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> *Everything has changed except our way of thinking. Albert Einstein*

This paper will examine a seminal legal question the answer to which can lead either to a final world war or finally, world peace.

Sixteen thousand megatons of destructive force is today available to the nuclear powers. Only three megatons were used during the entire six years of World War II. Only two hundred and fifty megatons is enough firepower to destroy all the large and medium-sized cities in the entire world.

Each single human being on planet earth has a nuclear 'gun' pointed directly at him or her; in other words, at humanity itself. Therefore, the relationship between the individual and humanity, in the latter half of the 20th century, has become dynamic, immediate, one-to-one, and what is even more revolutionary, organic.

The question therefore whether the individual is a subject of international law is crucial to the question of survival itself. For the nuclear 'gun' is controlled and condoned by the so-called sovereign nation states, each of which maintains the legal right to wage war with other states. We will examine briefly the paradox this presents both to the states themselves and to us as the (world's) people.

Another way of asking the title questions is: Do you and I have the inalienable right to live on planet earth? If so, is that right legitimate? P. 250

# "We, the People", Human Rights & International Law

The Preamble of the United Charter, in its opening statement of purpose, claims that

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"We, the Peoples of the united Nations determined. . . to reaffirm faith in fundamental human rights. . . and. . . to establish conditions under which justice and respect for. . . other sources of international law can be maintained. . . have resolved to combine our efforts to accomplish these aims".

Chapter I, Article I, defining further the UN's purposes and principles, once again in para.1 reaffirms the principle of 'international law' with regard to "adjustment of settlement of international disputes or situations which might lead to a breach of the peace..." In para.3 of the same article, again the "promotion and encouraging respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms for all" is enjoined in order "to achieve international co-operation..."

The General Assembly, according to Article 13(1), "shall initiate studies and make recommendations for the purpose of... (a) ....encouraging the progressive development of international law and its codification".... and (b) .... "assisting in the realization of human rights and fundamental freedoms for all...."

Chapter IX, Art. 55 is even more explicit concerning the UN's obligation to human rights: "With a view to the creation of conditions of stability and well-being which are necessary for peaceful and friendly relations among nations based on respect for the principle of equal rights and self-determination of peoples, the United Nations shall promote (c) universal respect for, and observance of, human rights and fundamental freedoms for all without distinction as to race, sex, language, or religion". Art. 56 pledges "All Members....to take joint and separate action in cooperation with the Organization for the achievement of the purposes set forth in Article 55".

The Charter of the United Nations was signed on 26 June 1945, in San Francisco and came into force on 24 October 1945 therefore binding the 50 original nation-states and all subsequent Member-States to this successor to the League of Nations.

On December 6, 1949, the U.N. General Assembly unanimously endorsed Resolution 375(IV), "Declaration on Rights and Duties of States". Art. 14 stated that "Every State has the duty to conduct its relations with other States in accordance with international law and with the principles that the sovereignty of each State is subject to the supremacy of international law". P. 251

# The Universal Declaration of Human Rights

On December 10, 1948, after two years of research by leading experts on human rights as the "Human Rights Commission", the Universal Declaration of Human Rights was proclaimed by the General Assembly as "a common standard of achievement for all peoples and all nations...."

Herein the principle of law was raised implicitly to a global status in the Preamble and Articles 15(2), 21(3) and 28, respectively: "Whereas...it is essential if man is not to be compelled to have recourse, as a last resort, to rebellion against tyranny and oppression that human rights should be protected by regime of law.... No one shall be arbitrarily deprived of his nationality nor denied the right to change his nationality". Here the human right of both expatriation and choice of political allegiance is confirmed globally. "The will of the people shall be the basis of the authority of government..." (The ultimate sovereign on planet earth, humanity, is here implied as being the sanction, if its will is duly expressed, for the authority of a world government). "Everyone is entitled to a social and international order in which the rights and freedoms set forth in this Declaration can be fully realized".

#### UNAdmits Its Impotence To Act On Human Rights Violations

In direct contrast, however, to these affirmations of human rights and international law, at its first session in January, 1947, the Commission on Human Rights established a Sub-Committee on the Handling of Communications which later concluded in its first report (E/CN.4/14/Rev.2), para. 3, that "The Commission has no power to take any action in regard to any complaint regarding human rights". This subsequently became Resolution 75(V) and though subject to review and increasing concern in succeeding years by the Economic and Social Council-- a reaffirmation of Res. 75(V) became Resolution 728F (XXVIII) of 30 July 1959 of the ECOSOC -- remains unmodified to date.

The question naturally supposes, if human rights are to be protected by "international law", and if the Member-States of the United Nations are bound by their signatures to the UN Charter to that international law, yet the United Nations itself admits its impotence to deal with human rights violations, what body, if any, determines, executes and enforces international law to which the human in question can refer?

Let us first examine briefly the nation-state vis-a-vis human rights to gain further insight both of the main perpetrators of human rights violations and the protection or lack of it for fundamental human rights. P. 252

## Human Rights and National Constitutions

Since the proclamation of the French "*Declaration des Droits et du Citoyen*" in 1789 and the ratification of the U.S. Bill of Rights in the same year, the juxtaposition of human rights and national constitutions has enjoyed an uncertain and often hazardous alliance.

The exigencies of "national security" on the whole, have, in the final analysis, always prevailed over human rights issues. Art. 2 of the United States Constitution, for example, defining the powers of the chief executive, provides a telling commentary on the dilemma of human rights within the national legal framework. The

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discretionary powers conferred on the US president effectively separate him from all civic responsibility and accountability when speaking and acting as head of state.

Myriad examples from President Lincoln's abolition of habeas corpus prior to the Civil War, Franklin Roosevelt's Land-Lease program, Truman's unilateral decision to bomb Hiroshima and Nagasaki thereby unleashing the nuclear arms race, Kennedy's "Bay of Pigs" fiasco, Johnson's Tonkin Bay deception, Nixon's undeclared war in Cambodia, Carter's aborted attempt to rescue the US hostages in Iran, to Reagan's deployment and redeployment of Marines in Lebanon and CIA-supported insurgents against the Nicaraguan government, etc., decisions in which the US electorate had and have no part, illustrate vividly and often disastrously "the imperial presidency".

## The Supreme Court's Traditional Silence

The US Supreme Court has traditionally refused to curb the executive when he is acting as head of state. The doctrine therefore "Inter armes, silent legis" has dominated the U.S. Supreme Court since its founding. That is, in national concerns involving other nations, the High Court inclines totally to the executive branch even to declarations of war. "The judicial attitude is more than abstention", wrote Arthur Miller, in Presidential Power In A Nutshell (West Publishing Co., 1977, p. 163); "...it verges at times upon courts being an arm of the executive when violence, foreign or domestic erupts". "In times of declared war, particularly in the 20th century when wars have become planetary in extent, the President acts as a 'constitutional dictator'.... There is a tacit understanding that nothing-- literally nothing-- will be permitted to block winning the war. What is necessary, as determined by the executive, is done. Legal niceties are given little attention. National survival is the ultimate issue". (Ibid., p. 169). The U.S. Supreme Court's judicial silence on international issues aptly illustrates the impotency of national law to implement fundamental human rights, which, by definition, require the protection of "a regime of (world) law". P. 253

Yet since the UDHR's proclamation by the UN General Assembly, with some irony, 18 Member-States have incorporated it directly in their national Constitutions, some in the Preamble, others in the body directly. (Ref. 48 Revue Internationale de Droit Penal, Nos. 3 & 4, at 211, 1977).

## "We, The People" In National Constitutions Are Sovereign

Virtually all national constitutions refer to 'the people' as either sovereign or the mandating authority for the constitution itself. To cite a few examples, the 1947 Japanese 'Showa' constitution begins traditionally with "We, the Japanese people..." and Chapter III, Art. 13, claims that "...Their right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness shall, to the extent it does not interfere with public welfare, be the supreme consideration in legislation and public affairs". Further implicitly confirming these

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individual human and inalienable rights, Article 9 states unequivocally that "...The right of belligerency of the state will not be recognized".

The 1971 Bulgarian constitution likewise begins with "We, the citizens of the People's Republic of Bulgaria..." The 1974 "Instrument of Government" of Sweden states in Chapter 1, "The Basic Principles of the Constitution", Art. 1, that "All public power in Sweden emanates from the people". Likewise Article 1(1) of the Brazilian constitution affirms, "All power emanates from the people and is exercised in their name". The Greek constitution of 1975 in Article 1(2) claims that "Popular sovereignty is the foundation of government" and that (3) "All powers are derived from the People and exist for the People and the Nation...."

The "Basic Rights" of the 1949 West German constitution in Article 1(1) refers to "The dignity of man" as "inviolable". "To respect and protect it shall be the duty of all state authority". Para. 2 then allies this human dignity with the protection of rights as follows: "The German people therefore acknowledge inviolable and inalienable human rights as the basis of every community, of peace and justice in the world". The "Fundamental Principles" of the 1978 Portuguese constitution under Article 3(1), "Sovereignty and Legality" states, with equal firmness, "Sovereignty, one and indivisible, rests with the people, who shall exercise it in accordance with the forms laid down in the Constitution".

The Preamble to the French Constitution of 1958 boldly asserts that "The French people hereby solemnly proclaim its attachment to the Rights of Man..." and in Title I, "On Sovereignty", para. 4, affirms that "Its principle is government of the people, by the people and for the people".

A comprehensive study of national constitutions reveals this fundamental similarity, that, without exception, they derive from "the people" and at least in theory are designed only to serve the sovereign people. P. 254

## Anomaly: Human Rights versus National Security

The inclusion of inalienable human rights or the UDHR itself, however, in a national constitution presents the anomaly of positing the latter's exclusivity with the former's inclusivity. In other words, national law, being relative to a given state, therefore limited despite its implied claim of absolutism (not to mention eternity), fails to meet the challenge of universality implicit in the protection of "universal" human rights. It is thus that all national constitutions contain the caveat of "national security", or "public order", as conditions nullifying human rights guarantees of legal protection.

Patrick Henry's remark in 1787 that "The U.S. Constitution squints toward monarchy", and latter-day charges by eminent American constitutional lawyers of "the imperial presidency" underline this duality enjoyed by all national constitutions

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and therefore heads of state when human rights collide with so-called national security, the 20th century catch-all for their repression or outright violation, always with disastrous consequences for the citizenry.

#### Human Rights and International Due Process

Dean Acheson observed: "Law simply does not deal with...questions of ultimate power-- power that comes close to the sources of sovereignty.... No law can destroy the state creating the law. The survival of states is not a matter of law". And herein lies the humanity's dilemma. For if the only source of law is the state, then "world" or "international" law is a chimera.

Why then does the United Nations, an association of sovereign states, refer continually to international law if indeed law stops at national frontiers? Further, we are obliged to ask, from what did states themselves originally derive since they were not always in legal existence? The answer becomes increasingly obvious as we backtrack historically to ever smaller human groups. Finally we arrive by sheer logic and necessity to the subject of law itself, the individual human and find, ironically, that he/she is likewise the object, that is, the promoter, the evaluator, and perennial evolver. "Government can be safely acknowledged a temporal blessing, because in terms of the power it wields, there is nothing inherent in it. Government is not an end in itself but a means to an end. Its authority is the free and revocable grant of the men who have promised conditionally to submit to it. Its origins, however ancient and august, are instruments that free men have built and free men can alter or even abolish". Chief Justice Earl Warren, US Supreme Court. P. 255

## National Attempts at World Peace Fail

Since 1899, international gatherings of national delegates have been trying to reach beyond their state frontiers to achieve peace amongst themselves. The latest effort is of course the United Nations. But since the states retain at all costs their claim to absolute sovereignty thereby neither recognizing the sovereign human nor the ultimate sovereignty, humanity, their efforts cannot but be vain and illusory.

The 35 national wars raging today as well as the preparation for a final nuclear holocaust bear out this excruciating denial of reality.

## The First International Penal Code

The classic example of the national impotence to create the conditions of peace are the Nuremberg Principles formulated by the International Law Commission of Jurists, and incorporated into "international law" by a 1950 Resolution-- 488 48(v) 1950-- of the UN General Assembly. These Principles explicitly state that "any person who commits an act which constitutes a crime under international law is responsible therefor and liable to punishment".

Principle I states that "crimes against peace, war crimes and crimes against humanity are punishable as crimes under international law". Principle VI states that "complicity in the commission of these crimes is itself a crime under international law". Principle IV states that "the fact that a person acted pursuant to orders from his Government or of a superior does not relieve him from responsibility under international law, provided a moral choice was in fact possible to him". Principle VI states that "Complicity in the commission of these crimes is itself a crime under international law."

"Crimes against peace" were defined as: (1) Planning, preparation, initiation or waging of a war of aggression or a war in violation of international treaties, agreements or assurances; (2) Participation in a common plan or conspiracy for the accomplishment of any of the acts mentioned under (1)".

Here was a legal paradox. "International treaties, agreements or assurances" are the province of diplomacy totally outside popular control. How then can the national citizen be a party to violations of international treaties if he was not a party to the agreement? Yet the Nuremberg Principles apply only to individuals "under international law".

It can be argued with telling logic that, based on the powers conferred on them by national constitutions as well as exigencies of the anarchic condition between states, the only national citizens enjoying an "international law" status are the very heads of state exercising discretionary powers beyond the internal civic network. P. 256

And if this position is correct, then most if not all present-day heads of state are war criminals under the terms of these Principles for, with notable exceptions such as Switzerland, Grenada and the Seychelles, all are either "planning, preparing, initiating or waging war", one of the principal exports of the modern state.

On the other hand, as shown above, if the people are sovereign and individuals enjoy inalienable sovereign rights, as most if not all states claim in their very constitutions, even those asserting dictatorial powers, then the Nuremberg Principles confer on them international civic character thus rendering them responsible for the above crimes.

## The Unique 9th Amendment

The U.S. Constitution, in the 9th Amendment, uniquely and with total confidence in democracy-- no doubt Tom Paine's influence-- refers to rights "retained by the people" without in fact enumerating them. As inalienable rights are by definition anterior to government itself and incidentally the courts, the U.S. Supreme Court, by virtue of this amendment, has no jurisdiction over rights "retained by the people" and further, defined by them.

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"The Constitution of the state and the nation recognize unenumerated rights of natural endowment." Colorado Anti-Discrimination Comm. v. Case, 1902 380 P.2d 34, 151 Colo. 230

The legal and historic implications of this amendment for the American people faced with international anarchy leading inevitably to a nuclear holocaust, are profound and awesomely challenging.

In a writ for certiorari submitted to the Supreme Court, October term, 1981 by the author, the challenge was summed up as follows: "By elementary reasoning, if the people are sovereign, as inferred in both the Ninth and Tenth amendments, then they are sovereign not as 'Americans' or national citizens but as humans. It follows that the world's people, i.e., humankind as such, represents the ultimate and largest sovereignty of which the 'American' people are a part. As the national public order derives from the sovereignty of the people residing within the national community, so it must follow that a world public order can and must derive from the world's people residing in the world community. Then any social order which excludes the recognition of humankind itself as the ultimate sovereignty denies at the same time the essential sovereignty of the people from which it itself derived. Thus a national constitution can neither deny, inhibit or in any way limit the sovereignty of humankind itself." (Note 30, Petition for Certiorari to the United States Court of Appeals, No. 81-427, October Term 1981, U.S. Supreme Court: Garry Davis v. District Director, Immigration and Naturalization Service). P. 257

## Natural Law vs. World Law

And so we arrive inevitably at natural law. "Let it be stated again that the generation that gave us the Articles of Confederation and the Constitution believed solidly in the doctrine of natural rights. They understood that the purpose of government was to protect men in their basic, natural rights, and they were sure that they could hold their own state governments to this end."

Modern Constitutional Law, Chester J. Antieau, Vol. IV, (1969) p. 676, The Lawyers Co-Operative Publishing Co.

Given the physical and social interdependency of the world community, like the silkworm in the cocoon developing into a butterfly through the process of metamorphosis, as single individuals we extend our innate and inalienable sovereignty throughout the natural world we inhabit thereby dynamically relating ourselves as humans to our world in toto.

This inexorable process follows, as exposed by the late Marshall McCluhan in "The Medium Is The Message", lines of technical communication, which in turn enables social and then political intercourse.

#### Jurisprudence Breakthrough

Herein lies the crucial point and together with the recognition of humanity's sovereignty, inalienable human rights and the Nuremberg Principles represents a major breakthrough in jurisprudence. Protection by law against war becomes global means eliminating the war-making prerogative of all states just as they eliminated war-making between the communities they grouped. This historical process in turn involves the establishment of a sovereign world government responsive to democratic control.

## The Cause of War

"Wars between groups of men forming social units", wrote Emery Reves in Anatomy of Peace in 1945, "always take place when these units-- tribes, dynasties, churches, cities, nations-- exercise unrestricted sovereign power. Wars between these social units cease the moment sovereign power is transferred from them to a larger or higher unit".

The precursor of the Nuclear Age tried to awaken us to the new shocking truth: The price of world peace was nationalism:

"As long as there are sovereign states possessing great power, war is inevitable. There is no salvation for civilization, or even the human race, other than the creation of a world government". Albert Einstein, Letter to World Federalists, Stockholm Congress, 1949. P. 258

Thus the new international citizen, "recognized implicitly by international law by virtue of the above-mentioned instruments, is, ipso facto-- in the absence of international government-- both empowered and compelled by the necessity of sheer survival to form such a government as the sovereign human person directly concerned.

Mryes McDougal, in Human Rights and World Public Order (Yale University Press, 1980, p. 178), moreover minces no words as to the legitimacy of the individual in this historic task: "The notion that states are the only appropriate 'subjects' of international law is belied by all the contemporary facts...about participation in the global processes of effective power and authoritative decision. This notion, unknown to the founding fathers and deriving from certain parochial misconceptions of the late nineteenth century, lingers on to impede the protection of human rights merely because it sometimes serves the power purposes of the state elites. . . . Historically, the greatest difficulty concerning participation in the world constitutive process has been this exaggeration of the role of the nation-state as the principal subject of international law. Because of the overwhelming emphasis of the 'sovereignty' of nation-states, there has been a great reluctance to recognize other

participants in world social process as in fact active subjects of international law."

Responsible citizenship, therefore, under international law, is that citizenship, which, in englobing human rights by transnational yet sovereign institutions, can ensure survival by outlawing war as a tool of "foreign policy" between states, ensure survival by outlawing war as a tool of "foreign policy" between states.

"Any method of maintaining international peace today must eventually fail if it is not grounded on Justice under Law and the protection of the Individual under due process of law." World Habeas Corpus, Luis Kutner, 1968, p. 73.

#### If Humanity Is To Survive, The Answers Must Be Affirmative

The answer therefore to the title question of whether the individual is a subject of international law must be answered in the affirmative if both the human race and the individual are to survive. For survival in the nuclear age enjoins the categorical imperative of a "world public order" or world government and government itself, we have seen, derives always from the sovereign people.

Tom Paine, the lightning rod of the three major revolutions of the 18th century, clarifies this overlooked yet revolutionary process: "It has been thought a considerable advance towards establishing the principle of freedom to say that government is a compact between those who govern and those who are governed; but this cannot be true, because it is putting the effect before the cause; for as men must have existed before government existed, there once was a time when government did not exist, and consequently there could originally exist no governors to form such a compact with. The fact therefore must be that the individuals themselves, each in his own personal and sovereign right, entered into a compact with each other to produce a government...." P. 259

On the other hand, if states alone are international law subjects, then humankind is doomed to extinction through a final test of "strength" via nuclear arms between equally sovereign states.

As positive law itself, however, reflects and follows natural law, as members, one and all, of the human "global village", born of a human womb, we arrive finally at the concept and actuality of a positive world citizenship transcending national citizenship as the sine qua non of world peace, human freedom and general as well as individual well-being and happiness.

# PUT AN END TO APARTHEID, RACISM, XENOPHOBIA Fidel Castro



**Fidel Alejandro Castro Ruz** (born August 13, 1926) is a Cuban politician, one of the primary leaders of the Cuban Revolution, the Prime Minister of Cuba from February 1959 to December 1976, and then the *President of the Council of State of Cuba* until his resignation from the office in February 2008. He is currently the First Secretary of the Communist Party of Cuba.

**Dr. Leo Rebello:** This is the text of keynote address delivered by Dr. Fidel Castro Ruz, President of the Republic of Cuba, at the World Conference against Apartheid, Racism and Xenophobia, on September 1, 2001, in which he predicted, inter alia, the present economic meltdown in USA and the world due to the insatiable greed of the manipulating few.

**Cut to 1994:** a non-racial, multi-party democracy came to power in South Africa (SA). Within two years, however, the African National Congress had prostrated before the market forces. The massive program of structural adjustment, privatization, and liberalization that followed only increased the disparities between the rich and the poor. The corporatization of basic services - electricity, water, and housing - has meant that 10 million in SA do not have adequate water or electricity. 2 million have been evicted from their homes. Some 3 millions have lost their jobs.

**Cut to 2009:** The same small white minority that ruled for 300 years is still in control. They continue to control the land, the farms, the factories, and the natural resources of that country. Brother Desmond Tutu gives nice speeches about Ubuntu etc. whereas Brother Nelson Mandela has willy-nilly joined the AIDS brigands. Barack Hussein Obama, first Black American, has occupied the most secured jail called the White House, with the help of Jews. Will the black, who voted him to power with "Hope" benefit? Louis Pasteur, on his deathbed disowned his germ theory (on which the whole edifice of modern medicine is built) being false. Let Madiba, in his final years, confess that the White Supremacists used him and boldly declare that SA discards this rotten western paradigm of development based on capitalism. Will he be allowed to do so, in his feeble state of mind and body, is the big question.

Racism, racial discrimination and xenophobia are not naturally instinctive reactions of the human beings but rather a social, cultural and political phenomenon born directly of wars, military conquests, slavery and the individual or collective exploitation of the weakest by the most powerful all along the history of human societies.

No one has the right to boycott this Conference, which tries to bring some sort of relief to the overwhelming majority of mankind afflicted by unbearable suffering and enormous injustice. Neither has anyone the right to set preconditions to this

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conference or urge it to avoid the discussion of historical responsibility, fair compensation or the way we decide to rate the dreadful genocide perpetrated, at this very moment, against our Palestinian brothers by extreme right leaders who, in alliance with the hegemonic superpower. Cuba speaks of reparations, and supports this idea as an unavoidable moral duty to the victims of racism.

The irrefutable truth is that tens of millions of Africans were captured, sold like a commodity and sent beyond the Atlantic to work in slavery while 70 million indigenous people in that hemisphere perished as a result of the European conquest and colonization. The inhuman exploitation imposed on the peoples of three continents, including Asia, marked forever the destiny and lives of over 4.5 billion people living in the Third World today whose poverty, unemployment, illiteracy and health rates as well as their infant mortality, life expectancy and other calamities are certainly harrowing. They are the current victims of that atrocity which lasted centuries and the ones who clearly deserve compensation for the horrendous crimes perpetrated against their ancestors and peoples.

Actually, such a brutal exploitation did not end when many countries became independent, not even after the formal abolition of slavery. Right after independence, the main ideologists of the American Union that emerged when the 13 colonies got rid of the British domination at the end of the 18th century, advanced ideas and strategies unquestionably expansionist in nature. It was based on such ideas that the ancient white settlers of European descent, in their march to the West, forcibly occupied the lands in which Native-Americans had lived for thousands of years thus exterminating millions of them in the process. But, they did not stop at the boundaries of the former Spanish possessions; consequently Mexico, a Latin American country that had attained its independence in 1821, was stripped off millions of square kilometers of territory and invaluable natural resources. Meanwhile, in the increasingly powerful and expansionist nation born in North America, the obnoxious and inhumane slavery system stayed in place for almost a century after the famous Declaration of Independence of 1776 was issued, the same that proclaimed that all men were born free and equal.

After the purely formal slave emancipation, African-Americans were subjected during one hundred more years to the harshest racial discrimination, and many of its features and consequences still persist after almost four more decades of heroic struggles and the achievements of the 1960's, for which Martin Luther King, Jr., Malcolm X and other outstanding fighters gave their lives. Based on a purely racist rationale, the longest and most severe legal sentences are passed against African-Americans who in the wealthy American society are bound to live in dire poverty and with the lowest living standards. Likewise, what is left of the Native-American peoples, which were the first to inhabit a large portion of the current territory of the United States of America, remain under even worse conditions of discrimination and

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neglect. Needless to mention the data on the social and economic situation of Africa where entire countries and even whole regions of Sub-Saharan Africa are in risk of extinction the result of an extremely complex combination of economic backwardness, excruciating poverty and grave diseases, both old and new, that have become a true scourge. And the situation is no less dramatic in numerous Asian countries.

On top of all this, there are the huge and unpayable debts, the disparate terms of trade, the ruinous prices of basic commodities, the demographic explosion, the neoliberal globalization and the climate changes that produce long draughts alternating with increasingly intensive rains and floods. It can be mathematically proven that such a predicament is unsustainable. The developed countries and their consumer societies, presently responsible for the accelerated and almost unstoppable destruction of the environment, have been the main beneficiaries of the conquest and colonization, of slavery, of the ruthless exploitation and the extermination of hundreds of millions of people born in the countries that today constitute the Third World. They have also reaped the benefits of the economic order imposed on humanity after two atrocious and devastating wars for a new division of the world and its markets, of the privileges granted to the United States and its allies in Bretton-Woods, and of the IMF and the international financial institutions exclusively created by them and for them. That rich and squandering world is in possession of the technical and financial resources necessary to pay what is due to mankind. The hegemonic superpower should also pay back its special debt to African-Americans, to Native-Americans living in reservations, and to the tens of millions of Latin American and Caribbean immigrants as well as others from poor nations, be they mulatto, yellow or black, but victims all of vicious discrimination and scorn. It is high time to put an end to the dramatic situation of the indigenous communities in our hemisphere. Their own awakening and struggles, and the universal admission of the monstrosity of the crime committed against them make it imperative. There are enough funds to save the world from the tragedy.

May the arms race and the weapon commerce that only bring devastation and death truly end. Let it be used for development a good part of the one trillion US dollars annually spent on the commercial advertising that creates false illusions and inaccessible consumer habits while releasing the venom that destroys the national cultures and identities. May the modest 0.7 percentage point of the Gross National Product promised as official development assistance be finally delivered. May the tax suggested by Nobel Prize Laureate James Tobin be imposed in a reasonable and effective way on the current speculative operations accounting for trillions of US dollars every 24 hours, then the United Nations, which cannot go on depending on meager, inadequate, and belated donations and charities, will have one trillion US dollars every year!

