words, the *elite* create the concept while the Democrats implement it.

This concept, however, is not a novelty since world organizations, such as the League of Nations in the 1930's and United Nations after 1945, have been organized as a precursor to World Government. We, the humans, are supposed to get used to the concept and, ultimately, accept the *elite* to lead and control us via the United Nations.

Political correctness and political incorrectness. Among the multitude of leftist/socialistic policies created by the *elite*, political correctness (PC) can be considered as one of the most successful. The application of it in the US society has managed to shield many attacks from the *right* against the *left* and by counterattacking the right with accusations such as racist, discriminatory, xenophobic, sexist and even fascist. Originally, PC was intended to avoid any language or actions that could be discriminatory against visible minorities. Those who promoted it used to also stand for fairness and open-mindedness. Nowadays, however, PC intends to do much more. It has furthermore managed to intimidate the *right*, to quiet the *right* or be accused of being discriminatory and fascists.

Political incorrectness (PI) is offering to the *right* the opportunity to counterattack the *left*'s intent to create mondialism, one world government. The right can use PI as a doctrine against those who want to take our freedom of speech, to intimidate anybody who might intend to unveil the *left*'s plan to create a socialistic society in America and Western Europe, and ultimately, a world government. PI is, in reality, is a doctrine that is in its early stage of evolution in the direction of showing and displaying disobedience to the ideology of the *left* and to oppose World Government.

While the *left* is really advanced in its ideologies and methods, the *right* is not at that level yet. We must express our rights for free speech without interference and attacks from the left. Also, the media of the *right* is quite invisible as compared to the 80% of the media of the *left*. From New York Times to Washington Post and from CNN to MSNBC, everything is far *left* of the center, constantly attacking the right, President Donald Trump and all the politicians in the Senate and the Congress, and all the decent Americans that honor God and Country. All of them are racists and fascists!

A Comparison of Selected Issues: Democrats vs. Republicans

(Compiled based on information from Quizlet, Diffen, and Home (Index HTML))

Since political parties have specific ideologies, they also have different opinions regarding how to organize the society and how to govern the nation. These issues can be presented in a normal writing format but discussing them side-by-side seems to be easy to compare them, and the method can be more effective.

Issue	Democrats	Republicans	Tudor Bompa comments
Religion	Atheists at best. Anti-Christian. God could not share the same stage with Karl Marx. Darwin (the evolution theory) is their god.	Christians, believers in God and Jesus Christ and the ethics and morality of religious teachings. The traditional family is the nucleus of our society.	God, Jesus Christ, traditional family, morality, and ethics should direct our life.
Desired political system by party leaders	Socialism	Free enterprise (capitalism)	Capitalism
Government	Emphasise the needs of Big Government. Prefer regulations since they are, in fact, decisions made by all empowering government. Increase taxes every time necessary. Robinhoodism: Take from the rich and give it to the poor	Smaller government and lower regulations. The private sector could provide most services. Individual citizens are responsible for their freedom and pursuit of happiness	Democrats want big government to control everything in the society. Big government is them, the Democrats. The bigger the government, the less freedom you have. Government is corrupt and corruptible. Regulations often prohibit economic development
Business	Business is evil! It exploits the workers, destroys the environment and consumers. It is time for the government to regulate and control businessman and their business.	Capitalist system and freedom for the business community that made the US what is today. Business innovations and high technology have created jobs and a standard of living envied by many countries of the	Democrats are so antibusiness that it is pathetic. Didn't we hear this kind of socialist rhetoric's from the Russian Communism? Don't the Democrats know that socialism has tried for over 100 years and has never, ever succeeded?

	How do the Democrats explain why China, a communist nation, has switched from socialist to a capitalist economy?	world. Free market, supply and demand economy, has created what we enjoy nowadays/	It is time for the people of US/world to wake up and realize that the Democrats are outdated! Have you ever asked why China has renounced socialist economy to switch to controlled capitalism?
Competition	Competition is unfair.	Competition is good and makes you a competitive, successful professional.	Competition brings up everything that is good for you: talent and innovative spirit.
Welfare	Support welfare state: society is responsible for individuals. Enlarge entitlement society.	Welfare should help people become economically independent. Decrease entitlement society.	Welfare limited to 3 months. Provide conditions to learn a trade and become economically independent and regain your dignity.
Personal responsibility	The government should create laws to protect individuals. Equality of society at the expense of economic freedom. Even criminals and terrorists need to be understood. Without the government, people are not capable of controlling their personal lives.	Individuals are responsible for personal life and of own family. They should make decisions for their own life.	The higher the government power, the lower your freedom. Consider what happens in socialist/communist countries.
Education	Public schools are the best system. Government regulates the type and system of education	School vouchers offer every child the choice and access to quality education. Race should not be a factor. Parents should be involved in main decisions of education as per market needs.	Vouchers open the road to charter and private schools for all children. Subjects should consider present and future development of technology. Prepare students for the technology revolution we have now and in the future.
Energy	Use alternative energy: research and production. Government control over depleting resources, such as oil, coal, and natural gas. Subsidies for using alternative	Use all available resources to explore the present and future technologies. The government must produce a national plan for the research and	Explore all available sources of energy with emphasis on renewed energy. Offer grants for researching and developing new energy sources

	sources. Against fracking technology.	development of new sources of energy.	
Healthcare	Support for socialized medicine. Every	All Americans should have access to health-	Socialised medicine can use almost half of government

	American must have access to healthcare. Equal healthcare regardless of their ability to pay.	care. Privatized, free market, competitive healthcare can result in higher quality and lower costs. Against government control of healthcare.	financial resources. Government always means inefficiency, corruption. 31
Gun Control	The Second Amendment does not permit citizens to bear arms. Individual protection must be assured by the local, and the federal government. More guns mean more violence.	Second Amendment gives the law-abiding citizens the right to bear arms, the right to defend themselves. Gun control laws are inefficient (see Chicago) and didn't prevent criminals from acquiring them	Law abiding, responsible citizens, should have the freedom to bear arms for self-protection. Better background check for those who want to purchase guns. Gun control did not decrease the casualties of gun violence.
Affirmative Action	This policy has the scope of preventing racism and correct the faults of the past. America is still a racist society, and therefore the federal government has imposed an affirmative action law.	A voucher system can be effective to offer quality education to minorities. Good education results in high professionalism and equal opportunity for everybody. Preferential treatment is not the solution since it might be considered reverse-discrimination.	Good education results in good opportunity for everyone. Instead of offering to minorities artificial laws it is highly desirable to improve education for all. Affirmative actions could mean a form of discrimination.
Abortion	A fetus is not a human life and does not have individual rights. The government should provide funds for abortion. Abortion should be legal. Women have the right to make the decision what to do when pregnant	Human life begins at conception. Abortion is murder. Oppose the use of taxpayers' funds to abort a fetus. The medical procedure in itself seems to be a criminal act.	Against abortion except for medical reasons endangering women.
Death Penalty	Abolish death penalty. It is inhumane and cruel. Execution could be the murder of an innocent person.	Death penalty fits the crime, a murder.	If the death penalty is inhumane what would you call the murder of an innocent life by a criminal?
Peace	Peace through appeasement, cooperation, and diplomacy. Understanding other's views. Opposes missiles defense system	Peace through strength. A strong military to discourage aggressiveness. Supports missile defense system	Appeasement has been tried in 1939 and resulted in WWII. From the carrot and stick concept, Russia respects just the stick

American values	Tolerance of other people lifestyles and beliefs. Moral relativism	God is a necessary part of a moral society. Religion makes people good and helpful to others. Traditional morality and family values. Standards of morality: right and wrong. Truth and moral duty	God made us and loves us. We should do the same with other human beings. Stoicism: country, family, honor, self-respect, morality, ethics, and human dignity
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The Ideology of the Greens and Ecologists

After 1991 Communist Russia had already imploded, demonstrating once again that socialism is a politically failed concept and an economic disaster, Russia's economy entered a new era of economic crisis. Its standard of living plunged drastically. Obviously, Moscow empty coffers could not be used anymore to finance the greens/ecologists of the West. No money anymore for environmentalist's and their propaganda. Therefore, many of Russian socialists and communist sympathizers of the world had to look for other sources for their financial needs. After all, a propaganda machine is very costly.

Without financial assistance from their brothers in Moscow, the Greens needed a new sanctuary. And, Eureka! they found it! The new source of money and their new home became the leftist political movements, political organizations/parties of the West and USA. However, the environmentalists have also found support from the super-rich, the elites, demonstrating once again the adage; *birds of a feather flock together!* Traditionally, the Green/Ecologist movement had many environmental idealists, people who promoted a concept of clean air, clean water, and beautiful nature. Who does not adore nature, playful animals and singing birds? Who does not desire peace and tranquility in the world?

Because of the ecologists' alliance with the leftist political movements/political parties communists/socialists groups of the West have now penetrated most ecologist's organizations. Being more versed in the politics of the left, this socialist/communist have managed in many cases to take over the leadership of the environmental/ecological organizations.

Question: *Do you know the real symbol of the Green parties of the world?*

Answer: *The watermelon. Green outside and red inside!*

When the Russians started to recover financially in late 1990's they also returned to their traditional policies of cooperation with leftist organizations/political parties of the world. The result is predictable: environmentalist/ecologic/Green political organizations became more ideological, visible pro-socialists. Once again, the ecologists became anti-industrial development, anti-conservative, and extremists in their views about the world. *Global warming* and *climate change* were their aggressive ideology. *Their new religion!* No wonder why the Democrats have such a large proportion of ecologists among their membership

and voters! Actually, this is a good trade-off for both sides: the Dems promote environmental policies, and the ecologist, in turn, become great supporters of socialism.

Remember that a major *Russia* ' objective in one word is to **destabilize** the West and, particularly, the US. Also, the ecologists are diligently doing their share to help Moscow! To weaken and destabilize the West and US.

The ecologists are not just loyal to their ideology, anti-industrialization, anti-energy exploration (oil, coal, and natural gas, fracking) but also against any manufacturing industries because they...pollute! Don't the ecologists and environmentalists use energy? Gasoline to drive a car? Washing machines, refrigerators, computers! They benefit from everything the US/Western industries are producing. The term that comes to my mind to refer to the environmentalists is *Hypocrisy*!

However, they also enjoy the power and financial retribution emanating from their ideology. Through their leftists, brothers from around the world the ecologists also use, the UN and leftist governments to create extreme regulations that inhibit the economy and peoples' opportunity to increase their standard of living. Nevertheless, the UN also provides the leadership in the world to promote ecologist ideologies. From the \$ 7 billion annual budget, the UN spends a great deal to promote leftist/ecological policies and proposals such as the Paris Climate Agreement, of 2016, regarding climate change. However, this agreement is ineffective since it does not have a binding enforcement mechanism. The signatory countries are not obliged to implement the agreement!

Question: *Have you ever asked yourself why the ecologists crucify the US for all the pollution of the world, but never criticize Russia, China, India, etc., the real polluters of the world?*

The Elusive Ideology of Sharing

Most leftist parties promote the ideology of sharing. Since we are equal, we must equally benefit from the wealth of a nation. Take from the rich and give it to the poor. In other words, *take from those who produce wealth and give it to those individuals who do not make any economic contribution to the wealth of the country*. Should this economic concept be called *Robin-Hoodism*?

Former President, Barack Obama, was one such believer. Only in theory, as is the case with socialist Senator Bernie Sanders (VT). Both of them are millionaires with Mr. Obama's net worth of 12.2 million. Not to mention that he lives in a property worth 4.8 million while Senator Sanders has three homes!

Question: *if President Obama and Senator Sanders promote the ideology of sharing why don't they actually share their wealth with the needy US citizens? Would you call it hypocrisy?*

For several decades some politicians, especially the Dems in the US, have developed social programs: from unemployment insurance to food stamps. Programs that do not encourage the people to work and be responsible for themselves and their families. *Responsibility* is not really in the books of the Dems.

A new class of profiteers has appeared in the US. No matter if you do not have work, we the Dems, will help. This is the role of government. To help you if you do not work. It seems that the slogan of the Dems is: *we help you, you vote for us in the next elections!* Although the policy of sharing seems humane, in reality, does not work. Please consider the following statistics of the Obama policies:

- 44 million Americans receive social programs

- 95 million Americans were out of work
- Gross Domestic Product (GDP) has decreased to around 1%
- US government has a deficit of almost 20 trillion! A trillion is one thousand billion! Can you comprehend what that means? I do not!

Question: How has this incredible amount of \$ been spent? Where are they? Is anybody interested to find out how these presidents have spent these trillions of dollars? Were they spent on social justice and human equality?

President Obama has always believed in the theory that we all are equal and must live in a world of equality. Therefore, the government must take from the rich (additional taxes) and give it to the poor. The reality is that we are not equal. Each of us has different qualities and talents, specific thoughts and working potential and manners. Our qualities depend on our genetic code, on our genetic inheritance; that, coupled with education of course.

When God created the universe, He has also created a genetic code for all the living organisms of the world. In fact, the *genetic code might be the miracle of creation!* Since genetic codes are different, so are we. Different from each other with specific mentalities, concepts, moralities and work ethics. Some people have artistic inclinations, others are inventive, and have incredible perseverance, practical qualities to produce different goods needed in the society. We also have important qualities of cooperation and the ability to work together for the benefits of our family and society. We are not equal.

If God wanted to make us equal, He could do that from the beginning. In which case God could make just one genetic code. In which case, all of us could be equal and uniform. Like robots. However, God wanted us to be different. He knew better how to create this beautiful and incredible world. Dear Dems, please do not confuse and mislead the world. Finally, since some of you may not be very familiar regarding the outcome of applying socialist ideology in the society I invite you to read this short story (unknown author):

Sidebar: *A Swedish economy professor has declared that he never failed anybody in his courses, but once he had failed a full class of students.*

How does it happen? The students of his economics class have claimed that it is unfair to mark his students with different grades because, in a socialist society, this discrepancy could not happen and that nobody should fail the course, nobody should be rich or poor. In fact, everybody should be equal!

OK, said the professor! Let us experiment with socialism and equality. I will give all of you the same grade: the average of everybody's grades. All of you will pass the course with the same grade: nobody will get an A or fail the course.

After the first test, the professor calculated the sum of all marks and divided by the student's number. Every student passed the test with the same mark: 8 (out of 10). However, the students who have studied very hard were not happy with the mark and those who did not were very happy.

Since the second test was approaching, the students that did not study much have decided not to study at all because they would pass the test anyway. At the same time, those who studied hard said that they also want a gift. A good mark without studying! As such, they did not study much at all. Now the mark for the entire class was: 6. after the third test the mark was even lower: 4! A failing mark for everybody!

To everyone's surprise, the whole class failed the course. Disappointments, quarrels, arguments, even hatred. As such, nobody wanted to study for the benefits of others. With this experiment, the professor has demonstrated to the students that socialism with its methods cannot succeed because;

- *when the work is little the reward is small,*
- *when the work is hard the reward is high* The conclusion of this story:
- *When you receive something for free, you must remember that somebody else has worked to produce it,*
- *when those who work to produce the goods available in the society, realized that somebody took advantage of his or her work, he or she do not want to work anymore,*
- *the government should not give something for free that initially has been produced by somebody else.*
- *When half the population receives help without working and the other half work for those who receive help, that might lead to the situation that nobody wants to work anymore.*
- *Then, my friends, this is the end of a nation!*

An Ounce of Stoicism for Professional Politicians

With Karina T. MacRae

Political parties, ideologies, and professional politicians motivate or divide us. Party loyalty and the adherence to a political party's ideology make many citizens quite resentful of some politicians. They are quite concerned that the political party to which a politician belongs to is more important than the country. Moreover, that is a major enigma for the entire political environment. Therefore, an ounce of stoicism might make some politicians rethink who they are, what they stand for and allegiance to the voters' interests. Above all, the loyalty to the country. Not to the political party!

Stoicism is a philosophy that has guided many patriots, military personnel, and has even been at the roots of chivalry of the Middle Ages: *patriotism, dignity, fortitude, virtue, ethics, and many pounds of morality*. It inspired many important representatives of humanity, motivated them to serve and help others but also to be a proud, and dignified person.

Ancient Greece and Rome produced among the greatest Stoics of the world. It started with Zeno of Cyprus, around 300 BC. He was a wealthy merchant, shipwrecked in Athens, today's capital of Greece. While he was there, he tried to meet and study with the city's most noted philosophers. He was extremely impressed by "stoicism" that promoted: virtue, honor, courage, tolerance, ethical behavior, morality, dignity, and self-discipline.

Today, the word Stoic is commonly used to describe someone who remains calm under pressure, one who evades emotional extremes. However, the original philosophy was much more than simply an attitude. The Stoics believe that everything, which functions around us, is done so according to a web of *cause and effect*, which lead to a very rational construction of the universe, something they call "logos," meaning opinion, reason, and discourse. While we do not always have a grasp over events that affect us, we do have control over how we, personally, choose to approach things. The Stoics like to imagine the world not as it ought to be, but how it is should be. At the same time, they are pursuing self-improvement through four (4) fundamental virtues derived from Plato, an ancient Greek philosopher (428-348 BC):

1. Applied wisdom, the ability to view circumstances in a rational, well-versed and calm manner.

2. Temperance, or self-restraint and moderation.
3. Justice, treating others with impartiality, despite wrongdoings. Moreover,,
4. Courage, not only in unexpected circumstances but when adhering daily challenges, done with clarity and integrity.

The noted Roman philosopher, Seneca (4 BC-65 AD), wrote: “Sometimes, even to live is an act of courage.” However, while Stoicism focuses on improving the self, it is not a self-centered philosophy. Nor does Stoicism inspire passivity. Only those who have refined virtue and restraint in themselves can bring that same positive change in those around them. One of the most noted Stoics writers was also one of Rome’s greatest Emperor, Marcus Aurelius (121AD-189AD), who was capable, thanks to Stoicism, to deal with family tragedies and Rome’s administration challenges.

The Rome’s philosophers, specifically, Marius, a Roman famous general, have created what is known as *Military Stoicism*: patriotism, sacrifice for the good of the country, heroism, controlled emotions, virtue and temperance, justice and control, success and failure.

It is hoped that the above brief discussion about Stoicism, including the following selected quotes, might inspire some politicians:

- Country ...or nothing! (Marius)
- The best revenge is not to be like your enemy. (Marcus Aurelius)
- Be as you wish to seem. (Socrates)
- He is most powerful who has power over himself. (Seneca)
- Imitate Jesus or Socrates. (Benjamin Franklin)
- Failure is success in progress. (Albert Einstein)
- Why would you die? (Brianna Krueger)
- Give me freedom or death. (Patrick Henry)
- The best way out is through. (Anne Brown)
- Progress is not achieved by luck or accident but by working on yourself daily. (Epictetus)
- When you complain, you make yourself a victim. (Eckhart Tolle)
- Confidence is silent. Insecurity is loud. (Sara Herman)
- Do not let the behavior of others destroy inner peace. (Dalai Lama)
- If it is not right, do not do it. If it is not true, don’t say it. (Marcus Aurelius)
- I was scared, but not to the point of being a coward (Tudor Bompa)

Conclusions:

- **To the violent and intolerant left, who always attacks the *right*, we want to remind them what Social Democracy is. In Joseph Stalin’s words: “*Social Democracy is the moderate wing of Fascism. They are not antipodes; they are twins*”. The US Dems belongs to the political group of Social Democrats**
- **To those who are infatuated by socialist ideology it is important to remember Newton’s third law of motion, which is also applicable to social sciences: “For any action, there is a reaction of equal magnitude but in the opposite direction.”**
- **Nazism could not succeed without international banks lending money for Hitler’s industrialization plan. Those who blame the Germans for Nazism should also blame the banks for financing Hitler**

- We do not need professional politicians. We only need good managers and administrators.
- A loss for politicians is a win for the people/
- *The government should not give anything for free, except to those who cannot fend for themselves.*
- *The Government does not produce anything. The Government does not have anything. Therefore, the Government should not give what it does not have!*
- Instead of sterile promises to the US minorities, their needs will be best served by showing equal respect for all citizens, good education, and opportunities. Better-educated minorities will result in increased opportunities for decent jobs. Let's offer them a chance via the voucher system.
- Although there were members of the society who profited from political correctness, most people feel that this policy was discriminatory. Good education and opportunity negate the existence of political correctness.
- Leftist ideologues seem to be tormented by illusory communist ideology.
- Robert De Niro, along with his comrades from Hollywood, want to punch President Trump in the nose. Others may have different illusions... Is this what the Hollywood lefties have to offer?
- The US Democrats, Dems, are hiding behind semantics. They pretend to be Democrats. Innocent lefties. In reality, they are Socialists and some even supporters of communism!
- Democrats often dehumanize the Reps: *right-wing reactionary*. The same language their communist brothers from Russia have used to describe the US and European conservatives
- Socialists are *political charlatans* that promise everything (free tuition, free healthcare) but never fulfilled their promises.
- We are witnessing difficult political times. Party politics and Parliamentary Democracy is a failure. Many people are dissatisfied with it. To avoid future problems, the state of politics in the US must be changed. *Direct Democracy* is the only political system that provides freedom for the US from party politics and their ideologies.

Chapter Three: Human Cost of Socialist/Communist Ideologies

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Motto: We shall destroy everything, and on the ruins, we shall build our temple.

Vladimir Lenin

Ideologies, unfortunately, are not always just an inoffensive rhetorical, naïve intellectual discussion. The intensification of the ideological discourse of both Nazism and Communism has become racist and intolerant that, not surprisingly, resulted in a real arms race. While the Western media drastically criticized Hitler, it was quite subdued regarding Stalin's policy of increasing defense industries. As such, Stalin was the first, in 1935, to build military factories and produce thousands of tanks and airplanes. Stalin started an arms race. Political rallies and military parades became very frequent. Banning political observers started to signal a sense of urgency regarding the reaction of the West, mostly the US, France, and Britain, towards the militant Soviet Union and Germany. As the rhetoric increased so did their appetite for territorial expansionism that resulted in WWII and the related atrocities.

The price paid for those who opposed the imposition of communist ideology is incredibly high. Many people might have some doubts about the cost in human lives for opposing communism. However, it happened. We wish it did not. There were so many crimes and in so many countries that the human cost of opposing communism might be much higher than the published information. How can we find out, for instance, what happened in the jungles of Cambodia during the Pol Pot regime (1963-1998) for imposing communism on the poor and decent people of Cambodia? However, the brief presentations of the crimes against humanity by those who wanted to impose communism through a world revolution is presented in this chapter.

The Imposture of Socialism/Communism Ideology

Socialism and Communism were social endeavors created by the elite of the world with the *clear purpose to experiment if people can live together in a communal society*. Thus, communism is supposed to be a utopian, egalitarian and classless society, where the economic benefits had to be equally divided among its members. This utopian, communal, society promoted by some thinkers was intended to imitate the primitive society of humanity where private ownership did not yet exist, and people divided equally everything the community owed. In some instances, the idealists of communism also point to the Bible, where living in communes has been mentioned.

There are many books written about communism, which the reader can refer to. Therefore, this section is just a synopsis of the socialistic and communistic theories. More importantly, it also describes how the theory has been implemented in Communist Russia and other countries where it was imposed by sheer force.

The most popular books written on communism were by Karl Marx (1818-1883), a German philosopher and socialist revolutionary: *The Capital* (1894) and the *Communist Manifesto* (1848) written together with Friedrich Engels. Karl Marx who was also called the father of communism promotes the communist idealism of an egalitarian, a classless society, where everything is owned in common, and people only take what they need.

According to Karl Marx, a communist revolution must dethrone the capitalist society, and the country must be taken over by the working class, the so-called *proletariat*. After the communist revolution, the proletariat had to build communism in two stages:

1. ***Socialism***, where private property is nationalized, everything is state-owned. However, some private property can still be tolerated. After achieving this first stage, socialism, the second stage, communism, is supposed to be created
2. ***Communism***, the classless, egalitarian society, where the ownership of the society belongs to the state, the government. No private property is allowed anymore and what is produced in the commune is equally divided.

Side bar: History of socialism/communism proves that the only thing that people have equally shared was the misery and crimes of communism!

The main credo of communism is from *each according to his abilities, to each according to his needs*. When this level of social transformation is achieved, people live in the communist society.

Karl Marx has also mentioned that the revolution leading to socialism and then to communism must be spearheaded by the proletariat, the most advanced people of the society. However, Vladimir Lenin, the communist leader of the Russian Revolution of 1917, contradicted Marx. Since Russia was a patriarchal, agricultural society, with very few proletarians, the actual leaders of the revolution were a group of communist intellectuals. The revolution started towards the end of WWI, in 1916-1917, when the Germans humiliated the Russian army and the soldiers defected, en masse, to their homes.