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There are no few people in the world who can add, subtract, divide and multiply. This is not an overstatement! Given the seriousness and urgency of the existing problems, which have become a real hazard for the very survival of our specie on the planet, that is what would actually be needed before it is too late. Put an end to the ongoing genocide against the Palestinian people that is taking place while the world stares in amazement. May the basic right to life of that people, children and youth, be protected. May their right to peace and independence be respected; then, there will be nothing to fear from UN documents. I am aware that the need for some relief from the awful situation their countries are facing has led many friends from Africa and other regions to suggest the need for such prudence as would allow something to come out of this conference. I sympathize with them but I cannot renounce my convictions, as I feel that the more candid we are in telling the truth the more possibilities there will be to be heeded and respected.

There have been enough centuries of deception. I have only three other short questions based on realities that cannot be ignored. The capitalist, developed and wealthy countries today participate of the imperialist system born of capitalism itself and the economic order imposed on the world based on the philosophy of selfishness and the brutal competition between men, nations and groups of nations which in completely indifferent to any feelings of solidarity and honest international cooperation. They live under the misleading, irresponsible and hallucinating atmosphere of consumer societies. Thus, regardless the sincerity of their blind faith in such a system and the convictions of their most serious statesmen, I wonder: Will they be able to understand the grave problems of today's world which in its incoherent and uneven development is ruled by blind laws, by the huge power and the interests of the ever growing and increasingly uncontrollable and independent transnational corporations? Will they come to understand the impending universal chaos and rebellion? And, even if they wanted to, could they put an end to racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and other related issues, which are precisely the rest of them all? From my viewpoint we are on the verge of a huge economic, social and political global crisis. Let's try to build awareness about these realities and the alternatives will come up. History has shown that it is only from deep crisis that great solutions have emerged. The peoples' right to life and justice will definitely impose itself under a thousand different shapes. I believe in the mobilization and the struggle of the peoples! I believe in the idea of justice! I believe in truth! I believe in man!



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# WE WILL RISE, WE WILL ACT Al Gore



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**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** With just five percent of the world's population, the United States produces more than twenty percent of all greenhouse gas emissions. So, it is the USA which should limit greenhouse gases and build a clean energy economy to achieve a sustainable solution to our global climate crisis. May it also be noted, that there exists Secret Geophysical Weapons, strategically stationed in Alaska, Greenland, Norway, to create earthquakes, storms, hurricanes, typhoons, floods, fires, electrical and mechanical crashes and disasters (cars, planes, trains, ships etc.) and building and bridge collapses, killing millions of people. Al Gore does not say a word about all this.

Hopefully the world leaders will speak up when they meet in Copenhagen in December 2009 to discuss climate change once again. In the meantime, 'We, the People' place on record that these geopolitical blackmails and extortion must stop atonce; WMDs, DU, Star Wars, Chemtrails the root cause of global warming must stop, too. Part of Indonesia was destroyed by these engineered experiments. We will not allow Maldives or Andaman Islands to capsize or Himalayas or the Arctic ice to melt. If USA does not listen and give up its dangerous plans, the world must collectively boycott it. Show them how sanctions, which America uses on others, can boomerang.

One hundred and nineteen years ago, a wealthy inventor read his own obituary, mistakenly published years before his death. Wrongly believing the inventor had died, a newspaper printed a harsh judgment of his life's work, unfairly labeling him "The Merchant of Death" because of his invention dynamite. Shaken by this condemnation, the inventor made a fateful choice to serve the cause of peace. Seven years later, Alfred Nobel created this prize and the others that bear his name.

Seven years ago, I read my own political obituary in a judgment that seemed to me harsh and mistaken. But that unwelcome verdict also brought a precious if painful

gift: an opportunity to search for fresh new ways to serve my purpose.

We, the human species, are confronting a planetary emergency a threat to the survival of our civilization that is gathering ominous and destructive potential even as we gather here. But there is hopeful news as well: we have the ability to solve this crisis and avoid the worst of its consequences, if we act boldly, decisively and quickly.

However, despite a growing number of honorable exceptions, too many of the world's leaders are still best described in the words Winston Churchill applied to those who ignored Adolf Hitler's threat: "They go on in strange paradox, decided only to be undecided, resolved to be irresolute, adamant for drift, solid for fluidity, all powerful to be impotent."

So today, we dumped another 70 million tons of global-warming pollution into the thin shell of atmosphere surrounding our planet, as if it were an open sewer. And tomorrow, we will dump a slightly larger amount, with the cumulative concentrations now trapping more and more heat from the sun.

As a result, the earth has a fever. And the fever is rising. The experts have told us it is not a passing affliction that will heal by itself. We asked for a second opinion, a third, and a fourth. And the consistent conclusion, restated with increasing alarm, is that something basic is wrong. We are what is wrong, and we must make it right.

Last September 21, as the Northern Hemisphere tilted away from the sun, scientists reported with unprecedented distress that the North Polar ice cap is "falling off a cliff." One study estimated that it could be completely gone during summer in less than 22 years. Another new study, to be presented by U.S. Navy researchers later this week, warns it could happen in as little as 7 years.

In the last few months, it has been harder and harder to misinterpret the signs that our world is spinning out of kilter. Major cities in North and South America, Asia and Australia are nearly run out of water due to massive droughts and melting glaciers. Desperate farmers are losing their livelihoods. People in the frozen Arctic and on low-lying Pacific islands are planning evacuations of places they have long called home. Unprecedented wildfires have forced a half million people from their homes in one country and caused a national emergency that almost brought down the government in another. Climate refugees have migrated into areas already inhabited by people with different cultures, religions, and traditions, increasing the potential for conflict. Stronger storms in the Pacific and Atlantic have threatened whole cities. Massive flooding in South Asia, Mexico, and 18 countries in Africa has displaced millions. As temperature extremes have increased, tens of thousands have lost their lives. We are recklessly burning and clearing our forests and driving more and more

# species into extinction. The very web of life on which we depend is being ripped and frayed.

We never intended to cause all this destruction, just as Alfred Nobel never intended that dynamite be used for waging war. He had hoped his invention would promote human progress. Indeed, without realizing it, we have begun to wage war on the earth itself. More than two decades ago, scientists calculated that nuclear war could throw so much debris and smoke into the air that it would block life-giving sunlight from our atmosphere, causing a "nuclear winter." Their eloquent warnings here in Oslo helped galvanize the world's resolve to halt the nuclear arms race.

Now science is warning us that if we do not quickly reduce the global warming pollution that is trapping so much of the heat our planet normally radiates back out of the atmosphere, we are in danger of creating a permanent "carbon summer."

As the American poet Robert Frost wrote, "Some say the world will end in fire; some say in ice". Either, he notes, "would suffice". But neither need be our fate. It is time to make peace with the planet.

We must quickly mobilize our civilization with the urgency and resolve that has previously been seen only when nations mobilized for war. These prior struggles for survival were won when leaders found words at the  $11^{\text{th}}$  hour that released a mighty surge of courage, hope and readiness to sacrifice for a protracted and mortal challenge.

Now comes the threat of climate crisis a threat that is real, rising, imminent, and universal. Once again, it is the 11th hour. The penalties for ignoring this challenge are immense and growing, and at some near point would be unsustainable and unrecoverable. For now we still have the power to choose our fate, and the remaining question is only this: Have we the will to act vigorously and in time, or will we remain imprisoned by a dangerous illusion?

Mahatma Gandhi awakened the largest democracy on earth and forged a shared resolve with what he called "Satyagraha" or "truth force". In every land, the truth once known has the power to set us free. Truth also has the power to unite us and bridge the distance between 'me' and 'we', creating the basis for common effort and shared responsibility.

There is an African proverb that says, "If you want to go quickly, go alone. If you want to go far, go together". **We need to go far, quickly.** That means adopting principles, values, laws, and treaties that release creativity and initiative at every level of society in multifold responses originating concurrently and spontaneously. This new consciousness requires expanding the possibilities inherent in all humanity.

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These are the last few years of decision, but they can be the first years of a bright and hopeful future if we do what we must. No one should believe a solution will be found without effort, without cost, without change. Let us acknowledge that if we wish to redeem squandered time and speak again with moral authority, then these are the hard truths: the way ahead is difficult. The outer boundary of what we currently believe to be feasible is still far short of what we actually must do. Moreover, between here and there, across the unknown, falls the shadow.

That is just another way of saying that we have to expand the boundaries of what is possible. In the words of the Spanish poet, Antonio Machado, "Pathwalker, there is no path. You must make the path as you walk". So let us renew it, and say together: "We have a purpose. We are many. For this purpose **we will rise, and we will act".** 





# VOICE OF REASON AND WISDOM R.K.Pachauri

Now read the edited version of Dr. R.K.Pachauri's Nobel Peace Prize lecture, delivered in Oslo on 10 December 2007. © Nobel Foundation. Dr. R.K.Pachauri was then the Chairman of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), in Geneva. He is now the Minister in PM Dr. Manmohan Singh's cabinet, in India.

As Chair of the IPCC, I am deeply privileged to present this lecture on the occasion of the Nobel Peace Prize being awarded to the IPCC. The IPCC produces key scientific material that is of the highest relevance to policymaking, and <u>is agreed word-by-word by all governments</u>.

The Panel was established in 1988 through a resolution of the UN General Assembly. One of its clauses was significant in having stated, "Noting with concern that the emerging evidence indicates that continued growth in atmospheric concentrations of "greenhouse" gases could produce global warming with an eventual rise in sea levels, the effects of which could be disastrous for mankind if timely steps are not taken at all levels". This means that almost two decades ago the UN was acutely conscious of the possibility of disaster consequent on climate change through increases in sea levels. Today we know much more, which provides greater substance to that concern.

This award being given to the IPCC, we believe goes fundamentally beyond a concern for the impacts of climate change on peace. This signal honour is, in our view, an acknowledgement of three important realities, which can be summed up as:

- 1. The power and promise of collective scientific endeavour.
- 2. The importance of the role of knowledge in shaping public policy.
- 3. The need for developing an effective rationale for timely and adequate action to avoid such threats in the future.

These three realities encircle an important truth that must guide global action involving the entire human race in the future. Coming as I do from India, where much of the earlier tradition and wisdom guides actions even in modern times, the philosophy of <u>"Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam</u>", which means the whole universe is one family, must dominate global efforts to protect the global commons. This principle is crucial to the maintenance of peace and order today as it would be increasingly in the years ahead.

Neglect in protecting our heritage of natural resources could prove extremely harmful for the human race and for all species that share common space on planet earth. Indeed, there are many lessons in human history which provide adequate warning about the chaos and destruction that could take place if we remain guilty of myopic indifference to the progressive erosion and decline of nature's resources. Much has been written, for instance, about the Maya civilization, which flourished during 250950 AD, but collapsed largely as a result of serious and prolonged drought. Some 4000 years ago a number of well-known Bronze Age civilizations, extending from the Mediterranean to the Indus Valley, also crumbled. Changes in climate have historically determined periods of peace as well as conflict. In recent years several groups have studied the link between climate and security. Climate changes lead to dramatic population migration, conflict, and war over water and other resources as well as a realignment of power among nations. Some also highlight the possibility of rising tensions between rich and poor nations, health problems caused particularly by water shortages, and crop failures as well as concerns over nuclear proliferation.

One of the most significant aspects of the impacts of climate change relates to the equity implications of changes that are occurring and are likely to occur in the future. In general, this impacts the poorest and the most vulnerable communities, and may actually see a decline in their economic condition, with a loss of livelihoods and opportunities to maintain even subsistence levels of existence.

Peace can be defined as security and the secure access to resources that are essential for living. Climate change will have several implications, as numerous adverse impacts are expected for some populations in terms of:

- Access to clean water,
- Access to sufficient food,
- Stable health conditions,
- Ecosystem resources,
- Security of settlements.

Climate change is expected to exacerbate current stresses on water resources. On a regional scale, mountain snowpack, glaciers, and small ice caps play a crucial role in fresh water availability. Widespread mass losses from glaciers and reductions in snow cover over recent decades are projected to accelerate throughout the 21<sup>st</sup> century, reducing water availability, hydropower potential, and the changing seasonality of flows in regions supplied by meltwater from major mountain ranges (e.g. Hindu-Kush, Himalaya, Andes), where more than one-sixth of the world's population currently lives. There is also high confidence that many semi-arid areas (e.g. the Mediterranean Basin, western United States, southern Africa, and northeastern Brazil) will suffer a decrease in water resources due to climate change. In Africa by 2020, between 75 and 250 million people are projected to be exposed to

#### increased water stress due to climate change.

The health status of millions of people is projected to be affected through, for example, increases in malnutrition; increased deaths, diseases, and injury due to extreme weather events; increased burden of diarrheal diseases; increased frequency of cardio-respiratory diseases due to higher concentrations of ground-level ozone in urban areas related to climate change; and the altered spatial distribution of some infectious diseases.

Climate change is likely to lead to some irreversible impacts on biodiversity. As far as security of human settlements is concerned, vulnerabilities to climate change are generally greater in certain high-risk locations, particularly coastal and riverine areas. Where extreme weather events become more intense or more frequent with climate change, the economic and social costs of those events will increase.

Some regions likely to be especially affected by climate change are the Arctic, Small islands, Asian and African mega-deltas, due to large populations and high exposure to sea level rise, storm surges, and river flooding.

The IPCC 4th Assessment Report concludes that vulnerable regions face multiple stresses that affect their exposure and sensitivity to various impacts as well as their capacity to adapt. These stresses arise from, for example, current climate hazards, poverty, and unequal access to resources, food insecurity, trends in economic globalization, conflict, and incidence of diseases.

Migration and movement of people is a particularly critical source of potential conflict. Migration, usually temporary and often from rural to urban areas, is a common response to calamities such as floods and famines.

Another issue of extreme concern is the finding that anthropogenic factors could lead to some impacts that are abrupt or irreversible, depending on the rate and magnitude of climate change. For instance, partial loss of ice sheets on polar land could imply metres of sea level rise, major changes in coastlines, and inundation of low-lying areas, with greatest effects in river deltas and low-lying islands.

Global average warming above about 4.5 °C relative to 198099 (about 5°C above preindustrial) would imply: (a) Projected decreases of precipitation by up to 20% in many dry tropical and subtropical areas. (b) Expected mass loss of Greenland's ice leading to sea level rise up to 4 metres and flooding of shorelines on every continent. The implications of these changes, if they were to occur would be grave and disastrous. However, it is within the reach of human society to meet these threats. The impacts of climate change can be limited by suitable adaptation measures and stringent mitigation of greenhouse gas emissions.

Societies have a long record of adapting to the impacts of weather and climate. But climate change poses novel risks often outside the range of experience, such as impacts related to drought, heat waves, accelerated glacier retreat, and hurricane intensity. These impacts will require adaptive responses such as investments in storm protection and water supply infrastructure, as well as community health services. Adaptation measures essential to reduce such vulnerability, are seldom undertaken in response to climate change alone but can be integrated within, for example, water resource management, coastal defense, and risk-reduction strategies. The global community needs to coordinate a far more proactive effort towards implementing adaptation measures in the most vulnerable communities and systems in the world.

Adaptation is essential to address the impacts resulting from the warming which is already unavoidable due to past emissions. But, adaptation alone is not expected to cope with all the projected effects of climate change, and especially not in the long run as most impacts increase in magnitude.

There is substantial potential for the mitigation of global greenhouse gas emissions over the coming decades that could offset the projected growth of global emissions or reduce emissions below current levels. There are multiple drivers for actions that reduce emissions of greenhouse gases, and they can produce multiple benefits at the local level in terms of economic development and poverty alleviation, employment, energy security, and local environmental protection.

Science tells us not only that the climate system is changing, but also that further warming and sea level rise is in store even if greenhouse gases were to be stabilized today. That is a consequence of the basic physics of the system. Social factors also contribute to our future, including the 'lock-in' due, for example, to today's power plants, transportation systems, and buildings, and their likely continuing emissions even as cleaner future infrastructure comes on line. So the challenge before us is not only a large one, it is also one in which every year of delay implies a commitment to greater climate change in the future.

It would be relevant to recall the words of President Gayoom of the Maldives at the  $42^{nd}$  Session of the UN General Assembly on the 19 October 1987: "As for my own country, the Maldives, a mean sea level rise of 2 metres would suffice to virtually submerge the entire country of 1,190 small islands, most of which barely rise 2 metres above mean sea level. That would be the death of a nation. With a mere 1 metre rise also, a storm surge would be catastrophic, and possibly fatal to the nation".

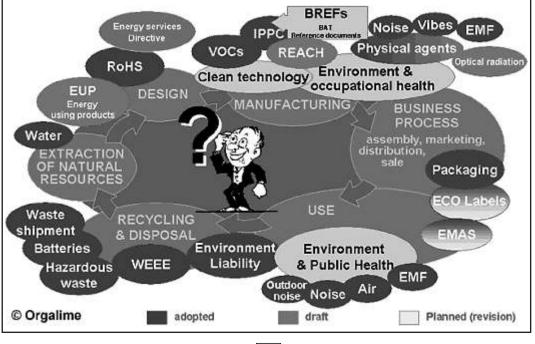
On 22 September 1997, at the opening of the 13<sup>th</sup> session of the IPCC at Male, the

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capital of the Maldives, President Gayoom reminded us of the threat to his country when he said, "Ten years ago, in April 1987, this very spot where we are gathered now, was under two feet of water, as unusually high waves inundated one third of Male, as well as the Male International Airport and several other islands of our archipelago". Hazards from the impacts of climate change are, therefore, a reality today in some parts of the world, and we cannot hide under global averages and the ability of affluent societies to deal with climate-related threats as opposed to the condition of vulnerable communities in poor regions of the globe.

The successive assessment reports published by the IPCC since 1990 demonstrate the progress of scientific knowledge about climate change and its consequences. As stated in the 4<sup>th</sup> Assessment Report, "warming of the climate system is unequivocal", and "most of the global average warming over the past 50 years is very likely due to anthropogenic greenhouse gases increases".

How climate change will affect peace is for others to determine, but we have provided scientific assessment of what could become a basis for conflict. When Mr. <u>Willy Brandt</u> spoke at the acceptance of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1971, he said, "We shall have to know more about the origins of conflicts. As I see it, next to reasonable politics, learning is in our world the true credible alternative to force". The question is whether we would support what Willy Brandt referred to as "reasonable politics". Will those responsible for decisions in the field of climate change at the global level listen to the voice of science and knowledge, which is now loud and clear?



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## GLOBAL WARMING IS A HOAX? - Albert John Willms



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**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** John's article reminds me of the building of St. Peters Basilica in Rome. In the 15 century, Pope Julius (and others) decided to build the biggest and best Basilica befitting the "Holy Roman Catholic Church". This of course, was a very costly exercise. In order to raise the necessary cash, priests in all of Europe would forgive sins for money. Every dastardly deed could be absolved for a considerable consideration. Then like now: Your sins are forgiven, but you must pay for "Carbon Credits".

When a well packaged web of lies has been fed gradually to the masses over several generations, the truth will seem utterly preposterous and its speaker a raving lunatic. Dresden James

When it comes to the Global Warming debate, it has been mentioned consistently that the models used don't reflect 'normal' climate activities. Ok - I have to ask then, what is normal and who came up with it over what period of time? You see, when you take climate data from the past 100+ years, we see a different trend than if you were to take the data from 1978 on - when we were able to take atmospheric temps via satellite.

We have been led to believe that the Co2 levels in the atmosphere are a major factor in the 'climate change' that is happening right now, and that man is responsible for it. I do admit that Man has introduced some Co2 into the atmosphere, but our contribution is insignificant.

Take this cap and trade fiasco the powers that be (UN) is touting. It is another farce. Legislate a cap on Co2, then tax it. Here in British Columbia we already have a 'carbon tax' on our gasoline of about 5 cents a litre. Someone needs to explain to me how this would (a) reduce the carbon dioxide in the atmosphere and (b) have any effect on climate change. Has it lessened traffic? No. If anything there are more vehicles on the road today as there were a year ago. Think about what would happen when 1/4 of someone's daily income has to go to pay some tax that only accomplishes

the goal of lining the UN's pockets to further their agenda of total world control.

**Trade in Carbon Credits.** Another scheme to make pollution guilt free. Really, does it make any sense to allow businesses to buy their way out of making actual changes in the way they do things when the supposed agenda is to reduce pollution? Pay to have a tree planted and pollute some more. No worries about what is spewing out of the stack - we have bought our allotment of credits so we can do it without any guilt. How ridiculous is that? The only thing that carbon credits suggest is that there is no real concern about getting rid of this 'deadly greenhouse gas'. What is next? Taxing us because we breathe? If Co2 was as nasty as they make it out to be, Our Creator would have made us in such a way that we would not be exhaling it.

Science clearly shows that any rise in Co2 levels follows warming. Even the famous chart and the way it was presented by Mr. Gore in his movie, under careful study shows that rising Co2 levels follow the warming trend by as much as 800 years. Easy to prove with a can of carbonated beverage. Open a cold one and then open a warm one. Which one let off more Co2 when opened? You don't even need to do the experiment to know the answer. The truth is completely opposite of what we are being told.

In an article published in the UK Sunday Times, former editor of New Scientist, Nigel Calder stated, "When politicians and journalists declare that the science of global warming is settled, they show a regrettable ignorance about how science works". He further stated that, "Twenty years ago, climate research became politicised in favour of one particular hypothesis".

To extrapolate this with computer models programmed with data that is sympathetic to the 'man made' camp; will only reveal what that camp wants you to see. We also have to look at scale of charts as well. Different scale on the X and Y Axis reveal different curves and the only curve they present is the one that suits the cause. More distraction and skewing of facts to serve their purpose. And one thing that we find in science is that it proves itself wrong a lot.

Yes, there are many pollutants being spewed into our atmosphere. Vancouver BC, Canada has a very ugly yellow haze over it when viewed from across the Strait of Georgia. Is that good? No. Do we need to clean it up? Yes! Do we need to worry about the Co2 content? No. We don't. The other particulates and smog we are breathing are nasty to our health and we ought not to pollute. But when it comes to Co2, we have been lied to and sold a bill of goods that has no scientific basis. We need to tend and keep the garden like we are supposed to.

Global warming is a hoax, invented in 1988. Most environmentalists have no technical or scientific credentials whatsoever. Environmentalists claim that the

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Earth's atmosphere is getting hotter. They claim that the polar icecaps and glaciers will melt and sea levels will rise over two hundred feet, flooding most coastal cities. What they do not realise is that iceberg displaces water equivalent to its total weight. So even if icebergs were to melt the ocean levels will not rise. Likewise, the icecaps are reducing in some parts and increasing in another. Thereby, the earth is maintaining its balance of axis disturbed by high-rise buildings and massive urbanisation. So, frankly speaking there is no need to panic.

Writing on this subject Tom Gremillion said in 2005: "They claim that many areas of the Earth will turn into deserts. They make all these claims but cannot substantiate. Parts of the polar icecap and glaciers are melting but other areas of the polar icecaps and glaciers are thickening. The environmentalists base their 'proof' of the existence of global warming on the melting areas but are strangely silent, even militant to the point of violence, if anyone mentions the areas that are thickening, and those thickening areas are many".

Global mean temperatures are cyclical with the seasons as also with other normal cycles. They have been for the entire history of the Earth. Scientific data from ice cores, tree rings and other indicators of global mean temperatures prove this. Human activity has never been the cause of these global temperature swings as the global warming advocates claim.

The energy output of the Sun is far greater in one second than human activity could produce in a million years. The Earth rotates around the Sun. Its orbit is slightly elliptical. The energy reaching the Earth from the Sun varies slightly as the distance from the Sun to the Earth varies due to its elliptical orbit. The Sun activity increases and decreases with fluctuations in the solar flares emitted by the Sun. Differences in these fluctuation rates cause increases and decreases of solar energy hitting the Earth. This causes fluctuations in the global mean temperature of the Earth's atmosphere.

In 2004, the energy from massive solar flares bombarded the Earth with solar energy. This solar energy caused heating of the Earth's surface and atmosphere. Most of the energy of the solar flare eruptions dissipated into space. The amounts of energy ejected were massive, much greater than normal. The higher than usual amounts of energy that struck the Earth's atmosphere led to some heating of the atmosphere.

Then there is the eruption of volcanoes, such as Mt. St. Helens, ejecting dust and ash into the Earth's atmosphere. The amount of dust and ash in the atmosphere varies the amount of energy that can cause heating or cooling of the Earth's atmosphere. Volcanoes also eject the kind of compounds that environmentalists call greenhouse gases. A single eruption the size of the Mt. St. Helens eruption released more of these gases, dust and ash into the atmosphere than all such emissions by human activity. And there are numerous volcanic eruptions yearly.

It is the fluctuations of the Earth's orbit around the sun, volcanic eruptions, the emission of gases by oceans and trees, all natural occurrences, that cause rises and declines in global mean temperatures, i.e., "global warming" and "global cooling," not ordinary human activity.

Therefore, those claiming that 'global warming' is real have an agenda other than saving the planet from human activity. Especially since satellite data taken over the past 25 years indicate no surface or atmospheric warming. If anything there has been a very slight cooling, of the order of 0.01 degree centigrade.

Co2 is generally a by-product of warming as seas warm and release gases, which leads to times of plenty as plants thrive and expand their ranges and provide more food for fauna, increasing biodiversity. By contrast, cooler periods are times of want, tracked in human history by wars for food, pestilence and famine.

Man is arrogant indeed if he feels he can influence weather, except on a very local basis, such as in urban heat islands, where much of the data has shown an increase in temperature, as cities grow and generate more heat. The atmosphere is not warming, the seas as a group are not warming, the Antarctic ice sheet has never been bigger or thicker, Greenland's ice sheet is thickening, the 160,000 glaciers are both advancing and retreating and Polar Bear populations have grown 5-fold since the 1970's.

"While imposing 'global warming' they cleverly avoid mentioning HAARP, Star Wars, Ozone Hole, Underground Nuclear Tests, Chemtrails which are the real reasons of global weather pattern change" opines Prof. Leo Rebello. For example, Environment Canada brags about spending \$3.7 billion in the last five years dealing with climate change almost all on propaganda trying to defend an indefensible scientific position while at the same time closing weather stations and failing to meet legislated pollution targets.

In his book 'The Structure of Scientific Revolutions'Thomas Kuhn has skillfully and briefly defined the scientific method, which people do not understand. He said: "A scientist makes certain assumptions and then produces a theory that is only as valid as the assumptions. The theory of Global Warming assumes that Co2 is an atmospheric greenhouse gas and as it increases temperatures rise. It was then theorized that since humans were producing more Co2 than before, the temperature would inevitably rise. The theory was accepted before testing had started, and effectively became a law".