In the early days of the revolution, Lenin was in exile in Switzerland. When the revolution started, Lenin received the amount of million 6 Swiss Francs in gold, from communist sympathizers from New York and was urged to return to Saint Petersburg in Russia, to take over the leadership of the revolution.

With his theoretical expertise Lenin and his small group of intellectual revolutionaries, managed to take over the leadership of the revolution, transforming it into a Communist revolution. In fact, the Russian Revolution was not a communist revolution of the masses at all. Only the communist propaganda claims that. The Russian masses simply wanted a better government and better life. However, to control the direction of revolution, Lenin had organized a putsch. He had the money, weapons, and a big propaganda machine, enough to control a chaotic revolution and overthrow the government.

When the elite of the Russian people managed to understand Lenin's scope, to transform the Russian Empire into a Communist Empire (Soviet Union), a counterrevolution has been organized. However, without the financial assistance, Lenin had from the West, the Russian patriots could not subdue Lenin's communist machine. Terror was installed throughout the Russian Empire, and later on in Soviet Union.

After the revolution communist terror was brutally imposed on the people of the former Russian empire: *mass deportation to Siberia, mass starvation (artificial famine), mass executions, death camps, and many, many labor camps (gulags)*. Anti-communist people were the new slaves of the communist ideology. The scope of the Russian communist was just one: *kill everybody that opposes communism*. What Lenin started, his follower, Joseph Stalin, continued from 1924 to 1952. During the 1930's Stalin literally *eliminated* everyone who dared to even think about replacing him at the helm of the Russian communist party.

In his last day of his life, January 21, 1924, it is said that *Lenin has apologized to the Russian proletariat for the atrocities he has committed in the name of communism*.

How was it Possible?

Communist society could never succeed without brutal force! During the time of the Soviet Union, (Russian Communist state), a *police state*, and a force of extreme terror had been organized by:

- **The nomenclature**, or the bureaucratic structure of the communist state, made from the communist party apparatus. This communist bureaucracy, a privileged political class, had the entire political and economic power of the communist state. In the early days of communism, the nomenclature has numbered about 250.000. However, by 1990 the privileged communists increased to 3 million. The existence of this privileged class contradicts the Marxist Tenment of equality between the members of a socialist/communist society, demonstrating once again that communist egalitarianism is just a falsehood. A typical socialist/communist lie!

NOTE: *maybe the US university professors and communist sympathizers may take notice what real communism is!*

- **KGB** (secret service) that monitored the activities of every citizen and terrorized the suspected nonconformists in the society. Whoever crossed the line, opposed the communist state, has been either executed or died in *gulags*. The most brutal agents were promoted, meaning also that they had even higher privileges than the ordinary KGB officers.
- **Gulags**, the Soviet agency that administered *forced-labor camps*, whose scope was mass extermination. During late 1920's-1950, there were over 30.000 gulags. Each housed between 5,000-25,000 inmates. Most of them died because of malnutrition/starvation, misery, or being shot out of his misery.

NOTE *to the feminists of our times: there were also hundreds of gulags for women! Ladies: did you know that?*

- **The Soviet Army and Militia (police)** were also part of the dictatorship class of a communist state. All the military officers are also part of the privileged class of any socialist/communist state.
- **Bodyguards** also existed in socialist/communist states. Their role is to ensure the protection of the communist leaders.

From the beginning of the communist state, **dictatorship** has been an imposition on the people. Although the privileged "commies," called it a *dictatorship of the proletariat*, meaning that the power was in the hands of the workers and peasants. Very soon, by 1930's, it became the *dictatorship against the proletariat*. Even the idealists of the communist revolution had learned that communism was just a failed political farce, that communism was only a crooked and corrupted society that solely serves the interests of the political class. Once again, we can conclude that equality has never been achieved. The *just society* in which the naïve President Barack Obama has believed in simply did not exist in any socialist/communist society.

Another extreme measure, applied by the communist party was the nationalization of everything privately owned. Land was *confiscated* and transformed into state-owned farms (Kolkhoz) while the communist bourgeoisie, the nomenclature, took the most elegant homes. The former owners were thrown into the streets, experiencing once again the *misery of communism*. For the city-dwellers, they built (after 1960's), the so-called *communist apartments*, extremely small apartments where four families had to share a small kitchen.

Central planning became the new propaganda tool for the state-owned economy. The free market economy was replaced with a Communist-dictated economy or *command economy*. The communist party dictated every aspect of the economy. Therefore, the life in a communist state has often been that of a third-world country, or even below that level.

Freedom of speech was eliminated from the early days of the communistic dictatorship. The *commissars*, communist political officers, did not care about freedom of any kind, even less about criticism. A citizen could speak only in the communist-organized meetings and only if the citizen had something to praise about communism or to attack capitalism. Anybody who intended to criticize the regime would be strongly punished, including being sent to a gulag.

A *central authority*, the *Communist Party*, dictated everything in the society: type and quantity of production, including the price of each product. The market does not have anything to do with this decision. Workers of any particular factory were all paid the same amount. There were no incentives for better quality. Innovative stimulations existed only from 1930's on. In the kolkhoz (state farms) workers received agricultural products rather than wages. Communist party and its nomenclature dictated where you lived when you could buy a pair of shoes, and at what price, how much bread you are permitted to buy, often with a card (like the food stamps program in the US), etc.

Are the teachers and professors in the West, those who praise socialism, aware of how communism really looks? A trip to Venezuela might open your eyes!

Attention teachers, professors, and leftist sympathizers! Have you heard of the **Berlin Wall**? Just read on.

In 1961, under the pressure of Communist Russia, the East Germans built a 3.6-meter-tall, almost 12 feet high wall (demolished in 1989), which divided East German (soviet-controlled) from West Germany (allied controlled/Free Germany). Do you know why? Not to stop the citizens from West Germany from migrating to the communist East. Definitely not! On the contrary, *the goal was to stop the Eastern Europeans from defecting to the West! The defectors voted against the communist system with their ...feet! Many people have managed to leave behind the communist society. Including myself.*

Human Cost of Imposing Socialism/Communism Ideology on the World

Most people are not aware of what the socialist and communist ideologies are. They cannot begin to imagine the atrocities these ideologies have created in the world. They have no clue to the *human cost* of these theories that have never worked. *Socialism and communism are two failing social experiments*. They were supposed to lead to an *egalitarian and prosperous society*. Instead, *socialism/communism have created the largest graveyard the Earth has ever witnessed*. It is true that people never learned what socialism and communism were, and they still do not know ... unless they live in such a society. Consider yourself a *very lucky person* if you did not live in a socialist/communist society.

The German *nazional-sozialismus* (national socialism), or the Nazi, and Russian communism have created both holocausts:

- ***black holocaust*** in Hitler's Germany, and

- ***red holocaust*** in Russia, China, Eastern Europe, Cuba, Central and South America, etc.

There are many books regarding the human cost of the *black* and *red holocaust*. Bellow, we will present a very condensed version of the two tragedies made against humanities. Both tragedies are the result of expansionist ideologies of Nazism and socialism/communism. Both, the Nazis and Russian communists, wanted to expand, to take more land from its neighbors, mostly from Eastern Europe. The reason for the discrepancy between the statistics presented below is: access to best and most current information and the research methodology applied:

- Crimes of the ***black holocaust*** (Jews, Ukrainians, Russians, Gypsies): 35 million (Stephane Courtois)
- Crimes of the ***red holocaust*** (Russians, Chinese, Ukrainians, Polish, Romanians, etc.): 314-335 million (Dr. Florin Matrescu)

Other authors offer the following information:

- The communists have killed 94 million. (John Walters)
- Between 1917-1954 there were 103 million people killed in Communist Russia (Anton A. Ovseyenko). Dr. Florin Matrescu advances this figure to 118-148 million.
- China had paid the price for the imposition of communist dictatorship with 110-114 million. (Dr. Florin Matrescu)
- Dr. Florin Matrescu claims that Romania has lost 2.45 million simply because it was a neighbor of the Russian empire and Russia desired to seize more land from others

- Niall Ferguson proclaims that no other country has devoured its children like Russia during and after the Communist Revolution of 1917. He also mentions the anti-communist forces of Russia (The White Guards) and the peasants have sabotaged the communist system by killing 14 million domestic animals.

Sidebar: Nazism could never be successful, Hitler could not industrialize Germany, build such an incredible war machine, without the financial assistance received from major world banks. This is why people should not blame only the German people but also those who financed Hitler.

From the beginning of the communist revolution in 1917, and the Russian Civil War of 1921-1922, when Lenin's communists and the Russian patriots fought to control the Russian Empire, mass terrorism was legitimized as a communist state policy. The destruction of the tsarist regime and all those who opposed communism were considered by Lenin, and the subsequent communist leaders, a necessity if communism was to survive and, ultimately, to win. Bloodshed was a justifiable tribute paid by those who opposed this communist ideology, the *goddess of a proletarian dictatorship. Because a dictatorship it was!*

All those who were considered enemies of the state, *enemies of the working class or bourgeoisie* (rich or middle class), became casualties of the newest form of inquisition (from the Spanish Inquisition apparatus of the Catholic Church of Spain). Everybody who dared to question the legitimacy of the new communist regime was branded *an enemy of the state* and punished. Bloodshed was necessary to impose the new communist regime upon the people of communist Russia.

Please consider the following statistics provided by Anton Antonov Ovseyenko (1981) whose father, Vladimir, led the attack on the Winter Palace (Tsarist Palace in Saint Petersburg) during the 1917 revolution. As a recognition of his revolutionary merits, Vladimir Ovseyenko was appointed as one of the three members of the Defense Ministry of the Soviet Union/communist Russia. He was among the first casualties of Stalin's purges of 1937. At the same time Anton, Vladimir's son, was also punished for unknown *anti-state subversive activities* and sent to a gulag for more than 12 years. Anton promised to his dead father, however, to research and work his entire life just to prove the atrocities committed by the communist regime on those who opposed it. In his 1981 book, Ovseyenko claims the following casualties of the communist dictatorship imposed on the Russian empire:

- Civil War and the famine of 1921-1922 resulted in **21 million dead**. The starvation, alone, of the same years, caused **5 million** deaths. In fact, this was an act of sabotage by the farmers whose land has been nationalized by the communists.
- According to Soviet Magazine *Problems of CPSU History*, Number 5, 1975, the Soviets have used deportations to remote regions to liquidate the Kulaks (well to do farmers) as a social class. In 1930, **3 million Kulaks** were deported to harsh regions of the Far East. Some were shot, instantly, the others were sent to gulags, where they died anyway. After all, this was the reason why gulags were organized: *extermination of those who dared to oppose communism*. At about the same time, one other *Kulak* group of **2-4 million**, were also deported to Siberia, where they had the same fate as the other farmers.
- However, the magazine mentioned above did not mention at all that **5 million** were ordered to resettle in Far East Asia of the Soviet Union.

- The Baltic Sea - White Canal built in 1931-1933 took the lives of **300,000** people, all of them opponents of communist dictatorship. The Canal was considered a Soviet monument and never worked. Now, the Canal is considered as a communist Russia human mass grave.
- In 1932, an artificially created famine (most Soviet grain was intentionally exported) caused starvation to **7 million** Ukrainians.
- Since in 1928-1932, there were several rebellions of the Kazakh people against the Russian communist domination, **2 million** of them were exterminated.
- Between 1932-1934, there were **2.5 million** infants who died of malnutrition caused by the artificially created famine.
- In one of the most effective terrorist acts committed by Russian communists (1932-1934), either the artificially created famines, bullets, or deportation to gulags, killed some **20 million** workers and peasants. Some **8 million** of them were deported to remote areas of Siberia to work in mines in the most primitive conditions. To accomplish this incredible crime, the Soviet authorities created an army of 5 million search-and-destroy experts. They were members of the secret service (KGB) and the army.
- In 1934, Stalin ordered the murder of **40,000** veteran communists from Leningrad and **180,000** from Moscow. They were considered *enemies of the people*. Translation: Stalin was afraid of a coup organized by these people.
- Between 1934-1939, more than **2 million members** of the communist party were executed for the same reason. The crimes are part of the so-called *Stalin's purges*.
- Alexander Solzhenitsyn, the author of *Gulag Archipelago* (who received a Nobel Prize for this book), was himself detained, claimed that between 1937-1938 Stalin murdered **40,000** army officers: 90% of the total number of generals, 80% of colonels, and 50% lower rank officers. Reason: He was afraid of an anti-Stalin coup.
- Le Figaro, a French magazine, (Nov. 18, 1978) stated Stalin arrested **7 million** suspected anti-communists. Most of them were executed or died in labor camps.
- More *enemies of the people* (**16 million**) were sent to labor camps (gulags) at the end of 1930's.
- On August 23, 1939, Nazi Germany and Soviet Russia signed a non-aggression pact known as the Molotov-Ribbentrop Pact. As a result, Soviet Russia occupied the Baltic States, Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, and acquired the Romanian provinces of Bessarabia and Northern Bukovina. About **3 million** were sent to gulags where most of them died (**800,000** Romanians). These people simply refused to be part of Soviet Union, being branded as *anti-soviets* and *spies*.
- During WWII **32 million** people, soldiers and civilians died, most of them because of the incompetence of their military officers. The competent ones were executed in late 1930's (see above).
- In 1944, most of the Crimea Tatars (**700,000**) were deported to Siberia to make room for Russian nationals.
- After WWII, Stalin decided to gather **3.5 million** German nationals from Romania, Czechoslovakia, and Poland and sent them to remote parts of Siberia to work the mining industry in the most horrible conditions. Only 800,000 have survived.
- During and after WWII, almost **4 million** of the German population from the Volga region have been deported to the Far East. Only 1.7 million survived.

- Similar actions were organized against Byelorussians, the Muslim population from Chechnya (Caucasus Mountains) and Georgia. In total, there were **6 million** people either executed or sent to gulags.
- After the war, Stalin requested all the Russians that had defected to the West or were prisoners of war to be returned to Soviet Russia: all together, they were **5.2 million**. Some were shot, and the balance saw their last days in gulags. Among them was *Jacob Dzhughashvili, Stalin's son!*
Another famine caused by three years of drought, this one for real, occurred 1948-1951, when **1.5 million** Romanians from the Romanian provinces of the Soviet Unions, died of starvation.
- We all know about the anti-Jewish atrocities committed by the Nazis. Do you think that Stalin was different from Hitler with the Soviet Jews? Certainly not. Soviet Jewish population did not have a better life: **12,000** Byelorussian Jewish shopkeepers were arrested, and in Estonia **20,000** Jews: all of them were considered *spies* and executed before the German invasion of Soviet Union in 1941.
- In 1948, a *pogrom* (massacre) was organized against the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee. Many thousand died, and **430** prominent Jewish leaders were murdered. Many of the Soviet Jewish populations had the same faith as their co-citizens of the Red Empire (Soviet Union), but the statistics referring to the Jews were rare and extremely difficult to access.
- Following WWII, **15 million** people from the newly acquired territories of Ukraine, Byelorussia, Caucasus countries, and the lands taken from Romania were either killed or deported to the Far East regions of Soviet Russia.

Since WWII, many other communist atrocities were committed in Eastern Europe and countries that Communist Russia had tried to expand. Various newspapers, Stockholm Sawblade, and Tribune de Genève have reported the following communist victims:

• Victims of Soviet regime: 1917-1959:	66.700,000
• Soviet regime casualties of 1959-1870:	3.000,000
• Operation Keelhaul (Soviet prisoners of war)	2.000.000
• Germans removed from various parts of Europe to Soviet gulags	2.923,700
• Communist casualties in Eastern Europe	500,000
	Total: 75.123,700

The French Journal, Le Figaro (Nov.18,1978) adds to the above statistics the casualties of Chinese communism: **150 million**.

Please also consider Ovseyenko's summary of casualties of the imposition of the communist regime in Russia:

• Civil war casualties and the famine of 1921:	21.000,000
• Casualties of forced collectivization (nationalization of private farms):	22.000,000
• Stalin's political purges	19.000,000
• Killed during WWII	32.000,000
• Communist repressions, deportations, executions exemplary execution of German sympathizers during and after WWII:	9.000,000
	Total: 103.000,000

The casualties of communist imposition in Russia and Eastern Europe cannot be complete without the crimes in other parts of the world:

• Soviet Union (Ovseyenko's data)	87.000,000
• Imposition of communism in China	64.000,000
• The communization of Eastern Europe	500.000
• Guerilla Warfare in Vietnam	1.850,000
• Land reforms in communist Vietnam	1.100,000
• Communist guerrilla wars in Africa	5.200,000
• Communist guerrilla war and terrorism in Central and South America	300.000
• Communist invasion of Cambodia and Vietnam	2.120.000
• Vietnam's invasion in Laos	200.000
• Communist Russia's invasion of Afghanistan	1.100,000
Total:	163.700,000

For the ordinary American and Western citizens, the above information might not be credible! As decent human beings, most citizens of the world cannot comprehend the reasons and methods used to impose communism on very reluctant population. Yet, it happened. However, you could never read and hear this type of information from most media outlets in the US and Europe. New York Times, Washington Post, CNN, ABC, NBC, MSNBC, Chicago Tribune, Los Angeles Times and many other publications, if they existed at the time, they may never have had any interest to inform you what national socialism or communism has been! Nor do most university professors speak this truth.

Revolutions always have casualties. Most revolutionaries or communist leaders are, to some extent, sick people, with some huge mental disorders. Lenin was one of them. As for Stalin, he along with China's Mao Tze-tung were the biggest terrorists and criminals of the world. Add to this list the leader on North Korea, Kim Jong-un, and many other leaders of socialist/communist states of the world.

Simply put, crazy bullies run our world!

Even some American Democrats will tell you how wonderful socialism is. Equality, fairness, free education, free tuition, free healthcare, etc. etc. Everything is free! No one ever mentions who pays for these promises. Just listen to Senator Bernie Sanders, and you will recognize the fallacy of his rhetoric and promises. He also promises many things. That the rich, and Wall Street Bankers, will be taxed for everything you will receive for free!

Question: after the rich will become poor, because of over taxation, who will pay the bills?

Present day socialists of the world will tell you that the communists did not correctly apply the theories of Karl Marx. *However, they will!* After socialists leaders take over the power they always go through incredible transformations:

Phase 1: at first, they become narcissistic.

Phase 2: the counselors, advisers, the yes-man of the government, praise the leader making him believe that he is the almighty, a capable and intelligent leader.

Phase 3: slowly, but surely, the leader shows some dictatorship tendencies.

Phase 4: dictatorship. Those who oppose the decisions of the dictator pay the price.

Most communist leaders went through these phases. Remember Nicolae Ceausescu of Romania?

Just as a matter of curiosity, have you watched how the North Korean generals and the North Korean people act in the presence of the North Korean leader? Why? This is a two-part answer; first, it is because this is a dictatorship, and the other part is *because they want to live*.

Never believe that what happens in communist Russia, China, Eastern Europe, etc. cannot happen in the US. Unpredictable events can often result in deep political transformations.

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Sidebar: *The world greatest crimes have occurred during the 20th century. The culprits of these incredible human tragedies are on the shoulders of political parties inspired from Marxism, Leninism, Stalinism, and Hitlerism: nazional sozialismus in Nazi Germany and socialists/communists in Communist Russia and other countries of the world.*

The atrocities committed by the Russian communists occurred during and after the Russian Revolution of 1917; their *main desire was to move the boundaries of the Russian empire towards the West and to occupy the Baltic state, Romania, Poland, etc.*

Socialism/Communism has always been imposed by force; never at the ballot box!

Sidebar: *We should never forget that the Russian and Chinese people have paid the ultimate price for communism's experiment. They experienced the largest casualties. The creation of socialist and communist societies was, in fact, only a social experiment.*

While the tragedies committed by the Nazis were constantly exposed through the world media, the crimes perpetrated on the altar of imposing communism are thrown under the carpet. The Nazis are called nationalists, white nationalists, racists, fascists, forgetting to mention that the Russians are also fierce nationalists. Are also blonds. More importantly, the other criminals of the world, the socialists, and communists escape the scrutiny of a free society. They are not culpable of anything. Real angels! Huh! Why?

Is that because socialist/communist ideology is promoted by some segments of the media, in the classrooms of many of our schools and universities, and among the leaders of labor unions?

The Nazis have disappeared in the dense fog of the past. Socialists did not! They are still present on the political scenes of the world promoting *progressive*, anti-capitalist policies! Don't you consider that we had far too many *progressive* policies in the past that have failed? Unfortunately, there are far too many hypocrites in this world!

Sidebar: *While the Nazis have been ostracized at the Nuremberg Trial of 1945-1946, no Nuremberg-like Trial has been organized yet for the crimes committed by the communists! Why not? Is that because the social democrats of the world, including the US Democrats, are ideological comrades of communists?*

Conclusions

- *The attempt to create a Socialist/Communist society has been an experiment for over 100 years. It has never succeeded in any country that has been tried in the whole world.*
- *Communism is a dictatorship. A police state. It could never exist without the terrorist oppression of a KGB-like organization, the military, and the militia.*
- *Communist nomenclature is the real beneficiary of a corrupted and controlled society.*

- *The socialists and communists of the world have invariably committed the atrocities of the 20th century.*
- *Socialism/communism was and still is a social experiment which has failed miserably. In the name of the over 200 million victims of the 20th century, eliminate political ideologies from our lives.*
- *Have you ever seen the media discussing the atrocities and human cost for imposing socialism/communism on the people of Russia, China, Eastern Europe, Africa, and Central America? Why the silence? Why the cover-up? Is this your fraternal mission to attack capitalism but to be silent on the crimes of socialism/communism?*
- *Washington, D.C. is housing The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, and rightfully so. When will Washington D.C also have a Museum for the Red Holocaust, for the atrocities and multi-million crimes committed by the socialists and communists against humanity?*
- *If UN is the organization it pretends to be, to represent the countries and people of the world, it should organize a Nuremberg-like trial for the crimes committed against humanity by the socialist and the communists of the world.*
- *Let the people of the world live in freedom and peace: no more politics!*

Chapter Four: Propaganda and Disinformation: Efficient Methods for Political Manipulation

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The use of propaganda to inform an audience with *biased and misleading information* is not a novelty. By using deceptive techniques to promote faulty information, propaganda has the simple goal of triggering emotional reactions and influence public opinion favorable to its initiator: from a political party to the government of a given country. Since propaganda is a very effective method of manipulating public perception it has become part of many nations' *psychological warfare*.

In antiquity, the Persians and Romans were among the first nations to employ propaganda techniques with the goal of increasing the morale of their troops and destabilize the morale of their enemies. As such, rumors were spread in places where the Romans intended to invade. At the end of the 19th and during the 20th century, several nations including Britain, Russia, and Germany, have become masters of an efficient propaganda machine.

By using the printed media, leaflets, or radio transmissions, Russian communists were extremely effective in influencing public opinion. In fact, Vladimir Lenin, the leader of the communist revolution of 1917, said that “*Ideas are weapons.*” Examples: *our victory is certain, the enemy's atrocities against civilians are unheard of, the enemy is starving civilians, etc.*

To increase the efficiency of his propaganda machine, Vladimir Lenin created the department of *agitatsiya i propaganda* (agitation and propaganda) for the goal of creating excitement among their own revolutionaries and anxiety amongst their enemies. Later, the Soviet Union (communist Russia) enlarged their propaganda machine by using slogans, like: ***a reporter is a political propagandist. Or: journalists are paid ideologues.*** Obviously, propaganda was an important element of controlling and influencing public opinion.

After World War I (WWI), the Germans methodically analyzed the types of propaganda methods the British government used in its colonies. A similar study investigated the methods employed by the Russian communists to influence their own people during and after the revolution of 1917. As such, the Germans created a special department in its government called *Public Enlightenment and Propaganda Department*. After 1933, Hitler elevated this department to the level of *Ministry of Propaganda* led by Joseph Goebbels during 1933-1945.

In the latter part of 1930's Nazi Germany used its effective propaganda to create a *casus belli*, a reason for a war, and to attack Poland in 1939. A similar action was also created by German propaganda to demonstrate Germany's needs for more land: **Lebensraum**, living space, space to settle Germany's overpopulation.