Does carbon dioxide harm the environment? We cannot eliminate all carbon dioxide because much carbon dioxide is needed to feed the chlorophyll in plants and trees, where it is converted into the oxygen you need to breathe in, which is then converted to carbon dioxide as you breathe out.

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Most of the media articles you will see refer to reports issued by the IPCC. The IPCC is the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate change, a political body appointed by the United Nations (UN). Many of the 3,000 members of this panel are not scientists, but simply political appointees. The few real scientists on the panel have disputed the panel's findings but have been silenced by having their comments deleted from the reports.

More than 19,000 basic and applied American scientists, two-thirds with advanced degrees, have signed the Oregon Institute of Science and Medicine's Global Warming Petition, which says in part, "There is no convincing scientific evidence that human release of carbon dioxide, methane, or other greenhouse gases is causing or will, in the foreseeable future, cause catastrophic heating of the earth's atmosphere and disruption of the earth's climate".

The solutions given for global cooling and global warming appear to be the same: population control, redistribution of wealth, and more government control. Analysis of global warming and global flooding indicates that they are based on selective partial evidence, rumors and steam-rollered propaganda by powerful antagonists with the agenda of changing our way of living.





# POLLUTION: ROOT CAUSE OF WARS Uday Bhawalkar B.Tech, Ph.D. (IIT Bombay) drudaybhawalkar@gmail.com

**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** In this paper, Dr. Uday Bhawalkar talks of Eco-Logic that is going to help environment, agriculture, water, energy, economy, health and innovation. Eco-Logic also helps us understand the root cause of crime, quarrels and wars, of negative human traits and also source of human creativity. This nano technology might help us in increasing the carrying capacity of the earth by tackling the challenges that we are facing today, thus ensuring supply of food, water, energy, clothing, housing, health, education and peace for all.

Polio, as we know, is caused by exposure to pesticides and not by the poliovirus. The Black Plague in Europe was also not caused by germs carried by rats. Humans were dying of something else - poor sanitation, polluted water etc. This paper gives the chemistry of war as also the solution. I have seen this Eco-chip work in Mumbai and Nasik. Wisdom makes life endurable. Biosanitizer is Nature's wisdom in a Chip. This could well be the find of the century.

**Introduction:** Wars are bigger version of quarrels. Both originate in angry minds. According to ancient Indian literature, six vices of mind are mentioned, viz. sex (*kaam*), anger (*krodha*), greed (*lobha*), arrogance (*mada*), temptation (*moha*) and jealousy (*matsar*). These appear to be listed in increasing order of mind pollution. Today, we should add one more vice that comes at much higher level of mind pollution. This vice is actual 'violence that leads to killing' (*hinsa*).

Polluted human body can easily precipitate quarrels leading to violence. It is found that animals that are kept at high stocking density (and hence exposed to higher amount of ammonia generated from their excretory products), show more violent behavior than those grown at low stocking density, kept on a healthy vegetated soil. Also it is a common experience that we feel fresh and become 'creative' after a 'bath with clean water'. We use water to flush pollution out of our body, to clean food etc. This function can be effective only to the extent our water source is clean.

Our water comes primarily through rain. Rain-washes the air through which it falls. Hence quality of water depends primarily on the quality of air. No wonder the rain quality has deteriorated over the past several years after fossil fuels were used in cold countries where plants show only seasonal growth. This rain quality spoilage has been in terms of acids that form when water dissolves the oxides of carbon, nitrogen and sulphur. Acid rain is less of a problem where natural biomass fuels are used by farmers. Now, after industrial use of fossil fuels, India is also trying to catch up with the pollution trend in advanced countries.

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India is one country that had flourished rich civilization and culture, also material prosperity over a long period of history. We never attacked any other country and were always attacked by invaders coming from ecologically poor regions. We also pardoned them repeatedly and tried to be friendly with the invaders.

**Methodology:** This analysis is derived from Eco-Logic that facilitates selective delearning and re-learning. De-learning of knowledge sold to us through commercial interests is first necessary before we decide to re-learn fresh concepts that are derived out of Eco-Logic, the logic of Nature. Eco-Logic is a grammar of Nature. Its mastery allows us to be connected to Nature and learn from her evolutionary experience of about 5 billion years.

**Eco-Logic can be stated as:** (a) Nature is well designed. (b) Every organism has a role. (c) Body structure and function is to facilitate its role. (d) Population of each organism is controlled by the task before the organism. (e) Organisms could be divided into two categories. They are either resource converters (K-selected) or waste controllers (r-selected). (f) K-selected organisms are hidden, quiet or pleasant, whereas the r-selected organisms are visible, highly mobile or unpleasant in their behaviour. (g) Pollution is an indication of waste of resources. (h) Pollution controllers (r-selected organisms) cause human suffering, to variable extent, to draw our attention to the waste and appeal for the preventive action. (i) The smaller the organism, the more productive it is. (j) Predator culls its prey selectively to remove defective young and ineffective old, thus increasing productivity of the prey. (k) Each niche (function station) has one organism with specific function and specific food. (1) If two organisms try to occupy the same niche, the more effective one gets selected. (m) Successful breeding is an indication that the organism is playing its role effectively. (n) Ecosystems are self-designed and self-improving. (o) They are selfcontrolled, aimed at resource conservation and sustainability. (p) Each organism gives an additional capability to the ecosystem. (q) Biodiversity, thus, improves the ecosystem performance. (r) Mother Earth behaves as a self-controlled ecosystem. (s) Even the abiotic components, such as lightening, storms, tornadoes, floods, droughts, global warming, ozone layer depletion, forest fires, earthquakes and volcanoes are corrective in action and contribute to the stability. (t) These unpleasant phenomena could be managed best by going to their root cause: the waste of resources by man.

**Eco-Logic was developed through the following methodology:** Spending 12 years in rural area, learning from Nature and farmers, after a B.Tech. in chemical engineering (1973) from IIT Bombay. Traveling internationally to participate in conferences, thus learning from scientists of diverse disciplines. Eco-Logic is an outcome of the multi-disciplinary Ph.D. thesis completed and submitted by the author in 1997, to the chemical engineering department of IIT Bombay. 3 Indian and 1 US patent.

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Apart from the innovation (Soil BioTechnology) that emerged from author's work, the latter also recommended that the two polluting chemical industries, viz. chemical fertilizers and pesticides, be stopped because Nature wants us to use eco-logical alternatives. Incidentally, both these industries are meant to supply war machinery (ammunition and chemical weapons) and were sold to help the farmers after the second war was over.

**Illusion of Chemical Fertilizers:** Healthy soil that has earthworms, can supply all the required plant nutrients. This is how Indian agriculture has sustained over the past 10,000 years. Indian agriculture started losing its productivity gradually after the rain quality got deteriorated. Acidic rain started reducing the earthworm activity. Chemical fertilizers appeared on the scene when Indian soils were showing reduced productivity.

But these chemical fertilizers work by mining the soil organic matter, this mining is facilitated by increasing the nitrate levels in the soil, much beyond the genuine nitrogen-need of the plants. This mining produces the carbon dioxide, which is the most limiting plant nutrient. Increased crop production of so-called 'green revolution', thus, depends on mining of soil's carbon reserve. No wonder, this method of agriculture is hardly sustainable, as shown in Punjab, Haryana and other tracts where it was intensively promoted.

Intensive chemical agriculture also results in production of unhealthy food with residual nitrates. Such food gets spoiled readily and has to be consumed in large quantity because it is nutritionally inferior. It also creates higher craving for proteins (costly for Nature to produce).

Plants that are fed with chemical fertilizers also get higher pest attacks because pests are the natural mechanism to scavenge wasted nitrates. Sanitation pests such as cockroaches, ants, rats and mosquitoes, too, look for wasted nitrates.

Organic farming (that shuns chemical fertilizers and pesticides) was actively promoted during the first and second world wars and there are published reports in the medical journals that people became healthier due to consumption of organic food. Both health of body and mind, thus, depends upon the quality of food, water and air.

**Folly of Pesticides:** When chemical fertilizers are used, pest attack follows logically. If this is fought using chemical weapons, we end up using food that is contaminated with both nitrates and pesticide residues. Pests, themselves soon learn how to digest the toxic sprays and farmers are advised to switch to more potent sprays, which is not only unwise, but also costlier.

**Sanitation Pests:** It is well understood that these come in 'unclean' environment. Actually, they are scavengers of Nature and consume the dirt and help clean the environment. Trying to kill them using chemical weapons is an eco-crime.

Pests were branded evils only to promote sale of pesticides, which were originally the chemical weapons of the first and second world wars. The war machinery has to be kept alive for the next war, hence imaginary foes (pests) were created.

When the Soil BioTechnology and its upgraded version, the Biosanitizer Eco-chips are used, the farm productivity is found to be better than the chemical counterpart. Food quality is also superior. Sanitation pests are also rare. Men and animals consuming the rich organic food show healthy body and mind that alone can support rich culture.

It is wrong to assume that rats cause plague and mosquitoes cause malaria or dengue. These scavengers come to clean the land or aquatic system and in fact, fall sick when they get overloaded. The sickness comes logically to selected humans that are polluted. The best way is to keep our land and water ecosystems clean by using the most convenient and compact Biosanitizer Eco-chips.

**Biosanitizer Eco-chip** is 'ecology on a chip'. 100 mg of Biosanitizer eco-chip has the same capability as one acre of natural forest, of using inorganic nutrients (salts) and CO2 as food and produce eco-resources (food/fuel and oxygen).

Inorganic pollution (N, P, sulphates, chlorides, sodium, heavy metals, etc.) get reduced through utilization as 'food for plants'. This action also needs import of CO2 if it is not available in the system. This method of converting wastes into resources is common feature of Nature.

Biosanitizer, thus, can help us solve two burning problems: pollution due to saltwater and greenhouse gases. This reaction also uses 'warmth' as third raw material, thus producing natural cooling effect. This is sort of bio-refrigeration or bio-airconditioning. These chips are insoluble in water and act as 'bio-catalyst'. They have stabilized plant enzymes that have a long life.

**Large-scale Demonstrations:** This technology has been demonstrated on large scale in India and 12 other countries in live projects that have created confidence through their successful long term operation of 5-15 years. The technology is simple to operate and maintain. It sustains itself, by converting pollution into resources. This technology has shown applications in the following areas: (a) Water treatment without use of chemicals and without producing any residue or pollutant. (b) Wastewater treatment without use of any machinery or electricity, without producing any residue or pollutant (greenhouse gases). (c) Organic solid wastes management,

without producing any residue or pollutant. (d) Air pollution control by treatment of fossil fuels. (e) Management of so-called natural disasters, these actually are the outcome of human interference. (f) Cleaning of human mind pollution, this is due to intake of polluted food, water and air. Increase in human mind pollution, in fact, leads to bad habits, quarrels and finally, wars.

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**Conclusion:** Healthy prosperous culture is based on healthy environment that provides the consumers with healthy food, water and air. This automatically promotes healthy ecosystem for growth, prosperity and culture. Current industrial culture is wasteful and hence unsustainable. Recession haunts such a system periodically. This creates further tension that leads to fear, insecurity, anger, and wars. It is time to understand how the Nature is eco-logically designed and follow her laws. Biosanitizer can build age-old Indian culture that showed sustainable existence over the past 10,000 years. We should not repeat the mistakes of others; in fact, should lead the world through eco-logical practices.



# WAR ON YOUR HEALTH Dr. Leo Rebello

"If the people let government decide what foods they eat and what medicines they take, their bodies will soon be in as sorry a state as are the souls of those who live under tyranny". - Thomas Jefferson

"I am convinced our modern world is crazier than we can possibly imagine" says Health Ranger Mike Adams of www.naturalnews.com. The following four recent examples proves him right: -

(a) The state of Minnesota orders a parent to poison her 13-year-old boy with chemotherapy because the court believes chemo is the only treatment for cancer that works (parental rights be damned). And the media goes along with it instead of questioning it.

(b) London-based epidemiologist Prof. Malcolm Law says that all those above 55 years be put on toxic blood pressure drugs, regardless of the health status of the person.

Richard McManus, from the University of Birmingham, and Jonathan Mant, from the University of Cambridge, back him. They said the findings supported the idea of giving everyone over a certain age a "polypill" - a drug that would include a statin to lower cholesterol as well as treatment for blood pressure. Law is one of the pioneers of the polypill, which he says would be an effective way to cut the number of heart attacks and strokes in the UK. http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/health/8057850.stm Now millions will be put on "polypill".

(c) Massachusetts Senate passes a police state law that allows for mandatory vaccinations of all citizens and a \$1,000 / day fine for those who refuse to cooperate. It also legalizes health care "interrogations" of citizens, forced entry into their homes without a warrant, the on-site destruction of buildings or objects suspected of harboring the virus, the government kidnapping of family pets, "involuntary transportation" of people into quarantine camps and much more.

(d) Soy protein is contaminated with a toxic chemical solvent Hexane that's a byproduct of gasoline refining. Hexane is found in soy protein that's used in infant formula, protein bars, 'veggie' burgers and other soy products. Hexane is a lethal neurotoxin.

Klaus Ferlow, Master Herbalist, from Canada, and Pat Rattigan, Naturopath from UK, report that it is the same pattern there too. This confirms what David Icke says:

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The World Health Organization is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Anglo-American-Swiss pharmaceutical cartel with its interlocking leadership. The WHO tells the world there is going to be an epidemic of something or other and its controllers, the pharmaceutical corporations, would provide the vaccine. But these vaccines are causing untold harm to the physical and spiritual well being of billions of people worldwide. They are in fact part of population control programme.

In the developing story about the military origin of the Swine Flu H1N1 virus, an Austrian investigative journalist filed a lawsuit in Vienna (in July 2009) against the companies (Baxter and Avir), which are preparing the vaccine against the resulting pandemic on the grounds that they are preparing a global genocide designed to substantially reduce the world's population.

**Jane Burgermeister,** who has documented evidence of the involvement of Austrian and US firms, has collected evidence that such an agenda is currently in the process of implementation. This sinister agenda goes back to the eugenicist history of, among others, the Rockefeller family, which today controls virtually 100% of the US bioengineering industry, as well as the UN/WHO.

As part of the Population Control Pogrom, various wars, in the name of Health, are waged against you. Like the carpet-bombing of Iraq, Afghanistan and Pakistan, vaccines, drugs, carcinogens, steroids, statins, anti-retrovirals, antibiotics, aspartame, fluoride and other chemicals are pumped into you to control the population. More people are killed in normal times, in hospitals by devils called doctors -- than all the war casualties put together.

Let us look at the World Health Organisation that was put in place, ostensibly, to protect our health. Today it has become a World Harm Organisation. From the WHO 2005 declaration: (excerpted) "Under special pandemic plans enacted around the world, in 2005, national governments are to be dissolved in the event of a pandemic emergency and replaced by special crisis committees, which take charge of the health and security infrastructure of a country, and which are answerable to the WHO and EU in Europe and to the WHO and UN in North America".

Under the Model State Emergency Health Powers Act, upon the declaration of a "public health emergency" governors and public health officials would be empowered to:- \* Force individuals suspected of harboring an "infectious disease" to undergo medical examinations.\* Track and share an individual's personal health information, including genetic information. \* Force persons to be vaccinated, treated, or quarantined for infectious diseases. \* Mandate that all health care providers report all cases of persons who harbor any illness or health condition that may be caused by an epidemic or an infectious agent and might pose a "substantial risk" to a "significant number of people or cause a long-term disability." (Note:

Neither "substantial risk" nor "significant number" are defined). \* Force pharmacists to report any unusual or any increased prescription rates that may be caused by epidemic diseases. \* Preempt existing state laws, rules and regulations, including those relating to privacy, medical licensure, and property rights.

\* Control public and private property during a public health emergency, including pharmaceutical manufacturing plants, nursing homes, other health care facilities, and communications devices. \* Mobilize all or any part of the "organized militia into service to the state to help enforce the state's orders." Ration firearms, explosives, food, fuel and alcoholic beverages, among other commodities. \* Impose fines and penalties to enforce their orders.

Simultaneously comes the news that "scientists are now claiming a breakthrough in finding a new way to create sperm, using stem cells from a 5-day old human male embryo". This is being hailed as an amazing medical technology breakthrough that could help treat infertility.

But is there really a shortage of sperm in the world? In an age where overpopulation of the planet, they say, is already destroying our natural world and consuming non-renewable resources, it seems absurd to be spending time, money and effort coming up with a new way to create sperm.

The arrogance of medical scientists in this sperm scam is simply asinine. They are proud in having invented a way to artificially create sperm or artificially inseminate a woman. But after a hundred years of medical domination, they have yet to create a single cure for anything: Cancer, diabetes, heart disease, depression, Alzheimer's, kidney stones or a thousand other health conditions. They have not made anyone healthy, but by focusing on infertility technology, they can dream up new ways to bring yet more unhealthy customers into the world.

These 'sickos' who cannot think beyond insane profits, have also turned pregnancy (a natural phenomenon) into a disease -- evidenced by the way pregnant women are rushed into hospitals for all sorts of poking, prodding and blood testing. There is no willingness in modern medicine to simply let pregnancy, childbirth or fertility happen naturally. It's all about intervention and profits. As if 2.3 trillion dollar annual health budget was not enough, US President (Obama) wants to give another 1.6 trillion dollars so that every American can have access to this rotten medical system that cannot cure anything from common cold to cancers.

It is high time, says Robert Butts of <u>http://www.watercure2.org/</u> that we can solve any high profit problem by deprofitising the problem. But the septuagenarian committed to Water Cure and Salt Treatment, like several others, does not understand the cloak and dagger Laws of the Pharmaceutical Industry.

## The governing principles of the medicine mafia

**1.** The laboratory and marketplace for the 'Pharmaceutical Industry' is the human body. Thus, maintaining and expanding diseases is a precondition for the growth of this industry. By last count, the medicine mafia has invented about 30,000 diseases.

**2.** 'Pharma' was artificially created and strategically developed over an entire century by the same investment groups that control the global petrochemical and chemical industries.

**3.** The huge profits of this industry are based on the patenting of new drugs. These patents essentially allow drug manufacturers to arbitrarily define the profits for their products.

**4.** A key strategy to accomplish this goal is the development of drugs that merely mask symptoms while avoiding the curing or elimination of diseases. This explains why most prescription drugs marketed today have no proven efficacy and merely target symptoms.

**5.** To further expand their market, the drug companies are continuously looking for new applications for the use of drugs they already market. For example, Bayer's pain pill Aspirin is now taken by over 50 million healthy US citizens under the illusion it will prevent heart attacks.

**6.** Another key strategy is to cause new diseases with drugs. While merely masking symptoms short term, most of the prescription drugs taken by millions of patients today cause a multitude of new diseases as a result of their known long-term side effects. For example, all cholesterol-lowering drugs currently on the market are known to increase the risk of developing cancer.

**7.** The known deadly side effects of prescription drugs are the fourth leading cause of death in the industrialized world, surpassed only by the number of deaths from heart attacks, cancer and strokes (Journal of the American Medical Association, April 15, 1998).

**8.** Prevention and root cause treatment of diseases decrease long-term profitability; therefore, they are avoided or even obstructed by this industry.

**9.** Vitamins and other effective natural health therapies that optimize cellular metabolism threaten the pharmaceutical "business with disease" because they target the cellular cause of today's most common diseases - and these natural substances cannot be patented.

**10.** To protect the strategic development of its investment business against the threat from effective, natural and non-patentable therapies, the pharmaceutical industry has over an entire century - used the most unscrupulous methods, such as:

(a) Withholding life-saving health information from millions of people; for example, Vitamin C is available in fruits, vegetables and herbs in plenty and it can prevent and cure cancers without any costly intervention.

(b) Discrediting natural health therapies. The most common way is through global PR campaigns organized by the Pharma-Cartel that spread lies about the alleged side effects of natural substances used for millennia. Or lies of homeopathy being placebo, etc.

(c) Banning by law the dissemination of information about natural health therapies. To that end, the pharma industry has placed its lobbyists in key political positions in key markets and leading drug export nations.

**11.** Pharma business is the biggest deception and fraud in human history. The product "health" promised by drug companies is not delivered. Instead, the "products" most often delivered are the opposite: new diseases and frequently, death of millions.

**12.** The survival of the pharma industry is dependent on the elimination by any means of effective natural health therapies. These traditional and natural therapies have become the treatment of choice for millions of people despite the combined economic, political and media opposition of the world's largest investment industry.

You see we are doing everything to help you is the usual refrain. Fluoridation, for example, gives you Germ Free Aqua Pura. Really? Let us look at this claim.

Fluoridation is a practice in which a relatively small number of people, with limited scientific qualifications, are intent on fluoridating drinking water supplies worldwide with very little to no understanding of fluoride's toxicology. Www.FluorideAlert.Org

Global Consultation on Oral Health through Fluoride. The worldwide ambitions of this dental lobby was revealed in November 2006 when the WHO (supported with a lot of cash from the US as well as the sugar lobby), IADR (for whom the fluoridation practice represents the gravy train for dental research) and the FDI (funded by the toothpaste, sugar, pharmaceutical and chemical industries) organized the 'Global Consultation on Oral Health through Fluoride' in Geneva, 17-19 November 2006. These bodies (WHO, IADR and FDI) issued a declaration containing this preposterous phrase: "universal access to fluoride for dental health is a part of the basic human right to health".

Fluoride was first used in the concentration camps of WW2 to keep the prisoners subdued and sterile. If you do not believe they mean to calm us all by this method, please consider the fact that moods altering medications or calmers, such as, Prozac, are around 94% fluoride.

The chemicals used to 'wash' the waste product from the fertilizer/aluminium/bomb

making industries are still in relevant quantities within this gunk when they add it to the water. Arsenic, silicon, mercury to name a few.

So consider, a very expensive to dispose of, toxic waste, is bought by our taxes to add to the water to help our teeth. We drink that water and absorb even more by washing in it, and more still by washing our skin with toiletries containing Sodium laurel sulphate (used to increase the absorption of medicines via the skin) and spill the rest into the rivers and lakes.

In the mean time, more and more people die of cancer, Alzheimer's, osteosarcoma etc, fertility is reduced lowering the birth rate. Someone who dies from smokinginduced cancer is listed as dying from cancer, not smoking. Someone who has fluoride induced cancer...cancer instead of fluoride poisoning. Laws have been made to protect the pharma and water companies from lawsuits for mishaps or damages.

Eleanore Dunn, Nutritionist, comments: "All these things lead to the destruction of the probiotics, the metabolizers in our bodies that make the elements bio-available. Every day we need a brand new supply. The use of chemicals, toxins, pharmaceuticals, especially antibiotics needs to stop before we loose the planet. Everything alive on the planet needs probiotics to survive. We need to focus on this issue since it is the root cause of all of the diseases. We need to clean the water with hydrogen peroxide since a virus, bacteria, pathogen or cancer cannot survive in a liquid oxygen environment. This is the cure for swine flu, cancer, AIDS, etc. and is so easy to prove scientifically. So, let us address the problem within a very short time available with us. Just have them test the rainwater for probiotics as they create our hydrogen peroxide, the immune system".

Now since they say Swine Flu is raging, let us do quick calculations. Assuming you believe the vaccine works, it turns out you would have to vaccinate 200,000 people to prevent the death of just one person from swine flu. And vaccinating 200,000 people would probably result in the harm or death of several just from the vaccine side effects. But it will mean trillions of dollars of profit. Juggling further on the math on swine flu vaccine, it turns out you have a 40 times more chance of being struck by lightning than being saved by the swine flu vaccine.

If any further proof of 'pharma con' is required, this message received on  $1^{\text{st}}$  Sept. 2009, via email should put the nail in the coffin of the killer Pharma industry.

Hello! I am the author of the book "**The Medical Mafia**". Among the many topics mentioned in this volume, I was revealing the ineffectiveness and dangers of vaccination. At that time, I was a practicing physician in Quebec, Canada, under the name of **Ghislaine Lanctôt**, and the owner of numerous medical clinics. Because of my professional status, my words weighed significantly in the public eye. The

Medical Board's reaction was immediate and strong. Its leaders demanded that I resign as a physician. I answered that I would do so as long as they could prove that what I had written was false. The Medical Board replied with a call for my expulsion.

An 11-day trial followed (1995), where I appeared without any lawyer. The arguments rested mainly on vaccination. As I witnessed the disproportionate reaction of the Medical Board, I realized that, for the health establishment, the subject of vaccination was taboo. Unknowingly, I had opened a Pandora's box. I discovered that, despite official claims, vaccines have nothing to do with public health. Underneath the governmental stamp of approval, there are deep military, political and industrial interests.

Throughout the trial, the Medical Board brought many physicians as public health "experts". During the cross-examination of one of these, Dr. Richard Massé, I used an episode from the March 11, 1979, 60 Minutes TV show from CBS, which was given to me privately by a supporter. This episode talked about the tragic and massive vaccination in USA during the 1976 swine flu outbreak. The answer made by the court president (judge) after viewing this episode is on page 70 of the book The Trial of the Medical Mafia.

None of the physicians who were present during the trial took this information seriously. Since this trial, these same physicians have continued their career in public health and now hold hon'ble positions. They are the very ones who are pushing the public toward a new worldwide epidemic. This A(H1N1) pandemic is concocted and orchestrated by the WHO, and serves the same military, political and industrial interests as those of 1976. Have these physicians lost their memory, or were they serving those interests right from the beginning?

I am emerging from a long silence on the subject of vaccination, because I feel that, this time, the stakes involved are huge. The consequences may spread much further than anticipated.

## Here are the most important ones:

- \* Compulsory inoculation of vaccines containing a deadly virus.
- \* Massive and targeted reduction of the world population.
- \* Through vaccines, possible introduction of tiny microchips for mind control.
- \* Establishment of martial law and police state.
- \* Activation of the concentration camps built to accommodate the rebellious.
- \* Transfer of power from all nations to a single United Nations government.
- \* Fulfillment of the .New World Order.

## Take a look at the 1979 60 Minutes episode link below.

Http://www.dailymotion.com/relevance/search/cbs+60+minutes%2C+swine+flu+.

.It includes the governmental TV propaganda that was used in USA at the time to push the massive vaccination that followed.

See Page 70 of the book The Trial of the Medical Mafia by Ghislaine Lanctot at http://www.jemesouviensdequijesuis.com/english/images/dotconnector02ghis.pdf "She has decided to take sanyas. She has given up her identity cards, bank accounts, insurance, driver's license and has decided to let her Canadian passport lapse and was just released from jail. I wonder how this 66-year old lady will survive. This is how Medicine Mafia operates" wrote Thomas Victor, an Indian-American Health Activist, to me, in Sept. 2009.

Louis Pasteur, originator of the "Germ Theory" of disease on which the concept of vaccines are predicated, recanted his entire theory on his death bed when he capitulated to his biggest critic, Antoine Beauchamp, by saying "The germ is nothing, the terrain is everything". By "terrain" Pasteur was referring to the amount of dissolved oxygen in the body. Otto Warburg won the Nobel Prize in 1931 for his discovery that no virus, no pathogen can survive in an oxygen rich environment. This finding has been massively suppressed by the pharmaceutical industry, which is the biggest con of our times and yet it has the stranglehold of "religion" on the minds of even well educated people.

**Virologist Bill Deagle, MD** was approached by the CIA a few years ago wanting his help to develop a weaponized flu and weaponized vaccine <u>for population control purposes</u>. After pouring over their documents he refused to help them and at the risk to his life became a whistleblower. He has been working very hard via his website, radio shows, and articles to alert all Americans to refuse the coming mandatory "swine flu" vaccine. Jeff Rense interviewing Bill on www.youtube.com/watch?v=5

**Codex Alementarius** will come into effect on the midnight of 31<sup>st</sup> December 2009, which will mean: Quality nutrients would be banned and only foods that were GMO, irradiated, hormone or antibiotic infused etc. would be available. Toxic chemicals presently banned would be allowed, and, of course, pharmaceuticals not touched at all.

**Mahesh Bhatt**, Indian filmmaker, adds a new dimension to the growing rage against GM food. In the film, Poison on the Platter, he says the health hazards of genetically modified food would dwarf all catastrophes like nuclear attack, floods, cyclones and the world wars. It is bioterrorism, he emphasizes, and it has the potential to wipe out life from the planet, in its entirety.

Harm from GM food is not a myth, says Bhatt as he portrays the havoc wrought by the GM food supplement L-Tryptophan on American Citizens. Jeffrey Smith, author of the highly acclaimed book Genetic Roulette, recounts it led to scores of deaths and thousands were taken ill by the time the source of the problem was discovered.

**Dr Gregory Damato** gives an idea about what GM food can do to us. He says that the recent scientific studies prove: (a) There is no increase in yield with GM. (b) Gene insertion has unintended cascading effects. (c) One gene insertion can have more than one uncontrolled effect. (d) Decrease in fertility, very serious and deep-rooted immunolgical changes, and allergies. (e) A single gene insertion caused uncontrolled changes in 1016 genes of mice under experimentation. (f) The after effects were more pronounced in the third generation. (g) Emergence of newly expressed proteins with allergenic potential.

**To see how a Cold War on Your Health is going on, click on** http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=5266884912495233634 which exposes the plan to exterminate over 1/2 of the world's population. This video informs that *Codex Alimentarius* (a huge bureaucratic monstrosity is a trade commision with no legal standing) was put to control the world through control of the food supply. It is a threat to the freedom of people to choose natural healing and alternative medicine and nutrition.

**Dr. Leonard Horowitz** <<u>www.OxySilver.net</u>> diagnoses the alleged Swine Flu vaccine emergency as a "shortage marketing" of disease and death strategy - a profitable ploy used by those "who have outrageously obvious connections to the Population Council, the preeminent organization directing global depopulation, as encouraged by Obama's science czar, John Holdren". Dr. Holdren is the co-author of the 1977 book, *Ecoscience*, which calls for massive global depopulation using sterilizing vaccinations.

Here are some telling quotes, which totally expose the mentally deranged, morally corrupt, spiritually compromised people and their preposterous plan to reduce world's population to merely 500 million by the year 2012 because of their insatiable greed:- **Henry Kissinger:** "Depopulation should be the highest priority of foreign policy towards the third world, because the US economy will require large and increasing amounts of minerals from abroad, especially from less developed countries". www.findsomequotes.com/.../Henry-Kissinger-New-York-Times-Oct-28-1973/-

Here is how **Prince Philip**, Duke of Edinburgh, the husband of Queen Elizabeth II, exposes himself: "If I were reincarnated, I would wish to be returned to earth as a killer virus to lower the human population levels".

Then we have the kingpin **David Rockefeller** leaving nothing to conjecture when he talks of reducing the world population: "War and famine would not do. Instead, diseases offered the most efficient and fastest way to kill the billions that must soon die if the population crisis is to be solved. AIDS is not an efficient killer because it is too slow. My favourite candidate for eliminating 90 percent of the world's population is airborne Ebola, because it is both highly lethal and it kills in days, instead of years.

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We've got airborne diseases with 90 percent mortality in humans. For every one who survives, he will have to bury nine". See: www.freedomsphoenix.com/depopulation-by-inoculation-part-1-motive-and-intent.htm

It was **David Icke**, who unfolded their sinister plan in The Biggest Secret, 1998: "The plan is to engineer events, real and staged, that will create enormous fear in the countdown years to 2012. This includes a plan to start a third world war, either by stimulating the Muslim world into a "Holy War" against the West, or by using the Chinese to cause global conflict. Maybe both".

"One of the first duties of the physician is to educate the masses not to take medicine" said **Sir William Osler** (1840-1919, who is considered to be the father of modern medicine). In this comprehensive article (and other related articles in this book), I have made a strong case to avoid all chemical medicines, synthetic vitamins, artificial sweeteners, food additives, preservatives, dangerous vaccines, narcotic and psychotropic substances. We need to wake up to fight this war on our health, now, for tomorrow may be too late.

## I conclude with what I had written in the year 2000. ALL-O-PATHETIC:

Allopathy has failed in everything. Infact, it has created more diseases due to over prescription (iatrogenic diseases). Here are some of the instances: Cancer - they have no answer. By the time they classify and sub-classify, the patient dies! Chemotherapy is the only line of treatment, which is worse than the disease. **Common Cold** - oh, it will take seven days with or without medicine! Asthma - take the pump and make it permanent. Wife may be divorced, but pump, no way! Pump will go with you in your coffin if you follow Allopathy. Diabetes - you have to live with it! Because diabetologists have to live too! Parkinsonism - we are working! Muscular Dystrophy - no solution in sight! Migraine - it is a headache we are still breaking our heads on! Epilepsy - let us remove part of the lobe! (Treatment worse than the disease). Obesity - liposuction (and also pocket suction!). Piles - chop them ten times without attending to the root cause: constipation.Small boobs - silicon implant (which shifts soon after the implant). Acidity - take antacids! (no advice on do's and don'ts of correct eating!). Liver Problem - you may continue drinking, we too drink freely at doctors conferences. Gases - oh, not again! We too get them! Tell them about *pawan-muktasan* and they ask what is it? Is it scientific to do exercise? Any research papers? HIV/AIDS - we've found the strains, not the virus as yet and we are working on vaccine! Ask them, have you heard of Veggie Vaccines, Homeopathic Vaccines and they look askance instead of educating themselves. I can give you hundreds of such examples of Allopathic failure. Presently, suffice it to affirm:

Like formal education stunts the mental growth of a child; Like religions stunt the spiritual growth of an individual; Vaccinations and drugs stunt the growth of the wondrous human body. Stay Free from this Unholy Trinity.

# PHARMAGEDDON Pompeyo Andrade



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From: <u>Pompeyo Andrade</u> To: <u>Dr. Leo Rebello</u> Sent: Monday, March 09, 2009 9:07 AM Subject: Re: WWW

Dear Dr. Rebello: Please receive my best greetings and admiration for your work.

I understand that you have embarked on a Quixotesque campaign in order to expose the Big Pharma. In my opinion they are only a part of the big 'High Finance' conspiracy, which includes the money creating mafia that has brought the world to this sorry state. The prospects for an early recovery are really bad. In the "Great Crisis" of 1866 in Germany, the small Jewish population living there at that time had managed to take control of 550 of the 642 banks. They decided it was time to cut liquidity, thus provoking a financial crisis that allowed them to buy cheap. In so doing they caused a depression, which lasted a decade. This has been duly reported by Jacques Perrot a chronicler of that time.

I just have read a report on MaxNews about the new buys of Mr. George Soros. The list is of about a hundred companies, including Petrobras from Brazil, Google and Yahoo. All the best companies.

It is possible that resolution of the crisis includes a new currency partially based in gold, since it is said that the Rothschilds have 100 thousand tons of the metal. (Central banks have 30 thousand tons, and the whole world may have 200 to 250 thousand tons) This will bring the whole world under the Jewish sway.

I am sure you have read the Civis Foundation's Report no.15 published in 1993 in Switzerland, in which Hans Ruesch exposes John D. Rockefeller fully.

The despairing thing is that the 40.000 Ph.Ds in Economics, the world has graduated, have been silent for decades about this incredible monopoly of the money masters. There are only a few exceptions like Frenchman Maurice Allais, Nobel 1988 Economics Prize winner.

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In the same way, Medicine Doctors all over the world have accepted the Big Pharma ploys without hesitation. They know it is wrong, but they prefer to enter the system to survive. The dominion of these systems is something that is beyond understanding. It is based in cunning and inhumanity bred through millennia.

The email of President of Ecuador, Rafael Correa is: rafaelc@rafaelcorrea.com. He and President Hugo Chavez are presiding over a remarkable Health and Education revolution. In Venezuela they have the help of Cuban doctors and I understand coverage is being given to 90% of the population, after ten years of Chavez Socialism of the XXI century. Also in Ecuador, the same revolution has three years already and President Correa is going to be reelected for another term. Health and education have improved - but we have now the problem of oil price drop and decay of our agricultural exports. Hard times are ahead.

Identifying the way the Pharma monopolies are acting seems important. Right now new mergers of Merck with Schering or Johnson and Johnson taking Genetech seem to be on the way. The crisis is allowing the 'clever cats' to buy cheap as in former times.

Are Jews very influential in present-day India? Surely, they must be a remainder of happy colonial times. I am attaching an article entitled Pharmageddon - a poor attempt to describe the problem. Please see if you can use the material. I'm not a specialist in the subject. Feel free to edit and make the necessary corrections. **Regards, Dr. Pompeyo Andrade** 

On March 5, 2009, in his address to the Congress, US President Obama made the world know something that to the medical profession has been obvious for many years. He said that the government debt, or even the social service debt, were not as grave as the problem of the increasing medical costs for the American society. If one adds that these medical costs keep growing when the US GNP has been drastically falling in 2009 (minus 6%), then prospects are very dim. Right now, 2.5 trillions of a 13.5 GNP are spent in covering the medical costs.

While the financial-banking mafia was devaluing the US currency and forcing the depreciation of most currencies in the world, while this mafia was collecting interests way higher than the actual production growths causing inflation and misery to most of the people, the pharma mafia was increasing the costs of medicines. While the dollar devalued to a half during the last decade, the medicine costs raised three or four times. This inevitably leads to a fatal problem that has to be dealt with. The health care system is crippling the US ability to be competitive; it presents an unhealthy population who do not get any health care other than emergency services; it makes medical bills the leading cause of bankruptcy (30% of household bankruptcies); it ruins family budgets and takes money out of the marketplace. Americans have

allowed insurance companies to dream up an Orwellian nightmare system that denies basic services to forty million people while sternly warning that Single Payer will be "socialist". If new life has to be breathed into the corpse of America, it needs to be through a complete revamp of the health insurance system. The US currently has a system where more than half of the health care dollars go to profit the Big Pharma and Insurance companies.

When a similar situation happened in the former Soviet Union, which was disrupted by the crisis of 1989, the pharma companies there were swallowed by the Western companies. By 1994, millions died as direct result of the economic crush, which aggravated malnutrition. The world depression that is now causing millions of people to lose their jobs will cause hundreds of millions of poor people to die because governments won't be able to spend enough money to cover the costs that the Big Pharmaceuticals extort.

Right now, most countries have been colonized by the big pharma, which have created incredible chains of distribution even in the poorest countries. Their medicines are priced exhorbitantly, which the common man cannot afford. No local pharmaceutical companies are able to stand, since the big pharma have all the patents. They fight as a dog for a bone for each product that can be used as a generic medicine. All tricks are used, as when new products, with small variations, are patented again to replace the former ones. Some products are deliberately made to produce new diseases, because the big companies have other products at hand to replace them. Some companies deliberately increase the price of the medicine whose patent is into caducity, so that they can sell the new-patented product at a lower price. In this game the 'generic' is discredited.

The fact is that the present cost of health care in the US is 2.5 trillion out of a total GDP of 13.5 trillion, but while GDP will fall in 2009, probably more than 10%, medical bills will keep growing. They are run by a syndicate that gets 50% profits, according to some reports. This syndicate has created a tight net of relationships on the world at large. It is run by a pharma mafia that has established a monopoly in the US and Europe and is now all over the world. Their goals include the absolute influence on the main organizations that approve medicines and direct policies worldwide in regard to health and food issues. Their aim is to hold the world in a deathly grip of regulations, ordinances and monopolies that make it hard for any one to breathe any liberty for curing himself or feeding himself if it is not through the clearance of this world-wide monopoly.

In the same way that the financial organizations are run by the "High Finance", organized by Jewish families who painfully constructed, through wars and deceit, their monetary-financial empires, using fractional banking, interest collection, and, lately, through the use of toxic financial instruments that have eroded and destroyed

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the economy of the whole world, the pharma mafia has been building its medicine, food, genetic engineered seeds, and agrochemicals that have made the world hostage to a world monopoly of controlling international corporations, and world organizations of health and agriculture, whose aims are not the welfare of the people at large, but the profit, profit and more profit to them.

In the same way that the High Finance managed to deceive the people of the world through their infamous organizations like the World Bank and the IMF, telling them that they were working for their development and giving them false credits supposedly for their improvement, while making sure that these countries got indebted and broke and thus assuring their dependency on the rich countries and the profit of the corporations, the pharma mafia has been working for decades to assure the control of the production and distribution of medicines in order to guarantee high profits, with total disregard to the welfare of the people.

The present crisis has already made clear that the present financial-monetary system, that helps High Finance, has to go or has to be changed substantially. This same crisis should lead us to change regulations and the "Codex Alimentarius" and all sorts of nonsense that have allowed for the building of the pharma monopolies. If this pharma system is not changed substantially, the economic crisis will be followed by a real Armageddon of hunger and disease that will produce hundreds of millions of unnecessary deaths due to preventable diseases, simply because the necessary medicines are not available due to their costs and because the health systems of most of the poor countries can no longer afford them. The costs of medicines simply are too high already and with the economic crisis they will become unaffordable for most countries.

In the same way as the Fed system has created fiat money and has flooded the world with currency that has lost value thus producing the present crisis - banks forced credits in mortgages and all sorts of financing in order to use the extra money the Big Pharma has been busy producing tens of thousands of pharmaceuticals that have flooded the market. Doctors are cajoled into using these products through all sorts of incentives they are periodically herded into seminars, treated at plush hotels and pampered with good foods, gifted with costly souvenirs, and commissions, so they can prescribe unnecessary medicines to their patients. Misleading TV ads are deceiving the population, offering them life-saving medicines, when all along they are selling life-sapping medicines. Doctors do not know much about the chemicals they prescribe or the inter-relations of these chemicals once they are taken for years by the patients. Often, these same so-called life-saving medicines become hazardous or plain dangerous and are taken out of the market, but replaced with similar products. Doctors have stopped functioning in the service of patients, but work as sales representatives of the Big Parma.

The Big Pharma at the same time has inflated the number of diseases to be treated. In the case of mental disorders, which were only a few hundred a few years ago, the number has jumped to thousands and are duly registered in the Manual of Psychiatric Syndromes. This is the most incredible outcome of using the "sales" approach to health problems the multiplication of the diseases; so that they can fit the continuous outflow of tranquilizer and psychotropic chemicals they produce. While people are persecuted and jailed by the millions for dealing with illegal drugs another dishonest scheme - the Big Pharma have managed to get over 100 million people hooked to these deleterious drugs, in the US and Europe alone. The use of tranquilizers, painkillers and psychotropic chemicals has lead to what is known as "prescription addiction" producing a generation of zombie-like, addicted and, sometimes, useless people. But these Big Pharma malefactors have not been challenged or indicted for their delinquent actions.

In order to deal with the present economic crisis, governments are contemplating nationalizing the corrupt banks, writing new, stern regulations to prevent malfeasance and, even to create a new monetary world system. Same procedures should be undertaken in order to take down the incredible corrupt pharma system that has perverted the health systems and has made of the welfare of the people a motive for corrupt profiteering. This system has to be drastically changed before hundreds of millions will die. To that extent Dr. Leo Rebello's idea of replacing the pharmabeholden WHO with World Holistic Health Organisation attains significance. At present in the US Congress only two brave representatives (Dennis Kucinich and Ron Paul) have clearly spoken asking for the repealing of the Federal Reserve Bank System, imposed in 1913, which is responsible for the present economic crisis. No one so far has requested the repealing of the mass of regulations and laws that have allowed the Big Pharma monopolies and their criminal grip over the lives of the people.



## HEALTH CARE IN VENEZUELA AND USA Caitlin McNulty www.venezuelanalysis.com/analysis

**Dr. Leo Rebello's note:** This is an overview of how socialized medicine works in Venezuela, where people are happy as a result. As against that in USA, they have the Insurance dependent sickness industry that does not care a damn about its poor. The reason why US is perennially a pauper nation when it comes to humane ideas, and consequently always on the warpath. An apt case of bad workman quarreling with his tools.

The right to health care is guaranteed in the Venezuelan Constitution, which was written and ratified by the people in 1999. By implementing a state-funded social program called Barrio Adentro, or inside the barrio, free comprehensive health care is available to all Venezuelans. Beginning in June 2003 through a trade pact with Cuba, Venezuela began to bring Cuban doctors, medical technology, and medications into rural and urban communities, free of charge in exchange for low-cost oil. The 1.5 million dollars per year program expanded to provide a broad network of small neighborhood clinics, larger regional clinics, and hospitals, which aim to serve the entire Venezuelan population. Chavez has referred to this new health care system as the "democratization of health care" stating "health care has become a fundamental social right and the state will assume the principal role in the construction of a participatory system for national public health." In Venezuela, not only is health care a right, it is recognized as an essential for true participatory democracy.

Some of what characterizes this movement towards health care for all includes popular participation, preventative medicine, and evaluation of community health issues. Western medicine typically operates in a top-down fashion. Doctors treat symptoms, and often fail to evaluate the larger picture of community health issues or teach prevention. In a private for-profit system, there is little incentive to prevent costly illnesses. In Venezuela, however, Barrio Adentro began constructing clinics within neighborhoods where many had never been to a doctor. Through this program, a community can organize to receive funding to build a clinic and bring in doctors. The community is responsible for creating health committees, the members of which go door to door to assess the specific health issues of their community. Doctors who live in the communities also make house calls. People participate in the process of serving the health needs of the entire population.

The extensive health program is also being used to train a new generation of Venezuelan doctors. The training program takes place within the clinic system itself and relies heavily on experiential learning. The program seeks to build a new relationship between doctor and patient based on the values of service, solidarity and compassion. Doctors participating in the training program are coming from the communities they are learning in and serving, building on their intimate knowledge of the communities to provide truly compassionate and personalized care. Using popular forums, medical professionals are able to respond to the needs of the community and offer education, treatment and consultation addressing unique public health issues.

Although the system began by focusing exclusively on preventative health, it has expanded to include emergency health services, mental health services, surgeries, cancer treatment, dental care, access to optometrists as well as free glasses and contact lenses, support systems for those with disabilities and their families, as well as access to a large variety of medical specialists. They have succeeded in taking an under-funded, corrupt public health care system and changing not only the quality and accessibility but also the mentality of those working there. Instead of a for-profit industry systematically denying access to large sectors of the population, health care in Venezuela is seen as a basic human right. No one is turned away, and no one is denied care. In Venezuela, they treat the whole person, not simply their illness, and money stays where it belongs- outside of the health care system.

During my time in Venezuela, I developed a cough that went on for three weeks and progressively worsened. Finally, after I had become incredibly congested and developed a fever, I decided to attend a Barrio Adentro clinic. Immediately, I was ushered into a small room where Carmen, a friendly Cuban doctor, began questioning me about my symptoms. She listened to my lungs and walked me over to another examination room where, again without waiting, I had x-rays taken. Afterwards, the technician walked me to a chair and apologized profusely that I had to wait for the x-rays to be developed, promising that it would take no more than five minutes. Sure enough, five minutes later he returned with both x-rays developed. Carmen studied the x-rays and informed me that I had pneumonia, showing me the telltale shadows. She sent me away with my x-rays, three medications to treat my pneumonia, congestion, and fever, and made me promise to come back if my conditioned failed to improve or worsened within three days.

I walked out of the clinic with a diagnosis and treatment within twenty-five minutes of entering, without paying a dime. There was no wait, no paperwork, and no questions about my ability to pay, my nationality, or whether, as a foreigner, I was entitled to free comprehensive health care. There was no monetary value connected with my physical well-being; the care I received was not contingent upon my ability to pay. I was treated with dignity, respect, and compassion, my illness was cured and I was able to continue with my journey in Venezuela.

This past year, a family friend was not so lucky. At the age of 56, she was going back to school and was uninsured. She came down with what she thought was a severe case of the flu, and as her condition worsened she decided not to see a doctor because of the cost. She died at home in bed, losing her life to a system that did not respect her basic human right to survive. Her death is not an isolated incident. Over 18,000 United States residents die every year because of their lack of prohibitively

expensive health insurance. The United States has the distinct honor of being the "only wealthy industrialized nation that does not ensure that all citizens have coverage". Instead, we have commodified the public health and wellbeing of those who live in the US, leaving them on their own to obtain insurance. Those whose jobs do not provide insurance, can't get enough hours to qualify for health care coverage through their workplace, are unemployed, or have "previously existing conditions" that exclude them from coverage are forced to choose between the potentially fatal decision of refusing medical care and accumulating medical bills that trap them in an inescapable cycle of debt. And sometimes, that decision is made for them. Doctors often ask that dreaded question; "do you have insurance?" before scheduling critical tests, procedures, or treatments. When the answer is no, treatments that were deemed necessary before are suddenly canceled as the ability to pay becomes more important than the patient's health.

It is estimated that there are over fifty million United States residents currently living without health insurance, a number that will skyrocket as unemployment rates increase and people lose their work-based health care coverage in this time of international financial crisis. Already this year, 7.5 million people have lost work-related coverage. Budget cuts for the state of Washington this year will remove over forty thousand people from Washington Basic Health, a subsidized program which already has a waiting list of seventeen thousand people. As I returned to the US from Venezuela, I was faced with the realization that as a society, the United States places a monetary value on life. That we make life and death judgments based on an individual's ability to pay. And that someone with the same condition I had recently recovered from had died because, according to our system, her life wasn't insured.

Many in the United States fear that people would abuse a free health care system, causing overcrowding and a compromised level of care. Others claim that a single payer system would limit the freedoms of both doctor and patient. These claims, propagated by the corporate media in the United States, are a hollow attempt to keep those in the US from organizing to demand single payer health care. Primary care and preventative medicine are seen as the first steps towards sustainable universal health care, keeping people out of costly hospital stays, tests, and treatments down the road. Socializing the costs of medicine keeps costs low by preventing expensive treatments and health problems. It is difficult to understand how much quality, free health care means until you find yourself in a position of vulnerability and need. I felt a sense of security traveling in Venezuela that I do not feel in the United States; in Venezuela, there is a safety net ready to catch you when you fall. People in the US must ask themselves, as a country, where our values lie and how we have not only let people slip through the cracks but worked to systematically exclude them. Do we believe that insurance corporations and the medical industrial complex should be profiting from denying care and keeping sick people from receiving treatment? Or do we believe that care should be separate from an individual's ability to pay? As a nation, we must embrace our humanity and value life over profits.

## AGENDA FOR WORLD HEALTH REFORMS - Dr. Leo Rebello Www.healthwisdom.org

This was circulated in 2004 and the world response was very good. You may ask what this has got to do with the 'World without Wars' book. Well this is to stop the War on your Health that goes on behind your back. Infact more people are killed in normal times in hospitals than all the war casualties put together. That is called culling of the population. This is an answer or solution to that problem.

Friends: I have been following this Benveniste and Randi chain for some time. I am now intervening to put the discussion on proper track. Because, unless we know what we are saying and what we wish to do, it won't help much. I am changing the subject. It is not Benveniste and Randi anymore, it is WHHO (World Holistic Health Organisation) that we need to put up to replace the decadent and pharma-beholden WHO.

## So, let us begin at the beginning.

**1..** Martin talks of forming "Defence of Complementary and Alternative Practitioners" on "small scale". I would like to know "Complementary and Alternative to What"? Also, are we here for Protecting the Practitioners or Patients' rights? Can we take on the giant manipulators with "small scale" efforts? If we are not clear what we are talking then we won't make much headway. Remember, that our fight is with powerful manipulators. First you understand their *modus operandi* and only then you will know how to defeat the enemy. Piecemeal solutions won't help. Net discussions will not bring nett results.

**2..** When someone talks of Alliance of Natural Health, first I would like to know who are connected with it? Is ANH a one-man initiative jumping on the bandwagon (like those hearse chasing lawyers of America who have messed up everything there) or is it a democratic set up? Is it a regional alliance or world alliance? If it is a world alliance, what is its hierarchy, the aims and objectives? Does ANH stand for drugless healing modalities like Naturopathy, Acupressure, Chiropractic, Osteopathy? Or does it also include Homeopathy, Ayurveda, Acupuncture, Siddha, Unani and other holistic healing modalities? Or is ANH the disguised spokesperson of Food Supplement Industry?

**3.. Chris Gupta** talks of dissolution of "the 39 Cancer Act". He adds that it would grab media attention too. Am I to assume that this particular Act is limited to America/Canada or is it being followed worldwide indirectly, like AIDS racket? Since Chris says it is his "personal baby" the least that he can do is explain the salient (mis) features of it, like: who passed this law and when, and how challenging it can

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# help set right things that are *ab initio* wrong. **Because chemotherapy is a treatment**, which is worse than the disease and there are no two opinions on it!

**4..** How many on this list have lectured at or visited the WHO headquarters in Geneva and studied its (mal)functioning? Is it really the World HEALTH Organisation? Let me give brief background how WHO functions since I have visited it thrice and also addressed the Ministerial Conference on Health Futures in 1993. This gargantuan organisation has exactly two rooms set aside for Traditional and Natural Medicine (TNM) Department. In 1993, one Chinese lady, who knew nothing beyond Acupuncture and some Chinese herbs headed that department. She had a secretary and two assistants, limited budget and no one listening to her.