During WWII, the US also used its propaganda machine against Adolph Hitler, the German leader. German atrocities during WWII were propagated to influence public opinion to change its neutral stance to enter the war against Germany. Even the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, was used to demonstrate the needs of US to declare war against the Berlin-Tokyo Axis. *Just a side comment:* the US had the information regarding the planned attack of the Japanese airplanes at Pearl Harbor. However, US did not take any defense strategy for the planned attack for the simple reason that the US needed a *casus belli* against Japan. Pearl Harbor became the reason for the US to declare war against Japan.

The Case of Russian Communist Propaganda Machine

A short presentation of propaganda against the communist regime in Russia had the goal of exemplifying how efficient propaganda could be. Propaganda machines have been used to develop new patriotic impulses with slogans such as *Soviet heroic people, wise communist leaders, economic success, American imperialism is sabotaging our great efforts, etc.* while the reality was exactly opposite. Socialism and communism have miserably failed throughout the world. Shortages of all kinds and concentration camps (gulags) were utilized for domestic repression and physical elimination of their enemies. Shortages of all kind, including creating hunger, have been a part of everyday life in a communist society. A Romanian joke reflects quite nicely on the reality of socialism/communism failures:

Question: is it possible to create a communist society in the Sahara Desert?

Answer: yes, but soon you will have a shortage of sand!

To best understand the methods employed by the Russian communist propaganda machine used to mislead and confuse Western societies; a few examples are offered below:

- When Russia has taken territories from Romania, Japan, Baltic States, etc. it was called: *reunion with motherland*
- **Semantics:** Since 1960's Russian Communist leadership has launched via the political market specific, misleading semantics regarding *socialist* and *communist forces* of the world. They were called: **progressive forces**. How about a reversed semantics? Why don't we call the progressive forces, the Democratic Party of US, **socialists**, because their ideology is socialist, at times even communist. The **progressives do not have anything that resembles progress. They are socialists/communists! A primitive ideology** that has created so much destruction in the world and millions of people dead.

Sidebar: Please note that the US media also calls the Democrats progressive! Coincidence?

To call the Democrats liberals is completely wrong since in Canada and Europe there are liberal parties, with a centrist ideology. The US Democrats are far from being centrist forces. Western societies, on the other hand, are labeled: regressive forces, capitalist reactionary, racists, or fascist.

At the same time, many of the anti-Trump demonstrators label President Trump and the Republicans as racists, fascists! What a coincidence!

- When communist Russia has penetrated into the Central American countries of El Salvador, Nicaragua (the 1980's) and Venezuela in South America, the Russian communists have

- immediately started to counterattack ... an eventual US reaction, to intimidate the Americans: *US out of Central America* or *Stop American intervention in Central America*.
- Zionism is equated with racism! On November 10, 1975, the progressive UN voted with 72 for, and 35 against that Zionism is a form of racism and social discrimination.
- Peace movements and many pro-socialism/communism sympathizers in the US and the world use this Russian-inspired anti-nuclear/nuclear disarmament symbol (Figure 4.1) as anti-West propaganda. However, this symbol is directed only against the nuclear weapons stocked in the US! Russia is not attacked in the same way although it has more nuclear weapons stocked in their silos.



Figure 4.1. British artist Gerald Holtom has created the nuclear disarmament symbol and displayed in most anti-US/Western demonstration. Same symbol has never be used against Russia!

- Russian media and the film industry were transformed into a propaganda machine to mislead the West: *communism is the most successful political system; Russian people are the real heroes of the world; Stalin is our real and caring father*.
- Examples of slogans used by Russia during the cold war: *better red than dead!* In other words, you should submit yourself to our power, embrace communism, and you will be safe. Do not fight us! Join us!

As you can see, propaganda and fake news are not recent discoveries. They were started by Socialist regimes and are still used by some segments of the US and world media.

Propaganda Techniques Used to Manipulate Public Opinion

Since the range of propaganda techniques is vast, we will share with you only a selected few:

- *Semantics* also called the **power of words**, is a vehicle of Russian propaganda used in political warfare. Before WWII and during the cold war with the West, the Russians used a great deal of their wealth to arm themselves. However, the more the Russians increased their military readiness, the more they have bombarded the West with their *peaceful intentions*. The Russian leaders were constantly talking about peace, but behind this misleading propaganda, they developed the largest military machine with thousands of tanks, airplanes, and other weaponry. There is no morality in the race for geopolitical domination. Russian morality is just one: *whatever can be used to advance communism is moral!*

- *Spinning or double talk* is used to mislead public opinion. Whatever was negative in the Russian society it was converted into a rosy color by their spin doctors. Lying did not have any limits whatsoever. Just try to accomplish your political goals.
- *Lying by omission*. For best effects of political propaganda, facts about the failure of socialism/communism or the political flaws of the US Democrats are omitted from the political discourse or the media
- *Internet bot, or web robots*, is software that promotes different pro-Russian or anti-US information. During political campaigns, a candidate transmits a message. The Russians take the message of their preferred candidate and retransmits it thousands of times to improve the image of the chosen candidate. Often the message is doctored to meet the goal.
- *Trolling* is a transmission of a sarcastic or cynical message to deceive the audience. The victim of trolling believes the message or considers it to be outrageous, especially if swearing, or if name-calling or personal attacks are used. For increased effectiveness, trolling does not use human subjects to deliver a message, but rather they use dolls, ingenious dolls, dwarfs, cave dweller, etc. The public seems to easier accept a malicious message delivered by toys rather than human subjects.
- Use *common media* messages, news, foreign reports, books, leaflets, social media or even junk science, spots, talk shows, just to disseminate misleading messages, to achieve the goal of indoctrinating the audience.
- Repeat misleading slogans enough times to be taken as truth (i.e., *the Republicans represents the interests of the rich*)
- Use *fear*, demonizing the opposition to instill anxiety/panic in the audience.
- *Selective truth* and *demonization* or *false accusations* of the enemy who supports an opposite political view than yours.
- *Disinformation* is used to create false reports of events, public records, and forgeries to transform a *wrong* into a *right*.
- *Labeling* is the very effective method used by propaganda machines to increase or decrease specific qualities of a political opponent, to ridicule, discredit or defame, an adversary/political

opponent/enemy. Stereotyping is often used to refer to characteristics of an adversary intended to incite fear and prejudices, where race, gender, religious or nationality are used (*fat, bigot, ignorant, etc.*).

- *Half-truths* are mixed up into correct information to mislead public opinion. TV spots, public discourse, and advertisements are the preferred medium.
- *Euphoria* is a simple method used to create a state of happiness, feeling good before elections or important political decision. Often, public figures, actors are used in TV spots to induce a positive moral of winning.
- *Quotes out of context* are often used in written material, newspaper articles, political materials, and leaflets, with the purpose of changing the meaning and political viewpoints. Everything is used to defame somebody: from name calling to lying, from demonization to value words such as hope, happiness, freedom, warmonger, etc.

Putin's Use of the Propaganda Machine

Although Soviet Russia imploded in 1991, its propaganda machine has remained alive and well. For President Vladimir Putin, the implosion of Soviet Union was a tragedy! In fact, he has mentioned, in 2005, that *the greatest geopolitical catastrophe of the 20th Century was the destruction of the Soviet Union in 1991!*

President Putin is a product of the political system of the Soviet Union, former Communist Russia, and its secret police (KGB), and acts like one. Members of the KGB, maintain the same propaganda strategies as during the Soviet past. With one difference though. Putin's Russia is using superior, modern electronic methods such as cybersecurity, hacking, but also *soft power media*. *Russia Today* media network (lately has been changed into RT), an English channel of news aired from Russia, and Sputnik News, an internet multimedia center. They are used to improve Russia's image around the world and counter Western media bias against Russia. Just in 2014, the budget for Russia Today was \$ 300 million. Some of the programs presented by these two media outlets use slogans such as *racist America, homeless America, imminent dissolution of US, US imperialism*, but also what may be called *Putinism*: to create a positive image and build a personality cult for Vladimir Putin.

For many decades the Russian propaganda machine used to *recruit* groups and agents of propaganda in the US and Western Europe. Targeted audiences are:

- Artists, teachers, leaders of trade unions who, for many decades, were leftists/semi-socialist, with a socialistic chip on their shoulders.
- Idealistic intellectuals, humanists sympathetic to the concept of egalitarianism that is present in the communism vocabulary, but it has never been applied in any socialist/communist regimes.
- University professors from the departments of philosophy, humanities, philosophy, social sciences, and political sciences where you can often find a variety of Marxist philosophers. Not surprising these types of individuals are intoxicating the young minds of the American youth with failed communist ideology.
- Anti-republicans, anti-capitalists of all kinds, emancipated Wall Street leftist elite.
- Guilty-feeling super-rich, such as managers from leading US, German, UK companies, etc.

- Anti-rich and frustrated political kakistocrats (frustrated midgets working for the government).
- Frustrated reporters or socialist-minded agents in the media that constantly produce fake news or socialist.
- Leftist lawyers, such as American Civil Liberty Union (ACLU)
- Sensitive women, impressed with the egalitarian mambo-jumbo of Western or US Democrats.
This explains why the Democrats are so hot with women issues.
- Gays, lesbians, and people with drinking problems

Russia's Propaganda has Adapted to the New Age of High Tech

For the past 15 years, especially after the Russian incorporation of Crimea in 2014, the Russian propaganda has used the current technologies of the world: internet, social media, and have drastically extended the arrays of TV channels they had before. Paul and Matthews (2016) call it “the firehose of falsehood,” since the messages sent by the Russian propaganda machine is shameless, outright fictitious, confuse and overwhelm the audience. These two authors have identified the following features that make Russia's Propaganda so effective:

1. *Russian propaganda is high volume and multichannel*, includes text, video, still imagery through the internet, social media, TV, and radio. It uses multi-sources and is very persuasive. Using high volume information attracts the attention of the audience, can overwhelm it simply because you can find same misleading information on many other media sources, giving a sense of credibility
2. *Russian propaganda is rapid, continuous and repetitive*. Since the Russians do not take the time to verify the sources they use, the information can be placed on the Russian media very quickly. The same misleading messages are repeated and recycled. For instance: *European Union (EU) plans to deny entry visas to young Ukrainian men!* What they intend is to mislead the Ukrainians to believe they are not respected and needed in EU.
However, being the first information posted in the media, gives the Russians the advantage of the *first impression*, often a psychological advantage. Since the first impression is very resilient people can be influenced by it when exposed to conflicting information. *Repetitiveness*, on the other hand, leads to familiarity and, ultimately, being accepted. For instance, if a lie is repeated several times, it becomes familiar and, then, easy to accept it since you have heard it before.
3. *Russian propaganda does not commit to objective reality*. In the world of Russian propaganda truth is a term that does not concern them, to them, it hardly exists. On the contrary, they want to mislead and confuse their audience. Paul and Matthews (2016) offer this example from the United States: In 2014, the Russian Propagandists sent this message: *an explosion and chemical plume has occurred at a chemical factory in St. Mary's Parish in Louisiana*. Certainly, this never happened but, the misleading information created a panic in St. Mary's Parish for few days.
Another example provided by Paul and Matthews (2016) refers to fake news aired by RT (formerly Russia Today) that a chemical attack on August 21, 2013, was carried out by the Syrian rebels (meaning the pro-American Syrian fighters). The truth was that the attack was organized by the pro-Russian regime, the Syrian Government.

4. *Russian propaganda does not commit to any consistency* nor do they ever mention the truth. Many of the Russian propaganda mediums, from social media to internet, can be very flexible, can quickly change an inefficient message to another one, by using multiple sources. For instance, before the Russians invaded Crimea, some Western media sources referred to *little green men* that have been seen in the area as being Russians. The Russian government's first reaction was to deny the news. However, later, Mr. Putin admitted that they were, in fact, Russian soldiers.
Fake news emitted by the Russian propaganda and misinformation machine are constantly invading the media. For instance, in January 2017, fake Russian news has claimed that extremist Islamists (ISIS fighters) were training in Southern Ukraine. In reality, that never happened, but they intended to compromise Ukraine as a friend of the West. This has managed to confuse some people.
5. *Russian propaganda and disinformation are very flexible: it appears and disappears from the internet very rapidly.* Take for instance the new attacks on Romania in the Summer of 2017. The preferred topic used to try to mislead the Romanian audience was George Soros and the NATO alliance. In the first case, the subject is Mr. Soros' negative influence in the Romanian media and some non-governmental organizations. In the second case, the Russians spread misleading statements regarding Romania's loyalty to NATO. As such, the Russian propaganda claims that in the case of a war Russia's immediate target is Romania! That Romania will be rapidly destroyed. At the same time, the Russian disinformation and propaganda machine claimed that NATO could not defend Romania simply because Russia is superior militarily to NATO's potential to defend Romania. Therefore, Romania should quit the inefficient NATO Alliance.

How Does the Socialist Propaganda Penetrate the US Education System?

In the US there is a specific slogan that explains why Washington, D.C. is called *establishment*:

Go to Harvard, turn left, and then work for the government!

Now you know why the population of Washington, D.C. area rarely voting for the Republicans. The leftist indoctrination of university students is a cyclic event. The indoctrination process starts with high school students, or even with elementary level students. At the university level the indoctrination continued by leftist professors with socialist ideology and propaganda.

NOTE: if a project selected by a student does not match the ideology of a professor the mark will be very low or even a failing mark.

Leftist candidates for a teaching profession in a university have a higher chance of success or promotion. Why? There are many journals in the areas of humanities, social sciences, political science, philosophy, where leftist subjects/research papers are published. No publications ... no professorial promotion!

Do the leftist professors and students know:

- How socialism and communist societies work?
- The standard of living in socialist countries?

- If the citizens of former Soviet Russia, Eastern European countries, Cuba, Venezuela, North Korea, and even in former communist China have any political or economic freedom?
- In the Soviet Union, except for the military and communist nomenclature (the communist elite), the economy and standard of living is like that of a third-world country
- Most of the technology from Communist Russia is either stolen or purchased from the capitalists they hate.
- Luxury goods for the elite are imported from the... hated West!
- Despite promoting communism and socialism in many parts of the world for the past 100 years, socialism/communism has never succeeded anywhere!
- Invariably, socialist/communist societies have been established by force. ***Never at the ballot box!***

Therefore, we can legitimately ask: on what grounds do the socialist/leftist propagandists/university professors in the US, or Western Europe promotes socialist/communist ideologies?

Did they ask themselves why the former socialist/communist countries of Eastern Europe used the revolutions of 1989 to abdicate socialism for the capitalistic economic/political system? Even government controlled Russia and communist China have accepted important reforms to eliminate the failing communist economy for the more effective capitalist system. Similarly, some timid changes have occurred regarding political freedom. However, Cuba and Venezuela have neither?

In the not so long past, teachers, professors did not take any political position in their classrooms. Party politics were not discussed. Nowadays, however, leftist professors/teachers do? Despite the discredited and failed socialistic system, some US teachers/professors are still promoting socialism!

Maybe is time to remind the readers of one of the most popular sayings of Winston Churchill, Prime Minister of UK during WWII:

“Capitalism is the worst economic system, except for all the others that have been tried.”

Conclusions:

- **Socialism and communism have never succeeded in any country where they have been tried. They have never succeeded at the ballot box. Why?**
- **Political propaganda is a very efficient method used to penetrate the US education system.**
- **Naïve university professors and high school teachers are useful dreamers in the socialist propaganda machine.**
- ***Just society*: the new propaganda term used by the *left* in its struggle against the *right*. Take the wealth created by those who work and give it to those who did not work and does not want to work.**
- **The propaganda machine is a useful method to misinform and mislead naïve citizens of US and Western countries**
- **Familiar themes can appeal to some individuals even when they are false or fake news. People are poor judges of fake news, misinformation, and propaganda**
- **The appearance of objectivity, often used by the Russian propaganda machine, can increase the credibility of a source of information.**

Chapter Five: Direct Democracy

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Throughout human history, people have attempted to improve their lives and to establish good laws that have guided the society they have lived in. The main concern of the people is the *economy*, the standard of living and wellbeing of the family, as well as the *security* of the country and community; often the laws impacted these civic desires and the guidelines the leaders of the community had created.

The origins of *Direct Democracy* was found in Greek antiquity, specifically in Athens, the capital city, when during Socrates's time (470-399 BC) the laws of the society were voted *directly* by the citizens of the community. The proposed laws were explained to the people and, after some discussions, citizens voted if they approved or did not approve of the proposed laws.

Sidebar. Socrates: *"I know that I am intelligent because I know that I know nothing"*

Democracy: A Historical Perspective

For more than 2500 years the laws of the society have evolved dramatically, with ups and downs, which have directly affected the citizens of a community or country. A colloquial summary of these evolutions and forms of democracies are briefly presented below:

- 500 BC-400 AD might best be called the *Idealism of democracy*, or from the time of Socrates and Solon (640-558 BC), both highly respected Athenian philosophers and political leader, through the decline of the Roman Empire.
- 400-1500 AD might best be called the *Dark Ages of democracy*, or the *intellectual darkness*, referring mostly to the Middle Ages. Religion was so dominant in Europe at that time that intellectual activities, including the philosophical discussions regarding democracy, succumbed to the power of the Church. These were the ages of *social regression*. While the king's prerogatives referred mostly to the politics and ethics of different activities in the country, the church made most decisions on the civility and morality of the society.
- Middle Ages, however, saw the appearance of *archaic democracy* when people instituted assemblies of the electorate when major political issues were discussed and decided. The Magna Carta Libertatum, signed in 1215, was the first charter that established principles that everybody, including King John of England and the lords, became subject to the same law. At the same time,

some principles of democracy were practiced in the Old Swiss Confederation of small states (cantons). This was the time when a Federal Charter, written in 1291, was approved to guide the interstitial relationships.

- 1600-1900 AD, or the *Age of logic and reason* of early modern times, the ages of *Enlightenment*, when the human spirit, creationism, romanticism, and humanities evolved to a level not imagined during the Dark Ages.
- 1600-1914 AD, was the *Years of colonialism* when little could be said about the adherence to the laws of democracy.
- 1800's AD can be called the *Years of Victorian stoicism*, when patriotism, pride, and dignity were important attributes of civic behavior.
- 1930's AD. The *Stoicism of the Middle Ages* and the years of Queen Victoria has been pulverized by the Nazism and Communism, when the *will of the two dictators*, Hitler in Nazi Germany, and Stalin, in Communist Russia, became the *law of the land*.
- 1917-1991 AD, were the *Years of Russian Communist Revolution*, the imposition of *socialist dictatorship* in both Nazi Germany and Communist Russia. The years of 1989-1991 also represents the beginning of communism involution in Eastern Europe and Russia.
- The post-2000's AD has become the *era of total politics, globalism*, religious wars and *leftist aggression*, where everything goes! Politics became overwhelming, intoxicating aspects of our life. Everything is so political in the society that the message coming from some political parties and segments of the media is so vitriolic that most people are supersaturated by manipulations, abuse, and constant conflict.

Far too often decency and minimum respect have disappeared in a thick fog of impertinence. People are so divided politically that hatred is the order of the day. The instability in the society is far from being conducive to decent relationships, and economic stimulation. **Even the truth is either the truth of the left or the truth of the right.** There is no real truth anymore. Everything is colored either blue or red. To listen to the news channels of some segments of the media is sickening. Is not tolerable anymore! Lies, lies, and political spinning.

While in North America, Europe, and Eastern Asia there is some degree of stability, in Africa and the Middle East there are wars. Tragedies with millions of innocent people dying on the altar of a leftist and religious aggressiveness. It is a grave situation.

Stop it! We must stop this political madness!

We, the world's citizens, must start anew Or else. Parliamentary democracy has failed us miserably: far too corrupted and at the mercy of politicians.

We must find another political system, decent, democratic and fair. And this is called Direct Democracy.

What is next? What is the Alternative to Parliamentary Democracy?

In the past 150 years, many countries of the world have tried various political systems. Monarchy has been opposed in several countries simply because it was an *old fashion* system. Often, however, the big egos of politicians wanted the power for themselves. Not for the kings and queens. *Socialism and communism* were miserable failures. Far too many people have been sacrificed on the altar of political fighting for freedom rather than accepting the socialistic and communistic egalitarianism. To call these systems democratic could be a political and moral heresy. It was good for the communist thieves, but it was a miserable political system for 99% of the people. People never had any social, economic, or individual freedom.

Even now, as I write this book, the Venezuelan people are dying on the streets of Caracas. They have opened their chests, with pride and dignity, to the bullets of the secret police, the defenders of a communist dictatorship of President Nicolas Maduro. Many have died in their struggle for freedom and democracy.

Parliamentary democracy is the political system used by many countries around the world. It worked for many years, but after WWII the system became far too corrupted. Professional politicians took the place of *representatives of the people*. Many politicians are concerned for their wellbeing but not for the wellbeing of those they supposed to represent. The US Constitution is an excellent document, but there are too many politicians who are in it for themselves. Not for the people who they suppose to represent.

Question: *How many poor politicians do you know?*

Parliamentary Democracy has become a semi-swamp system. It is a corrupt and corruptible political system. The political establishment, lobbyist groups, and professional politicians are often involved in political manipulations for the interests of some bigwigs and even foreign interests. The sterile activities of the US Congress and Senate are quite unpopular. Only 20 % of the Americans approve the activities of their professional politicians (Gallup, July 5-9, 2017). People feel that the professional politicians do not represent their interests anymore.

Sidebar: *Professional politicians dictate the state of the US political affairs! Yet, the US constitution does not refer at all to political parties or political ideologies. Democracy has never been equated to political parties and their ideologies. On the contrary, the US Constitution specifies only that citizens elect their representatives. The representatives of the people! Why the US citizens have accepted the take over of the affairs of the union by the professional politicians? It is time to take back the political power in the hands of the people. Accept Direct Democracy*

After so much political commotions and experiments, it is time to try something new: ***Direct Democracy***.

Direct Democracy, often-called ***pure democracy***, is not a well-known political system where people, *directly* vote to approve/disapprove a law or a change in the constitution by directly vote in a *referendum*. Even if the parliament proposes a change in the law, *the people have the final vote*. They decide if the new law will be approved or not, irrespective of what their representatives propose. ***The result of a referendum is the law of the land!***

Direct Democracy is the opposite to Parliamentary Democracy (or representative democracy). In a parliamentary democracy, only the representatives of the people (i.e., US Congress) can make decisions to change or alter a law.

Direct Democracy gives this right to the people to make changes they feel necessary.

Direct Democracy: The Swiss Model

Although Switzerland has several political parties and a parliament (Legislative Branch), any decisions made by the Parliament can be vetoed by the people! How does it work?

In Switzerland, there are some distinctive elements characteristic for Direct Democracy. Any changes in the laws of the land must be done in several steps:

1. *Prepare a draft* by experts in the Swiss Constitution. If the people desire to make some changes in their laws, they appeal to the experts in that specific area to make a draft.
2. *The draft is presented to a large community* of people for formal reaction. In fact, this is a kind of polling of the reaction the people will have to the new initiative.
3. *The result of the polling* is forwarded to a *Parliamentary Commission to debate* the validity of the people's initiative.
4. A *referendum* is called to vote on the initiative only if there are 50.000 signatures of the people. In other words, one cannot call a referendum if there is no public support. If the initiative has merit, there will also be public support. In this case, the referendum will be called in 3 months.
5. The results of the referendum will be obligatory for the Parliament to approve and implement.

The last two referendums in Switzerland were called for:

- September 30, 2016. Subject: whether to allow the naturalization of third generation immigrants: Approved.
- June 17, 2016. Subject: overhaul the corporate tax code to attract foreign investors: Rejected

Direct Democracy represents a major reason why Switzerland is a very tranquil and successful country!

In a *Direct Democracy*, people have a large opportunity to make best decisions for the country, state, or community. A referendum represents the maximum opportunity for peoples' self-determination. People directly decide what they feel is best for their family, community, and country.

Who loses and who wins from the application of Direct Democracy?

Losers: If the citizens of US, Canada, Germany, France, demand Direct Democracy, the first individuals to oppose this political system will be the *professional politicians, lobbyists, and organizations* that thrive from the swamp set up by the corrupt political system of Parliamentary Democracy. They will lose all the *benefits* coming from the present system, *visibility, power of decision, and narcissism, plus all those big paychecks from the lobbies like Big Pharma, Tobacco, Alcohol, etc.* Professional politicians will be the great losers.

Winners: The people, the individuals who go to work every day, those who produce the goods necessary for the society in which they live in. Therefore, the people who *create the wealth* of the nation must also *decide* the laws and rules of the society.

Advantages and Disadvantages of Direct Democracy

A selected example of the advantages and disadvantages of *Direct Democracy* and are exemplified below:

Advantages:

- ***De-politicization of the society.*** Delete the state affairs and government politics from the strong grip of professional and corrupted politicians, lobbyists and special interest groups, and political action committees.

- Eliminate the sterile and toxic ideology of political parties that divide the country.
- Select effective *managers* to lead the community and country. A country does not need professional politicians, but instead good managers and administrators. Professional politicians are far from being the best at anything, let alone managing the interest of citizens and residents.
- Collective decisions may exceed the intelligence of any individual member (Thomas L. Friedman)
- People will finally have the control of their lives and laws of the country via referenda.
- The government will be more transparent than ever.
- Increases government accountability.
- People will have the opportunity to initiate the necessary changes in their society.
- Encourages people to be better informed on the main issues of their country, to participate directly in civic cooperation and political activities.
- Eliminates political corruption.
- Chances for direct and quicker changes in the laws and regulations of a community, state and country.
- Simplifies the structure of the country's political system.
- Simplifies voting methods: use electronics for direct voting.
- Involve minorities in the community for improved equality and opportunities.

Disadvantages:

- Demagogic politicians might influence the emotions of voters. With this, the vote will be more emotional rather than logical.
- Ignorance of some people regarding civic and legislative knowledge may influence the result of the referendum.
- Voters' lack of information might impact the results of a referendum.
- Incompetence in electronic voting methodology.
- Minorities might not fully participate or get informed themselves regarding Direct Democracy and direct participation in the affairs of the community.
- Low turnouts. The legitimacy of a decision can be affected by low turnout. **Solution:** impose, say, 51% participation in referenda. Repeat the decision for as long as necessary to meet this requirement.

The Experience of East Europeans with Parliamentary Democracy

The Swiss model of Direct Democracy has been timidly considered in other countries, such as Uruguay and Lichtenstein. At the same time, a few countries from European Union have been flirting with the same political concept, but the negative reaction of the professional politicians in power has evaporated any attempts to make it a reality. *Direct Democracy* is impossible to achieve if people are at the mercy of professional politicians, lobbyists, and interest groups.

For the past 20-30 years, democracy has failed in many countries. After the implosion of Communist Russia (1991), and the *velvet revolution* in the East European nations (1989), a revolution manipulated by outside forces, democracy has occurred in various forms of originality.

In *Russia*, there exists a ***controlled democracy***, a democracy *dictated and controlled* by and for the former KGB agents, with Vladimir Putin at the helm as the president of the Russian Federation. From the leadership of the government to the *Duma*, the parliament, everything is controlled, initiated and decided by the agents of the secret service. Mr. Putin and his associates make all the decisions, from all economics to the political issues as well. They dictate what the Russian army needs for defense, how much natural gas is to be exported to Europe, how much food can be imported, and the relationships with China, India, the US and European Union.

Most of the Russian economy is in the hands of the ***oligarchs***. After the implosion of Soviet Union, (Communist Russia), a new class of businessperson and entrepreneurs has controlled the wealth of the country. Privatization of the communist economy has created a new class of rich individuals (oligarchs) who work together with the political leadership of the country. The relationship is very efficient. Nothing moves in the Russian Federation without the approval of the political class and the oligarchs. In the economic field, the oligarchs implement the decisions made by the politicians. Russian economy depends almost entirely on its mining industry, defense, and energy sectors, with a modest agricultural industry. Being an oil-dependent nation, Russia's wellbeing is fluctuating according to the price fluctuations of energy products.

Corruption and *regionalization* are two major internal problems: Russia is a very corrupted nation where foreign investors are at the mercy of the bureaucrats. If you want the approval of an economic project, you must be very...attentive. Very attentive. At the same time, there is a strong underground conflict between Moscow and different regions, especially those of the East (the Siberian region). Since a large part of the Russian wealth comes from the energy sector, the energy wealth comes from the Eastern regions. For some time, now, the regions want their share of the wealth. They started to oppose that everything the regions produce goes to Moscow, to oligarchs, and politicians. An eventual economic crisis may bring to the surface the frustrations of the Eastern region. This frustration might even take the form of *self-determination*.

Russia also has political parties and elections, local and national elections. The opposition to Mr. Putin's power is a very risky game. The winner in all elections are known even before the dates of the election are decided. Not much more needs to be said.

Some countries of *Eastern Europe* have an original type of democracy: ***pervverted democracy***. Not being far away from Russia and its type of democracy, some Eastern European politicians have learned to apply similar methods: political corruption and manipulation, where the party in power grossly corrupts the electorate with gifts, different goods, and even money. The people in the countryside are the most vulnerable, often voting for the most vocal political party, or being influenced by the local mayor. So much for democracy!

The rules of democracy are adjusted according to the interests of the political party in power, or as per the pleasure of local politicians. The media is similar but not worse than in the US. Some political parties own TV channels, radio stations, and print media. Knowing this, you can quite accurately predict what you may hear or listen to on a TV station. In the US the media seem to be a political extension of the Democratic Party, or that the Democrats own the media.

We need a great deal of imagination to call Parliamentary Democracy a fair political system!

Iceland's Revolution

Have you ever heard about the revolution they had in Iceland after the financial crisis of 2008-2009? I do not think many have. The American media did not report almost anything about the brave and patriotic people of Iceland. Those who pull the strings in the US did not want you to know that those who are guilty of the national crisis had to pay the price for their negligence, misjudgment, and manipulation of events and news. It is said that *information is power*! However, you were not informed, and as such you do not have power.

In 2008-2009 a financial crash occurred! The banking system, mismanaged and abused by the half-flying financiers, resulted in a ready to explode bubble. What could be predicted, happened in 2008. The bubble exploded. People lost their savings while the financiers and government elite were involved in off-shore investment companies with money deposited in Panama, and extensive corruption. Also, leftist political parties failed in their political attributes, to scrutinize Iceland's banking system, and to engage in the early signs of the financial crisis.

Popular sentiments against banks, politicians, political parties and the politics of the establishment erupted. The coalition that had managed the government was forced to resign. The same fate befell the leaders of the banks.

People's power went into action. A referendum was organized by early 2010, and as a result, the Bank of Iceland was nationalized, 90 bank executives were brought to justice, arrested, and made responsible for the corruption and financial crisis. Criminal charges were brought against 200 former executives of the top three banks.

One important note: Throughout the months of the financial and political crisis, all the people behaved with exemplary civility. No violence was noted. No obscene demonstrations resembling those of the US *left*. Only peaceful and civilized demonstrations. Several key companies were privatized.

The recent state of affairs in Iceland:

- **lawmaking is more transparent**
- **corruption and nepotism have ended**
- **the monopoly of lobbyists has also ended**
- **maximum time for elected officials: 8 years**
- **a rewrite of the constitution for the people**
- **Direct Democracy was the best tool to restrain power and corruption**
- **The economy has been visibly improved**

Now you know why the media was silent regarding the Icelandic revolution and reforms!

Eradicate the Malady of Political Ideologies

Political parties are the messengers of ideologies. They created ideologies and profited from them. Regretfully, many citizens of socialist/communist societies have paid the *ultimate price* for trusting or accepting the dominance (sometimes dictatorship) of politicians and their ideologies, especially of the *intolerant left*. After so many world catastrophes, tragedies resulted from the clash between ideologies, between the *left* and the *right*. You are at the point of making an important decision:

- Do you want politicians to make decisions for yourself and your country? Or
- Do you believe in the needs to *liberate people, the society, from the grip of politicians and their ideologies?*
- What do you want: *freedom or be controlled by the government?*

Total liberation from ideologies and politicians is possible by applying the following steps:

1. ***Eradicate political parties.*** To eliminate the malady of political ideologies first, we must eradicate political parties. Without political parties, life will be much simpler, without the stress from politicians and their ideologies. We do not have to continually listen to the empty rhetoric, the fallacy of ideologies, and sterile political discourse. Instead, people will concentrate more time on their families, education of their children and spend time enjoying life, pets, and the beauty of nature.

The eradication of political parties also means the ***elimination of professional politicians***. Nowadays most politicians are *professional politicians*. As soon as they win an election, their concern is what to do to be re-elected next time around. Professional politicians have learned to deliver a political speech that satisfies you, the electorate. And, they really stick to their speech. However, as soon as the politician goes to the Congress or other administration posts, they do what their political party dictates. Politicians are not free to make major decisions. They must follow the political covenant of the party. This is the price they pay for participation in a political party. However, politicians have also learned that without belonging to a political party a politician does not have an identity! After the election, politicians do not feel obliged to do what the voters have voted for.

Huge amounts of money are spent on politicians and spin-doctors. The money would best be spent on other needs of the community: hospitals, education, infrastructure, the environment, and to make your community beautiful. ***Let us liberate ourselves from politicians!***

However, the first individuals who will oppose the ideas of eradicating political parties and professional politicians will be... the politicians. They are the real losers: those who will lose all the benefits professional politicians possess: importance, money, visibility, fame, and narcissism.

Sidebar: *We do not need political parties and politicians with empty rhetoric. On the contrary, we need efficient managers!*

2. ***Eradicate political ideologies.*** Most people are very practical and efficient. They want practical results from their work for personal or community benefit. People spend so much time trying to analyze what politician's and their ideology means and why they are always changing their political stance. They especially wonder how, what the politician is saying, could impact their lives and their family's happiness. Most people are shrewd. They can see through the fog of rhetoric, what it means and what it truly hides. Eradication of ideologies also means simplification of our lives.

Often, ideologies are empty concepts with no substance. Ideologies divide people. Ideologies are the vitriol in our lives, the toxic concepts that make some people hate others. Is this the *role of ideologies and politicians? It seems that way.*

The peoples of the world have paid an incredible price for accepting, adhering to, and promoting extreme ideologies. Everything in the name of an empty bag of worthless ideas, intended to satisfy the vanity and

narcissism of some narcissistic leader. Millions of people have died: mass executions, mass-murders, death camps, mass starvations, etc. Did we learn anything from the tragedies of the 20th century? Looking at what is happening in US, Middle East, Venezuela, North Korea, etc. the answer is a big **NOTHING!**

Do we want to continue to accept ideologies? Political parties only lead us to misery and division? We may, once again, witness a devastating war? Instead, let us rid our world of political ideologies!

Sidebar: *The eradication of ideologies and political parties will liberate the world from the tyranny of politics and misery of ideologies!*

3. **Demand Direct Democracy.** If people will denounce political parties and the vitriolic political ideologies:

- Our lives will be simplified. *Simple is beautiful!* The aggressiveness of political parties and politicians will be eliminated. Our concerns will be directed to the family, social satisfaction, and practical activities. Make your life happier. Enjoy the beauty of nature, animals, and birds (and bees.)
- The atmosphere in our society will be relaxed, stress-free, with more satisfaction.
- You will have more time for social events and fitness activities, and the TV programs will not bombard you with lies and sterile commentaries about ideologies. More time will be spent on your hobbies.
- TV will become more professional and concentrated on novelties in new technologies, arts, literature, sciences, and music.
- You will really enjoy your life without politics!

4. **Organize a National Referendum to Vote to Accept Direct Democracy.** A simple majority in a referendum will suffice to demand the President of the US and other countries to implement the peoples' decision: *the implementation of Direct Democracy.*

5. **De-ideologization** must be the policy of the next leaders of the country: to eliminate everything that has divided the country in the past, such as *political parties, ideologies of political parties, political organizations, and ONG (organizations non-governmental) with a political leaning.*

Check and Balances in Direct Democracy

The Swiss model of Direct Democracy should be viewed just as the first step in the right direction. The rest should be to revamp the government and how its administrative power will be divided in the new political system.

In the Swiss society, political ideology is not as degrading as in the US and many other countries. Nor does it have such extremist political views as some of the American media and academia. Probably because the Swiss capital, Bern, is not Washington, D.C. with so many lobbyists, political manipulators, strategists and political profiteers. One may wonder what might happen to all these experts of sterile discourse if **Direct Democracy replaces Parliamentary Democracy**. Probably the number of unemployed people will increase with several thousand political experts becoming unemployed. *However, do not worry about them. Their pockets are already full!*

The implementation of Direct Democracy will also alter the message from the media, becoming more practical and informative with the events of the world. Unlike the US, the Swiss media is not a direct vehicle of the political ideology of any given political party. The Swiss media is more practical, as is Switzerland. The media is just a vehicle of information. Their role is not to *create news!* Their purpose is just to *convey it* to the readers and listeners of a realistic media.

An important scope of ***Direct Democracy is to simplify the structure of the government*** and to control the expenditures of the government more effectively. For far too long, the US and other governments do not have much concern regarding the government coffers. Populist governments, that corrupt the electorate with false promises, have led the finances of government into a peculiar situation of being *riddled with trillions in debt* and very close to bankruptcy. There is a rarity, if it exists, to have a government without a critical dept. Moreover, the debt of the government greatly affects the economy, the fiscal health, and wellbeing of each citizen of the country.

Since there are different levels of government, from the community to national government, and since the scope of this book is not to specifically discuss how to organize a government, the following proposals are very condensed. A simplification of the national government would mean three essential components:

1. ***Executive*** branch led by a *president* or *prime minister* (in constitutional monarchies). The president will have all the necessary prerogatives to lead the affairs of the nation effectively. The president would select the members of the government from the best managers technocrats/specialists in each area of government activities. The Executive branch, together with the Senate, will make an annual budget and how the budget is disbursed to each branch of government.
2. ***The Congress, or the Legislative branch***, made of 201 directly elected representatives of the people (2 per state and 1 for Washington, D.C.), must continually make and observe the application of laws of the country.
3. ***The Senate***, or the ***Control and Appropriation*** branch, outlays/ disburses the budget to different branches of the government. Made out of 51 senators (1 for each state and 1 for Washington, D.C.) the Senate's role would be to guard, control the activities and expenditures of the government. It is assumed that this additional role for the Senate may have increased effectiveness of how the government finances will be spent.

Sidebar: Financial promises of the elected officials should be totally banned.

Conclusions:

- People have put their trust in politicians. Often their trust has failed.
- We are programmed to trust the government. Big government
- Big government is the solution of the left. Remember President Ronald Reagan's dictum: "*Government is not the solution. Government is the problem!*"
- Politicians will promise everything just to be elected. As soon as they are elected, they start to work to be re-elected.
- Parliamentary Democracy is corrupted and corruptible.
- Direct Democracy is the answer. Those who will sabotage this system are politicians, lobbyists, interest groups, and even the media.

Part 2: Pax Constantia and more

For the last 200 years, several social experiments have occurred. The result was human tragedies, crimes against humanity, misery, wars, and loss of wealth. It is time to review what has happened and attempt real cooperation between nations, to renounce wars and abolish nuclear weapons.

Our world is still far too fragile despite scientific advancement, internal politics of many nations are a peculiar reality. Present political systems are far from being accepted by the citizens of most of the nations. Incompetence, personal interest above the interest of a nation, inter-nations haters rather than inter-nation cooperation for the good of all is the norm.

It is time for a more realistic society. It is time to put Direct Democracy into action. It is time to try a new world political structure. If negativity embraces you, prepare for overpopulations, misery, shortages, famine, internal revolutions, and possible World War.

Try Direct Democracy?

Try Pax Constantia, or else...

Chapter Six: World Political Problems and How They Affect our Lives?

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If you follow domestic and international politics, you will realize the world we live in has many problems. Most of them are political in nature, created by ideologies and narcissistic politicians. One thing is certain: *nothing happens by chance but rather by design*. The world is too dangerous, and therefore we should work together to design, together, a better and safer future (Chapter Eight). **Everything is possible when you want to!**

Russia's Menace in the World

Throughout human history, there were several impressive empires, the Roman, Russian, Ottoman, and British being among the most enduring. If impressive and enduring means killing millions, no other empire can take the laurels of the Communist Russian Empire. Many books discuss this subject, but very few refer to Russian expansionism and the danger posed to our lives on Planet Earth.

Naïve humanitarians, leftist politicians, and different social/political groups do appease the Russian leadership in various ways, pretending that Russia does not create political or territorial problems. *People often have a lapse of memory!* From antiquity to present times an attitude of contempt, political myopia,

and petty national selfishness led to the rise conquering tyrants. They built empires that have threatened our freedom and democracy. All these empires disappeared except one: **Russia!**

Its aggressive leaders, propaganda, and treacherous strategies led the world into total confusion, fear, and selfishness. This world is one in which *love thy neighbor* is too difficult a task to hold with fragile shoulders, petty hearts, and the confused minds of Western politicians. From a small city-state of Moscow, Russia has become the largest empire of our times in just five centuries.

It stretches from the Baltic Sea to the Pacific, Russia is the largest empire in the world. It is an empire which Lenin, the leader of the communist revolution of 1917, called ***a prison of nations!*** And, a prison of nations it is! Also, he was right. In five centuries, the Russians conquered an immense real estate of 122 nations, ethnic groups, and tribes. All must succumb to the brutal power of Russia and its russification strategies.

In their quest to establish that empire, the Russian leaders have signed treaties that have never been honored. They terrorized their neighbors to take their lands. They have deceived the world with aggressive propaganda, penetrated religious organizations to promote *red theology*, and manipulated peace movements to weaken their Western adversaries. In short, Russia has applied every available method to achieve their expansionist goals.

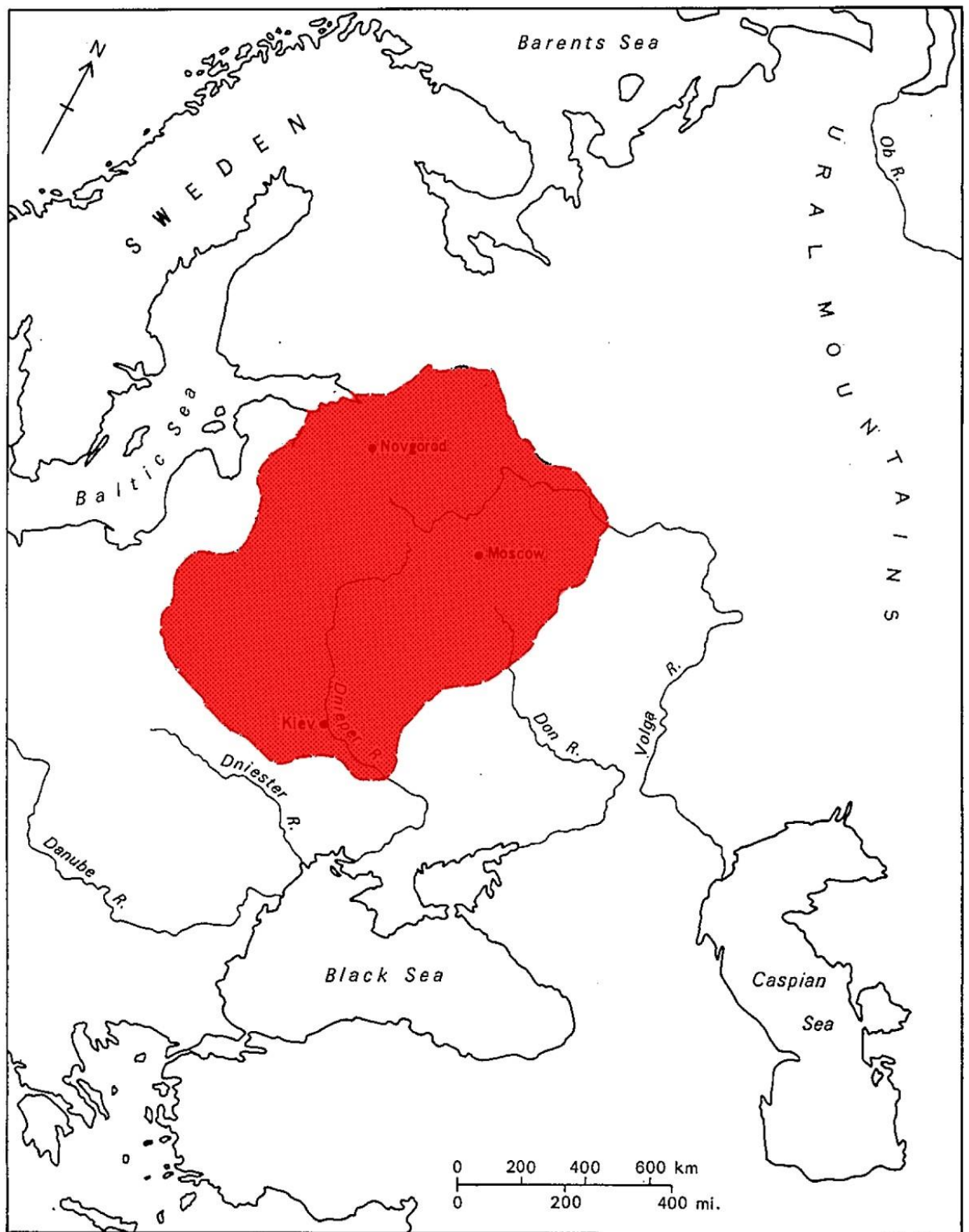
Russia's ambitions have become more dangerous and threatening. Unless the Western nations become more vigilant, confront Russia to behave peacefully and honestly, an imminent confrontation with the Russians will most likely occur soon. The actual danger is not Russia's military power but rather the cowardice of some Western leaders. If Russia does not behave as a peaceful nation, it must be *completely isolated*. Politically and economically, it must be set apart from the civilized league of nations. No one needs Russia. She needs us! Therefore, I will share with you how everything happened, to arm you with the important historical and political information so that the West can confront Russia directly and honestly. Because *truth must be told honestly, directly, and in simple words*.

Russia Conquers Everything, in all Geographical Directions

This part of the book intends to illustrate how Russia became the largest empire in the world so that you will be better equipped to discuss this subject. *Brutal force, deceit, signed treaties never honored, promises never kept, and outright lies were part of Russia's arsenal of diplomatic behavior. From 1775, (the Treaty with Finland) to present, Russia never honored any of the treaties signed with its neighbors. Some 80% of Russian territories have been taken from her neighbors. On the corpses of millions of people, Russia has become the biggest country on Earth. Quite an accomplishment!*

Sidebar: Being informed will make you strong. It will entitle you to the necessary information to deal directly and confidentially with Russian political leadership and diplomats.

From a small group of Eastern Slavs the Russians have centered in the ninth century in the cities of Kiev (Kievan Russia) and later on the city state of Moscow. Their expansion has been stopped for almost 300 years by the Tatars invasion and domination of Russian and Eastern Europe.