**5.** For your information, world over 80% people believe in and depend on TNM for their health needs even today and yet WHO accords a very low priority to TNM, because WHO has been hijacked by the Pharma-cartel. According to me WHO is the Enemy No.1 of People's Health, like USA is the Terrorist no.1 of the world. By spreading falsehood, lies, WHO has killed more people in normal times than all the war casualties put together. Through its various arms and wings, WHO promotes Special Virus program of the CIA, creates panic worldwide in the name of SARS, Anthrax, manipulates laws through Codex, destroys economies of the world by pressurising Govts. to buy ARVs and other lethal drugs from mercenary pharma companies, makes iodization of salt compulsory for every one; instead of educating people on simple ORT, it concentrates on manufacturing and distributing ORT solutions produced by pharma mafia; through HDN net it continuously promotes the lie HIV=AIDS=Death (if ARVs is not taken) and those who challenge HIV ghost are hounded and dubbed as antagonists!!! In short, WHO has become a WHOre and moron medics are the administrators of that International Unfit Organisation.

<u>6. Hence, I propose, that either we take control of WHO or replace it with WHHO, that is World Holistic Health Organisation with following broad aims to :</u>

(a) Stop Fluoridation and Chlorination of Drinking Water.

(**b**) Stop Genetically Modified foods.

(c) Stop Cancer treatment based on Radiation, Chemotherapy and Surgery.

(d) Stop grotesque compulsory Vaccinations which play havoc with human bodies.(e) Stop force-feeding of lethal drugs like ARVs to AIDS patients and other so-called

life-saving drugs to patients, based on bogus trials and business motives.

(f) Stop "Population Control Programs" of all kinds, and also Chemtrails.

(g) Stop quarantine laws based on havoc principle and creating false alarm like SARS. (h) Recognise the "Right to Health" and "Right to Choose the Medicine" of one's choice. Right to Health is akin to Right to Life and Right to Health is not what CDC or WHO dictates.

(i) Consequently, the Right to Propagate all systems of medicine.

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(J) Govts of the World must NOT discriminate or organise against Traditional and Natural Medicines.

(k) Centres of Disease Control, which are nothing but the extension of sinister Population Control Program of the CIA must be abolished for thwith.

(1) Citizens refusing due to their informed, inherent or religious beliefs, chemical medicines, must NOT be victimised; their children/wards should NOT be snatched away from them and they should not be allowed to be persecuted or prosecuted. (m) Universities must be encouraged to teach, like in India, all systems of medicine.

(n) All Govt. and Municipal Hospitals must have all systems of medicines.
(o) Research grants should be given equally to all systems of medicine. For example: pseudo-science called Allopathy says that you have got to live with Diabetes, Asthma,

Cancers, AIDS, etc. But Holistic Healing modalities do not think so. The word 'research' actually means re-searching the old wisdom, not re-inventing the wheel.

(**p**) Likewise, grants should be made available to develop Homeo, Urine and Vegi-Vaccines, which are safer, cheaper and without side effect.

(q) One need not read the conclusions of double-blind, randomized, controlled clinical trials to know that massage works, that hydrotherapy is miraculous, that a colon cleanse, liver and kidney flush are life saving, that yoga helps, that fruits, vegetables and herbs are God-given, and *Nature Cure* is the ultimate healing modality. (r) May it be noted that the present health delivery system is costly, urban-based, technology-oriented, heavily curative in its approach, dependency creating and massive fraud. Unless it is community-oriented, cheap, health restoring, without side effects, nothing is going to change.

(s) Therefore, in conclusion, Health Care is Self-Care. One need not take prescription from moron medics before eating, sleeping, walking, or talking! My Health is my Concern, like I am proud of my language, culture, religion, etc. Can you by law make Muslim eat pig or Hindu eat cow meat? Can you by law ask Muslim to pray in Church or vice versa? Then what right have the Govts of the world got to force on me and my children the deleterious chemicals prescribed by bogus medical science which is based on plagiarised premise of a thief called Louis Pasteur? How can you destroy 5000-year old perfect health sciences like Ayurveda, or age old wisdom of Natural healing?

**7..** At the same time, the lawmakers should be made to realize that under the WTO-GATT regime, some low-ranking officials decide and make laws based on considerations other than human welfare and consequently such actions militate against the very tenets of good governance or democracy or against the sovereignty of the nation or self-determination.

**8..** Pharma cartels have been buying everything including judges. The worst example of that is George Bush getting (s)elected in spite of half-a-million fewer votes. You cannot win with such manipulators, by the present strategy or taking them up legally by employing some barrister whom some of you may know personally. That is like a housewife selecting a housemaid for temporary facilitation.

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**9.** Some of you who make so much **uninformed** noise on the Net in the name of Health Freedom must also first define what health is. Does health mean taking synthetic Vitamins, or micro-nutrients, or food supplements or fads like decaffeinated coffee, sugarless sugar, tobacco less cigarette, saltless salt, diet coke, slim butter, etc. while gorging on dead and diseased meats, genetically modified foods, and drinking dead/radiated water?

**10.** Wake up folks, as a first step, let about 100 of us meet (may be here in India, or I am ready to fly to UK/USA) and brain-storm on what we wish to do to save our future and the future of our children and grand-children. It is the total environment which is at stake. It is our health which is being systematically ruined. It is genocide going on mass scale and we need to Arise, Awake and Act, NOW. The 100 should be **independent** doctors, nurses, educationists, legal experts, law makers, social scientists and journalists with clear vision. The emphasis is on 'Independent' and 'Clear Vision'.

**11.** I know Josef and Tamara on this list personally having met them at the Codex in 2002. I know many others on this d-list through earlier exchanges. I know that Tim Bolen is a Consumer Advocate and he has fought (like me with the Quackwatch nuts). **All seem dedicated persons who wish to do something concrete.** Some of you lack guidance and wider vision going by the discussion at hand. Some may be there to make money under disguise of health freedom. <u>Therefore, let it be firmly noted that we cannot allow anyone in one way or the other connected with any industry (whether regular pharma cartel or vitamins or food supplement business), because then our entire focus changes. We then get caught in the cross fire of 'Natural' versus 'Chemical' kitsch.</u>

**12.** I am ready to give a lead, because I have vast clinical, teaching and research experience in the field of Holistic Health. Written several books and delivered over 10,000 lectures in 63 countries. I also guide doctoral and post doctoral students and have consistently refused lucrative offers to make billions. I am dedicated to my patients and students. I am mostly vegetarian and teetotaler; I have **not** inoculated or vaccinated by two boys. I have achieved miraculous results like repairing broken bones without surgery, making quadriplegic get up and play, AIDS patients live without ARVs, I have given new life to MD patients, etc. My name has also been recommended by many for the Nobel, but only Americans and Jews are selected for that tainted award!!! :( You can see my letter of 12 December 1996 to the Nobel Foundation recommending them to split the Medicine Award into two: one for superior Traditional and Natural Medicine and one for the so-called Scientific Medicine. According to Nobel's Will it is possible. But corrupt medicine nobel committees have pawned their heads to pharma mafia like WHO has become a WHOre.

**13. So, that brings me to the last point --** we must have an International Award for Health, greater than the Nobel Prize without dirty politics, patterned on the Right Livelihood Awards and scrupulously ensure that these awards are not politicised and undeserving do not walk away with them by misguiding or window-dressing the records.

**14.** Are you ready folks? Or as the bard said, "only sound and fury signifying nothing" on the net?



# HEALTH CARE IS SELF CARE

The present health system is top heavy, over-centralised, heavily curative in its approach, urban and elite-oriented, costly and dependency creating. Unless, it is community-based, people-oriented, economic, decentralized, democratic and participatory, we are afraid, the aim of the WHO to make available 'Health for All by 2000 AD' will remain only on paper. For as **Mrs. Indira Gandhi** rightly emphasized: "At present 97% of the world's research is not relevant to us because it is earmarked for the priorities and to the induced appetites of technological leaders". The opening paragraph of **Dr. Leo Rebello's Editorial** entitled 'Health Care is Self Care' in *Amrit Manthan* (Journal devoted to Holistic Healing) in 1989.

# PRESERVATION OF OUR PLANET - Barack Obama



This is Barack Obama's address to the UN General Assembly in New York, on September 23, 2009, downloaded from the UN web. Barack Obama, the 44<sup>th</sup> President of the USA, was born Aug. 4, 1961, in Honolulu, Hawaii. At the time of his birth, Obama's parents were students at the EastWest Center of the University of Hawaii at Manoa. They separated when he was two years old and later divorced. Obama ran for the Illinois State Senate as a Democrat and was elected in 1996 from the south side neighborhood of Hyde Park. In the November 2004 general

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It is my honour to address you for the first time as the 44<sup>th</sup> President of the United States. I come before you, determined to act boldly and collectively on behalf of justice and prosperity at home and abroad.

I have been in office for just nine months, though some days it seems a lot longer. I took office at a time when many around the world had come to view America with scepticism and distrust. America has acted unilaterally, without regard for the interests of others. This has fed an almost reflexive anti-Americanism, which too often has served as an excuse for our collective inaction.

It is my deeply held belief that in the year 2009 - more than at any point in human history - the interests of nations and people are shared.

The religious convictions that we hold in our hearts can forge new bonds among people, or tear us apart. The technology we harness can light the path to peace, or forever darken it. The energy we use can sustain our planet, or destroy it. What happens to the hope of a single child - anywhere - can enrich our world, or impoverish it.

The time has come for the world to move in a new direction. We must embrace a new era of engagement based on mutual interests and mutual respect, and our work must begin now. We know the future will be forged by deeds and not simply words. Speeches alone will not solve our problems - it will take persistent action. So for those who question the character and cause of my nation, I ask you to look at the concrete actions that we have taken in just nine months.

On my first day in office, I prohibited - without exception or equivocation - the use of torture by the United States of America. I ordered the prison at Guantánamo Bay

closed, and we are doing the hard work of forging a framework to combat extremism within the rule of law. Every nation must know: America will live its values, and we will lead by example.

In Iraq, we are responsibly ending a war. We have removed American combat brigades from Iraqi cities, and set a deadline of next August to remove all of our combat brigades from Iraqi territory. And I have made clear that we will help Iraqis transition to full responsibility for their future, and keep our commitment to remove all American troops by the end of 2011.

I have outlined a comprehensive agenda to seek the goal of a world without nuclear weapons. In Moscow, the United States and <u>Russia</u> announced that we would pursue substantial reductions in our strategic warheads and launchers. At the conference on disarmament, we agreed on a work plan to negotiate an end to the production of fissile materials for nuclear weapons.

To confront <u>climate change</u>, we have invested \$80bn in clean energy. We have substantially increased our fuel-efficiency standards. We have provided new incentives for conservation, launched an energy partnership across the Americas, and moved from a bystander to a leader in international climate negotiations.

To overcome an economic crisis that touches every corner of the world, we worked with the G20 nations to forge a coordinated international response of over two trillion dollars in stimulus to bring the global economy back from the brink. We mobilised resources that helped prevent the crisis from spreading further to developing countries. And we joined with others to launch a \$20bn global food security initiative that will lend a hand to those who need it most, and help them build their own capacity.

We have also re-engaged the <u>United Nations</u>. We have paid our bills. We have joined the Human Rights Council. We have signed the convention on the rights of persons with disabilities. We have fully embraced the millennium development goals. And we address our priorities here, in this institution - for instance, through the Security Council meeting that I will chair tomorrow on nuclear non-proliferation and disarmament.

Genocide and mass atrocities. More and more nations with nuclear weapons. Melting ice caps and ravaged populations. Persistent poverty and pandemic disease. I say this not to sow fear, but to state a fact: the magnitude of our challenges has yet to be met by the measure of our action.

This body was founded on the belief that the nations of the world could solve their problems together. The cooperative effort of the whole world. Sadly, this body has often become a forum for sowing discord instead of forging common ground; a venue for playing politics and exploiting grievances rather than solving problems.

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Responsibility and leadership in the 21st century demand more. In an era when our destiny is shared, power is no longer a zero sum game. No one nation can or should try to dominate another nation. No world order that elevates one nation or group of people over another will succeed. No balance of power among nations will hold. The traditional division between nations of the south and north makes no sense in an interconnected world. Nor do alignments of nations rooted in the cleavages of a long gone cold war.

The time has come to realise that the old habits and arguments are irrelevant to the challenges faced by our people. They lead nations to act in opposition to the very goals that they claim to pursue, and to vote - often in this body - against the interests of their own people.

They build up walls between us and the future that our people seek, and the time has come for those walls to come down. Together, we must build new coalitions that bridge old divides - coalitions of different faiths and creeds; of north and south, east and west; black, white, and brown.

The choice is ours. We can be remembered as a generation that chose to drag the arguments of the 20th century into the 21st; that put off hard choices, refused to look ahead, and failed to keep pace because we defined ourselves by what we were against instead of what we were for. Or, we can be a generation that chooses to see the shoreline beyond the rough waters ahead; that comes together to serve the common interests of human beings, and finally gives meaning to the promise embedded in the name given to this institution: the United Nations.

Today, I put forward four pillars that are fundamental to the future that we want for our children: non-proliferation and disarmament; the promotion of peace and security; the preservation of our planet; and a global economy that advances opportunity for all people.

# First, we must stop the spread of nuclear weapons, and seek the goal of a world without them.

This institution was founded at the dawn of the atomic age, in part because man's capacity to kill had to be contained. For decades, we averted disaster, even under the shadow of a superpower standoff. But today, the threat of proliferation is growing in scope and complexity. If we fail to act, we will invite nuclear arms races in every region, and the prospect of wars and acts of terror on a scale that we can hardly imagine.

The next twelve months could be pivotal in determining whether this compact will be strengthened or will slowly dissolve.

America will keep our end of the bargain. We will pursue a new agreement with Russia to substantially reduce our strategic warheads and launchers. We will move

forward with ratification of the test ban treaty, and work with others to bring the Treaty into force so that nuclear testing is permanently prohibited. We will complete a nuclear posture review that opens the door to deeper cuts, and reduces the role of nuclear weapons. And we will call upon countries to begin negotiations in January on a treaty to end the production of fissile material for weapons. We must insist that the future not belong to fear.

## That brings me to the second pillar for our future: the pursuit of peace.

The United Nations was born of the belief that the people of the world can live their lives, raise their families, and resolve their differences peacefully. And yet we know that in too many parts of the world, this ideal remains an abstraction. We can either accept that outcome as inevitable, and tolerate constant and crippling conflict. Or we can recognise that the yearning for peace is universal, and reassert our resolve to end conflicts around the world.

That effort must begin with an unshakeable determination that the murder of innocent men, women and children will never be tolerated. On this, there can be no dispute. The most powerful weapon in our arsenal is the hope of human beings - the belief that the future belongs to those who build, not destroy; the confidence that conflicts can end, and a new day begin.

I will also continue to seek a just and lasting peace between Israel, Palestine, and the Arab world. Yesterday, I had a constructive meeting with Prime Minister Netanyahu and President Abbas. We have made some progress. Palestinians have strengthened their efforts on security. Israelis have facilitated greater freedom of movement for the Palestinians. As a result of these efforts by both sides, the economy in the West Bank has begun to grow. But more progress is needed. We continue to call on Palestinians to end incitement against Israel, and we continue to emphasise that America does not accept the legitimacy of continued Israeli settlements.

The time has come to relaunch negotiations - without preconditions - that address the permanent-status issues: security for Israelis and Palestinians; borders, refugees and Jerusalem. **The goal is clear: two states living side by side in peace and security** - a Jewish state of Israel, with true security for all Israelis; and a viable, independent Palestinian state with contiguous territory that ends the occupation that began in 1967, and realises the potential of the Palestinian people. As we pursue this goal, we will also pursue peace between Israel and Lebanon, Israel and Syria, and a broader peace between Israel and its many neighbours. In pursuit of that goal, we will develop regional initiatives with multilateral participation, alongside bilateral negotiations.

I am not naive. I know this will be difficult. But all of us must decide whether we are serious about peace, or whether we only lend it lip-service. To break the old patterns - to break the cycle of insecurity and despair - all of us must say publicly what we would acknowledge in private.

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# Third, we must recognise that in the 21st century, there will be no peace unless we take responsibility for the preservation of our planet.

The danger posed by climate change cannot be denied, and our responsibility to meet it must not be deferred. If we continue down our current course, every member of this assembly will see irreversible changes within their borders. Our efforts to end conflicts will be eclipsed by wars over refugees and resources.

Development will be devastated by drought and famine. Land that human beings have lived on for millennia will disappear. Future generations will look back and wonder why we refused to act - why we failed to pass on intact the environment that was our inheritance.

That is why the days when America dragged its feet on this issue are over. We will move forward with investments to transform our energy economy, while providing incentives to make clean energy the profitable kind of energy. Those wealthy nations that did so much to damage the environment in the 20th century must accept our obligation to lead. But responsibility does not end there. Any effort that fails to help the poorest nations both adapt to the problems that climate change has already wrought - and travel a path of clean development - will not work.

It is hard to change something as fundamental as how we use energy. It's even harder to do so in the midst of a global recession. Certainly, it will be tempting to sit back and wait for others to move first. But we cannot make this journey unless we all move forward together. As we head into Copenhagen, let us resolve to focus on what each of us can do for the sake of our common future.

This leads me to the final pillar that must fortify our future: a global economy that advances opportunity for all people.

In Pittsburgh, we will work with the world's largest economies to chart a course for growth that is balanced and sustained. That means setting new rules of the road and strengthening regulation for all financial centres, so that we put an end to the greed, excess and abuse that led us into disaster, and prevent a crisis like this from ever happening again.

The changes that I have spoken about today will not be easy to make. And they will not be realised simply by leaders like us coming together in forums like this. For as in any assembly of members, real change can only come through the people we represent. That is why we must do the hard work to lay the groundwork for progress in our own capitals. That is where we will build the consensus to end conflicts and to harness technology for peaceful purposes; to change the way we use energy, and to promote growth that can be sustained and shared.

The people of the world want change. They will not long tolerate those who are on the wrong side of history. This assembly's Charter commits each of us, and I quote

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"to reaffirm faith in fundamental human rights, in the dignity and worth of the human person, in the equal rights of men and women".

Among those rights is the freedom to speak your mind and worship as you please; the promise of equality of the races, and the opportunity for women and girls to pursue their own potential; the ability of citizens to have a say in how you are governed, and to have confidence in the administration of justice. For just as no nation should be forced to accept the tyranny of another nation, no individual should be forced to accept the tyranny of their own government.

As an African-American, I will never forget that I would not be here today without the steady pursuit of a more perfect union in my country. That guides my belief that no matter how dark the day may seem, transformative change can be forged by those who choose the side of justice. And I pledge that America will always stand with those who stand up for their dignity and their rights - for the student who seeks to learn; the voter who demands to be heard; the innocent who longs to be free; and the oppressed who yearns to be equal.

Democracy cannot be imposed on any nation from the outside. Each society must search for its own path, and no path is perfect. Each country will pursue a path rooted in the culture of its people, and - in the past - America has too often been selective in its promotion of democracy.

The United Nations was built by men and women from every corner of the world from Africa and Asia; form Europe to the Americas. These architects of international cooperation had an idealism that was anything but naive - it was rooted in the hardearned lessons of war and the wisdom that nations could advance their interests by acting together instead of splitting apart.

Now it falls to us - for this institution will be what we make of it. The United Nations does extraordinary good around the world in feeding the hungry, caring for the sick, and mending places that have been broken. But it also struggles to enforce its will, and to live up to the ideals of its founding.

**Dr. Leo Rebello's note:** There are several contradictions even in this edited version of President Obama's speech. For one, we do not believe in the two nation theory. Israel is the 51st State of USA. Period. The reason why USA spends about 10 million dollars on its security, daily. Israel has usurped 92% of poor Palestinian's land by chicanery, deceit and brute force, as per the Greater Israel plan. See page 298. Israel is the cancer that will destroy the world. I am reproducing Howard Zinn's commentary as the next chapter to balance Obama's window- dressed speech.

# CHANGING OBAMA'S MILITARY MINDSET Howard Zinn



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We are citizens, and Obama is a politician. You might not like that word. But the fact is he's a politician. He's other things, too -- he's a very sensitive and intelligent and thoughtful and promising person. But he's a politician. If you're a citizen, you have to know the difference between them and you -- the difference between what they have to do and what you have to do. And there are things they don't have to do; if you make it clear to them they don't have to do it.

**Politician First and Foremost:** From the beginning, I liked Obama. But the first time it suddenly struck me that he was a politician was early on, when Joe Lieberman was running for the Democratic nomination for his Senate seat in 2006. Lieberman -- a war lover -- was running for the Democratic nomination, and his opponent was a man named Ned Lamont, who was the peace candidate. And Obama went to Connecticut to support Lieberman against Lamont.

It took me aback. So we must not be swept away into an unthinking and unquestioning acceptance of what Obama does. Our job is not to give him a blank cheque or simply be cheerleaders. It was good that we were cheerleaders while he was running for office, but it's not good to be cheerleaders now because we want the country to go beyond where it has been in the past. We want to make a clean break from what it has been in the past.

I had a teacher at Columbia University named Richard Hofstadter, who wrote a book called The American Political Tradition, and in it, he examined presidents from the Founding Fathers down through Franklin Roosevelt. There were liberals and conservatives, Republicans and Democrats. And there were differences between them. But he found that the so-called liberals were not as liberal as people thoughtand that the difference between the liberals and the conservatives, and between Republicans and Democrats, was not a polar difference. There was a common thread that ran through all American history, and all of the presidents followed this thread.

The thread consisted of two elements: one, nationalism; and two, capitalism. And Obama is not yet free of that powerful double heritage. We can see it in the policies that have been enunciated so far, even though he's been in office only a short

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time. Some people might say, "Well, what do you expect?" And the answer is that we expect a lot.

People say, "What, are you a dreamer?" And the answer is, yes, we're dreamers. We want it all. We want a peaceful world. We want an egalitarian world. We don't want war. We don't want capitalism. We want a decent society. We better hold on to that dream --because if we don't, we'll sink closer and closer to this reality that we have, and that we don't want.

Be wary when you hear about the glories of the market system. The market system is what we've had. Let the market decide, they say. The government mustn't give people free health care; let the market decide. Which is what the market has been doing -- and that's why we have forty-eight million people without health care. The market has decided that. Leave things to the market, and there are two million people homeless. Leave things to the market, and there are millions of people who can't pay their rent. Leave things to the market, and there are thirty-five million people who go hungry.

**Putting People above Market:** You can't leave it to the market. If you're facing an economic crisis like we're facing now, you can't do what was done in the past. You can't pour money into the upper levels of the country -- and into the banks and corporations -- and hope that it somehow trickles down. What was one of the first things that happened when the Bush Administration saw that the economy was in trouble? A \$700 billion bailout, and who did we give the \$700 billion to? To the financial institutions that caused this crisis.

This was when the Presidential campaign was still going on, and it pained me to see Obama standing there, endorsing this huge bailout to the corporations. What Obama should have been saying was: Hey, wait a while. The banks aren't poverty stricken. The CEOs aren't poverty stricken. But there are people who are out of work. There are people who can't pay their mortgages. Let's take \$700 billion and give it directly to the people who need it. Let's take \$1 trillion; let's take \$2 trillion.

Let's take this money and give it directly to the people who need it. Give it to the people who have to pay their mortgages. Nobody should be evicted. Nobody should be left with their belongings out on the street. Obama wants to spend perhaps a trillion more on the banks. Like Bush, he's not giving it directly to homeowners. Unlike the Republicans, Obama also wants to spend \$800 billion for his economic stimulus plan. Which is good -- the idea of a stimulus is good. But if you look closely at the plan, too much of it goes through the market, through corporations.

It gives tax breaks to businesses, hoping that they'll hire people. No -- if people need jobs, you don't give money to the corporations, hoping that maybe jobs will be created. You give people work immediately. A lot of people don't know the history of the New Deal of the 1930s. Roosevelt took billions of dollars and said the

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government was going to hire people. You're out of work? The government has a job for you.

As a result of this, lots of very wonderful work was done all over the country. Several million young people were put into the Civilian Conservation Corps. They went around the country, building bridges and roads and playgrounds, and doing remarkable things. The government created a federal arts program. It wasn't going to wait for the markets to decide that. The government set up a program and hired thousands of unemployed artists: playwrights, actors, musicians, painters, sculptors, and writers. What was the result?

The result was the production of 200,000 pieces of art. Today, around the country, there are thousands of murals painted by people in the WPA program. Plays were put on all over the country at very cheap prices, so that people who had never seen a play in their lives were able to afford to go. And that's just a glimmer of what could be done. The government has to represent the people's needs. The government can't give the job of representing the people's needs to corporations and the banks, because they don't care about the people's needs. They only care about profit.

**Getting Out of Iraq:** In the course of his campaign, Obama said something that struck me as very wise -- and when people say something very wise, you have to remember it, because they may not hold to it. You may have to remind them of that wise thing they said. Obama was talking about the war in Iraq, and he said, "It's not just that we have to get out of Iraq." He said "get out of Iraq," and we mustn't forget it. We must keep reminding him: Out of Iraq, out of Iraq, out of Iraq -- not next year, not two years from now, but out of Iraq now.

But listen to the second part, too. His whole sentence was: "It's not enough to get out of Iraq; we have to get out of the mindset that led us into Iraq." What is the mindset that got us into Iraq? It's the mindset that says force will do the trick. Violence, war, bombers will bring democracy and liberty to the people. It's the mindset that says America has some God-given right to invade other countries for their own benefit. We will bring civilization to the Mexicans in 1846. We will bring freedom to the Cubans in 1898. We will bring democracy to the Filipinos in 1900. You know how successful we've been at bringing democracy all over the world.

Obama has not gotten out of this militaristic missionary mindset. He talks about sending tens of thousands of more troops to Afghanistan. Obama is a very smart guy, and surely he must know some of the history. You don't have to know a lot to know the history of Afghanistan. For decades Western powers have imposed their will on Afghanistan by force: the English, the Russians, and now the Americans. What has been the result? The result has been a ruined country.

This is the mindset that sends 21,000 more troops to Afghanistan, and that says, as Obama has, that we've got to have a bigger military. My heart sank when Obama said

that. Why do we need a bigger military? We have an enormous military budget. Has Obama talked about cutting the military budget in half or some fraction? No. We have military bases all over the world. We have fourteen military bases on Okinawa alone. But the people don't really want us there. There have been huge demonstrations in Italy against the establishment of a U.S. military base. There have been big demonstrations in South Korea and in Okinawa.

One of the first acts of the Obama Administration was to send Predator missiles to bomb Pakistan. People died. The claim is, "Oh, we're very precise with our weapons. We have the latest equipment. We can target anywhere and hit just what we want."

This is the mindset of technological infatuation. Yes, they can actually decide that they're going to bomb this one house. But there's one problem: They don't know who's in the house. They can hit one car with a rocket from a great distance. Do they know who's in the car? No. And later -- after the bodies have been taken out of the car, after the bodies have been taken out of the house -- they tell you, "Well, there were three suspected terrorists in that house, and yes, there's seven other people killed, including two children, but we got the suspected terrorists."

**Anonymity of Terrorists:** But notice that the word is "suspected." The truth is they don't know who the terrorists are. So, yes, we have to get out of the mindset that got us into Iraq, but we've got to identify that mindset. And Obama has to be pulled by the people who elected him, by the people who are enthusiastic about him, to renounce that mindset. We're the ones who have to tell him, "No, you're on the wrong course with this militaristic idea of using force to accomplish things in the world. We won't accomplish anything that way, and we'll remain a hated country in the world."

Obama has talked about a vision for this country. You have to have a vision, and now I want to tell Obama what his vision should be. The vision should be of a nation that becomes liked all over the world. I won't even say loved -- it'll take a while to build up to that. A nation that is not feared, not disliked, not hated, as too often we are, but a nation that is looked upon as peaceful, because we've withdrawn our military bases from all these countries.

We don't need to spend the hundreds of billions of dollars on the military budget. Take all the money allocated to military bases and the military budget, and -- his is part of the emancipation -- you can use that money to give everybody free health care, to guarantee jobs to everybody who doesn't have a job, guaranteed payment of rent to everybody who can't pay their rent, build child care centers.

Let's use the money to help other people around the world, not to send bombers over there. When disasters take place, they need helicopters to transport people out of the floods and out of devastated areas. They need helicopters to save people's lives, and the helicopters are over in the Middle East, bombing and strafing people. What's required is a total turn around. We want a country that uses its resources, its wealth,

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and its power to help people, not to hurt them. That's what we need.

Not only is Obama a politician. Worse, politicians surround him. And some of them he picked himself. He picked Hillary Clinton, he picked Lawrence Summers, and he picked people who show no sign of breaking from the past. We are citizens. We must not put ourselves in the position of looking at the world from their eyes and say, "Well, we have to compromise, we have to do this for political reasons." No, we have to speak our minds.

This is the position that the abolitionists were in before the Civil War, and people said, "Well, you have to look at it from Lincoln's point of view." Lincoln didn't believe that his first priority was abolishing slavery. But the anti-slavery movement did, and the abolitionists said, "We're not going to put ourselves in Lincoln's position. We are going to express our own position, and we are going to express it so powerfully that Lincoln will have to listen to us."

And the anti-slavery movement grew large enough and powerful enough that Lincoln had to listen. That's how we got the Emancipation Proclamation and the Thirteenth and Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments. That's been the story of this country. Where progress has been made, wherever any kind of injustice has been overturned, it's been because people acted as citizens, and not as politicians. They didn't just moan. They worked, they acted, they organized, and they rioted if necessary to bring their situation to the attention of people in power. And that's what we have to do today.

> I Paid My Share Of The \$700 Billion Dollar Wall-Street Bailout... ... And All I Got Was This Lousy T-Shirt!

# A GLOBAL PEACE MOVEMENT: DEVELOPING A NEW GRASS-ROOTS PUBLIC MOVEMENT

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The idea of world peace is not new. Liberal thinkers have been pondering such issues for a long time, but it is only today that we have the means to achieve them. The globalization phenomenon, rapid changes in the international communications technology, and the drastic expansion of the Internet has provided us a window of opportunity, as never before.

We can, and even do, network for global causes. The primary example is the global environmentalist movement of our own age, which happens to be a remarkable movement in its own right. But the global peace movement has not yet caught up to its potential.

Given the necessary scope of global citizen action, how can it achieve peace? This brings us to the perplexing question of what is fundamentally required to bring it about. There are many reasons for the turmoil in our age, with feelings of alienation the foremost passion fueling this violence. A fundamental shift in the world at large would be needed to achieve world peace. We must change ourselves in drastic ways for that to happen. We must all recognize that the greatest sentiment fueling the extremist phenomenon is alienation with modernity, crass materialism.

A powerful sense of injustice, which includes social injustice also, is fueling resentment against Western culture and civilization, especially in the Muslim world and other parts of the developing world. The Muslim world is in a crisis of unimaginable proportions. Corruption, injustice, misrule, and lack of visionary leadership are wreaking havoc on these societies, and things are not that much better in other Asian, African, and Latin American societies. Capitalism and western hegemony have their downsides, so to speak. We cannot have world peace without justice for the deprived, the hapless, and the poorest of the poor and the wronged. Here we are talking of politics and not just varieties shades of economic deprivation. In the Islamic world present injustices are breeding resentment, alienation, frustration and radicalism. In some societies, like Pakistan, Afghanistan, Iraq, Egypt, Somalia, and Bangladesh all of the above are now present. However, the glaring issue for Muslims is political. Their political perceptions are primarily fuelling radicalism in a way that history has never witnessed before.

The globalization phenomenon is making it easier for radicalism to spread all over

the world. Muslims, especially the romanticizing youth, are enraged as never before. They resent Western cowardice, duplicity, wrongful deployment of military force and the patronage of callous and corrupt governments ruling over them. The troubles are conveniently exported also as Muslims get politicized on the issues of Muslim helplessness, a lack of institutional mechanisms to voice their protests, and the culpability of their own leadership to Western powers. Muslim political issues have galvanized a strong minority to action and violent protest.

For example, injustices meted to Muslims in Palestine, Kashmir, southern Thailand, China, Iraq and erstwhile USSR are the primary causes of Islamic radicalism. It is a common perception that poverty breeds radicalism. It does not. Injustice does. Therefore, justice is the key to peace.

Perceptions shape reality in complex ways. For example, the West (read United States and NATO) have been spreading vast amounts of treasure, military force, and police action in the Muslim world to stop militancy, yet it is growing at an alarming rate. The Global War on Terror has an undue emphasis on the use of force to the detriment of other available nonviolent options.

There is not much push for solving intractable problems likely to cause anti -Western resentment in Muslim masses. There is an intellectual failure here. The Western powers are missing the forest for the trees. This myopic vision cannot work.

The simple fact is that without tolerance there can be no peace. Peace must first start inside each of us in order for us to create peace in the world. We see a total lack of tolerance towards other belief patterns, ideas and ways of life. It must be considered fundamental that without mutual tolerance there can be no peace.

We also have to network globally to achieve world peace one region at a time. For example, in the greater Middle East peace is indeed problematic. The question is why. We have been convinced that peace in the Middle East is beyond the governments in power in both the West and the Middle East itself. A very strong public pressure is needed to nudge the world's political leadership to quick action. Unfortunately, the global peace movement is now largely dormant. Therefore, an attempt has to be made to do something about it. The people must take it upon themselves to move in a networked fashion, in which thousands of local peace groups are meshed into a global alliance. As a loose network of shared ideas, this does not need a structure, and information is enough. The key is public involvement. Ordinary citizens must resolve to take the matter into their own hands. First, they have to realize the gravity of the situation. Enough is enough. We need to knock some sense into the minds of the world's leaders and especially the leadership of the Western world. The public must galvanize and rise to force the elected leadership to change course from needless military action to launch a strong global peace agenda.

How, and where, do we begin? The key is education. There is simply no alternative. The mindset of realpolitik needs to be changed. Certainly, this is no easy task. But where there is a will there is a way. Ordinary citizens need to rise up and grasp the opportunities that are available today. The cry for action beckons to all of us.

A worldwide education is needed to instill new values based on toleration of others, compassion for others, and foremost we must all begin to believe in humanity. The bane of the dominant modern Western civilization is a new level of selfishness, callousness, indifference and seclusion never seen before. Tragically, this is producing self -denial and ostrich-thinking. Western civilization cannot be stable, peaceful, and prosperous when its neighbors are living in hell. That cannot, and will not, happen. It is time we all realized the gravity of the situation. Although things are bad in many other parts of the world, it is the Muslim world that needs immediate attention as it is breeding the worst type of radicalism seen anytime in history. Things are bad in the Muslim world. There is no sense in denying it. In other parts of Africa and Latin America, and even Asia, things are not that good either.

We must begin to realize that immediate action is needed. The slogan of the environmental movement, think globally and act locally, is very apt for this situation. Muslim resentment has roots in sentiments of injustice. Let us begin to give justice where it is due. Strong public pressure on state administrations can yet save the day. The key is to network to achieve global peace. This is possible today. Given the infrastructure, we can do it.

Everyone must try to make a contribution in bringing peace in their own region. Another aspect is to change the individual and make him or her more conducive to the peace message. We must shed our garb of progress, and materialism for simplicity, sharing with others, compassion for the weak, and primarily love for all. Love is the prerequisite of peace. The essence of the global movement has to be love for humanity. We must instill new values in our youth that calls for massive retooling of our educational institutions, especially higher education. It must be considered fundamental that a new beginning can be made. Surely we all wish the world was a better place, but maybe one good heart at a time can change all the bad in the present world. It is for all the people to act on their beliefs. There is no other choice.

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# GLOBAL PUBLIC TELEVISION: A GRASSROOTS PATH TO PEACE

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## "Yes we can" - Barack Obama, 2008, USA "...the better angels of our nature" - Abraham Lincoln, 1861, USA

In this article we will show how creative films of diverse human endeavours can transform people's ideas about their neighbors around the world, eroding the foundations of a culture of war. A noncommercial, nonprofit organization in the USA, called Living Earth Television, is working to establish a global network of broadcasters to do just that.

Sometimes the most powerful solutions to our problems are the simplest. The creation of global public television is one of those. Television programming may be blamed for harmful results - promoting mindless materialism and even copycat crimes, among others and rightly so. But video is itself a tool, and can also be a powerful force for world peace. And there is a broad movement afoot to use television for good.

Before exploring in more detail what such a global public television network might look like, it is important to explore some of the factors that will determine its success. The media is very central to creating the world that the authors of this book are imagining a world without wars. Although some of the initial thoughts in this article are about seemingly mundane things, the information is necessary as a foundation for building the concept of media that will free us spiritually and emotionally, and help us build that world.

## A Model for Global Public Television

There are dozens of television networks worldwide that can be characterized as

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public or noncommercial. Employed at these networks, as well as working independently, are thousands of talented communicators and artists creating local nonfiction programming. A global organization called INPUT, for <u>International Public Television</u>, convenes an annual gathering where producers and programmers from all over the world come together to screen and discuss their work. Locally, producers, writers, directors and others involved in media in many ways, dream of using their skills in the service of humanity, and look for ways to do that.

A few basic principles apply to the creation of a viable global public television system: (a) It must have editorial independence; (b) Program content must be carefully selected and sustainable; and (c) Financial support must come from sources that support broadcasting based on the system's programming philosophy.

Editorial independence cannot thrive with a major dependence on either government or corporate funding. Viable funding sources a truly critical piece of making this concept work in the real world must come from a broad and varied base. At the same time, content must be largely nonpolitical. While a network of this kind cannot cede control of content to governments, it must also be careful to avoid content that is harshly critical of government entities and policies. It must be television of, by and for the people of the world, people who are citizens of a variety of countries and regions worldwide, but who are seen in their role as members of universal humankind.

## Media, Money and Editorial Control

Perhaps the most important principle of media is that (the source of) money determines content. If the purpose of media is to sell products, as it is on commercial television, then the intent is to draw the greatest number of viewers 'eyeballs,' as audience members are often called in American advertising. People are valued in commercial media as potential sources of money. And viewers, driven by basic properties of human nature, are most easily attracted by programming that is very entertaining and does not require much thought. This, of course, has led to program content that features beautiful faces and bodies, violent actions, and often irrational, rabid ranting. These things may be called entertainment or news, but their goal is attracting 'eyeballs,' and they are often not terribly concerned about how they do that.

There are ways of supporting programming that focuses on the quality and values of content. The main topic, following a short discussion of alternative financing, is what that programming might look like and how it can help to foster a peaceful, sustainable future for us all. There is an entire world of small, quiet, gentle stories of daily life, community and sustainability in communities around the globe. And these have the power to transform people's view of others, worldwide, into family and friends, rather than rivals and threats.

To clarify terminology: the words "television," "video" and "media" are used more

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or less interchangeably. Programming is delivered by many means, now including television, computers and even phones. The references in this article are simply to professionally produced video content that is seen by an audience, whether delivered by cable, satellite, broadband, DVD or any other system.

# Alternative Financing of Media

In the USA, there is much talk now about the survival or death of news reporting. News so critical to the healthy functioning of society is affected by the same economic forces as other video and audio programming. The effect over the past decades has been an erosion of the quality of content, to the point where much socalled news is simply a corporate or government mouthpiece.

In order for news to survive in a form that is recognizable, legitimate, and useful, it must be financed by those who care about something more than making a profit. The integrity of reporting can easily be compromised when reporters and editors are warned not to offend sponsors, or that a particular political philosophy must drive the 'spin' on news.

Reliable information about our world is crucial to the public's ability to participate in the world in an informed and healthy way. News must be able to report those stories which some corporate or government entities might prefer that we do not hear. And documentary of the kind envisioned for a global public television network must be able to tell stories so innovatively that they will not only increase 'eyeballs,' but will have the capacity to transform the world in positive and life-affirming ways.

There are many financing models existing in the media world. In China, government-owned television stations are supplemented by independent and commercial productions. In Europe, government-operated networks are common, some funded by tax money and also by corporate underwriting. In the USA, the Public Broadcasting Service (PBS), receives a small amount of funding from the Congress, and brings in the great majority of its funding from corporate underwriters and voluntary contributions from viewers. LinkTV, an American national satellite network launched in 1999, is funded completely by non-governmental money foundation and corporate underwriting and voluntary viewer support.

So, perhaps we have a plan. It just might be workable, to create a global network of broadcasters that maintains editorial independence, and is sustained by support from foundations, government agencies, corporate underwriters, and a large pool of viewers.

# Global Public TV The Living Earth Television Experiment

Living Earth Television (LETV), a noncommercial organization based near Chicago in the USA, is working towards creating a global public television network. LETV is connecting with people producing local nonfiction programming that highlights family, community, children, arts, spirituality, peacemaking, sustainability... and it is building bridges from producers to public broadcasters worldwide, where these programs from all over the world can be broadcast in local languages.

The agenda at Living Earth Television is a humanistic one. It does not promote or endorse any specific political, religious, economic or social system, but rather aims at helping people everywhere understand the lives of their neighbors worldwide. Its programming features and celebrates the lives of ordinary people from regions around the globe.

# Living Earth Television: The Vision

Television is a powerful medium. It can bring images and sounds to billions worldwide.

# Now is the time for the emergence of an international public television network.

By bringing stories and images of ordinary people and their ways of life to an international audience, global public television can address the root causes of so much fear, violence, hatred and ignorance in the world. Willingness to resort to warfare can be addressed and largely prevented by simple exposure to one another's lives and cultures. With the opportunity to see the realities, and shed simplistic and hateful stereotypes, people can understand both the basic, shared humanity of people everywhere, and the fascinating varieties of cultural expression people have created to address life's common challenges and celebrate its joys.

Programs based on quiet, gentle stories of daily life that have the power to transform people's perceptions of other cultures, are shown at film festivals around the world. . With a relatively small amount of funding, we can launch a global network of video broadcasts, translating these programs into local languages for everyone to see. And these programs can carry us gently towards a future where warfare is unthinkable, and all our neighbors worldwide are regarded as family. Attitudes toward others can shift from fear and hatred, to curiosity, to appreciation, to caring.

Programming that focuses on functioning and healthy lives, communities and organizations, rather than violence, anger and strife, can transform the landscape. People can observe how others are addressing the problems they face. Models for sustainable living can be shared around the world.

# ${\it Programming\,Strands\,on\,Living\,Earth\,Television}$

Living Earth Television features no politicians, athletes or professional entertainers. Its focus is on daily life as lived in the fascinating diversity of cultural and geographic settings around the world. Living Earth Television's seven programming strands or themes are:

\* *The Global Neighborhood* portrays individuals, families and communities from all over the world through the eyes of the members of each culture represented.

\* The World of Children shares the lives, games and activities, arts and music, food,

families and learning of the younger citizens of the world.

\* *Earth Works* documents the accomplishments of individuals and organizations, local and international, who work to establish healthy, sustainable communities and to protect our natural world.

\* *Arts and Artisans* showcases, from the perspective of the participants, the local and traditional music, crafts, theater and fine arts from cities, towns and villages around the globe.

\* *Spiritual Practices* explores people's relationship to the sacred in their personal lives and in cultural contexts, and promotes understanding between different ideologies. \* *Peace Makers* records the efforts and successes of people and organizations working to heal conflict and bring peace at every level, from neighborhoods to nations.

\* *Bridges* shares the joys and challenges experienced by families who have their roots and ties in multiple cultures, enriching their lives through diversity.

Profits are secondary. The tremendous social and spiritual value of distributing these programs needs to be the end in itself. The world is ready for the Living Earth Television experiment. You can learn more about Living Earth Television at www.letv.org.

**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** Here is another successful experiment - Brasscheck TV. This brief report was received and edited by me on 31 Aug. 2009.

"**Brasscheck TV**" <<u>www.brasschecktv.com</u>> completes 3 years and in such a short time, their mailing list is 50,351 strong, only by word-of-mouth publicity without spending a nickel on advertising. From 2007 to 2009 they have served up 14,468,329 videos - all for free - to give you the other side of the story, the side the US news media relentlessly waters down, distorts, and even outright censors. Their videos help the members to:

**1.** Become mentally independent from the herd, which the corporate-governmentmedia complex is working overtime to mislead, rip off and exploit at every turn.

**2.** Suggest ideas for evasive action so that you can avoid becoming a victim of the corporate-government-media's endless scamming.

**3.** Provide with resources to educate themselves and the people in their circle about the nature of the forces that are aligned against normal people. It's a growing library of over 650 videos on a wide variety of topics, available free 24/7, indexed and searchable.

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**The Real Food Channel** (<u>http://www.TheRealFoodChannel.com</u>), a brand new venture started in June 2009, is designed to give the members the "why" and "how" info they need to join the battle against this truly devilish enterprise.

If you think that the Pentagon/CIA propaganda is thick, the "food" industry makes their dissembling and manipulation seem like amateur hour. No one lies better or manipulates more than the "food" industry - and they're even bigger in dollars than the oil industry!

When we kick out the food "leg" of the corporate-government-media complex, we will be doing the whole corrupt structure some serious damage - and, at the same time, doing ourselves and the people we love a whole lot of good.

**I like their closing line:** "If you like what we're doing, let people know. If you don't, Fox News is on 24/7 and I'm sure they and their advertisers would love the extra business".



Americans celebrate everything in a big way, including the Halloween's day, Oct. 31. This year on, they should concentrate on the real horrors of the world, namely:-Climate Change, Cutting of Trees without planting more, Trawling in the Seas and Oceans, Factory Farming for meat consumption, Desertification on the one hand and Icemelt on the other, Nuclear Contamination, Pesticides, Extinctions, Indiscriminate use of Plastic bags, road blocks and carbon monoxide due to four wheelers, WMDs, Star Wars, Vaccines, Aspartame, GMO, Steroids, Statins, Chemotherapy, etc.

# PRISON COUNTRY AMERICA - Dr. Leo Rebello Circulated worldwide on 22 October 2008

The "world's most powerful democracy" has a higher percentage of its population behind bars than any other country in the world: more than China, more than Russia, more than any backwater dictatorship. Two million plus people, roughly 1 out of every 142 US residents are behind bars in the USA.

No one is bailing these prisoners out, as this gulag system is fantastically profitable for the companies that build and manage prisons...for the companies that supply them...for the prison guard unions...and for the state itself, which sells prison labour to private corporations for pennies on the dollar. For a unique perspective on inmates of American prisons check www.brasschecktv.com

As against that, \$700 billions bail out bill, like the Indo-US Nuclear deal, was passed in a great hurry subverting all democratic norms. Crowds protesting in the streets asking the Bush regime to halt this madness, 69% Americans saying a firm "No to Bail Out" in a nationwide survey, did not matter to the mad men at the helm of affairs in US, as an army brigade was in readiness to control the crowd. See www.informationclearinghouse.info

While inside, the politicians, whether Democrats or Republicans, placed their own self-interest as the highest priority rather than speaking out on this impropriety. Congressman Brad Sherman of California, told the House in a speech on 5th Oct., 2008 how several Congressional representatives were threatened with the prospect of all out martial law should they vote in opposition to the \$700 billion bailout of financial institutions. No American politician worth the salt, not even Barak Obama, the first Black presidential candidate, had the courage to say that just as the real cost of the \$500-billion Iraq War is closer to \$2 trillion, the real cost of the \$700 billion bailout \$3 trillion.

This clearly shows how the US society is sharply divided between the "haves," who enjoy a monopoly on power and influence, and the "have-nots," who are alienated from the political process. 24.5 percent of all Americans earn \$9.60 or less; 10 percent of all Americans -15 million Americans- earn \$6.79 or less; 33.3 percent of African Americans and 39.3 of Hispanic workers earn poverty wages.

"Any subsidies eventually given to the monster banks of Wall Street will be as American as apple pie and obesity. The sums demanded may be unprecedented, but there is nothing new about the principle: corporate welfare is a consistent feature of advanced capitalism. Only one thing has changed: Congress has been forced to confront its contradictions" says George Monbiot in an article entitled, "The Free Market Preachers Have Long Practised State Welfare For The Rich".

How this arm twisting decision will affect the dollar, the future economics and business of not only the US, but also of the countries dependant on USA, only time will tell.

#### Let us see what we could do with \$700 billion bail out in India.

Give 1000 million poor families of the world Rs.25,000 (approx 500 USD) each. World poverty can be wiped out with that huge bad loan. Buy 1000 million computers for those who cannot afford them. Provide schooling for all the poor children of the world.

Having said that, let us revert to the central theme of this article, namely, Prison Country America and recount a few more instances to prove how this great country (which it never was) has become totally decadent.

(a) In USA, Chemotherapy (which itself is carcinogenic) is the official treatment. Doctors prescribing other safer and cheaper medicines or even Vitamin C (which two-times Nobel winner Linus Pauling recommended for cancer) are being jailed.

(b) Anti Retroviral Drugs for HIV/AIDS are being given even to children. Parents refusing to give these dangerous carcinogens to their children can be jailed, while their children can be shifted to government facility only to be informed that the child has died due to the disease, when the child in fact died due to separation from loved one, incarceration and iatrogenesis. Prescribe proper diet and nutrition, vitamins and micronutrients, homeopathy and herbs and the chances are that the doctor's license will be cancelled; s/he will be jailed along with the parents.

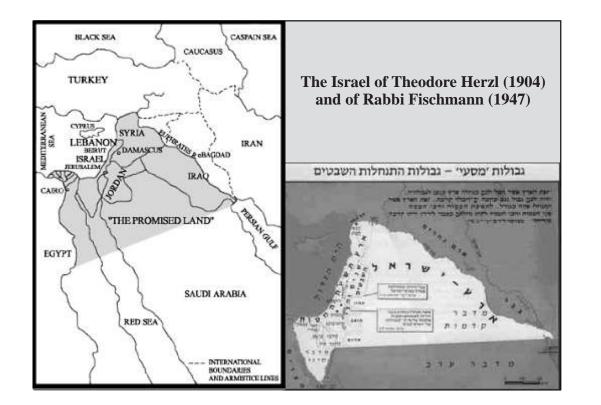
(c) Through its Special Virus program the CIA creates panic worldwide in the name of SARS, Anthrax, manipulates laws through WHO and Codex, destroys economies of the world by pressurising governments to buy ARTs and other lethal drugs from mercenary (p)harma companies, makes iodization of salt compulsory for every one; instead of educating people on simple ORT, it concentrates on manufacturing and distributing ORT solutions sold by medicine mafia; through HDN net it continuously promotes the lie HIV=AIDS=Death, and gives a free run to Monsanto for GM food, Aspartame, etc.

(d) The decadent State which cannot stop drugs, guns in schools, small girls being made pregnant, however, does not mind making dubious Vaccines mandatory, in the name of protecting citizens' health. Incidentally, there are now about 70 vaccines to protect your health. The writ of American mafia runs even in other countries. If you apply for Work Visa or Green Card, the American Consulates in India and other

countries force the Visa seekers to take Vaccines or reject their applications.

(e) Try telling American CDC that "Right to Health" is akin to "Right to Life" and "Right to Choose the Medicine" is my right like "Right to practice the Religion" or "Right to Food". Try reasoning out with the CDC or the American Supreme Court that like you cannot ask Vegetarian Hindus to eat animal proteins, or Muslims to eat forbidden Pig meat, because they are "protein deficient" or 'Health Care is Self Care' and see what response you get in the world's Best Democracy.

(f) JF Kennedy who said that he would like to disband CIA, like MK Gandhi who said Congress should be disbanded, were killed. Not only the CIA continues, but also the Centre for Disease Control has become the extension centre of the sinister Population Control Program, like the Yale University (which is called Skull and Bones University) has the CIA office to monitor everything on the university campuses.



# HISTORY NEVER ENDS I HATE TO BOTHER YOU - Eduardo Galeano

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*Translation from Spanish for CounterPunch: Dr. Moti Nissani* In 1971, Eduardo Galeano wrote <u>*The Open Veins of Latin America*</u> and, in 1976, escaped death at the hands of CIA-financed Argentine death squads.

I'd like to share with you some questions--some flies that keep buzzing in my head.

Is justice right side up? Has world justice been frozen in an upside-down position? The shoe-thrower of Iraq, the man who hurled his shoes at Bush, was condemned to three years in prison. Doesn't he deserve, instead, a medal? Who is the terrorist? The hurler of shoes or their recipient? Is not the real terrorist the serial killer who, lying, fabricated the Iraq war, massacred a multitude, and legalized and ordered torture?

Who are the guilty ones--the people of Atenco, in Mexico, the indigenous Mapuches of Chile, the Kekchies of Guatemala, the landless peasants of Brazil - all being accused of the crime of terrorism for defending their right to their own land? If the earth is sacred, even if the law does not say so, aren't its defenders sacred too?

According to *Foreign Policy Magazine*, Somalia is the most dangerous place in the world. But who are the pirates? The starving people who attack ships or the speculators of Wall Street who spent years attacking the world and who are now rewarded with many millions of dollars for their pains? Why does the world reward its ransackers?

Why is justice a one-eyed blind woman? Wal-Mart, the most powerful corporation on earth, bans trade unions. McDonald's, too. Why do these corporations violate, with criminal impunity, international law? Is it because in this contemporary world of ours, work is valued as lower than trash and workers' rights are valued even less?

Who are the righteous and who are the villains? If international justice really exists, why are the powerful never judged? The masterminds of the worst butcheries are never sent to prison. Is it because it is these butchers themselves who hold the prison keys?

What makes the five nations with veto power in the United Nations inviolable? Is it of a divine origin, that veto power of theirs? Can you trust those who profit from war to guard the peace?