Kievan Russia, 800-1000



The Acquisitions of Catherine the Great, 1762-1796



Russia in 1914

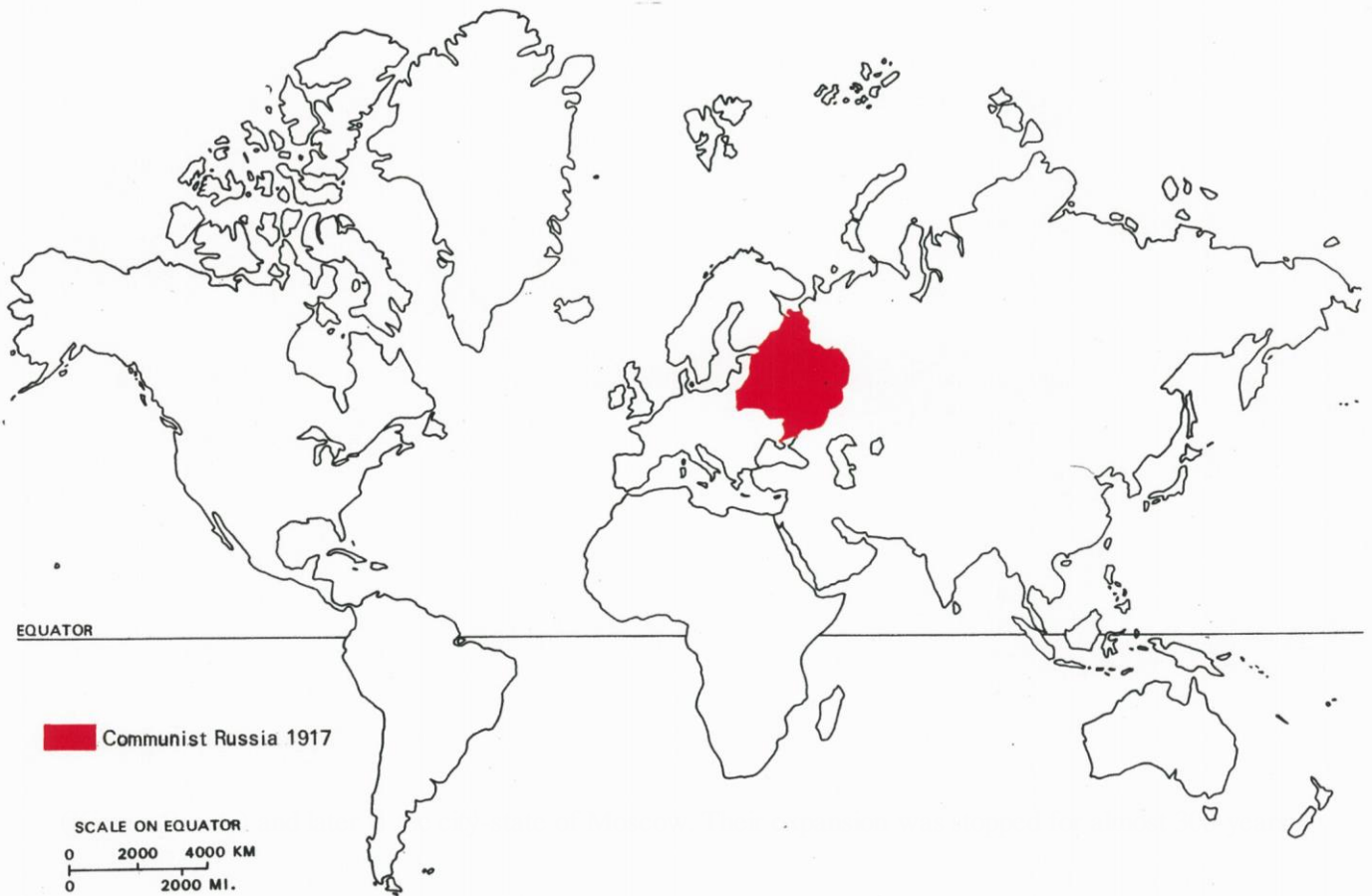
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Russian expansion in Asia, including the province of Manchuria (in yellow) from China









As visible from the attached maps, the actual expansion has been started by Tsar Ivan the Terrible, the *ruthless Tsar* (1533-1584), and continued to our times:

- After a military conflict with Poland and Lithuania, Moscow has increased its original territory four times (in 1522). Please refer to the above maps for a better comprehension of the relentless conquest of 500 years of history.
- Western Siberia has been conquered from the Tatars in 1581.
- Realizing the incredible reaches of Siberia, how easy it was to take land from the poorly trained and armed Tatars, Russia pushed persistently towards the East. They started to build fortified towns, a novel entity in that part of the world, and moving colonists towards the East, a move that demonstrated to the natives that a greater Russian invasion was coming.
- Russia reached the Pacific Ocean in 1639.
- The scared Siberian people have resisted as much as they could with very limited military means. However, harsh punishments, coercion, genocide, and different methods of cruelty and slavery, made the natives submit to their future masters. As a result, additional Central Asian territories have been added to the empire in 1716-1893.
- Military skirmishes and an unhonoured treaty with Ukraine resulted in adding the territories of this proud nation to the Russian Empire in 1667.
- One of the most successful Russian Tsars, Peter the Great, copied Ivan the Terrible's methods and expended the empire's territory into the Baltic Sea: Ingria and Karelia from Finland, Estonia and Latvia in 1721, and Lithuania in 1832. A strong policy of Russification followed in all these lands. Finally, Russia managed to have an entrance to the Baltic Sea and started developing a naval fleet.
- More lands have been added by annexing Crimea in 1783 and Byelorussia in 1795.
NOTE: At that time, Crimea was an independent country (since 1774). However, Catherine the Great, an ambitious Russian queen of German origin annexed it. Neither the language nor the population heritage justified Russia's territorial conquest from the Tatars. For complete success, the Russians expelled most Tatars to Siberia and replaced them with Russian or Russified colonists.
- More conquests happened in the Caucasian Mountains region: Armenia in 1828, Georgia in 1858, and Azerbaijan in 1918.
- A typical Russian behavior made Russia absorb the Romanian province of Bessarabia into the empire. Following two wars in the region, Russia annexed Bessarabia despite their firm pledge to *guarantee the integrity of Romania* (1877). Russia's ambition was to have a direct border at the Danube River, a strategical site to launch future conquests. Once again, this pledge has been a typical Russian congenital lie.
- Further expansions occurred in Central Asia and the Far East: Kazakhstan in 1847, Uzbekistan in 1873, Turkmenistan 1873, and Tadzhikistan in 1893.
- Constant Russian appetite for more foreign territories followed. After acquiring the entirety of Siberia, Russia reached the border of Chinese territories. From 1656-1683 China has repulsed Russian invaders. However, Russia kept coming. Russia deserves high marks for persistence! A new Russian push to the South, 1847, found China unprepared for war and yielded without any military opposition the Chinese territories of the Amur River. Sensing a weak Chinese leadership, Russia maintained its aggressiveness demanding additional Chinese land. The battle of nerves reached high levels that, finally, resulted in the peace treaty of 1858, whereby China yielded to Russia territories between the Amur River and the Sea of Japan.

Typical of its imperialistic strategies, Russia continued to demand Chinese land from an unprepared-for-war-China. Two years later, in 1860, China ceded to Russia the Chinese Maritime Provinces, a real estate of 400.000 square miles, and 1,500 miles of magnificent Eastern coastlines in Manchuria province! Seldom in history, *had a nation gained so much with so little effort!* Not even a military skirmish was necessary to gain all these territories from China.

- Russian imperialism has also eyed the Japanese island of Karafuto, (Sakhalin in Russian) a Northern extension of the Japanese islands. Russia reached the Northern part of the island in 1853. In its desire for more and more land, Russia put pressure on Japan to share it. In 1855, an agreement stipulated that both countries would share control of the island. The complete annexation of Karafuto Island occurred after WWII: 1946.
- Russia has annexed the Japanese Kurile islands at the end of WWII. On August 15, 1945, Japan surrendered to the USA, and WWII with Japan ended. However, Soviet Russia invaded Japan's Kuril Islands, three days later, *after the war has ended* (August 18) and, typical of Russian strategies, Russia claimed these Japanese territories without shooting a gun even once. No military justification can be found for the Russians to take over Karafuto and Kuril Islands from Japan. Once again, the Russian Empire managed to capture more foreign territories.
- Russian territorial acquisitions also expanded into Europe. The two imperialistic countries, warmongering Nazi Germany and Communist Russia, were visibly ready for a military confrontation in late 1938. However, they managed to postpone a war by signing a non-aggression pact, known as *Molotov-Ribbentrop Pact*. Based on this agreement, Russia annexed the Baltic States of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, and the Romanian provinces of Bessarabia and Northern Bucovina.
- At the end of WWII, the map of Europe changed again, Russia, forcing its communist war machine regime on East Germany, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, and Yugoslavia. A world full of cowards witnessed this act of grand theft without so much as moving a finger. And so, thanks to the never-ending deceitful Russian strategies, Russia managed to reach into Central Europe!

Sidebar: One of Russians strategies of misleading the world is to play the **victimization** card! That Russia is a **victim** of all the countries surrounding it! In reality, **Russia is the aggressor** for 500 years, conquering the land of most of its neighbors: 122 countries, regions, and tribes.

Penetration throughout the World: A New Imperialistic Strategy?

War World II (WWII) was a new imperialistic success for the Russian Empire. (the last 4 maps illustrate all the conquests Russia has made after WWII). They called it the Great Patriotic War. Russia claimed that *thanks to them* Nazi Germany was defeated. However, very conveniently Russia has suffered from more than visible amnesia. It failed to specify that if it were just a Russian-German war, Russia would clearly have been defeated. The first reason was that many Russian soldiers had very little motivation to fight for communism. Many Russian soldiers fought with a stomach full of vodka, or because they were afraid: in every army battalion were communist officers with a gun in their hand, watching the soldiers. They shot everyone who did not follow the order to attack the Germans. It takes a great deal of courage to die in a battle, especially if the motivation is an imperialistic illusion.

The second reason was the US's entry into the Second World War and the opening of the *second front* in France. Constant American and British air raids created havoc for the German war industry. At the same time, the US shipped incredible amounts of support to aid Russia, from food to many types of weapons, including shipping entire factories to Eastern Siberia.

Russian people wanted freedom, and deservedly so. After centuries of Tsarism and communism, they wanted freedom. Political and economic freedom. Moreover, freedom for them spelled: *defeat!* Losing to Germany could, finally, mean freedom from communist domination and dictatorship. Many people are aware what happened during and after WWII. Communist Russia wanted more domination, political and territorial domination. Eastern Europe fell into the Russian *sphere of influence*, the borders of communism reached the borders of Western Europe, West Germany, Italy, Austria, and Denmark, a new and successful expansion to satisfy Russians territorial thirst.

Right now, the Kremlin is occupied by the newest Tsar, Vladimir Putin, a former leader of the KGB, and he has the same expansionism ideology in his mind. Mr. Putin's imperialistic dreams bring back to life Joseph Stalin, who between 1924 and 1953 ordered torture and the wholesale slaughter of millions of Russians or Russified people. Mr. Putin will never accept the weakening or decrease in the size or power of his empire. He has a new ultra-nationalistic (Nazi?), imperialistic philosopher: Alexander Dugin, also nicknamed Putin's Brain. He is an anti-liberal thinker, opposed to the *elite* of the world. He promotes the political concept that *Putin should lead not just Russia but Eurasia*, meaning both Asia and Europe combined into one huge landmass.

In closing this brief historical review, I would like to suggest: any time you may talk to a Russian Politician tell him that you know the imperialistic background of the Russian Empire, that there is a noticeable disparity between the majority of citizens of Russia and the Russian leaders. There are many Russians that are proud of their empire, but they have amnesia regarding the methods used to conquer so much land from innocent and underdeveloped Central and North-Eastern Asian people.

At the same time, many Russians are friendly, sensitive, warm and good-natured people. It will also be appreciated if you will express the opinion that Russian people finally need to experience actual freedom and real democracy. As part of planet Earth, Russia should finally eliminate imperialism from its international policies and join the free family of nations.

World Youth Festivals for World Revolution

Domination of Eastern Europe did not satisfy Russia's political leadership and their worldly ambitions. Therefore, they have designed new and quite creative strategies to increase their influence throughout the world. An incredibly successful strategy was created immediately after the end of WWII: The ***World Youth Festivals*** (WYF). These festivals gathered thousands of young people: students, children of labor union bosses, students of various religious seminaries, anybody who can be impressed by the destructions of WWII and who could be part of the new anti-capitalist, leftist armada.

The scope of WYF was clear to anybody who had a decent understanding of the politics of the world: ***to recruit future spies, anti-West religious activists, future revolutionary everywhere, terrorism, specifically in Western Europe, USA, and throughout the Pacific and Atlantic Rim.***

From 1947 on, several world youth festivals were organized first in Eastern Europe: Prague, Czechoslovakia in 1947, Budapest, Hungary in 1949, Berlin, East Germany in 1951, Bucharest, Romania in 1953, Warsaw, Poland in 1955, and Moscow, Soviet Russia in 1957, etc. In 2017 the WYF was once again organized by the Russians in their capital city, Moscow, always used as a showcase for the Russian

propaganda machine. Through their sympathizers throughout the world, the communists of Eastern Europe and Soviet Russia have invited many left-leaning, impressionable young people to a festival of communist indoctrination and orgies, and recruitment of future troublemakers throughout the world.

This WYF was fertile soil for recruiting communist-sympathizers throughout the world and have become the new agents of influence: from universities through religious organizations, labor unions, and particularly in the media. Thousands of naïve youths were the new targets for the Russian propaganda machine and the strategy of promoting communism in many parts of the world.

After the festival ended, some of the new recruits have studied in various universities of Eastern Europe, and over time became the pro-communist propagandists of the world. In the Russian world strategy, the leftist youth had one major role: **destabilize the West, particularly the US** and ready it for the **World Communist Revolution**. A world revolution could certainly *weaken the West and US* and open the world to more *Russian conquests*. Regardless of the means they used, the goal was constantly the same: **Old Russian domination and conquest**.

This was the time of training new revolutionaries in Central America such as Fidel Castro in Cuba, Che Guevara in Colombia, Anwar Assad in Syria, and many others in Western Europe, North America, South Africa, the Middle East, etc. The political problems created by these recruits to the West was incredibly effective for the Russian military strategies and propaganda. Many of these recruits have penetrated the political class in many parts of the world, organized coup d'état and communist revolutions.

Just consider the case of Syria: *Anwar Assad*, former President of Syria. He had been a Russian strategic puppet for many years. After his death, his son, *Bashar Assad*, took over the helm of Syria. The benefits for the Russians have been: *two military bases, and an open territory for a thousand Russian military experts and soldiers that directly participate in the Syrian war*. While the naïve Barack Obama was drawing a red line in the sand of Syria, the effective Russians knew what they wanted. They have had 500 years of experience in conquest, annexations, and colonialism. As such, Russia has signed a treaty with Bashar Assad in 2017, to use the two military bases for *49 years*! Russia is there to stay and menace many parts of the Middle East should they want. *Isn't this an incredible success story for a Russian recruit at the World Youth Festival?*

If you follow President's Putin strategies, you will recognize same old Tsarist methods of misinformation, use of propaganda, deceit, and provocations. Take for instance the strategy used in the Romanian province of Bessarabia, that the Russians has named the Republic of Moldova. After 1991, when the Soviet Union imploded, Bessarabia intended to reunite with Romania.

However, the Russians could not permit a loss of even the tiny republic of 3.4 million people. Therefore, the Russians provoked a military skirmish in Eastern Bessarabia, won it and planted in that land a tiny Russian military base. For what purpose? Peaceful activities! I never heard of Russian peaceful actions! The end result was favorable to Russia: a provocation resulted in a tiny military conflict and, guess what? Bessarabia could not reunite with Romania! The Russian military base would have reacted militarily to block it.

As an imperialistic state, Russia is using a similar strategy in Ukraine:

1. Russia has illegally seized Crimea from Ukraine in 2014, knowing that the Western politicians, who were busy snoozing, would not react,
2. Russia is constantly abusing and provoking the Ukrainian Eastern border with Russia for the same reason: grab more Ukrainian land. Russians call this region Malo Rossia (Small Russia) and

certainly will intend to reattach it back to the empire. However, there is also a secondary reason: to *stop Ukraine from achieving real freedom and liberty and stop it from joining European Union.*

One might legitimately ask: *when will Russia be sufficiently saturated to stop constantly annexing foreign land.* Don't you have enough? Why do you believe you have the right to constantly conquer another peoples' land? Have you ever *asked yourself why America has never imitated you?* The US certainly had the power to do so but never did. Why? America is not an imperialistic nation like Russia! The US respects other countries right to self-determination and territorial integrity.

Religious Subversion and Wars

Traditionally, the Russians have had deep religious belief. The Russian Orthodox Church had a very traditional faith in God, a deep concern for the communist commissars, high ranking communist officials. Only by eradicating their faith in God could the communists expect the people to believe in the atheism of Marx and Lenin. Marx has always spoken against the concept of human's spiritual life and the concept of the existence of God. In fact, he stated that *religion is opium for the people* and that it has a mighty task to obstruct the creation of human robots who would blindly follow the orders of the communist elite. Therefore, in any socialistic/communistic society Darwinism, or the theory of evolution of human race from tiny marine organisms, has replaced the religious theory of creation.

From the first days of the Russian communist regime, religion was persecuted simply because it has remained the only alternative to communist ideology, the only spiritual force that could obstruct communist penetration, especially in the countryside. Therefore, typical of communist ideology, *what the elite cannot control has to be destroyed.* The communists could not forget that in the early days of imposing communism, the Church has supported the anti-communist forces (the white guards).

Many things have changed over time, including the Russian communist's position vis-à-vis the Church. For many years the Russian communists have attacked the church internally but have attempted to use it to penetrate to the Western world, including using the church for:

Internal Religious Subversion

Anti-Christian crusade. In Soviet Russia, 1937, there were still some 50 million who declared themselves Christians. The orthodox religion was the only one accepted by the communists. The simple reason was that it was used for the russification of the many millions of non-Russian citizens. All the other Christians were forced to either renounce their original religion or convert to Russian Orthodoxy. Their churches were destroyed, converted into museums for the communist art, dance studios, or even sports halls. Those who did not obey were sent to gulags for extermination, especially the religious leaders.

Many Christians were victims of the KGB (Secret Service), murdered or deported to Siberia where they were exterminated through miserable living conditions and hunger. Take just one example: in 1940 there were 22,000 Baptists sent to concentration camps in Siberia where they died of hunger or physical abuse. The Soviet regime has already closed or destroyed more than 200,000 churches and monasteries.

Anti-Judaism took various forms: viewing the Jews as the enemy of the revolution, American spies, and counter-revolutionary. Russia has always been anti-Semitic. Many pogroms (meaning: destroy, demolish violently, and looting) have been organized from 1821 to post-Communist revolution of 1917. The Russian

author, Alexander Solzhenitsyn, mentioned that there were 1,236 pogroms against the Jews in different parts of Communist Russia, where many thousand were killed.

In Ukraine alone, Russians have massacred between 30,000-70,000 Jews. From over 3,000 synagogues in 1917, there were just 934 left by 1929; the others were destroyed. For a better solution to the Jewish problem, Stalin decided to create a separate geographical region in Soviet Russia, called *Jewish Autonomous Oblast, JAO*, (administrative units). This JAO was placed very close to the Amur River and the Chinese province of Manchuria. Between 1928-1937 some 50,000 Jews were settled in this region.

Anti-Islamic activities. Similar anti-religious methods were also used against the *47 million Muslims* attached to the empire by force: Russification or atheism. Many Mosques were destroyed without any hesitation. The Russians considered that Muslims are *reactionary* and that *Mohamed was an imaginary personality, that the Koran was compiled by feudal lords and merchants, and the pilgrimage to Mecca (Hajj) is a source of income for merchants.* Servile Muslim leaders have argued that *new mosques* were necessary where communism and Islam could be mixed together. Despite that, Stalin ordered the extermination of the Islamic clergy in 1930's

External Religion: Religious agents in Russia's service

While internally, Soviet Russia was involved in a strategy of religious subversion, the Russians had an incredible plan to penetrate the Muslim world. The 1930's were used by the Russians to train Muslim clerics to mislead their faithful followers of Allah into believing that communism could effectively cooperate with the Muslims.

After WWII and the beginning of organizing World Youth Festivals, new Muslim recruits from Central Asia and the Soviet Far East were brought to the city of Tashkent, and especially to the ancient city of Bukhara (Uzbekistan), where several madrasahs (religious schools) existed. Here, the recruits in training to become imams (Islamic clerics) were trained in both the Islamic Sunni religion as well as in communist doctrine. In this way, the future leaders of prayer could be used for communist propaganda as well as to penetrate in different Islamic countries.

At the same time, Russia attracted young Muslims from the Arab world to study in the Russian universities. However, the education in Russia was not only to study a specific field, such as medicine, engineering, or education. The impressionable young Muslims were also exposed to communism, brainwashed regarding the Russian intent to assist the Islamic world to develop their education, industries, or in social sciences and then to cooperate with the graduates when they returned to their native countries. The result instead, was the Muslim world was penetrated by Russian-trained imams and by Russian-educated future government workers, politicians, teachers, and even in their military.

These Russian-manipulated Islamists were very successful to transform some Arab countries into socialist sympathizers who, over time, organized a coup d'état, revolutions, and socialist countries in many parts of the world. Please look at the attached map to see how Communist Russia has been able to penetrate throughout the world. By 1980's many countries, from Libya, Syria to Africa and Central America became pro-Russian socialist countries.

Liberation Theology

The Russian propaganda and disinformation have not been content just with religious subversion in the Muslim world, but a new strategy was designed to disturb Christianity, particularly the Catholics in Latin America: *Liberation Theology*. The roots of this movement are traceable to the social gospel promoted by a Baptist theologian, Walter Rauschenbusch in late 1800's. Apparently, he considered Marx to be a Christian, and his theology was a mixture of the Bible and Marxist philosophy. The scope of his preaching was to *liberate people in the Americas from economic oppression, and exploitation*.

Realizing the opportunity to subvert Religion in Latin America, the Russian Communist leadership has enlarged the *red clergy* under its influence. Once again, the World Youth Festivals became the fertile ground for recruiting leftist youth as well as leftist sympathizers from the Catholic Church. Those who were loyal to Moscow were invited to Russia to wine and dine and to inoculate them further with Marxism and subversion techniques. Under the religious mask of Catholicism, the *red clerics* became a strong force to promote *socialism, egalitarianism, social justice, and, why not? They needed to act against the oppressors*. From here to the needs to create a *new socialist world order, even a revolution* in Latin American is not really a big step.

Liberation Theology functions like a political arm of Marxism and Russian Communism within the Catholic Church. To tame the anti-communism feelings of most Catholics in Latin America has always been a Russian priority. Also, Liberation Theology had to be seen as an attempt to achieve this objective. Therefore, Liberation Theology must be seen as anti-Christian and socialist in its political goal. From 1980's on, its economic-socialist message has been a *New International Economic Order*, a political concept endorsed by Socialist International and even by United Nations.

For the best promotion of Liberation Theology in North America, important supporters have suggested establishing a *Center of Concern* in Washington, D.C. However, Father Enrique T. Rueda, a Cuban priest jailed by Fidel Castro and later exiled in the US, has reviled that the Marxist language used in the Liberation Theology is hidden behind a modern way of understanding the Christian Gospel. What Liberation Theology calls *base communities*, in reality, represents *communist cells*! Furthermore, the training manual of the *liberationist's* states that Marxism is: 1. A science of understanding society, 2. a *program for action for changing society*, and 3. a philosophy.

Not very popular in most parts of the world, Liberation Theology was relatively popular among the Catholics of Latin America. Some *red clerics* went as far as joining the guerrilla movements against the elected governments in Peru, but particularly in El Salvador. Some enthusiastic *red priests* have preached to join the guerilla fighters in the jungle. Father Eduardo Pellecer from Guatemala admitted that for 17 months he was with the guerrilla struggle against the government. Other clerics were quite active in the anti-government activities in the Philippines and Nicaragua.

Question: *Whom do the red clerics serve? Allah or Marx? Their country or Russian interests?*

Iran: a Russian Success Story

From the ancient times, Persia (present-day Iran) has been a powerful empire and together with Iraq, an important cradle of human civilization. Many people I have known in Iran are warm, with great dignity and are proud of their history. At the same time, it is vital to recall that the citizens are Persians. The Persian

religion has been progressively changed in the past thousand years from Zoroastrian (a monotheistic religion, believe in one Creator) into Islam. Although full Islamization has occurred, quite recently in the past 500 years, the people of Iran continue to consider themselves as proud Persians.

There is a great discrepancy between the Persian nationalism and Islamic religion. While the Iranian clerics are of Arabic lineage, Shi'ite Muslims, the people, especially the intellectuals, have a strong and deep feeling about their Persian descendants. Persian nationalists do not accept the imposition of an Arabic religion on their proud Persian people. This is one of the reasons why the Islamic clerics impose Arabic culture and language in every aspect of life in Iran. It will be interesting to follow if the brutal regime in Tehran will succeed to subdue the Persians.

For over 2,500 years, Persia has been a monarchy. The last Shah, Mohamed Reza Pahlavi, was overthrown by the revolution of February 11, 1979. However, like many revolutions before, this one also did not happen by accident but rather by design. In addition, Russia was not an innocent bystander. It was, in fact, quite active to create an anti-Shah movement. The Shah was accused of having too much Western influence that sparked the need for change. The Russian-trained mullahs were ready for the change. On November 4, 1978, thousands of young Iranians, infiltrated by Russian-trained revolutionaries, attacked the US Embassy in Tehran, the capital city of Iran.

The conflict between US and Iran was widely used by the *revolutionaries (read: Russian-trained young Imams in Bukhara)* and on February 11, 1979, the Shah was forced to flee Iran. The revolution ended by transforming Iran into a theocracy (a government led by religious leaders). The Russian-Iranian relationships are extremely close. Iran is a very close ally of Russia in the Middle East and along with Syria, being the *bad people* in the service of Russia. The Middle East is in a mess: wars, terrorism, extremist Islamic warriors, and Russian military abuses. Also, Iran is milked for many billion dollars for its military assistance, new weapon technology, and assistance to produce nuclear weapons.

While the majority of Iranians are friendly towards the West, the leadership is a spearhead of Russian interests in the region. *Russia should be proud of its successes in Iran, and Syria, and Libya, and Yemen, and lately, in Turkey.*

Islam: A Religion for Peace or Conquest?

Islam is on the road to conquer the West. If this statement shocks you, please look around you and try to understand what is going on. The main problem is not the ordinary Muslims but rather the Mullahs! They believe that their mission in the world is not just to serve Allah, to submit to Allah, but most importantly to conquer other nations' territories and convert everybody to the Muslim religion. In doing so, the Mullahs use two methods:

- To impose that each Muslim family has *6 (six) children*. If internally, in their own country is not a strict obligation, externally, in foreign countries where the Muslims have migrated, they are constantly monitored by the Mullahs if they respect the order. If you compare the fertility rate of Muslim women, 3.1 children, with that of Christian women in Europe, 1.58, and the US 1.8, it is evident that over time Muslim population will overtake that of the Europeans or Americans. Table 7.1 illustrates that by 2070 Muslim populations will surpass Christians. The fertility rate among American women is lower than two children per family.

Warning: If in 2017, Muslims create havoc in many parts of the world you can imagine what might happen when they are the majority! On the other hand, the proportion of the white population in America will also be directly affected by immigration:

- In 2015 the white population were 62% of all Americans
- In 2065 the whites will represent only 46%

Table 7.1 Population grows (in billions): Islam vs. Christians

Year	Islam	Christians
2010	1.6	2.17
2050	2.76	2.92
2070	3.5	3.3

NOTE: based on the information provided by Pew Research Center, March 7/2017

The Islamists doctrine promotes immigration of young Islamists to the West and converts as many Christians to Islam as possible. This is an effective method to conquer the *infidels* (the non-Muslims). At the same time, the transformation of Christianity into an Islamic world is on its way to be accomplished. Please refer to the issue of refugees and their scope in Europe.

In this discussion there still are few other issues:

- Islam is a religion, a peaceful and moral religion. Islamists, extremists, terrorists, do corrupt Islam. Therefore, condemn Islamists and not the religion: Islam.
- However, the motivation of the jihadist fighters is an armed struggle to achieve their goal of creating a Caliphate, or the country/territory under the Islamic leadership. We are already witnessing the invasion of Europe, where millions of young, ready to fight Muslims, migrate from Syria, Iraq, Yemen, etc. and North Africa every day. Southern Europe is like a no-mans land of only those who do not want to don't enter in Europe.
- Impose Sharia Law, or Islamic Law: Islam is not a violent religion but under the guise of some of the present day Mullahs, Sharia Law is corrupted into *multiply and dominate, to make Islam a supreme religion, and in the process to make militant Mullahs the leaders*.
- Jihadism is an anti-Western ideology: use any methods available to impose the corrupted Sharia Law. Terrorism is just one of these methods.
- *Cultural shock*: women's fashion in Western countries, sexism, and permissiveness is an insult to the Muslims. Our customs are deeply hatred by pure Islamists. As soon as they will reach majority you have to change or else!
- *The radicalization* of jihadists occurs mostly in some Mosques, where radical Mullahs preach jihadism, *multiply and dominate the infidels*, and through the internet.
- *Monitor the religious activities in all mosques*. Find out who is preaching jihad and send the Mullahs back to their country of origin.
- *Existentialism*. Do we have the *right to exist in our own country* and not to accept the uncontrolled immigration dictated by the *left*? For most of the people, this is called

existentialism, the right to exist and live according to our traditions and culture. Corrupt politicians feel otherwise: equal rights, political correctness, open borders, etc.

- *Why are the Europeans obliged to accept jihadists in their countries?* Who is pushing them to accept jihadists in Europe? The elite? *The politics of the left*. To get more votes in elections from immigrants? Is this the fastest way to have people with just one color throughout the world? The mixture of all races? The brown color? If, and when this will happen, what will the *elite* do? Can they hide? By then the jihadists will dominate and control everything. Including the *elite*!

Conclusions

- **Russia is the biggest empire of the world: 500 years of imperialistic strategies have really paid off, has really satisfied the big ego of *Babushka Russia*!**
- **The Russians suffer from a great malady: imperialism!**
- **Russia has conquered the territories of 122 nations, ethnic groups, and tribes.**
- **Russia's imperialistic dictum has been the same since the 1500's: *where Russian flag is always hoisted never to be lowered again*.**
- **More than 80% of Russian territory has been annexed from its neighbors.**
- **A great imagination has produced a large array of imperialistic methods that served Russia's interests dearly: leftists recruits, religious activists, spies, revolutionaries, propaganda activists throughout the world, including agents in the Western media.**
- **Most of its hi-tech has been either purchased from the West or...stolen.**
- **As demonstrated, today Iran has been a showcase for Russia's imperialistic strategies.**
- **The menace Iran is creating in the present world, including the production of nuclear weapons, should make Russia proud for its perseverance to work with the Mullahs from Tehran.**
- **Stop jihadists from entering our countries. We also have the right to exist and have the culture and values we want.**
- **We must protect our rights to exist and live in the countries of our forefathers, in full liberty, democracy, and the right to protect our traditional values with dignity.**

Chapter Seven: The Elite of the World

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Motto: Tudor's road to dictatorship:

- when you have money, you want power
- when you have power, you want to influence
- when you have influence, you want to lead
- when you lead, you want to dictate

From antiquity to the present, there have always been many speculations about the *elite* of the world, *secret societies*, and about the decisions, they are making behind closed doors. Secret societies have been created not just in our times but also in antiquity. The goal was the same one: *acquire the power to influence and direct world events as per the interests of the secret society.*

During the time of the Egyptian pharaohs (from 3,000 to 343 BC) the monks were the most knowledgeable and influential persons in Egypt. To maintain their influence in the backrooms of the pharaoh's palace, the Egyptian monks had meetings with the monks of ancient Assyria (partially the present state of Syria). They were exchanging knowledge in mathematics, astronomy

and analyzed the best methods to influence those who had control over the political power of the day.

For the past two hundred years, the superrich, *the elite of the world, have used their financial might to acquire the power to lead and control the politics and events for their personal interests*. The above motto is just a warning about the evolution from being superrich to the state of being able to control and plan the future. Real, proven information is scarce, confusing and misleading. What is true, and what is not, from the popular conspiracy theories that circulate around the world about the *elite*? There are strange theories about the *elite*. Who are they? What is their scope and role in the very complex world we live in?

Any discussions, sincere comments, about the role of the *elite* of the world is a very challenging subject, and no one wants to surpass the threshold of prejudice, intolerance, or discrimination. We all want to live in a decent world, in peace and tranquility, with good opportunities to raise a family (see Chapter Eight).

However, we do not realize that secret societies have the right to make decisions without our consent.

Who are the *elite*?

Most socio-political events of the past two centuries were *designed to happen. Nothing happens by accident but rather by design*. Secret societies of international financiers, bigwigs of the political left and heavy economic movers, were directly trying to influence the world events for several centuries. They had the money and, consequently, they acquired the power.

The scope of the *elite* is to acquire power, dominate, control, and plan future events. More importantly, the speculation is that secret societies want to form a world government (New World Order) and dictate the rules they adopt and impose them on the countries of the world. A government made by them and controlled by them. Welcome to the world of conspiracy theories! So, who are the *elite*?

Of all the secret societies that exist, only a few are prevalent and influential:

Freemasonry is one of the oldest and most influential secret societies. Despite claiming that Masonry is a fraternal group, doing charitable activities and seeking the betterment of the society, many people question this and consider them as anti-Christians. They claim to believe in a *Grand Architect*, but this does not seem to be God.

There are many allegations about masonry, including the theory that their goal is to subvert religion and governments to create a *World Government. Such a government must be guided by them, led by masons and apply the Freemason principles*. Obviously, Freemasons deny any allegations regarding the goal to take over and lead the world in their desired direction.

Most influential leaders of the world were, in the past, and still are members of masonry. Even some of the founding fathers of US allegedly have belonged to Freemasonry, such as George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, Andrew Jackson, and James Monroe. The American revolutionaries were not masons.

Illuminati or the order of Illuminati (enlightenment) is a liberal secret society that has been founded in 1776 by a Bavarian (German) professor Adam Weishaupt, recruited from the German Masonic Lodges (Wikipedia). The order promotes secularism, liberalism, gender equality, openness, and transparency. Illuminati has been active during the French Revolution of 1789 and has co-organized the liberal revolution of 1848 that has spread in many countries of Europe.

The order has been very active in subversive activities in Germany, especially in Bavaria. The Bavarian government has discovered that the order has attempted to create disorder, destabilization and has conspired to overthrow the Bavarian rulers of that time (the Late 1700's). To eradicate the influence of secret societies, the government of Bavaria has banned its activities. Many believed that Illuminati has disappeared from the political scenes of Europe; however, the order resurfaced in early 1800's and been active in the organization of the 1848 revolution.

Many members of the *right* movement believe that both the Masonic and Illuminati orders have been directly involved in helping to organize and finance the Russian Communist Revolution of 1917. Similarly, after the failed experience with establishing a communist society, the two orders have also been active in the implosion of communism in Eastern Europe and Russia. *So many tragedies and human suffering for a social experiment!* To the educated people it is difficult to comprehend how is it possible that the political establishment of the world cannot understand the way humans feel, think, work and what they desire. The world should not be an artificial laboratory where strange concepts are experimented. How is it possible to expect people who are very individualistic to accept to live in common society? After so many tragedies witnessed during the 20th Century, *no one should believe that a communist society could work.*

Question: *If communism has proven an unworkable political system why do the Elite believe that a World Government might work?*

Table 7.1. An alleged structure of national and world groups that are directly influenced by the elite

The Elite	
National front organizations	International front organizations
National media	International media
American establishment Political parties	International organizations, United Nations
National Government	International structures: G 7, G 20, NATO, EU
NOG / Labor unions	

The order presented in Table 7.1, from the top down, implies that the *elite* work directly with:

- ***national front organizations***: (in the US), The Council of Foreign Relations, media, American political establishment (the Democratic Party and some members of the Republican Party), members of the national government, Hollywood, leaders of labor unions, NGO and various think tanks, the leaders of big companies
- ***international front organizations***, such as the Bilderberg, international media agencies, United Nations, and many other international agencies and media structures

Question: *Have you ever asked yourself why the US media publishes the same kind of information as those from other countries, such as Germany, France, UK, Romania, etc.?*

Answer: *Because they are under the control of the elite.*

The Council of Foreign Relations (CFR) has been established by President Woodrow Wilson in 1917, with the clear mission to study and offer suggestions regarding international policies of the US. Some bigwigs of the American academia, prominent financiers and lawyers have met under the leadership of Elihu Root, Secretary of the State, to start the first meeting of the group in 1921. In that meeting, the participants decided to adopt the name: Council of Foreign Relations (CFR).

Critics of CFR consider that the real mission of the group is to establish a New World Order (NWO), to lead and direct the political and economic affairs of the world. In reality, NWO has been organized to lead the struggle for influence between the patriotic Christian Right and the social democrats (i.e., the US Democrats), and the international groups of socialist/communists of the world. Please remember that Woodrow Wilson himself had a socialist chip on his shoulder.

Allegedly, thanks to its influence in the US, CFR had an important say in establishing, after WWI, the League of Nations (January 10, 1920). While the League of Nations (LN), had the noble scope of maintaining peace, European security and being the arbiter of the land dispute between various nations, it did not accomplish anything. Once again, it was clear that nationalism was stronger than the internationalism of the New World Order-kind. As such, the appearance on the European political scene of Benito Mussolini, dictator of Italy between 1925-1945, and his German and Russian counterparts (Hitler and Stalin) have led the LN into oblivion.

However, CFR has learned an important lesson from the failed experience with the League of Nations. After WWII, thanks to its influence in the US, and among the winners of WWII, CFR has allegedly contributed to the creation of the United Nations (UN), on October 1945. Most critics also considers this new world organization had the main scope of international cooperation and maintain world peace, as the actual world government. In retrospect, the UN, as its counterpart, the League of Nations, has never managed to become a real-world government. Once again, thanks to the nationalism of some nations, mostly the Soviet Union (communist Russia) and China, the UN is just an ineffective organization that wastes annually a budget of \$ 7 billion annually.

Influence or coincidence, but many important members of the US government have also been members of CFR, including John Kennedy, Richard Nixon, Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, George H. Bush, Bill Clinton and John McCain. You can also add to the above list members of CIA directors, and Treasury Secretaries (Outsider Club, 7/31/2017).

The Bilderberg's Group was established on May 29, 1954, after a meeting of some influential people in the Bilderberg Hotel in Holland, from which the name has originated. The group's political scope is Atlanticism, or a close relationship between the US and its European allies. Annual meetings are organized where some 70-90 of the most powerful people in the world are invited.

The Bilderberg Group allegedly controls several think tanks, other social-political organizations and has close cooperation with large financial, economic and media institutions. The Council of Foreign Relations is regarded as an important partner of the Bilderberg group, and together have an important influence on the US and the policies of many governments around the world.

The Bilderberg's are criticized for their lack of transparency, the undisclosed goal of their activities and the nature of their annual meetings. Their reason for existence is not explained, but they are accused by the *right* for conspiring to create a world government and control the world economy. If these are the group's actual objectives, there is no visible success except their left-leaning policies embraced by large segments of unpopular media and the world of failed socialist political system everywhere it has been tried.

Apparently, Barack Obama and Hillary Clinton were among other invited V.I.P. of the world in the latest Bilderberg's meeting. If this is true, the question is: *what kind of contribution did these two failed politicians have for the improvement of the world in which we live.*

A well-investigated and written book authored by Daniel Estulin, *The True Story of the Bilderberg Group*, has described the group as the *Shadow World Government*, where the invited people make comments they never make in public. Estulin suggests their agenda as being:

- One international identity that observes one set of values.
- Centralized control of public opinion through propaganda (and the media).
- A New World Order with rules, subjects, and the illusion of democracy.
- A "zero-growth society" without prosperity or progress, only with greater power for the rulers.
- Manufactured crises and perpetual wars.
- Establish the UN as a de facto world government.
- Making NATO the world military.

The *ultimate scope* of the Bilderberg Group is the same as in the case of other secret societies: *World Government, One Global Market (globalism), policed by One World Military and financially-regulated by One World Bank.*

The election of Donald J. Trump as the President of the US is a demonstration that ordinary people, the patriots of US, have decided to stop the transformation of America into a socialist state. President Barack Obama had started this transformation, and Hilary Clinton was supposed to continue it. However, the real Americans wanted the freedom their ancestors had died for and elected Mr. Trump.

George Soros allegedly is one of the world's most visible manipulator of political events and economic operator. His organization, Open Society Foundation, is present in 37 countries, is used to influence many aspects of political life, to inject leftist politics and policies promoted by the *elite*. To some, *George Soros* is just the spearhead of the *elite*, promoting ideals such as *mondialism, no national borders* (visible also in the US Democrats ideology of *no borders, let them come, etc.*), and the very successful *refugee invasion of Europe and leftist demonstrations in the USA*.

The Merkel Plan (Angela Merkel, chancellor of Germany) of accepting refugees and spreading them throughout the EU countries was organized by the European Stability Initiative, chaired by Gerald Knaus, one of *George Soros'* man in Europe. Please note the arrogance of the title of this organization: ***stability***, when the intent is exactly the opposite, to destabilize Europe. Therefore, better call it; *European Destabilization Initiative!* Because this is the scope of invading Europe with refugees.

Sidebar: *If secret societies do not exist, do not intend to create a New World Order, what is their reason for existence? Just to have an academic debate during their meetings?*

The *elite* of the world seem to be extremely wealthy and, as such, very influential. Any large manipulation of funds or precious metals can have a ripple effect on the world economy. This, in fact, is the *elite's* power. This is one important advantage in the economic and political world. Remember the adage: *if you have money, you have power*. However, the following short story may demonstrate another aspect of power.

In late 1944 Winston Churchill, the Prime Minister of Britain had a meeting with Joseph Stalin, the all-powerful dictator of Soviet Russia. Among others, Churchill mentioned the power and influence Pope Pius XII had in the Catholic Church. Stalin, who was not very impressed, interrupted Churchill asking him:

How many divisions does the Pope of Rome have?

Everybody understands the power of money. However, one could ask the *elite*:

How many divisions do you have?

Power is very important, but more importantly is the cooperation between the all-powerful to create a better world.

Revolutions for Socio-Political Engineering

If we are to consider the events of our most recent history, the last two centuries, there are some justifications to state that the *elite* influence the world. However, others negate it. Changes in our world are necessary for personal satisfaction and national progress, from the increase in standard

of living for all to national security. We all want a better world. However, a better world has always been created by inventiveness, scientific advancements, research findings, and development. Economic advancements should normally result in improved economic and social conditions of those who contribute to the creation of wealth.

Artificially designed socio-political events failed to create a better and more peaceful world. Too many revolutions and devastating wars, from the French Revolution of 1789 forward, some events seem to have been directed and controlled by the *elite*:

- It is said that the elite created the French Revolution! That the intent was to conspire to change the society from the economic and social conditions of Middle Ages, where the nobility had the power, to a new society, to offer to other social classes, particularly to the *elite* and bourgeoisie, the opportunity to influence how future society was to be structured. These changes were not possible with an agreement between the existing social classes of France of 1700's simply because:
 - the nobility had the political power but not the money, and
 - the bourgeoisie had the money but not the power

Therefore, it was necessary, like in a chess game, to make a *rocade*, a castling, to switch around the political system from monarchy to republic. Moreover, in a republic, the *elite* could have the influence. However, it was necessary to have good preparation for the important changes to come in the French society. Like today, the organizers of the revolution started to spread anti-monarchy and anti-nobility rhetoric's, to accuse them of all the problems France has encountered in the 1700's and create an upheaval leading to the actual revolution. Money poured from all directions to find and pay professional revolutionaries, to instigate anti-monarchy events, riots, etc. In short, on July 14, 1789, the revolution started and the actual leader, Maximillian Robespierre, no one heard of him before, appeared from nowhere at the *perfect time*, and started to behead everyone: from the king to many members of the nobility class.

This event was the first artificially created revolution, so necessary to make changes in the society the elite had desired. Republic has replaced monarchy, and the *red flag* was embraced as the new *symbol of leftist upheavals, revolutions and that of socialism/communism political ideology*.

- However, the French Revolution was not as successful as the *elite* has planned. Nobility did not disappear from the helm of nations. Therefore, a new revolution was planned for 1848 that triggered additional *leftist changes* in the societies of Europe. More visible *liberal/leftist reforms*, such as in the government programs of several countries, land for peasants, the appearance of socialist ideologies promoted by Karl Marx and Frederick Engels (The Communist Manifesto of 1848). The only positive element of this revolution was *land for those who work it*.

- The Russian Revolution of 1917 was a real political test, an experiment: to test whether and how the people might live in a *communist society* where the all-powerful and dictatorial government dictates everything. Just as in the case of the French Revolution, the Russian Revolution had its own Robespierre, Vladimir Ilitch Lenin, equally extremist, who also chopped the heads off many opponents. In fact, the price paid by those who opposed socialism/communism has been presented in Chapter Three.
- The extreme left, the Russian and German socialists, managed to create the worst, most brutal tragedies that humans have ever seen: *socialism/communism*. While most people know that in Soviet Russia has been created a socialist state, that in the latter years has been called communism, very few are aware that Nazi Germany had the same political system: *socialism*! That the government, in fact, Adolf Hitler himself, had the power to decide everything that happens in Germany. Hitler's comrade, Joseph Stalin, in Communist Russia, has designed a similar dictatorship. Together, these two tyrants have killed many millions of innocent people, just because they have opposed a socialist/communist dictatorship. Socialism/communism failed to demonstrate that people could live in a socialist society, led by incompetent, deranged leaders.
- By late 1980's the *elite* of the world realized that the *creation of socialist/communist societies* was a *great failure, a human disaster*. Corrections were necessary to be introduced, and *fake revolutions* (the *velvet revolutions of 1989*) have been created in Eastern Europe to justify the transfer from failing communism to a new form of democracy: ***controlled democracy***! Another political experiment. Since many of the former communists and secret police agents are still part of the decision-making apparatus, several countries in Eastern Europe are still struggling. The incompetent former socialist/communist leaders have become sort of *thieves-in-charge*, stealing from the government for individual benefit. *Oligarchy* is present everywhere, and the *thieves-in-charge* are them.

Why are the *elite* anti-patriots?

Why does the *elite* of the world support leftist ideologies and political systems? The reason can be found in the history of the past centuries. There seems to be a consensus that some members of the *elite* society are Jewish. Over time Jewish financiers have acquired great wealth but have never been accepted at the same table with the nobility of the Middle Ages or among the political leaders of the past centuries. They were isolated, segregated and even despised by the bigwigs of the past societies. Many of them were also denied the citizenship of the country they lived in. No citizenship, no rights!

These realities seem to be the reason why the elite have turned left. To avoid social segregation and the resurgence of Nazism and the human cost that resulted from it. Therefore, the elite had to find a method to influence the world proportional to their financial status. They had to confront the right to share the power, the decision-making machinery of the society. This explains the political engineering that occurred from the French Revolution up to our current generation: to reverse the way the societies of the rich and powerful are organized.

At the same time, it is important to refer to another consensus in the world:

- *conservatives*, the patriots of a society, tend to lean to the *right*
- *elite*, the financial powerhouses of the world, tend to lean to the *left*

The ***conservatives***, the *patriots*, want their country to succeed, to produce wealth for themselves, and the entire society. Moreover, they want to promote conservative values ***God, country, national dignity***. Real patriots simply want *law and order* so that people can live decently and enjoy life and family.

The conservative policy regarding the minorities is supposed to be a dignified one: *opportunity* to excel, *good education*, use vouchers for the underprivileged to have access to good education, learn a trade to have the *opportunity*. Opportunity is the key to a conservative-led society. Improper education may never offer an opportunity to minorities. Do you want the opportunity to have a better job? Educate yourself first. Learn a trade. With a good education, opportunities will arise, and personal, and family satisfaction will be a reality.

The *elite*, the *left*, on the other hand, promote failed leftist, socialistic political systems, mondialism, United Nations, and even world government, where they can influence the events of the world. These political concepts are contrary to the political philosophy of the right. By now you, the reader, are familiar with what the *left* had to offer in the past. People desire *freedom and a sovereign country*. However, nobody should exclude fair and respectful cooperation between the *elite* and the *conservatives*, between sovereign nations (Chapter Eight).

For the *left*, minorities mean lots of votes: I will help you, I will give you welfare, social assistance, and food stamps if you *vote for me!* This is *corruption of the worse kind*. You make *minority's dependent on socials programs*. Not opportunity, just dependence of corruption by a political party. Victimization, to constantly justify why some Americans are failing in the American society, a disservice to people with creative potential and dignity.

Slavery is part of the US history that cannot be denied. However, to constantly remind minorities, especially the blacks, about slavery and that they are victims of a resentful part of the history of the USA is wrong.

History is the past. Regretfully, it cannot be changed and erased from anybody's memory. However, you must *liberate yourself* from the midst of the past and educate yourself to improve opportunities. This is what a person with dignity should do.

The political struggle we are witnessing these days, especially after the election of Mr. Donald J. Trump as the President of the US, brings two political systems in a very confrontational status. The struggle between the two political fronts is vitriolic and increasing. The *left* does not seem to accept the results of the 2016 presidential elections. Both the Democrats in the Congress, and the media, oppose, obstruct and revolt on the streets of this great nation against the *right*, and directly confront President Trump and his administration.