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Is it fair that world peace is in the hands of the very five nations who are also the world's main producers of weapons? Without implying any disrespect to the drug runners, couldn't we refer to this arrangement as yet another example of organized crime?

Those who clamor, everywhere, for the death penalty are strangely silent about the owners of the world. Even worse, these clamorers forever complain about knife-wielding murderers, yet say nothing about missile-wielding arch-murderers.

And one asks oneself: Given that these self-righteous world owners are so enamored of killing, why pray don't they try to aim their murderous proclivities at social injustice? Is it a just world when, every minute, three million dollars are wasted on the military, while at the same time several children perish from hunger or curable disease? Against whom is the so-called international community armed to the teeth? Against poverty or against the poor?

Why don't the champions of capital punishment direct their ire at the values of the consumer society, values which pose a daily threat to public safety? Or doesn't, perhaps, the constant bombardment of advertising constitute an invitation to crime? Doesn't that bombardment numb millions and millions of unemployed or poorly paid youth, endlessly teaching them the lie that "to be = to have", that life derives its meaning from ownership of such things as cars or brand name shoes? Own, own, they keep saying, implying that he who has nothing is, himself, nothing.

Why isn't the death penalty applied to death itself? The world is organized in the service of death. Isn't it true that the military industrial complex manufactures death and devours the greater part of our resources as well as a good part of our energies? Yet the owners of the world only condemn violence when it is exercised by others. To extraterrestrials, if they existed, such monopoly of violence would appear inexplicable. It likewise appears insupportable to earth dwellers who, against all the available evidence, hope for survival: we humans are the only animals who specialize in mutual extermination, and who have developed a technology of destruction that is annihilating, coincidentally, our planet and all its inhabitants.

This technology sustains itself on fear. It is the fear of enemies that justifies the squandering of resources by the military and police. And speaking about implementing the death penalty, why don't we pass a death sentence on fear itself? Would it not behove us to end this universal dictatorship of the professional scaremongers? The sowers of panic condemn us to loneliness, keeping solidarity outside our reach: falsely teaching us that we live in a dog-eat-dog world; that he who can, must crush his fellows; that danger is lurking behind every neighbor. Watch out, they keep saying, be careful, this neighbor will steal from you, that other one will rape you, that baby carriage hides a Muslim bomb, and that woman who is watching

you--that innocent-looking neighbor of yours--will surely infect you with swine flu.

In this upside-down world, they are making us afraid of even the most elementary acts of justice and common sense. When President Evo Morales started to re-build Bolivia, so that his country with its indigenous majority will no longer feel shame facing a mirror, his actions provoked panic. Morales' challenge was indeed catastrophic from the traditional standpoint of the racist order, whose beneficiaries felt that theirs was the only possible option for Bolivia. It was Evo, they felt, who ushered in chaos and violence, and this alleged crime justified efforts to blow up national unity and break Bolivia into pieces. And when President Correa of Ecuador refused to pay the illegitimate debts of his country, the news caused terror in the financial world and Ecuador was threatened with dire punishment, for daring to set such a bad example. If the military dictatorships and roguish politicians have always been pampered by international banks, have we not already conditioned ourselves to accept it as our inevitable fate that the people must pay for the club that hits them and for the greed the plunders them?

But, have common sense and justice always been divorced from each other? Were not common sense and justice meant to walk hand in hand, intimately linked?

Then, why don't the mass media, in their dedication to the war against the scourge of drugs, ever divulge that it is Afghanistan which single-handedly satisfies just about all the heroin consumed in the world? Who rules Afghanistan? Is it not militarily occupied by a messianic country which conferred upon itself the mission of saving us all?

Nowadays the world is sad because fewer vehicles are sold. Could anyone deny that a decline in the number of automobiles is good for nature, seeing that she will end up with a bit less poison in her veins?

In El Salvador, Archbishop Oscar Arnulfo Romero found that justice, like a snake, only bites barefoot people. He died of gunshot wounds, for proclaiming that in his country the dispossessed were condemned from the very start, on the day of their birth.

Couldn't the outcome of the recent elections in El Salvador be viewed, in some ways, as a homage to Archbishop Romero and to the thousands who, like him, died fighting for right-side-up justice in this reign of injustice?

At times the narratives of History end badly, but she, History itself, never ends. When she says goodbye, she only says: I'll be back.

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# UNDERSTANDING AND TACKLING TERRORISM S.G.Vombatkere



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#### Terror and terrorism

Terror is "extreme fear", and in The Guardian on August 14, 2006, Martin Jacques wrote that terror is "the weapon of the impotent, the disenfranchised and the unorganized in the face of profound grievance". Thus, terrorists are people who work secretly to knowingly strike at innocent people to kill them and destroy property for the purpose of causing terror to justify their own political ends. Terrorism must be taken seriously because terrorists always try to cause maximum damage to soft targets. There can be no disagreement with Kofi Annan who said, "Terrorism in all its forms and manifestations, committed by whomever, wherever and for whatever purposes, is unacceptable and can never be justified".

#### Violence and protest

Violence always begins in the mind, is the result of a conflict of interests, and may take verbal, economic or physical form. Violence thus occurs at individual and group levels. Reactions to violence can be immediate or delayed and may assume one or more different, often bizarre forms with completely different targets.

One shudders to think of the psychological effect of the extreme violence in present day Afghanistan and Iraq on Afghani and Iraqi children and its effects on society in their later years. But closer to home, the awful physical, social and economic violence against Dalits that India's "upper castes" have been inflicting for many generations and continue to do, are a similar matter for the most serious concern.

Violence of any sort, whether at an inter-personal level within or outside the family or at a social level, tends to breed more violence of the same or different sort, which then gets amplified in recurrent spirals of escalation. Violence against people who are weaker physically, socially or economically and unable to resist or protect themselves, may be judged by some as more reprehensible than when it is directed against those who are capable of resistance or retaliation. But all violence is wrong.

Most often, when there is a conflict of interests, protest follows. Protest is resistance to some form of violence, and arises from actual or perceived loss or infringement of freedom, which is the power or the right to act, speak or believe as one wants, without hindrance or restraint. Freedom means different things to different sections of society - freedom from fear, from hate, from repression, from poverty, from illiteracy, from forced progress, or freedom to co-exist or be in control of one's own destiny. Threat to or denial of any of these (or other) freedoms are a form of violence, and result in protest. Protest may take several forms, such as persuasion, non-cooperation, nonviolent intervention, positive action or militancy, in ascending order of intensity, but it is by no means necessary that protest should begin in that sequence.

Sometimes there is an identifiable cause for the violence, like economic or political or cultural (religion, caste, language, ethnicity, etc.) suppression, and at other times violence is a way of life, with the target or victim being chosen at random as in ordinary street crime or deliberately chosen as in communal violence. But in any case, violence and counter-violence cannot be justified in a civilized society.

#### **Economic violence**

WTO Agreements have resulted in a raw deal for countries that are economically weak. Its implications are nothing but legalized economic oppression of the weak by the powerful with the coerced consent of the weak, who are signatories. In almost all countries, as we know, it is the powerful and the wealthy that represent their countries in international fora and sign agreements and treaties. Even though they may nominally represent the people, as in a democracy, they do not represent the best interests of the poor within their country. The poor cannot possibly represent their own interests simply because, being poor and possibly just about literate, they cannot even begin to understand the issues and their implications, and cannot argue their cause. And therefore the need for good governance, social justice, universal education, upliftment of the poor, etc., all of which are in our Constitution, but somehow appear antithetical to the philosophy of the promoters of competition, market forces and trickle-down economics.

Thus the economic or social benefits of development do not equitably trickle down the socio-economic pyramid far enough or soon enough. This economic polarization causes frustration and a feeling of alienation and injustice. Extending the argument to the international arena, what the wealthy people in most countries are doing to the poor of their own country, is being done by the wealthy countries to the poor countries by means of the WTO Agreements. The current dispensation operates to severely limit or eliminate the poorest people's options for economically productive activities, and therefore constitutes economic violence.

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#### Protest, militancy and terrorism

People who demand their rights or protest government's plans are usually ignored at first but later, if the protests become effective, police force is deployed even against peaceful, unarmed protesters to quell the legitimate protests. There are innumerable occasions when police has been ordered to baton-charge or open fire even on peaceful protesters, and this initiation of violence results in escalation in the levels and intensities of protest.

One may try to make a "Who's Who" of protesters. We begin with the <u>activist</u> who is concerned with equity, social justice, and welfare, environmental, civic and rights issues and is generally non-violent. The <u>fundamentalist</u> or <u>extremist</u> holds extreme views on socio-economic, political, cultural (language, ethnicity, etc.) or religious issues, and he informs and influences people to bring them to his persuasion. He plans and organizes programs and actions that are generally violence-oriented. The <u>militant</u> uses verbal or physical force to vehemently oppose policies, actions or ideas, and he may be simply a militant or else, an insurgent, a guerrilla or even a terrorist. The <u>insurgent</u> rises in armed revolt against the established order of government, while the <u>guerrilla</u> takes part in irregular fighting, typically against larger foreign military forces. As for the <u>terrorist</u>, he is in a special category, hated by all except his mentors and sponsors. He creates extreme fear among populations by threats or real strikes at "soft" civilian targets, with the aim of paralyzing normal public life, tying up the resources of government for security, and precipitating political and/or economic crises.

These are all protesters who are protesting in different ways, and it is clear that there is a significant difference between a militant and a terrorist all terrorists are militants but not all militants are terrorists. In the Indian context, militants and terrorists are being clubbed together and branded as "Islamic terrorist", "Hindu terrorist", etc.

There is a definite link between poverty and militancy or extremism as found by a study ordered by the Planning Commission of India. The Report of the Expert Group on "*Development issues to deal with causes of discontent, unrest and extremism*", published in April 2008, shows close correlation between poverty and militancy or extremism. And the step from militancy to terrorism is not always large.

Poverty by itself may not cause terrorism, but economic violence (for example, forcible displacement of poor rural or tribal people for infrastructure developmental projects) by governments certainly causes disaffection. People who have been displaced for a mega-project and lost land and livelihood and suffered social dislocation, can never have a kindly attitude towards government(s) and their corrupt officials or the better-off sections of society that have benefited from their loss. In fact, they nurse an active animus towards society in general that can manifest as petty or organized crime, and can easily find expression as violence directed randomly.

Again, it is necessary to emphasize that this is not to justify such violence, just as economic violence by governments in the name of progress and development cannot be justified. Rather, this is to explain the causes and reasons for the growing levels of violence in society, terrorism being the worst manifestation. Without addressing its basic causes, no amount of force of any kind can stop militancy or terrorism. On the other hand, it is a good guess that indiscriminate or unrestrained police or military force only further justifies terrorism to the terrorists themselves.

Certainly, terrorism needs to be put down. But this must be done with the firm hand of society, by diagnosing the cause and then finding solutions. Like every question has an answer, every problem has a solution and the solution usually lies in free and fair dialogue. The harsh use of the bayonet, bullet and bomb of the police and military against the citizens, without positive delivery of equity and social justice using the political tools of consultation and consensus, may only serve to escalate the spiral of violence and terror. A prolonged period of years, even decades, of high levels of violence and terror, such as in Afghanistan and Iraq, have only succeeded in brutalizing an entire generation and further spreading the virus of terror.

#### Militancy in India

The militant Naxalites, People's War Group, etc., which may don a cloak of political ideology, are organized reactions to oppression of various sorts by powerful individuals or interests against weak individuals or groups. This reactive violence may be considered wrong in the sense that all violence causes harm to individuals, communities and society at large. Nobody perpetrates physical violence for its own sake unless insanity is involved; and the individuals in such militant groups are by no means insane. The causes for their militancy persists and a majority of people continues to get frustrated by the powerful, who govern without accountability, are callous towards suffering and are notoriously corrupt and self-serving. Militant groups claim that they have no option but to be violent with stick, knife, axe and gun for their survival.

Violent groups therefore need to be understood first and the causes for their physical violence removed. This is not to say that police forces are not required. Police forces are certainly required but in a defensive role, deployed to protect the public and public property from violent attacks, while simultaneously removing the basic causes of poverty and deprivation by providing social justice and equity. For sure, this calls for a change in the thinking and behaviour of the powerful people who control governments and their agencies.

#### Terror attacks, courage and some questions

When terrorists strike as they did in Mumbai on 26 November 2008, and on earlier occasions in India, the public feeling is a mix of outrage, anxiety, helplessness and disappointment with officials or government. But people, by and large, are not afraid of

terrorists. There has been no reduction in the numbers of people who frequent crowded urban areas as part of their business or other routine activities. No wife tells her husband not to go to work, or a mother her child not to go to school or college because there may be a terror attack. Parents are more fearful of their children being molested or kidnapped by local hoodlums than of becoming victims of terrorist attacks.

On asking a roadside vendor and daily wage labourer the question, the frank reply was that their survival depends upon their day-to-day, hand-to-mouth earnings at busy locations, and they are more fearful of a *bandh* called by some political party, since it means going hungry that day, than of a terror strike! Thus "terror" among the majority of ordinary citizens does not exist on a day-to-day basis. But the knee-jerk action of authorities and the irresponsible electronic media inadvertently help terrorists by giving them publicity and creating unnecessary panic.

#### **Dealing with terrorism**

Terrorism in India is mostly sourced from across our international borders. Such terrorism cannot be neglected, but it cannot be addressed by threatening or executing military "surgical strikes" on terrorist training camps across the border, mainly because of negative political fall-out and the possibility that it may develop into full-fledged war with its unacceptable nuclear risks. Such terrorism can and should be dealt with bilaterally through political (diplomatic) and economic carrots-and-sticks, and socially by encouraging people-to-people contacts and discussions. Also very important is diplomacy at international level through the use of United Nations platforms, rather than appearing to treat any single power as an arbiter.

There are basically two methods of dealing with terrorism with minimum disruption to civic life. First, government action to pep up and coordinate intelligence services so that attacks are defused or diffused by early warning and/or small-scale preemption. And second, government appointing dedicated forces to counter-attack terrorists. The first method is an acknowledged and essential one that is far cheaper in terms of lives and economic damage by preventing or minimizing an attack rather than reacting after the attack. It can be implemented by re-integrating and strengthening the existing intelligence machine without major re-structuring, along with introducing an element of public accountability. This will offer the richest security dividends at negligible financial cost. The second method is to increase the number of commando forces under Central and State government control. This is very expensive and inevitably at the cost of development. But far worse, it would play into the hands of terrorists, who wish to burden the economic system by money spent on "a commando on every street corner" and security checks for citizens. Commando units for rapid deployment are essential, but multiplying the number of such units will not provide better security.

It is more cost-effective to use the first method and sharpen State police vigilance and

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communication systems to induct commando units rapidly to the scene of action. However, better State police vigilance is impossible without eliminating political interference, which in turn is impossible without implementing Police Reforms that are gathering dust for decades. Also, normal and special security forces diverted to "VIP" protection or for commercial activities like cricket matches and private industrial establishments, is obviously at the security and financial cost of the public at large. Priorities for security need to be defined and implemented.

#### Do stricter laws provide better security?

Past experience has shown that strict POTA-type laws do not work. Maharashtra has the MCOCA (Maharashtra Control of Organized Crime Act) in force, but it did not deter the highly motivated terrorists on their do-or-die Mumbai 26/11 mission. Of course, such laws may facilitate rapid prosecution, but have yielded very poor conviction rate, been misused to settle old scores, and objected to because innocents are coerced or tortured in police custody to make confessions. As stated by Lt Gen Harwant Singh in his article in "The Tribune" of 10/12/08, titled "What went wrong?": "To cover up shortcomings in investigative skills, there appear to be moves to bring back some of the draconian laws, though in a different garb. Such laws turn the Indian judicial system on its head and going by the past record of their application, it will lead to further alienation of sections of our society". Thus, simply gearing up the existing intelligence and protection system to better efficiency levels and eliminating political interference can ensure the best affordable security for ordinary citizens.

#### **Bottom line**

If terrorism is to be tackled systemically and systematically, there is no alternative to governments pepping up and coordinating the intelligence agencies at their command without seeking publicity, and addressing the most basic issues of social justice and equity in all spheres with sincerity and transparency. Neighbourhood watch and community policing is another answer that can be tried to advantage.

**Franklin Delano Roosevelt, U.S. President:** "The real truth of the matter is, as you and I know, that a financial element in the large centers has owned the Government ever since the days of Andrew Jackson" --1933.

James Warburg, Rothschild Banking Agent: "We shall have world government whether or not you like it... by conquest or consent" --1950.

# MODUS OPERANDI OF PEACE ORGANIZATIONS Alexander Mercieca



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The expression *modus operandi* is a Latin phrase that means *way of operating*. It is generally based on established principles. A *peace organization* refers to any group of individuals that decides to work together wholeheartedly for the achievement of the same constructive goals and objectives. The word peace is derived from the Latin word "pax," which is *a state of tranquility, freedom from war, cessation of hostilities, and harmony.* 

#### **Meaning of Peace**

At http://www.peaceloveandme.com/peacelanguage.html you will find Peace translated in 145 languages. For example, *Aman* (Urdu), *Paco* (Esperanto), *Shanti* (Hindi), *Salam* (Arabic), *La Paz* (Spanish), Paçi (Maltese). Here are a few illustrations concerning the word Peace:

At peace.... living at peace, that is, in a peaceful state; this has been the inner ambition of every human being, consciously or unconsciously.

*Breach of the peace....* violation of public tranquility; this breach between individuals and nations has caused conflicts that resulted in a tremendous amount of suffering on both regional and global scales.

*To hold one's peace*.... to suppress one's thoughts and be silent; St. Francis of Assisi once was going to say something good to the congregation but, instead, he remained silent and, as a result, many shed tears and were converted.

*To make peace with another*.... to reconcile with the other person; once we develop the habit to view the other person as the image and child of God, it would become easier for us to proceed toward reconciliation.

*Peace establishment*.... the reduced number of effective men in the army during time of peace; the idea that the military exists to bring about peace has proved to be fallacious.

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*Commission of peace....* appointment of justices of peace; the United Nations' International Court of Justice in Belgium is supposedly to be composed of such justices who are assumed to be imbued with inner peace.

When we refer to individuals as peaceable, it means we are referring to their character and disposition. A person is viewed as peaceful when there is a genuine love and concern for the welfare of all people, directly or indirectly, without exception. Ascetical writers tell us that the greatest gift that God could possibly give to humans is peace, which emanates from the inner self.

### Peace Work in Operation

In this context let us discuss the *modus operandi* of peace organizations. We need to keep in mind the fact that an organization makes the word "peace" as a part of its name does not mean that such an organization is necessarily peaceful. We are all familiar with the traditional saying, *actions speak louder than words*. So rather than its philosophy its work is more important. For example, UN -- the aim is good, but implementation is not as per people's expectation.

For practical purposes, we may classify peace organizations into two general categories: non-profit and profit-making. Non-profit peace organizations are expected to be composed of volunteers who may come from every walk of life and profession. The majority of such members do make a living by having a regular job with an establishment or a company. They just volunteer their extra time in the evenings and/or on week-ends for humanitarian purposes.

In peace work what really counts is not the endorsement and moral support of well known figures in society. What really counts is the work that has already been performed with tangible results. An example of this would be the work carried out by the congregation of the well known Mother Teresa of Calcutta. Mother Teresa concentrated on helping the poorest of the poor. When she visited Cuba, she was received by the head of State, President Fidel Castro, who greeted her with the words: *"Welcome! The whole of Cuba is yours. Whatever you need let us know and we will help you secure it"*. There seems to be an instinct in human nature of great admiration toward those who dedicate their services to people in need.

### Style of Non-Profit Organizations

When Mother Teresa passed away, the Indian government decided to give her a state funeral same as that given to the head of state. Experience has demonstrated that those who genuinely work for peace, without seeking any remuneration whatsoever, often have most of the problems they encounter wither away. Briefly stated, members of a non-profit peace organization are primarily concerned with the real achievement of the peaceful goals and objectives they established in the first place. Also, members of a non-profit peace organization do not seem to have time to play politics between themselves and to get entangled into bureaucratic procedures. Besides, they never seem to make money a condition for their good and much needed peace work. Once they decide that some project is of great importance to help alleviate human suffering, they will proceed to do it, to implement it by all means, without putting money as a condition. International Association of Educators for World Peace refers to this *modus operandi* as the principle of the three Z's. These three Z's consist of zero politics, zero bureaucracy and zero budget. Zero politics allows the members to concentrate on the positive and constructive results of their activities rather than on the person or persons in charge of one or more projects. This principle helps to do away completely with personality cults within the organization.

Zero bureaucracy gives members the opportunity to move forward with the proper and swift implementation of the organization's goals and objectives. This way a tremendous amount of time is saved since they do not have to go through a hierarchical procedure to seek for approval from others each time they have to perform essential peace activities. Zero budget does not mean that the organization ignores the importance of financial needs. It simply means that money is not put as a condition to proceed with the performance of vital peace activities in the community.

In a number of peace organizations, there is no centralized budget, that is, one financial source that would distribute money as needed on a global level. There is, instead, an independent financial source in each country where such an organization finds itself. This explains why such non-profit peace organizations may have countries which may require membership dues while other countries may not have such a requirement. This modus operandi is part of the so called zero budget principle.

#### **Conspectus of Profit-Making Organizations**

Profit-making peace organizations function, in general, pretty much like non-profit peace organizations in terms of goals and objectives. This means they also seek to make positive and constructive contributions to society. Usually, those that work for such organizations tend to work on a full time basis with an income that would enable them to pay their bills. Needless to say, the more they sell their product the more money comes in, which would make it easier for such organizations to develop branches with relative ease in other global areas.

Technically speaking, profit-making peace organizations may be viewed as business organizations. However, the only difference may lie in the product they deal with, which is always meant to promote or enhance peace within the individual, the community, the nation and the whole world, as a matter of fact. Most of their products consist of a variety of peace oriented literature, ranging from newspapers and journals to pamphlets and books. They may organize peace conferences both for

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themselves and for a variety of other organizations.

Some of them have developed the speakers' bureau, which provides, for a fee, outstanding speakers for a variety of programs. They may also run shops with peace oriented products that people may purchase as an ornament in their houses. Needless to say, they may have, for their members, periodical peace conferences on a variety of topics of current national and international concern. Since several of those working in such organizations do so for their livelihood, money is always taken into consideration in all of their endeavors.

What is really important in peace organizations of any kind is to have members that are devoted to the cause of peace where love replaces hatred and where justice is given the opportunity to reign. May the tribe of peace makers grow and may peace prevail for all time. Amen.

#### First, I was dying to finish my school and start college.

Then I was dying to finish college and start working. Then I was dying to make money and have children. And then I was dying for my children to grow up, so that I can work. Then I was dying to retire. And now I am dying ... And suddenly I realized I forgot to live.

Please do not let this happen to you. Live each day. Enjoy each day.

.... Old Friend.

To make money we lose our health, and then to restore our health we lose our money. We live as if we are never going to die, And we die as if we never lived.

# THE WALL - Israel Shamir

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We watched Pink Floyd's *The Wall* in a small, bare and shabby cinema called *Semadar*, The Vine Blossom in the quaint German Colony of Jerusalem. Emptied of ethnic Germans by the Jews in 1948, it still preserves its old stone houses roofed with red tiles, gables with immured plaques quoting Psalms inscribed in Gothic script, ivy creeping up its masonry and the mysterious Templars' Cemetery beyond heavy gate.

Semadar, named after an expression in the Song of the Songs, was a favourite talkies' spot in our Paradise Lost, nostalgia-bewitched pre-war Palestine, when it was frequented by British officers, and the young cosmopolitan gang of the Holy City's best and brightest: Armenians, Greeks, Jews, Germans and native Palestinians. Many marriages crossing borders, religious affiliations and political passions were formed in its romantic small yard: a Sephardi Rabbi's daughter found herself a Scots flier, and a scion of noble Muslim Arab family met a perky Left-Zionist girl. *Semadar* has not changed; it survived our Fall, the Partition, to become a fixture of Amos Oz Jerusalem-based novels like fossil ice survives global warming.

*Semadar* remained a decent if rundown place for family outing in 1980s, the blessed days before video, TV and computers took over our free time, and we often went with the kids to the movies. However, the Wall was a flop. In the middle of the film, there is a horrifying shot of a mouth gaping to devour you, the spectator.

This scary boneless but teeth-filled mouth covered the whole screen towering above our heads. It was too much for our seven-year old son, and he rushed out with a piercing yell. But outside, the foyer was plastered by posters with the same gaping mouth! It took a few hours to calm him down, and this symbol of the Wall, the dreadful devouring mouth, remained buried deep in my memory.

It returned with a vengeance like a released spring today, when I ran into the Wall after a beautiful walk. For many hours we had driven and walked the soft Biblical hills of the Highlands, waded high green grass, picked purple lupines, crossed a brook still full of water, and of friendly full-faced and fully-dressed girls and boys

who splashed each other and us with youthful abandon, and passed by their parents in the nearby village of Anata who were preparing a picnic repast and called their cordial salaams. We greeted a monk going down from his cliff hermitage of St Chariton and received his blessing; chased away a flock of four or five shy gazelles with white-spotted crupper; lit a candle at a Byzantine image of the Madonna in Taybeh village church, where according to carefully preserved local lore Christ spent his last days before the Passion. We drunk their famous Taybeh draft beer in the Stones, an airy two-tiered café in urbane Ramallah, with a tweed-clad professor of philosophy from Bir Zeit university, a wryly-smiling architect, a lapsed Jew from England with an uncanny resemblance to the younger Noam Chomsky, and a ravishing dark beauty of a French-speaking Palestinian girl brought up in Tunisian exile and schooled in Paris.

As we drew towards the Shepherds' Fields, we run into the Wall. It cut into the tender Bethlehem countryside like a colossal devouring maw, and nature disappeared, marshmallow-like. Dozens of Caterpillars were tearing at the hills, uprooting fig trees and vines, crushing rocks for some monstrous Margarita. They demolished old peasant houses and medieval towers, and denuded the slopes walked by the Virgin. The Wall was built like a wide four-lane highway, flanked by 20-feet-high double steel mesh fences, topped with high tension wire, interspaced with cameras, sharpshooters' positions and a few gates. It was the most formidable prison camp perimeter fencing I have ever seen, and it skirted the village houses tightly, like a tipsy tango dancer holds his partner.

The peasants looked through the mesh on their olive trees, still there, still in full modest bloom, but already separated, removed, unavailable. The peasants were locked in, as secure as in any jail, beyond this Wall. Their fields, their pastures, their springs of water were locked out. A gate was guarded by an Israeli soldier; it connected them to their livelihood, to their land, to their freedom to be opened or closed by army decision. Always looking for a profitable angle, the army instituted a two-dollar fee per person per time for opening the gate. If these Palestinians wish to dally with their olive trees, let them pay for the pleasure.