The Elite: Selected Policies

If the *elite* wants influence and control, they must find more vigorous methods not just the failed anti-right policies of the past. Just to appeal to methods such as the Republicans are the super-rich of the society, Republicans are racists, against abortion, etc. Those are failed policies of failed and inefficient social engineering. Therefore, a new policy of social engineering is visible in the US and Europe:

Destabilization of the US and Europe

If you want to control, you must *change the existing status in the society*. This is exactly what happened after the Russian Communists managed to take control of the Russian Empire after the 1917 revolution. The traditions that defined Russia were already spoiled. Eliminated. Destroyed! Now same methods are used in the US. The extreme left is applying the same methods. *Take the gloves off and dictate! Destroy*. Among the new actions necessary to destabilize and transform the US into a new socialist country are:

- The **traditions** of the US and Western society represent an impediment to those who want to change and transform. *Individual responsibilities* must change into *collective responsibility*. You see, *individualism* is old-fashioned, retrograde, past. We must move to *collective mentality*, to implement what the community wants to achieve in the society. Individuals do not matter anymore to the new *collective mentality*. A community, a country, is not made from individual persons anymore. We must accept the wish of the community, accept a collective mentality. We must change the past to modern life and concepts. The old must go to make room for another society.
However, one might remember what Winston Churchill said:
” *Those who fail to learn from history are doomed to repeat it.*”
- **Destroy the statues of the Confederate leader's** means to wipe out part of the US history. To the *new movement*, the statues represent racism and discrimination. To others, they are an illustration of what happened in the past, and an opportunity to learn from it and to make sure it will not be repeated. *History, good or bad, defines a nation*. Unfortunately, history cannot be changed. However, you can learn from it. What the *mob* of the *left* has been doing in August 2017 is a *selective injustice* to a nation that intends to heal the wounds of the past and move ahead as a united nation.
- **Religion**, to the *left*, is retrograde, decadent and a myth implanted in the minds of people for centuries. God does not exist! Nor does Jesus! Religious concepts restrict the society to improve and modernize. Religion represents morality for the *right*. The *left* does not need that. The society needs to liberate itself from the mysticism of religion. Eliminate religion and make room for the new preachers, leaders of the *leftist society*. However, the question is what to do with the thousands of churches existing in the US? Will the *left* apply the same methods used with the statues of the Confederates?
- **Mentalities**, how you think, life principles, conduit, and values, represent the past. Good and bad is just a notion in an inhibited mind. The family is also old-fashioned. We must submit ourselves to the new mentality because the *government thinks and cares* for our lives. We are against the old way of thinking, and traditions. We need to change the

mentality, and trust government, and the unselfish leaders, collective rulers of the society. We must live and accept a collective mentality where each of us must submit ourselves to the power of community, collectivism, socialism...

- **Culture** is also part of the past, part of the Western retarded society. It represents a backward concept and an impediment to the progress towards a *collectivist culture*, a culture that evokes the working class, the proletariat, the heroic workers from state factories and collective farms. In addition, our comrades from Hollywood should make movies to praise the proletariat class, and workers of collective farms, who sacrifice their energy for our collective benefit. Hymns and books must be dedicated to the great leaders of our beloved government. *Why not statues?*

Classical culture must be eliminated as the Nazis and communists did it in the past: Nazis have burned books, organized *Kristallnacht* against the Jews, to make room for the new books praising the genius of Hitler. The Russian communists, on the other hand, destroyed statues of the Tsars, and the libraries and bookstores were filled-up with the new socialist publications

At the same time other forms of social engineering and anti-US propaganda are visible in some segments of the media (New York Times, Washington Post, LA Times, Chicago Tribune, CNN, ABC, NBC, MSNBC):

- **Discredit** the US and Europe: unjust, *racist*, and, therefore *illegitimate societies*. They are a product of the capitalist economic system, discriminatory, exploitive, and against the working class.
- **The US is a flawed society** because it elected President Donald J. Trump
- **The US is not worth defending** as is today. It serves just the interests of the rich Republicans. It must be changed, remade and rebuilt as per the wishes of the *elite*
- US condones **white supremacists**, and right-wing extremists (Nazis, and the KKK)
- **New laws** are necessary to change the power from the citizens to the government, the *all mighty government*. Ultimately, the goal might even be to *change the US Constitution*. To let the *elite* do impose own laws in the new society
- **Open borders** is promoted by many political and even some religious groups. Let everybody in! We do not need discriminatory borders that keep away people to come to the US. The US is a nation of immigrants. Who cares about American identity?
- **Demoralize US citizens** by propagating, in the media, just negative news, bad economic news, (where have the media been during the Obama Administration?), the disasters of climate change, demonstrations where red flags of socialism/communism are waived, Black Lives Matter (why not: all American Lives Matter?), illegal immigration, North Korea nuclear threat, terrorism, Islamization of Europe, etc.
- **Divisiveness** must be stopped. It is against the interest of the people of US and political suicide for the *left*. Learn from the past mistakes and try to improve the future. However, the *left* still promotes it. Loyal to the adage of *Divide et Impera*, divide and conquer, the *left* is a clear promotor of the divisiveness of the American society. When the *left* accuses the *right* of being racist, that minorities do not have a fair share, claim economic

discrimination, and don't accept the suggestions of the right for better education (vouchers) for minorities, they, in fact, are the discriminators. They want, for political reasons, to divide and conquer.

Question: *If the US is such a dilapidated, racist, insensitive, discriminatory and dysfunctional society how can the left explain the attraction US represents for millions of people wanting to immigrate to America?*

On the contrary, US is a unique, humane, dynamic and especially *free* society that had offered so many opportunities to millions of people for the past 200 years. Why? Simply because the US is the greatest success story in the world. Why do the immigrants not knock at the doors of Cuba, Venezuela, North Korea, China, Iran, and Russia? They are already socialist societies. Why destroy the US for an elusive dream of socialism and big government that has never worked? That has always failed in any society that has been tried.

Destabilization methods: The Trojan Horse against the US and Europe

To change the way a society works you must *change the social and political status quo*. To apply new or recycled methods with the ingenuity that can transform the country into a dysfunctional place, just ready for drastic changes. The left manufactures these methods with the goal of eliminating socio-cultural and political traditions of the country and make room for new, revolutionary transformations led by the Democrats and their leftist/socialistic cohorts. In the case of most revolutions, this is what happens. Often with the high cost of human lives.

For many years, the *left* has worked on transforming the US into a semi- or if possible a *socialist society*. A difficult task but they are persistent. They invest lots of energy and capital for many years to reach their political goal: **A Socialist America**. *Hope and Change*, the Obama's political doctrine, supposed to be just one stage on the road of transforming America into a leftist/socialist society. As such, Mr. Obama had an important role in the *left's* policy of changing the US into a socialist country.

Unfortunately for the elite, but fortunately for all of us, Mr. Obama did not have what was necessary to achieve this leftist dream. However, in the process, Mr. Obama indebted all Americans with nine (9) trillions! These incredible amounts of money without being able to show anything for it! Where is that money? What did the government do with this huge sum of money? Even the American socialists do not have an answer to this question.

The *left* is using this social equation to achieve their goals:

- *The elite create the doctrines and the slogans (#Resist, Black lives matter, Trump is a fascist, etc.) and the methodology to implement it*
- *The left, the Democrats, are applying it at the grassroots level, and*
- *The professional demonstrators are the soldiers in the first line of the battle. They are the revolutionary guards that make things happen. They may join their brothers, the*

revolutionary, political assassins of the last century: Lenin, Stalin, Hitler, Castro, Maduro, etc.

The methods used for the destabilization of America and Europe are briefly analyzed below:

a) Demonstrations

Demonstrations for a cause are not novel actions. For more than 200 years, demonstrations were used to make political changes in every revolutionary event, by creating chaos, confusion, and influence among the passive population.

Present day demonstrations had a prelude to the peaceful demonstrations of 1960-1980's. In that time communist Russia paid for these demonstrations and transformed them into anti-Western political statements. Many thousands of confused young people have participated in the peace demonstrations. They were bused from many parts of Europe or America to show their anti-war emotions without knowing that the organizers were socialists/communists and paid by Communist Russia.

Now, similar demonstrations are organized in the USA. The only difference is that the demonstrations are organized by the left, and the Democrats. Who pays the bill for busing, housing and transportation to the demonstration site? The *left*, Mr. George Soros, and the *elite*.

America is being attacked from within. Not everybody is delighted that America has strongest economic, political and military power in the world. Certainly, not Russia, China, or the Mullahs in Tehran or Ankara, Turkey. You may also include on this list the *elite* of the world. They could have higher influence and better control of the world affairs without the existence of USA. To make this comment more complete you may say: the *elite* are not thrilled to see Donald J. Trump as the President of the US. His program for the development of America, trade policies, new investments in the military, his anti-mondialism, disregard for climate change, and against illegal immigration may affect the interests of the *elite*. As seen in Chapter Eight, there are clear possibilities to work together for everyone's benefit.

The multitude of demonstrations witnessed today represents a real cultural war between the Left and the Right. Yet, they have some common ideological goals:

- Demonstrators are paid, professional activists. Some take part in leftist demonstrations because of being paid-professionals, others as a proof of their allegiance to the left/socialistic ideology. Most are university students brainwashed by university professors and the leftist media
- Many of them have been seen in most leftist demonstrations, from Baltimore to Charlottesville, GA, to Hamburg, Germany, at the G20 reunion (the top 20 economic countries meet to discuss world economic issues).
- Allegedly, the professional demonstrators are paid \$ 2,500.00 per month plus \$25-50 per hour during the demonstration. Not bad at all for the unemployed, recently graduated students, brainwashed by a group of anti-American professors.

- Want defiance, violence, to *destabilize* society, create havoc in the society and blame everything on the Republicans or President Trump for it. Among the demonstrators, there are also paid brawlers who provoke fights with whoever is around, damage private properties and blame the extremists, right-wingers for everything.
- Lately, demonstrators use posters to equate Trump with Hitler, to proclaim that Trump is a Nazi. This is the new method of attacking the President, compromise him and discredit him with his supporters.



Figure 7.1 An anti-Nazi poster proclaiming that *Nazis are not welcome* to the leftist/socialist demonstrations. Did the leftist demonstrators forget that they are ideological brothers of the Nazi-socialists? In reality, the leftist demonstrators should invite their ideological brothers, the socialists/communists, to their demonstrations: *Commies are Welcome*

- Take the statues of the Confederate leaders down is a new form of primitivism. Destroy! Destroy! Destroy! Eradicate the past, eliminate the US history and make room for *OUR* history. The history of Socialist America to come!
- When will the US government de-communize America, the media, Hollywood, universities and some of their professors, teachers, leaders of workers unions, and the Democrats? The Democratic Party that should be renamed it into *Socialist Party of America*. Because this is who they are. During the Charlottesville, GA demonstration the *left* has accused the *right* of being fascists. However, the only flag waved during the demonstration was the *red, the communist flag!* .
- At the Charlottesville demonstration some questionable elements have occurred that need answers:

-why was the permit for demonstrations issued for the same time and in the same area? In most cities, the demonstration permits are issued at different time or at different Places.

-Why didn't the Police separate the *right* (Unite the Right) demonstrators from the *leftist* counter-demonstrators? .

- Most *leftist* demonstrations end-up in violence. Remember that Lenin and Hitler have also started with violence.
- Several posters and placards accuse the *right* of being supporters of KKK. Let us remind the *leftist* demonstrators that the only politician belonging to KKK was Robert Byrd, a Democrat! He has organized in Sophia, VA, in early 1940's a KKK Chapter with a group of 150 friends. Any reactions from the media? Did you see anybody being revolted that a

Congressman, Robert Byrd (D,VA) has been a KKK supporter? The media? The demonstrators?

- Most of the demonstrators, especially those who dumped down on the ground the statue of Robert Lee, were confused young whites with twisted minds and brainwashed by their professors. We hope that these professors must be proud of their teaching and manipulating job, for what they have produced: *incapable to think for themselves, socialist robots*.
- By the way, your socialist brother, Nicolas Maduro, the President of Venezuela, convinced communist who has ruined the economy of his rich country by applying communist economic methods, needs your help. So far, he killed some 70 demonstrators during the summer of 2017 against his communist policies and for bread, liberty, and democracy. A cynical person might say: with your leftist brothers from the US, Maduro might do a better job against his citizen's hungry for bread but also for freedom.

b) Invasion of Refugees: an effective method of Destabilisation

Many readers have already heard about the refugee's invasion of Europe from Syria, Iraq, Yemen, Libya and Northern Africa and the tragedies provoked by them. Young, ready to fight, aliens, constantly invade Southern Europe, Greece, Italy France and Spain. Originally, Europeans were disturbed by the new social phenomenon, believing that the war in Syria is the culprit, to avoid the atrocities of war. However, many reports showed that the invasion of refugees was not an accident caused by the war in Syria but rather that everything has been *organized to happen*. Including the war. That the adage: *nothing happens by accident but rather by design* is a reality. Some even call it a *conspiracy* organized by the *elite* to destabilize Europe.

Let us analyze what really happens and how it is organized. To bring to Europe millions of refugees, it is an expensive experiment. Everything has started at the beginning of 2010's. The organizers, the *elite*, have created NGO (non-governmental organizations) whose actual scope was to supervise and implement the transportation plans of the refugees to Southern European countries of Greece, Italy, France and Spain.

The leaders of the NGO have recruited people from the area, such as Syria, North Africa, to gather displaced persons from war-torn Syria, put them in refugee camps and organize their trip towards Europe effectively. Among the recruiters are also some ISIS (Islamic State in Iraq and Syria) fighters from Syria. The ISIS recruiters are paid \$1,000 for each displaced person they bring to camps and for a safe passage to Europe.

The NGO's also use smugglers and criminal groups to ensure that the attack on Europe will be successful. All *the above groups hate Western values* and would do anything possible to offend and harm the white, Christian Europeans. From refugee camps, the displaced people are organized in columns and transported towards the Mediterranean Sea. At selected locations, there are boats ready to take the refugees to Greece, Sicily in Italy and Southern France. Lately, North African

refugees from that region but also from Sub-Sahara region invade Southern Spain. The scope of many refugees is to reach Germany. The richest country in Europe.

Germany has been an attraction for many refugees for a long time, particularly from Eastern Europe, but now the scope of sending the new refugees to Germany had a clear goal: to *break up and mix up the resilient German people*. To destabilize it and convert it into an obedient nation. Or else! Typical propaganda of the *left* during the refugee crisis of the past two years was to organize *pro-refugee demonstrators* with posters proclaiming: *Welcome to Germany!* Actually, they are not welcome to Germany or any other European countries. Even naïve people have started to learn the theatrics of refugees and its scope.

Question 1: *Did anybody ask the German people what they want? If they agree to receive more than 1.5 million refugees? That, as a dignified nation, Germany has the right to decide for itself the direction of their highly respected nation, to continue its civilized road for peace, human, social and economic development.*

Question 2: *Why are refugees directed only to Europe and not to the rich Middle Eastern countries? Including Saudi Arabia?*

To sum up, it is important to mention in clear terms the shocking reality of the goal of the refugee's invasion of Europe:

- To *break up the solid monolith of white, Christians* people of Europe. To divide and conquer, to make a huge infusion of people of color into the white population of Europe to *easier lead and control the Europeans*.
- To make the *whites a minority in their own country and continent*, the land they occupy it since the beginning of times.
- The same plan did not work well in the US mostly because of Presidents Trump's position on alien immigration.

To bring over 1.5 million refugees to Europe is not a simple matter. Therefore, the *elite* needed several NGO's to organize and transport them but also to cover the cost of this difficult transaction. As usual, *George Soros*, the multi-billionaire, was the tip of the spear. He coordinated everything and had a grant of *\$13 plus billions* to meet all the financial needs for the transportation and to cover the cost of collateral demonstrations. A great amount of money has also been used to organize *pro-refugee demonstrations*, to mislead the world into believing that the refugees were welcome to Europe.

Refugees: the new Slavery of our times

Slavery did not start with young Africans traded by Muslim traffickers to America in 1619. It existed since the antiquity, when the prisoners of war became slaves, especially in the Roman Empire. From the 17th century on a lucrative slave trade has brought young Africans to America with money invested by some financiers from Southern Spain, especially from Malaga. The

intermediaries, those who purchased the young and strong blacks from the chiefs of African tribes for some ridiculous gifts, like colored glass, were Muslim slave traders from North Africa. Informed people know rest of the history of slavery.

To some people, however, the slave trade from Africa to the US is seen as parallelism with the ordeal experienced by the refugees from the Middle East and North Africa on their way to Europe. Except that most refugees, present-day slaves, were paid to leave their country whereas the African slaves were chained, shipped to America, with many of them dying of malnutrition and miserable conditions during the transatlantic transportation.

The refugees are not welcome to Europe. Nor are they needed. The Europeans have already a very dense population, especially in Western and Central Europe, and are not in the needs of additional people. However, there is also a problem with newcomers, since the history of their assimilation in the Western society is not a positive one. Especially for the Muslim people. As such, many of them live in ghettos in several countries, especially in France, UK, Belgium, Holland, and Germany. This appears to be a kind of segregation. However, it is self-inflicted segregation since the Muslims do not accept inter-religious marriages unless one is converting to Islam.

The benefits of the elite' plan to invade Europe with refugees are the Islamist extremists. Those who are part of the armada of Islamists that intend to transform Europe into a Muslim state. To enlarge the Caliphate throughout Europe, to make the Mullahs happy manipulators.

For ISIS, the invasion of Europe with refugees is an important opportunity to *implant terrorists* among the refugees that were relocated to Western Europe. Thousands of ISIS fighters are terrorizing Europe. Just in August 2017, some 1000 terrorists were in Western Europe, from Spain to Austria. As a result, terrorist's atrocities have occurred in August 2017 in several European countries, such as Spain, France, Germany, Finland, Sweden, and the UK.

c. Immigration

A touchy subject for some and a survival issue for others. It is understandable that immigrants want a better life. Interestingly enough, the countries most immigrants want to go to are exactly those that are *hated* by migrating people from the Middle East and Africa. The target countries are in Europe, North America, Australia and New Zealand. As some countries are already overpopulated, the target countries are closer to the state of being saturated with people soliciting entry visas. The issue at hand is overpopulation vs., oversaturation. Some of the issues that must be examined are:

Existentialism. For Europe, immigration is an *existentialist* issue: we vs. them. We, the Western world with a *fertility rate of 1.8 %* vs. the *third world countries with a fertility rate between 3.1 to 4.8 %*. (Sub-Saharan). ***This is an existentialist issue!*** In other words, some have too many people while others have more than enough. The future will create many asperities between the West and the East/South. To mention it directly, without hypocrisy or prejudice, a long-term solution must be examined and implemented.

Take an example from the UK:

- *In 2014, the white population of UK was 87.1 %.*

- *The prediction for 2050 is drastically different: the white population will decrease to 70%!*
- *What will be the percentage in 2150?*

The state of demographics in the US (population of 323 million) is even more problematic. The major factor for change in demographics is the discrepancy between the fertility rate of whites and minorities. In addition, immigration will also be a major factor that might drastically change America. Please consider the following statistics and predictions (Pew Research Center, 2016):

- *In 2016, the proportion of white population was 76.9% (US Census Bureau of 2016)*
- *By 2044, the white population will cease to be the majority.*
- *This trend might even accelerate so that by 2055 the whites will become a clear minority, and*
- *In 2065 the proportion of white Americans will decrease to 46%.*

Question: *how will the new Americans treat the white minority after 2055? If the demonstrations of late 2017 can be used to predict the future, the conclusion might not be very rosy.*

Now is the time to be realistic and make some very important decisions regarding the inter-racial relationships, immigration, and quality of education. Better education for improved opportunities for minorities and inter-group social relationships is a vital issue.

Integration has been a disappointing problem for the West since many immigrants resist the notion of assimilation. Both religion and/or race has become an impediment to a successful assimilation. The opposite to assimilation is ghettoization of newcomers.

Anti-white propaganda. Extreme left hooligans and the Democrats promote an anti-white, anti-traditionalism, anti-family rhetoric. To intimidate the whites, they are called racists, bigots, and guilty of everything that went wrong in the past 200 years. The blonde-haired people are under attack in some university campuses or during demonstrations. People with blond hair are openly intimidated and threatened. Traditional marriage is ridiculed. Instead, *transsexualism is in fashion!* Try to imagine what will happen to the US white population after 2055, when they will be in the minority! Is it going to become very ugly?

Liberty and sovereignty of one's own country must also be discussed. Is this racism? I do not think so. Some people might consider it **reverse racism**. Why doesn't the West have the right to their own country? The right to live the same way as their ancestors did for millennia. With their own identity, religion, customs, culture, and values. If the rights in the Western societies are not respected, this might be called *selective injustice!*

Diversity. The Vice President of the European Commission, Mr. Frans Timmermans, said that EU needs *diversity*. Why Mr. Timmermans? Did it work in Holland, your country of origin? No, it did not! It might be quite an original proposal to demonstrate how diversity works in your own family. Try to exemplify this concept by **sharing** your own home with few families of refugees. Why not? By the way, Mr. Timmermans, why does only Europe need diversity and not other countries? Why diversity is not needed in China, India, and Japan where their ethnicity is 99%? They do not have a diverse, but rather a monolithic ethnical society. Same as in the Middle East and Africa.

Sidebar: Why diversity is needed only in the societies where the whites are in majority?

Assist the East and the South. The West is not *against* anybody. It is for, for ***our right to have own country and live as per our traditions, mentality, values, and culture***. However, the West also has the desire to assist the East and South with specific social and economic programs. With a family control program doubled up by assistance in economic development. *This is a Christian and a human way, the desire to assist the needy people from developing countries to improve their standard of living, education, healthcare and regain their dignity.* A recent example can give credit to the above suggestion: France has built-in 2017 a new Dacia auto factory in Morocco. Very successful cooperation between France and Morocco. Moreover, this kind of programs can be multiplied with many other programs in other countries of the East and South.

Conclusions:

- **Socialist-minded groups are in control or want to control the hearts and minds of the American nation. Unless we can find a better way (Direct Democracy and better international cooperation), the struggle for America will continue.**
- **If we do not try to change the political system of Parliamentary Democracy and accept Direct Democracy, the people of the world have not learned anything from the atrocities of the 20th Century.**
- **The *elite*, allegedly, has directed many policies of the world for the past more than 200 years. What did they realize so far? How can they justify the atrocities that have happen in the world during all these years?**
- **The *left* of the US and the world feel victimized! Why? Have they ever been exposed to exterminations like their Europeans counterparts who opposed socialism and communism? Who organized the two Holocausts, the Black and Red Holocaust? Not the *right*. On the contrary, the *left*: the Nazi socialists and the Russian Communists. We should all remember what happened in Europe between 1917-1954 and say in unison: *Never Again!***
- **Most demonstrators are very aggressive, intolerant leftists/socialists.**
- **Do not accept to see university graduates become a *social surplus*, the social excess of the American society. Only a new investment in the US industries and infrastructure can transform this social surplus into a dynamic and constructive youth. Oh yes, and try to also decrease the courses in social sciences that abound in most universities.**
- **It is rather difficult to create a decent society by showing support just for the *left extremists* and the leftist media.**
- **You may recall Newton's third law of motion: "For any action, there is an equal and opposite reaction." This law of physics can also have an application in social sciences: The *Left*, should not push the *right* too much without expecting a reaction of equal magnitude! Stop the intent of creating a World Government! It will never work since there are many people who feel the pride of who they are: Americans, Germans, Swedish, Mexicans, French, or Romanians**

- **Immigration policy:** has anybody asked the people of the US and Europe if they want more immigrants to destabilize their society? Why not? Who has the right to make decisions on behalf of most people of a country?
- ***Implement Direct Democracy to create a peaceful world.***
- **I have always admired the USA. In my family, the Americans were always revered. However, the hate I witnessed between the *left* and the *right* in America is unacceptable and must stop. My father, who has died from being in the communist labor camps in Romania for eight years, could be extremely shocked to see today's America. He might agree with me that the only solution to this deep hatred is *Direct Democracy*. With no ideology and political parties. Just professional managers and administrators.**

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Most people are aware of the existence of some not very thrilling aspects of human behavior: crimes, miseries, and wars. Often there is a total disrespect for human lives. Therefore, it is our responsibility, of all humans of the world, to take drastic actions and apply a diversity of methods to create a different world. A better world. *When we want, everything is possible*, including reciprocal respect, denuclearization, prohibition of an arms race, denounce wars, and imperialism and isolate mentally deranged leaders. No more Stalins and Hitlers!

Before discussing an attainable world political system, Pax Constantia, constant peace, we must purge the world of the sins of the past, such as de-ideologization. Then, we must propose better structures for a world federation, world trade (multipolarity), and family planning to inhibit overpopulation with its negative effects on human goodwill and progress.

De-ideologization of Planet Earth

Remember the past to avoid same mistakes in the future!

We, the entire human race, must remember the atrocities of the last century and work together for a better world. However, a new world of political and international relationships based on respect, tolerance, and civility will not be possible without first eliminating the ideological intoxication committed by the Nazi and communist.

De-Nazification vs. De-communization

During the 1933-1945 in Germany and between 1917-1991 in Russia and Eastern Europe many atrocities have occurred. Both the Black and Red Holocausts resulted in millions of human beings eliminated from our world on the altar of deadly ideologies. In the name of aggressive ideologies, socialism and communism ideologies, many people never had the opportunity to enjoy life, a simple but beautiful life, just because some crazy lunatics believed in their deranged mind they have the key to Heavens. A socialist Heaven. Instead, the key opened the door to a socialist Hell.

De-Nazification

After WWII, the winning Western allies decided to displace any remnants of Nazism, removing from power any former Nazis from both Germany and Austria. Washington, D.C. and those pulling the strings of power in the capital city of USA, in fact, have ordered de-Nazification, often using some German nationals. The de-Nazification process has utilized several methods:

- The trial for war crimes, for the high-ranking Nazi were held in *Nuremberg* and sentences were given to all. Many have seen the trials as *victor's justice* imposed on defeated Germany.
- *Detention* camps where almost 1 million former Nazis were detained. Another 2 million were not allowed to work in any profession except manual work.
- *Censorship* was also used to de-Nazify Germany with the scope of eliminating the possibility of promoting Nazism or militarism. The Allies have placed under their control the nations' media, printed, radio, theatres, books, and cinemas.
- *Nazi symbols*, such as the German Adler (eagle), and swastika have been removed from buildings, including from the Nuremberg stadium where Nazi rallies were held.
- *Nazi bureaucrats* removed from any state or local offices.
- *Collective guilt*, a psychological technique that supposed to *punish* and make the entire German nation responsible for Nazism and the atrocities that happen during 1933-1945. German media, controlled by the Allies, exposed the German public to diverse forms of information regarding what happened in concentration camps.

The techniques of de-Nazification managed to *humiliate* the Germans, a proud, diligent and efficient nation. However, many of them still believed that the process of de-Nazification was mostly an exercise of propaganda and disinformation. However, nobody can deny that Nazism existed, and its result was the Black Holocaust.

If the elite wants to defeat Nazism first, they must defeat socialism because Nazism is a brand of socialism/communism. Please remember that Hitler had imposed on Germany a *command economy*, dictated by him. For instance, the Krupp Steel industry and Porsche motors were given productions quotas directly from the state. And the state was Hitler. This is *command economy*, typical of socialist/ communist societies.

Socialist ideology, however, has not been eliminated yet. Not because it is a difficult operation but rather because the *elite* did not decide to do so. On the contrary, following WWII the *elite* of the world promoted socialism everywhere: from the US to Eastern Europe. Socialism was the ideology that supposed to abolish Nazism. The result was not a positive one and, therefore, do not be surprised if traces of Nazism may be detected in certain segments of some societies. ***Do you want to eliminate extreme left? Eliminate socialism dogma first!***

De-communization

The atrocities of the 20th century had, however, two major guilty parties: Nazism and Communism. *Nazism has been ostracised from Europe! Communism? Not yet!* It is still thriving in many parts of the world and has a *new beginning in the US*. Just look at a leftist demonstration organized by the Democrats to see how many red flags, communist flags, the badly manipulated youth, university students or professional demonstrator's wave.

Ideologies of the left, from Marxism to Russian type of Communism, are part of the courses offered by many American universities. Equally true, most segments of the media are often discussing this topic without referring to the atrocities and crimes committed by the socialists/communists of the world. University campuses are the fertile ground for recruiting leftist propagandists and professional demonstrators. University professors are doing a disservice to the education system of US. To the taxpayers that provide them with a decent life and an envied profession. They manipulate sensitive minds with theories (socialism/communism) that has never succeeded in any country of the world.

Some professors are not educators but rather leftist propagandists. Why are these professors and the courses they teach necessary? Who benefits from their work? Karl Marx, Vladimir Lenin, Adolph Hitler or Joseph Stalin? How about the many millions sacrificed on the altar of resisting, fighting against the imposition by force of the worse political system human beings have ever experienced?

Sidebar: *Is anybody monitoring what some professors teach in his or her courses? Why do State universities use taxes from American people to promote communist propaganda among its students?*

While the Nazis have paid the price for the atrocities they have committed (1933-1945), the communist's world did not yet. With great concern for political fairness, these questions remain unanswered:

- ***When will the world see a Nuremberg-type trial for the crimes committed by socialists and communists against the humanity between 1917-1991?***
- ***When will the US authorities build a Memorial for the Red Holocaust (1917-1991) in Washington, D.C.?***

Goodbye Uni-polarity. Welcome Multi-polarity

Since 1870, the US has been the strongest economy on Planet Earth. The secret of the American economic success lies in one word: ***freedom! Economic freedom.*** Most immigrants left behind them a rigid Europe with too many restrictions and an inter-class struggle. In the US they have found a classless society, with very few economic restrictions. Success in the American society was directly dependent on the desire of the people to work, to build a decent life for themselves and their family. This is why America became successful.

As America became the best economy, it has also been able to build the strongest military in the world. America's success, especially after WWII, has made her the most influential country on Earth. A strong America, a unipolar world, made the *elite* look indistinctive, without much cloud in the world of political manipulation. The same reaction came from China and especially from Putin's Russia. While Russia wants visibility, Putin desires respect and power. Respect has always been Russian leaders' Gordian knot, a sensitive issue.

A *unipolar* world, the domination of the world by a single nation has become a *cry wolf*, a non-acceptance policy for the *elite*. Therefore, for the past few years, *multi-polarity* is promoted everywhere in the world. Multi-polarity means a world that divides the power among several nations, such as America, China, Russia, EU, Canada, and Brazil. Multi-polarity can be a more successful and easier to dominate method if the world is divided into several centers of economic development and political powers.

During the Obama administration, the *elite* has been very successful simply because Barack Obama was also part of the *elite*. President Obama was our man in Washington! However, the election of President Donald J. Trump has scrambled all the calculations made by the *elite*. Trump wants to make America Great Again. However, the elite are not thrilled about it. Therefore, *Welcome to a multi-polar world*.

President Trump is under attack every single day and from every direction possible. Fake news media, the Democrats, and the anti-Trump demonstrators form the first line of attack. While the media is the propaganda tool that poisons the mind of the people everywhere, the Democrats are the implementers of the policies of the *elite* in the US. Demonstrators, on the other hand, are the hounds used to attack the President in packs.

Media: from an Agency of Information to a Propaganda Agency

The first human written message has been found in Romania (Tartaria) dated in 5300-5500 BC., some 7000 years ago, and two thousand years older than the cuneiform letters impressed on a clay plate with a stylus (a kind of pencil) in 3200 B.C. in Mesopotamia (today's Iraq). However, writing used as a method of communicating information has appeared in Egypt, where the pharaohs used scribes to send information to the governors of Egypt's provinces around 3000 B.C.

Historically, written information for the public appeared in Venice in 1556, *Notizie Scritte* (written notice), when the governor published monthly information regarding the affairs of this city-state, as well as information about trade and the departure schedule of ships from Venice. Germany, England, France and Spain have used the same system shortly after that.

By late 1800's the role of the written media has changed dramatically in two directions:

1. public information on a large scale, and
2. educating the public on different subjects of importance

It did not take much time to discover that the mass media could inform, influence and model public attitude, opinions, especially on political matters. Since informed people had some visible influence, it is said that *information is power*.

The early 1900's represents a new phase in the proliferation of mass media. Recognizing the power of the press, the *elite* has started to organize their own media entities or recruit reporters that share the view and disseminate it throughout Europe and America. At the same time, young members of their families were motivated to become interested members of the world media. The 20th century might be called the *classic time* of the media because it used to *inform the public but not yet to create news*.

Freedom of the press was accepted from the early days of the printed media and, in the case of the US, it has been proclaimed by the First Amendment of the US Constitution on December 15, 1791. The rights of

the press to be free has also been promulgated by the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights in 1948: *everyone has the rights to freedom of opinion and freedom of expression, without interference.*

Reporters used to have an ethical and moral credo regarding their profession. However, that has drastically changed when political ideologies have surfaced during the Russian Revolution and at the time of Hitler's ascendance to power in Germany in 1933. Socialist's dictators in Russia and Germany were the first to subjugate the media and made a mockery of the freedom of the press. From that point on, throughout the years of socialist regimes in Europe and other parts of the world, mass media has become a toxic weapon in the hands of the *elite* and *leftist* politicians. ***Disinformation and propaganda have replaced ethics and morality. What used to be an agency of information has become a propaganda and misinformation agency.***

Now, we live in a world when the *mainstream media is mostly used to influence and manipulate public opinion*. Mainstream media, 80% being controlled by the *elite* and the Democratic Party, has become an ideological agency where *reporters were transformed into ideological agents*. Many see their role to *create news*, not to *report the news*! *Truth is not true anymore*. It is either *truth of the left* or *truth of the right*. Actual truth, honesty, ethics, and morality, have vanished in a deep fog of the classical past. Everything is ideology. Everything is politicized. Freedom of the press has succumbed to the ideology of the political parties, where *the winner takes all is the Democratic Party*. The ideological struggle has reached such a prominent role that many people became recalcitrant to the press, disrespecting mainstream media. Not surprising, the media has a very low approval rate (Pew Research Center, May 2017):

-Republicans: 11%

-Independent 15%

-Democrats 34%

The *left* has also changed the traditions of many countries by injecting policies such as *political correctness, affirmative actions, and constant attacks on the right, conservatives, religious groups*. Ethics and morality have been replaced in the world of the mainstream media with permissiveness, sexism, attack on traditional families, fashion, etc. Even Hollywood has been changed. Obscenities, vulgarity, faulty language has replaced the narrative and behavior in many movies. No wonder that some youngsters have a difficult time to behave with respect. Etiquette? This is old fashion and a bourgeoisie mentality and conduct.

Question: Have you ever seen a Hollywood movie where the realities of communist world and its criminals (Lenin and Stalin) have been exposed? Never. Just Hitler has been the draconian dictator. Stalin? No. Uncle Stalin was a nice old man.

Overpopulation and Family Planning

To some, family planning is heresy, to others a blessing. The reality is that overpopulation creates many concerns in the world: from unemployment to the perspective of exhausting natural resources. The more we are, the higher the demand for consumption. However, first, some statistics (Wikipedia, World Population Prospect, World Bank Data).

World population has increased quite dramatically in the past years. From a population of 1 billion in 1830, we will reach 10 billion by 2050. This is the evolution of population growth for the past 200 years:

1 billion in 1830; 2 billion in 1930; 3, in 1959; 4 in 1974; 5 in 1987, 7.4 in 2016, 9.7 by 2050 and almost 13 billion by 2100! In 2030 India is projected to have the highest number of people in the world: 1.53 billion!

Please consider the following projections for population growth for 2050:

- Earth population: almost 10 billion (9.7). Per continents the projection is clear in favor of developing areas of Asia, and Africa:
 - 5.3 billion in Asia and Oceania (countries of the Pacific Ocean area)
 - 2.5 billion in Africa
 - 1.2 billion in both Americas
 - 1.2 billion in Europe

Once again, the white population of America and Europe will grow the slowest by far.

Population growth, or more correctly, *overpopulation*, will create incredible economic problems, such as the exhaustion of natural resources, lack of availability of agricultural land and a dwindling quantity of food production, urban sprawling. There will be water and sewage system problems, shortages of minerals and metals, plus infrastructure issues, increased unemployment, and longevity. Some of us will live much longer. At the same time, the sustainability of the quality of life will be questionable: pollution, environment, and deforestation will be essential issues. We already have more asphalt and concrete around us than forests. Nature lovers will have to travel long distances to see unpolluted land and forests populated with some wild animals. To overcome the depletion of natural resources future humans may have to travel to Mars, Venus or Neptune. This might be the life of the future.

As overpopulation will be a future reality, other critical issues will have to be resolved:

- Unemployment: At the fertility rate of 5.4% per many African women, the employment availability is somber.
- Too many children and a peculiar quality of education, low comprehension of science subjects, will create an unemployment crisis in both Asia and Africa. Unless the future also creates some miracles, like better education, especially in areas of future technology, the employment in these two continents will disappoint many people. By 2030, the migration to Europe might be a venture of the past. Europe is already overpopulated
- The technologies of the future, 2030-2050, will be based on artificial intelligence, robotics nanotechnologies, futuristic engineering, etc. Those who will provide good, high-quality education, will be the winners of economic development of the future
- Future areas in economic development will require low numbers of unqualified people. What types of jobs will be available to them? The example of US, where some 96 million people are not in the current labor force, this might be an alarm signal. Unemployment and social assistance will create great hardships within the societies of the future. Tolerance for the system will be in short supply
- Since robotics, mechanization, and automation will require a reduced workforce, and even reduced working hours, employment will become a critical issue of future societies. Unemployment may rise drastically and result in many social convulsions and problems between the haves and have-nots. Urgent *reformation of education* is the only solution to the employment crisis of the future. People without a science background might not have too many opportunities to find jobs. The education system in the US and other countries, with so much concern for sociology rather than

exact sciences, must be drastically and urgently reformed. Artificial intelligence and other high-tech domains are the future. Is your country's education system ready for the future?

If education reform and training into the hi-tech industries of the future are neglected, what will be the prospects of employment for many millions? What will happen to the extra people? Hunger, misery, revolution, and wars?

Parallel with educational reform it might also be necessary to apply specific measures to slow down population growth via family planning. Take for example the situation of Nigeria (World Bank Data):
- population in 2016: 186 million

- fertility rate: 5.6 per women

- projected population for 2050: over 300 million

Family planning might be the answer for many countries of the world, especially in the Muslim world, and in India, Africa, and South America. As much as the reality of the future might upset some people, future world issues may impose on a family of *maximum two children*. Or else...

United Nations vs. Federation of Sovereign Nations

The United Nations (UN) was organized on October 24, 1945, with the mission, among others, to *maintain peace, security and observe human rights* throughout the world. Instead, UN has proved to be a world organization with very little to show for the money it spends annually (\$7 billion annual budget) and a huge and rigid bureaucracy. If one would try to find the best term to describe UN this might be *ineptitude*.

Sidebar: *despite the 30 rights listed in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights nobody in the UN Assembly has ever raised the question regarding the violations of human rights by the communist regimes, or that Russia has illegally and without justification occupied territories from its neighbors. (Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Bessarabia and Northern Bucovina from Romania, Kurile Islands from Japan).*

UN, therefore, is rather an entity of empty rhetoric with no actions, where important decisions for the world are a rarity. Its statue is the main reason for lack of decisions: countries such as *US, China, Russia, UK, and France have the right to veto any decision they do not like!* If one of these five countries disapprove a decision made by the UN Assembly, a veto by any one of them annuls the decision. *UN is a bureaucratic giant with legs of clay.*

The UN assembly is divided into groups of countries with specific interests. Empty rhetoric, even insults made by a country or group of countries against the others has no meaning. In many instances, the UN policies are *left* of the center. At the same time, many resolutions were Anti-Israel. For instance, in 2016 UN has made 24 resolutions, 20 of them were anti-Israel. Certainly, any such decisions made by the Assembly do not have legs. Nobody can do anything against Israel or any other nations that have been accused of violating the UN Declaration of Human Rights, or the statue of UN.

Sidebar: *1 To many observers, the UN is an appendix of the elite whose objective is to progressively prepare the world for the World Government to come*

2. UN has always been an anti-American and anti-Israel organization

Since the UN has not demonstrated effectiveness to justify its existence, a new world organization must be created where the *interest of the participating nations and inter-nation cooperation has to be the reason for its existence and the main article of its stature.*

Please consider the following suggestions that must be the warrant of the new structure: Name:

Federation of Sovereign Nations (FESON)

- benevolent participation
- arbiter for better world relationships
- respect *the sovereignty* of each member, national identity and fair, fraternal cooperation between nations
- *economic cooperation, industrialization of developing countries, and reformation of education as per future economic needs* (stress science subjects)
- create wealth in other nations via fair and close economic cooperation in an ideology-free structure
- the annual meeting for 2-3 weeks
- headquarters in New York (in the former UN building)
- the headquarters will have a small office (and small budget) whose scope is coordination of the annual meetings and disseminate the necessary information to the FESON's membership
- at the end of the annual meeting, the coordinating committee will make a *non-binding recommendation* for future activities
- for best efficiency and coordination between the participating nations ***regional centers*** for FESON may be created in Malaysia for Asia, Kenya for Africa, Canada for North America, New Zealand for Oceania, Romania for EU, and Uruguay for South America.
NOTE: in this way, we can avoid the possibility of powerful nations to have more influence
- most discussion will be at a regional level and final recommendations made for the annual meeting

Suggested steps to implement Pax Constantia

There must be a better way!

Among the most determinant issues and steps to create a better world it includes:

1. Implement the political concept of Direct Democracy
2. Create: Federation of Sovereign Nations (FESON)
3. Demilitarization/Disarmament:
 - abolish present stock of nuclear weapons
 - prohibit future development of nuclear weapons
 - limited weapons: light weaponry for national defense, including a limited number of tanks, airplanes, and ships
 - each country must be open for incognito inspections
 - offenders must be isolated: economic, financially and cultural embargo by all nation

-the money saved from military expenditures to be used for the economic development of own nation but also to help developing nations

4. Abolish wars
5. Abolish imperialism
6. Abolish sphere of influence

- Russia: always wanted a sphere of influence, a corridor of protection against possible invasion from Europe. However, Russia should recognize that she has always been the abuser of its neighbors, illegally seizing foreign land.

-Russia must return the land captured from China, (Northern Manchuria), Japan and Romania pre- and post-WWII.

A real world with lasting peace is very difficult to achieve. However, if not attempted to implement it the reverse is what the humans must live through in the future.

Conclusions

- It is hard to win a war but is even harder to create world peace: Pax Constantia.
- Human beings have always been dreamers of better and for life. FESON might be the transition from dreams to reality.
- Powerful nations such as US, China, India, and Russia must project, not just power, but also display generosity. To invade a nation seems easier than to return an illegally captured piece of land to the original owner.
- How many divisions does the *elite* have? The influential *elite* can have their important role in creating a new world where freedom and human life are respected, and economic expansion will also be beneficial for developing nations.
- National identity and sentiments are difficult to eliminate from the heart and mind of people. It has been tried before but did not work.
- Social experiments, such as whether people can live in communes, must be impeded. They were failed trials with loss of hundreds of millions of human lives.
- Social engineering has also failed. Better, find ways for inter-nation cooperation and wellbeing.
- Replace wars with efficient inter-nation cooperation for the good of all people.
- If the world of Islam, the Caliphate, will succeed everywhere in the world, what will happen to the *elite*?
- What will happen when the whites are in the minority?
Answer? FESON!

Glossary

Affirmative action: A policy promoted by the Dems to favor those who have been discriminated in finding a job or in education. If you favor a person, does that also mean that you discriminate others? **Athens:** the capital city of Greece and the place where many aspects of philosophy have started. Many elements of our civilization saw the beginning in Athens.

Bessarabia (Bessarabia in Russian): a Romanian province annexed by Russia in 1812, returned to Romania in 1918 and lost again to Russian imperialism after WWII.

Capitalism: in the words of Winston Churchill, the Prime Minister of United Kingdom during WWII, capitalism is the worst political system that has been tried, except for all the other. In the socialist/communist vocabulary, capitalism exploits the workers for the benefit of the business owner.

Catherine the Great: Empress of Russia: 1762-1796.

Center for American Progress: a progressive (read socialist) public policy research and advocacy organization (since 2003).

Communism: a dictatorial political system where the communist party and the government own all the means of production, dictate the volume of production, price, wages, and where people live and work. The communist hierarchy dictates everything in the society. No freedom of speech.

Communist Manifesto: A very influential political document written by Karl Marx and Frederick Engels.

It was published exactly at the beginning of the 1848 revolution! Coincidence?

Conquest: it refers to the conquest of England by the Normans.

Direct Democracy: a political system that allows people to vote directly for the leader they want and not based on a political party or ideology.

Ecological Party: an environmental, activist party with a strong left-wing political ideology. **Engels,**

Frederick: a German philosopher and businessperson (1820-1895) who helped Karl Marx financially and as a coauthor of the influential political document: Communist Manifesto.

Export the revolution: the Russians have exported the communist revolution, in 1922, into Germany, and in 1919, into the US.

Fraternal activities: a propaganda term defining the relationships between socialist states, parties or people with the same socialist political ideology.

Guerrilla: freedom fighters using an impromptu strategy of war.

Green Party, ecologist, with left-wing political tendencies.

Hajj: an annual pilgrimage to Mecca, the holiest city for Muslims, carried out by every Muslim at least once in their lifetime. It occurs at the end of the Islamic calendar (September) as a demonstration of solidarity with Islam and submission to Allah (God).

Imam: a worship leader of a mosque.

Islam: a monotheistic religion (belief in one God) founded by Mohammad (571-632 AD) where Allah is God.

Ivan the Terrible: the Russian Tsar (1530-1584) that has started the imperialistic drive for Russia to Conquer and annex large territories to the Russian Empire.

King John: (1166-1216) arguably the worst monarch of England. His rules made the House of Lords revolt against him and impose on him the laws written on Magna Carta Libertatum.

Lenin, Vladimir Ilich: Russian (1870-1924) the leader of the Russian Communist Revolution of 1917 and the first leader of Soviet Russia. During his time millions of Russian people were killed for fighting against the imposition of communism on the Russian Empire.

Liberation theology: a communist-inspired concept of *liberation* of people from capitalist society that exploits them. It has penetrated some Christian religions, especially in Latin America.

Machiavelli, Niccolo: 1464-1527, Italian diplomat, politician, political philosopher, and author of *The Prince*, a book that had a great influence on political doctrine.

Marcus Aurelius: A Roman emperor (121-180 AD), philosopher and influential stoic.

Marius: Roman general (157-86 BC) and statesman, the father of military stoicism.

Marx, Karl: German philosopher (1818-1883) and communist revolutionary, the father of communism, anti-capitalist ideology.

Marxism: political ideology (communism) created by Karl Marx, a German philosopher, and communist Revolutionary,

Molotov-Ribbentrop Pact: was an agreement made in 1938 by Soviet Russia and Nazi Germany to avoid an imminent war between these two powers of Europe in the 1930's. Based on this pact

Eastern Europe was divided and annexed by these two extreme socialist states,

Mullah: an educated Islamist holding an official position in governmental affairs,

Normans: a combination of French and Viking people living in Northern France. In 1066, they had conquered England after the battle of Hastings,

Oligarchs: rich Russian businessman with strong connections with the Russian political leadership,

Parliamentary Democracy: a political in which people elect their representatives in Parliament.

Unfortunately, in many cases, the representatives of the people have represented their political party interests or that of their own.

Peter the Great: Russian Tsar (1672-1725), great reformer of the Russian state and builder of the city of Saint Petersburg (after his name).

Political correctness: is a leftist policy intended to avoid faulty language that might insult other people, especially minorities. It has been pushed as a political concept by the Democrats, socialists and communists in the US universities and the media.

Progressive: is meant to be a forward, advancing movement. However, it defines a socialistic inclined person or organization. For instance, the Center for American Progress is a leftist political entity.

Progressive world: is the term used by leftist politicians to define socialism, and social democrats. In fact, the term is intended to hide the real color of politicians of the left, or extreme left.

Realpolitik: a German term defining politics based on reality.

Saint Petersburg, the city where the Communist Revolution started on Nov. 7, 1917.

Seneca, Aneus: 54 BC-39 AD, Roman statesman, philosopher and influential stoic.

Smith, Adam: Scottish economist (1723-1790) pioneer of political economy.

Socialism: a political theory where the means of production and ownership in the society belongs to the Government.

Socrates: Greek philosopher (470-339 BC) and promoter of democracy for all. He can be considered the father of Direct Democracy.

Soviet: means *committee*, to imply that the decisions in Soviet Russia were made democratically.

Soviet Union: implies that Communist Russia was, in fact, a Union made from different committees. This meaning is also intended to mislead the leaders of the West to believe that the Union was made after real elections.

Stalin, Joseph, V. the leader of Soviet Russia after Lenin's death of 1924: from 1924-1953. He was one of the greatest political killers of the world, using methods such as shooting, famine, gulags, labor camps, etc.

Stalinism: complete terror against any eventual enemy of communist leaders they may run for the leadership of the Communist Party of Soviet Russia.

Stoicism: a branch of philosophy where country, dignity, ethics, and morality are the fundamental credo, beliefs.

Tacitus: Roman historian and statesman (58-120 AD).

Theocracy: a government ruled by priests or mullahs (from Teo= God and Cratos = power).

Theory of value or value theory refers to how and why people value things, persons or ideas, objectively or subjectively.

Trotsky, Leon (the real name was Lev Davidovitch Bronstein). Stalin exiled him to Mexico, where he was assassinated by Stalin's henchmen for intending to run for the leadership of the Communist Party of Soviet Union.

Trotskyism: orthodox socialism, where revolution supposed to be a permanent event to continually cleanse the Communist Party of social democrats.

William of Normandy: The first Norman King of England (1028-1087). He is also called William the Conqueror because he conquered England at the battle of Hastings in 1066.

Zionism: In the socialist and communist vocabulary, Zionism is equated with racism. This is a method for the *left* to attack Israel.

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