In some places the Wall was huge concrete construction, stealing away the landscape, the view, locking the villagers in an extended prison court. But the mesh wall was even worse by affording a tantalising sight of the land they once called theirs. The Wall runs for hundreds and hundreds of miles, surrounding villages, separating them from their land, and devouring the beautiful nature of Palestine.

This Wall was not a new invention. I have seen it before. Not far from the sacred Mount Carmel there was an Armenian village. It was settled by Armenian refugees fleeing the Kurds' fury in 1915. The always hospitable Palestinians helped them build their houses and leased them the land, for these Armenians were peasants from the

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shores of the Lake Van. In 1948 their village became part of the Jewish state. The Jews did not kill them, did not expel them, they just surrounded the village with a Wall, and strangulated it. The living village lost its lands and was turned into a prison with one always guarded by the Jewish army gate. The Armenians lasted ten years. In 1950s the last Armenian sold his house for a song to the Jews and fled.

The Wall had a precursor: the system of 'for-Jews-only' highways. While even Haifa or Afula has no bypass road, every Arab village has a bypass: a broad highway encircling and limiting its development. Hundreds of

Palestinian houses were demolished, thousands of acres devastated while building the bypass grid by recipe borrowed from the Hitchhiker's Guide to Galaxy. It was done for no visible reason, as tiny Jewish settlements did not need this multi-billion investment for 'security purpose'. Moreover, newly-built roads were usually blocked by the army. Now, with the Wall rising higher and higher, the bypass network begins to make sense: it was Stage One of devastation and imprisonment.

The Wall will leave the olive groves in the hands of settlers, wrote ever-so-rational Uri Avneri. But the settlers do not need olives and do not intend to till the land. They prefer to torch the trees. The settlers are not the cause, but a rationalisation of the cause: desire to depopulate Palestine and kill its nature.

Could it be different? The presently implemented programme of victorious Zionism was portrayed in a 1930s essay, *The Iron Wall* by Vladimir Zhabotinsky. But the roots are deeper, for the Wall is the utmost manifestation of the Jewish spirit and it fits the Jewish state. There are dozens of words for 'wall' in Jewish tongues, probably as many as Eskimo have for 'snow'. Jews' sacred symbol is the Wailing Wall; their favourite street is Wall Street. The Egyptians, Babylonians, Christians and Muslims

build vertical pyramids, towers, cathedrals to connect Heaven and Earth; but the self-deifying Jews need no Heaven or Earth, and the first thing they build from London to Minnesota - is *eruv*, a symbolic Wall to separate them from non-Jews. The only extant inscription from the Jewish Temple (destroyed forty years after Christ was tried in its Walls) is not the Decalogue, or Ten Commandments, or moral teachings, but a piece of a Wall with warning: "Goy, if you cross this Wall, you will have to blame yourself for your painful death".



The most important part of Jewish teaching is the maxim,

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'build a Wall around the Torah'. It enhances every prohibition of the Law by a dozen of additional prohibitions. A Jew is forbidden to gather fruits on Sabbath, but 'the Wall' forbids also climbing a tree, lest one be tempted to gather its fruits. Well, what about fruitless birch or fir? It is banned for the same reason: this Saturday you will climb a birch, next Sabbath you will climb an apple tree, and in a month's time, you will pick an apple and commit a real transgression.

Sharon's Wall is a Wall around the Torah, for if you let a goy wander freely he will sooner or later be able to kill a Jew. Sharon's Wall is a Temple Wall, for a goy who crosses it will have to blame himself for the bullet of a sharpshooter. Sharon's Wall is a Wailing Wall for Palestinians, and it is the Wall Street for the Jewish building contractors. The commanding voice is that of Jacob, but the hands are the hands of Esau: the Wall is built by the sweat of impoverished Palestinian workers, guarded by Russians, paid for by Americans to jail their brothers.

The contractors are into a Bonanza, a remake of their previous endeavour, the fifty-feet-high Bar Lev Wall, constructed on the shores of Suez Canal in 1970s and demolished by the Soviet-made water cannons of the Egyptian Third Army of Marshal Sadat on October 6, 1973. The only part of the Wall that survived the 1973 war was the villas of the contractors.

This Wall is the real Roadmap of the Zionists, for when the Wall is completed, Palestine will be ruined and its happy dwellers turned into refugees. But the fate of Jews will not be enviable, either, for the Wall is everywhere. Every shop, every restaurant, every pub in once jolly Tel Aviv has its living Wall: a Russian or Ukrainian boy imported to guard it. For four dollar per hour they stop the bombers with their bodies and are buried beyond the cemetery Wall. We, Israelis, are frisked ten times a day, as we go to the shop, the office, to work or to have fun. There is no building you can enter without a search. Thus the Holy Land has become a high security prison for all its dwellers, Jews and non-Jews alike.

It could be predicted. The Jews weren't locked by evil strangers within the ghetto walls, wrote Vladimir Zhabotinsky, they chose it as foreigners in China chose to live in their separate settlements. Fifty years later, Israel Shahak made another valid observation: the walls of ghetto were breached from outside, by the state, while the Jews weren't keen to leave. The visible walls were breached, but the inner walls remained. The Jewish state is enactment of the paranoid Jewish fear and loathing of stranger, while the Cabal policies of Pentagon are another manifestation of the same fear and loathing on global scale.

Not only individuals, whole societies and cultures can be insane. This important discovery was made by an American social scientist Ruth Benedict, a close and admired friend of Margaret Mead and Franz Boas. Her Patterns of Culture (1934)

remains one of the most widely read books in the social sciences ever written. In this work, Ruth Benedict described different Native American cultures and characterized the Pueblo Indians as "placid and harmonious". She wrote of "the self-aggrandizing, megalomaniac character of the Kwakiutl", and proved that the Dobu Islanders were "paranoiac and mean spirited".

This last definition fits the Jews as culture to a boot. What was this Cabal-instigated obsessive search for WMD in Iraq if not a fit of paranoia, fear of a cheated goy with an axe? The State of Israel, the country of perennial body search, is the ultimate of paranoid societies, according to Ruth Benedict. The US is succumbing to the same disease under her present ruling clique of Leo Strauss' followers: it builds walls and disarms far away lands, as well as their own citizens, for the Jewish paranoia is extremely contagious.

It is useless to fight the Wall, as it was useless to fight the illegal settlements, as long you ignore the cause. 'The Wall is in the heart', *ubeliba homa*, sung the Jews as they conquered Jerusalem in 1967. The Wall is at the heart of the problem, and this is the Jewish state in Palestine. Young and not-so-young peace activists at the hilltops along the Wall still wave the slogan "Two States" at the bulldozers, though the bulldozers implement the dream of Two States, my nightmare: a Jewish state and a chain of reservations for the Goyim, the "Palestinian State". Whoever says, 'an Independent Palestinian State aside the Jewish state', turns a blind eye to the Wall. The Wall is an operation of separating the Siamese twins, and only the strongest one will survive it. Discussions of the Wall run into sand in Israel: vast majority of Israelis, from Labour to Likud, support it, while 'peace-loving' Israelis are the strongest supporters of the Devouring Maw.

The Wall mocks the innocent souls inflamed by the Roadmap, another doomed plan to separate the Twins. Sharon is not worried for it provides enough delays to complete the Wall, it puts the onus of peacekeeping on the Palestinian side, it gives him full freedom of action in exchange for some empty promises.

The peace activists hope to alter the course of the Wall a bit here and there. But it won't help, for the Wall will always separate people and their land. Wherever you put it, it will separate the refugees in Deheishe refugee camp from their houses ten miles away in Deir a-Sheik. It will separate the Christians of Taybeh from the Holy Sepulchre and the Muslims of Yassouf from al-Aqsa. It will separate the Jews from the holy sites. It will separate the Highlands peasants from their working places in Tel Aviv and Haifa.

Sharon's Wall, this unmitigated disaster, provides a rare opportunity to observe the true nature of the Jewish State, and to call for its dismantling. Not the Wall, silly! The Jewish State.

# THE WORLD AND GERMANY the way to an equal and respectful dialogue - George Reiff



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**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** Jews have taken more than a pound of flesh by shouting hoarse in the name of Holocaust of Jews. In this factoid, George Reiff gives an account of how Germany is being exploited even today. In 1944-45 Gen. Eisenhower was responsible for the killing of over a million German soldiers who were starved to death on a short stretch of the Rhine. The Red Cross has published its records. Google search the word *Rheinwiesenlager*. In publishing this and other articles in this book, I have applied the following yardstick: Question everything. Accept only if you find it to be true. Let truth be your authority

In a modern interconnected world, safety and peace depend more and more on social justice and understanding between the people. Enemies of yesterday are friends of today. Long standing atomic war threats dissolved overnight. Capitalism has forgiven Communism, former colonies have forgiven former colonialists. Black has forgiven White. A better window for open friendship between the nations has never been so possible like right now.

However, in all this positive development, one country has been morally left out from being a Republic even though it goes by the name of the Federal "Republic" of Germany.

Some facts: Germany still does not have a peace treaty with the former allies of World War II. Instead there exists a kind of memorandum of understanding, called 2+4 agreement since 1990, which serves as a fig leaf. It is, of course, no peace treaty according to international public law.

Discriminatory articles 57 and 103 of the UN Charter are still fully in force against Germany and Japan. Here we have a memorandum of understanding as well which

states that the articles should not be "considered" anymore. Only a complete abolition of both articles would put UNO "Paymasters No 2 and No 3" (Japan and Germany) in an equal position with the other 189 countries.

Within the FRG prerogative legislation emanating from SHAEF (Supreme Headquarter of the Allied Expeditionary Forces) has been incorporated into German law. So called Military Laws. Best example (among many others) for this: Military Law No. 67 under which the fiscal policies of the FRG are still governed and that 64 years after WW II!

In order to understand the FRG one must first understand the legal nature of the *Deutsches Reich* (best translation would be: German Realm). When we speak about the Deutsches Reich here, one must understand that we speak about the Weimar Republic and not about the 3rd Reich specifically which is underlined with strong negative current in the FRG due to the occurrences under National Socialist rule, despite the state with the name Deutsches Reich has been founded in 1871.

Most people would certainly believe that the Deutsches Reich perished after WW II. This is, however, not true as it had been artificially kept alive legally by the allies of WW II who just had the Regular German Army (Wehrmacht) unconditionally surrender on 8<sup>th</sup> of May 1945. It is noteworthy that the English, officially kept alive the Government of the German Realm (Deutsches Reich) in the city of Flensburg, Northern Germany till 23<sup>rd</sup> of May 1949. Afterwards, they imprisoned this government and on 23<sup>rd</sup> of May 1949 the Western Separate Vassal Protectorate "Federal Republic of Germany" was created by the allies by decreeing that the Germans had to convene in a "parliamentary council" under SHAEF Control and to "deliberate" a constitution which had to be endorsed by the SHAEF. The founding fathers of the Federal Republic of Germany were, however, no traitors but pragmatic people and superficially bowed to the wishes of the allies while not presenting a constitution but a provisional "basic law" which was supposed to be supplanted by a real constitution after Germany could decide her own fate in freedom again according to Article 146 Basic Law of the FRG. Because of the long legal existence of the FRG not many people would believe that the Deutsches Reich/German Realm legally still exists. The Federal Constitutional Court of the Federal "Republic" of Germany has, however, another view, which it expressed in its rulings 2BvL6/56, 2Bvf1/73 and 2BvR373/83. There the court states that the Deutsches Reich is still in existence in its borders from 31.12.1937.

Excerpt from sentence 2Bvf1/73: " ... it is held on to it (see BVerfG, 1956-08-17, 1 BvB 2/51, BVerfGE 5, 85 <126>) that the Deutsches Reich endured the break down in 1945 and neither perished with the capitulation nor with execution of foreign state rule through the Allies in Germany; it is still endowed with a judicial body but not able to act as a state due to the lack of organization. The FRG is not legal successor of the Deutsches Reich, but as a state identically with the state "Deutsches Reich", however, in relation to its spatial expansion only partly identical..."

Excerpt from sentence 2Bvf1/73: "...She (FRG) limits under public law her sovereign powers to the area of application of the Basic Law (see BVerfGE 3, 288 (319 f.); 6, 309 (338, 363)), feels, however, also responsible for the whole of Germany. With implementations of the FRG there was no founding of a new West German state but only a re-organization of a part of Germany."

The FRG does not have a Constitution (*Verfassung*) but a so-called Basic Law (*Grundgesetz*). The reason for this is that the founding fathers of the FRG had to organize a part of Germany anew under the occupation of the SHAEF. As they recognized the severity of a situation where foreign powers dictate the creation of German separate states, they did their utmost in order not to serve as a fig leaf. Therefore, they did not call the new law a constitution but a "basic law". With this they laid the foundation for later generations of Germans to constitute a National Assembly according to Article 146 Basic Law (stating that the Basic Law renders itself invalid after the Germans give themselves in Freedom a Constitution) in order to determine a constitution according to the Free Will of the German People. However, sycophantic later governments, from 1990 on, did not follow the will of the founding fathers but held on to the provisional basic law, created under foreign occupation and laced with legal inconsistencies against Germany!

Other facts regarding the suzerain status of the FRG in regard to her former occupiers can be seen in various other inconsistencies:

The German people are not permitted to hold a referendum about becoming a province within the European Union and that by their own mainstream parties which are all controlled by supranational American based organizations like e.g. Bilderberg, Council for Foreign Relations (in Germany Atlantik Brücke e.V.).

It is still not permitted in Germany to introduce new scientific findings in the fields of history and archeology when connected to WW II and if those findings would reduce the number of victims of the Nazi regime. Scientists who do not comply will be punished up to 5 years in prison according to Criminal Code, law §130.

The German people are forced to endure continuous moral economic and military black mailing; how else could one explain that German soldiers are now for years under US command in Afghanistan in order to guard US interests there, despite the broad majority of citizens does not wish their soldiers there.

A German cannot be citizen of the FRG! In documents proving citizenship, FRG officials write "German" as citizenship, not citizen of FRG. This is all due to the

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aforementioned artificial legal existence of the German Realm, though without organization. Through this legal construction, Germany is held in eternal unspeakable legal limbo. Such legal status may have applied the last time in history to Carthage after the 3<sup>rd</sup> Punic War.

Movie productions which explicitly picture Germans as monsters, are financed by the Federal Government of Germany: most recently Quentin Tarantino's "Inglorious Bastards" which has been supported financially by the State Secretary for Culture with 6.8 million Euros, whereas the province of Brandenburg threw in another 900.000 Euros.

Basic message of the movie is that everybody who wore a "Nazi uniform", meaning also uniforms of youth and women's organizations and of the regular army, should either be killed and scalped or at least maimed by knifing a swastika into the fore head.

It is beyond belief how a peace and people loving government could possibly support such crude brutality with a total of 7.7 million Euros, equivalent to13 million US Dollars?

#### **Conclusions:**

For the sake of legal equality not only of the peoples, religions and genders but also of the nations, it is necessary to give Germany back full sovereignty over her affairs. A beginning would be a real peace treaty, which actually deserves the name. Another token of respect and friendship of the international community would certainly be to remove Articles 53 and 107 from the UN Charter.

The solution in Germany itself must come from the German people. Therefore, **no votes** for the established parties anymore (CDU/CSU/SPD/GRUENE) who deliberately deprive their own people of their right to be equal among the nations and to have not only a nationality (German) but also a citizenship (Federal Republic of Germany) of their country.

There are enough democratic new parties existing who pledge to give Germany a National Assembly and a real Constitution. Deutsche Demokratische Partei, Freie Union, Republikaner, Büger in Wut, for example.

A new German government must proceed at once with bilateral peace treaties with all major players involved in WW II.

With this all hidden and open reparations must end as FRG is 35% smaller than the German Realm (Deutsches Reich) as payment for the lost war a more than steep price already! Finally, the German Realm (Deutsches Reich) must be laid legally to rest and the reformed FRG must gather a National Assembly according to Article 146

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of the Basic Law of Germany and give herself a decent, free constitution according to the will of the German people. This will end 64 years long charade and give Germany and the world a new perspective in mutual respect and friendship.

Finally, it is certainly advisable for all government bodies not to financially support any movies that incite to hatred, inferiority complexes or which are directed against good faith. Truth: artists deserve freedom to express themselves. Also true: government support should be reserved for the betterment of the human condition only.

Safety and peace are only obtained in a world where people can hold their nationality and their nation in loving regard. Only what the nations experience in themselves they can render to other nations.

Forgiveness and redemption are the way to a modern world with peace loving citizens blossoming. Such a world is a place for everybody, no matter which former sins have been committed. Future oriented modesty and openness is the key. It is time we introduced *Glasnost* or *Perestroika* in international politics and in the functioning of the United Nations Organization!



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#### THE 'VASUDHAIVA KUTUMBAKAM' INITIATIVE - Vijay Pratap

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*Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam* (The Earth is a Family), a Coalition for Comprehensive Democracy, is about furthering, strengthening and deepening 'democracy' simultaneously in economic, social, political, cultural, gender and ecological dimensions of life, from local to global levels.

Modern day dominant science, social and economic processes, and polity tend to fragment life, issues and people's ways of looking at them. Democracy has come to mean merely 'representative' political structures. Despite this dominant thrust of institutionalisation over the past 500 years, which has culminated in the present processes of monopolistic, hegemonic, and humanly disempowering globalisation, there is another perspective of democracy which is still widely espoused intellectually and intuitively. It is an idea about relationships being based on equality, mutuality and respect in individual interaction between family members, between communities, between human beings and the rest of nature, in the market, between genders, and the nation state, and between people across the nations. The challenge for all of us is to build politics around this perspective to channelize all institutions towards ever expanding and deepening democratisation.

People in South Asia have long cherished values which, in modern times, are best expressed under the rubric of 'universalism' and various dimensions of 'democracy'. Before the colonial interventions of the West, even when there were rulers of foreign origin, the participatory mode of governance from the grassroots to the top, devolution of political power at all levels, and cultural plurality were hallmarks of our social-political system. *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam* has been part of our cultural sensibility since time immemorial. That is why our socio-cultural diversity is a source of strength and, in fact, the primary defining force behind our unbroken identity.

All epochal transformative moments in history are pregnant with two opposing possibilities - a new dawn or an era of darkness. What are the forces of darkness at this juncture?

Globally, an elusive 'Consumer Paradise' is being promised through the mass media and the market. There is a mad rush for this kind of globalism. Socio-political forces, whose world-views and dreams are anchored in a doctored view of history (such as Huntington's view on 'Clash of Civilisations'), are becoming victims of the prevailing social pathology of a 'mad-race syndrome'. Social identities are getting hardened and becoming more and more competitive. These forces believe that they are engaged in a survival struggle, in which moderation finds little place as a democratic trait.

Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam's dimensions can be articulated as,

Empowerment of the *daridranarayan*, the 'last person' (Economic Democracy). Ecological regeneration and people's control over natural resources (Ecological Democracy). Ensuring human dignity (Social Democracy). Strengthening plural co-existence (Cultural Democracy). Deepening of democratic structures and institutions (Political Democracy). Evolving gender relations based on mutuality, equality and respect (Gender Democracy)

The task of building true democracy today is inextricably linked to the global struggle to reform or replace capitalism without a readymade version of any ism. It is a project based on the perennial values of non-violence compassion, justice, equality and freedom and truth.

Many radical movements think that their responsibility is only towards a fundamental transfer of power in favour of the oppressed and marginalized. They feel no responsibility towards the larger whole while pursuing the cherished ideals. Moral renewal of individuals and institutions in society, with a sense of the larger whole, is the responsibility of all.

In a phase of phenomenal upsurge of democratic aspirations, new norms have to be agreed upon through a process of participatory dialogue even with the adversary, at various levels of human collectivities. One has to recognize the complementarity of each other's 'truth' and consciously avoid being judgmental regarding the other's viewpoint. The critical evaluation of other viewpoints has to be in an idiom which encourages moderation and introspective engagement on all sides. Such processes are unfolding and can consciously and actively be pursued today.

We espouse a three-fold method for democratisation. One is 'dialogue', basically to recognise the contours and the calling of our times. Dialogue at all levels, including with the adversary, is possible only if we believe in the willingness of the human spirit for struggle and self-sacrifice against injustice instead of believing in the conspiracy theory. The dialogue must consciously be across hierarchical structures at each level, incorporating the idiom and aspirations of the most marginalised. Constructive action to strengthen and promote modes of production and ways of life consonant with the various dimensions of democracy is the second aspect, which must be based on a participatory process at each level and across levels. Simultaneously, we have to fight the injustice. For this, multiple forms of non-violent political action are the only answer. One is conscientious civil disobedience, to use Gandhi's word, 'Satyagraha'.

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# NON KILLING SOCIETY Dr. Leo Rebello Patriot of Humanity

Human beings indulge in over 300 types of violent actions, which support the hypothesis that they are the most destructive creatures on Earth. But from where have these negative traits come? And can we reclaim humane values by discarding values alien to original human spirit? This essay challenges you to think, be creative and act positive, all the time.

Earth dwellers by nature are peace-loving people. They are spiritually evolved ones since they were put in Heaven called Green Planet Earth. Let us therefore reject the *modus operandi* and *modus vivendi* of the Elites and re-learn to live without plunder, greed, murder and mayhem. We need to remember our innate nature of love and peace and re-jig into a culture of non-violence.

In Nonkilling Global Political Science, Glenn Paige (2005) raises the question of whether or not a nonkilling society is possible and what it would take to build such a society. He explains that a nonkilling society is a human community, smallest to largest, local to global, characterized by no killing of humans and no threats to kill; no weapons designed to kill humans and no justifications for using them; and no conditions of society depend upon threat or use of killing force for maintenance or change.

Nonkilling, to a large extent, depends upon childhood experiences, religious indoctrination, cultural context, education and political milieu. It would also depend upon the collective effort of members of the society, their expertise and special skills to contribute to the nonkilling paradigm. Language or communication plays a very big role. If we continuously use negative ideas, negative words, negative indoctrination, negative imagery based on negative history, we keep moving in a negative or vicious circle. On the other hand if we develop a positive attitude of love, compassion, brotherhood, understanding, caring and sharing, we move in the positive or virtuous circle. Therefore always be conscious of what words you use, what thoughts you nurture, what plans you make, what messages you convey and what actions you take.

For example, look at the 'Nonproliferation' Treaty signed in 1968 by the U.S., the then USSR, the UK and over 80 non-nuclear weapon states. It was a great step forward in human history. But because of the machinations it has remained on paper only.

Let us map the lexicon of violence that allows seeds of dissension and violence to grow. Here are some 'negative words' or 'violent expressions' to show how they influence our pattern of thinking and consequently, the behaviour, leading to degeneration.

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Making a killing on the stock market or plunder, Economic war. Capital that is Cap It All means grab everything. Capitalism, therefore, is grabbing everything. It emerges from ignorance, selfishness, and insecurity of those who believe in it and poverty, subjugation and degeneration of others.

Stab in the back kill from behind. Cowards do that. Like US always invades, kills, plunders, and then builds all that is destroyed making profit all the way.

Instead, if they were to aim at enhancing communicatively constructive vocabulary, humanizing uses of languages and linguistic activism, for example, Peace Process, Peace Language, Peace Psychology, Peace Education, Peace Studies, Peaceful Coexistence, and Peaceful Development, America can still become the world leader from a world bully. Instead Jews who control everything in America keep talking of the Holocaust all the time, and exploit in the name of the dead, which becomes a blood business. Because of these spiritually inferior few, the good Americans suffer and the world suffers.

In a nonkilling society, language must play a pivotal role as a tool for peace as it needs to be widely engaged; psyops (psychological operations) should be stopped and decadent arms of states, like KGB, CIA, Mossad and their covert operations through CDC, WHO, Codex, etc. should be banned forthwith. The employees working in those banned organizations should be sent for brain purification, to allow society to function by natural instincts of love, peace, brotherhood, caring and sharing to build a non-killing society.

Wurm 2001, Gordon 2005, Austin and Simpson 2007, record that about 50% of the almost 7,000 languages of the world are endangered. Krauss 1992 puts that number at 90%. Reasons could be: colonization, the rise of the nation state, Roman script (easy to learn), technological advancement like Radio, TV, Internet and globalization wherein one link language becomes necessary. Necessity leads the way.

We, in India, have kept the languages going by dividing a once united India on linguistic basis and then adopting a three language formula local language like Marathi, Gujarati, Malayalam, in states, with one National language Hindi and one International language, English. In India, English will become the *lingua franca* in another twenty to thirty years, because it is already the language of the courts, of parliament, of business, of the electronic media, and the influence of this language is so much that even our housemaid's children in a remote village in Karnataka know English and how to use the mobile and messaging. English language became popular in India because of the British rule over us of more than 250 years. We threw out the invaders using their own language and tools and gave to ourselves total independence from dominion status. So, by clever mix of English language and oriental wisdom of non-violence and non-cooperation we created semblance of a non-killing society in India in 1947. Nelson

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Mandela created a nonkilling society by forgiving the past masters.

**Prof. Gomes de Matos** (2001) has created a very thorough list of principles for diplomatic communication to be carried out 'constructively' to create a non-killing society. Some highlights include:

Avoidance of dehumanizing language. Investment in handling differences constructively. Emphasis on language with a potential for peace rather than language employed with a strategic agenda. Focus on agreement rather than on polemics. Avoidance of pompous language used to separate and hide.

Peace educators, peace psychologists, peace linguists and all those concerned with non-killing education are urged to exercise their right to be communicatively creative for peaceful purposes and, in such spirit, to add, adapt, expand, refine, and probe the practices found most relevant to peaceful co-existence.

 $\label{eq:constraint} Examples: Wicked words wound the world/ Nonkilling words nourish nonviolence and heal the soul of the world.$ 

Practice

AAA = Activate life-Affirming assertions MMM=Monitor manipulative messages (in the media) TTT = Transform tension into tranquility VVV =Value a vital vocabulary

**Create** Languages of Caring, Encouragement, Peace, Safety, Loving and Sharing; rather than of Insult, Murder and Mayhem. For example, Queen's English is based on matriarchy, and consequently has the softness of all that a woman, a mother has. Whereas, American (or yankee) English is based on patriarchy and as such it has some hardness, authority, control.

Coining of positive words by adding prefix **Non** or suffix like **Ation** let us see what paradigmatic shift we create through creative humanizing activity of building a repertoire of positive words like:

Non aggression, nonanimosity, nonantagonism, nonbelligerance, nonbrutality, nonbombing, nonconspiracy, nonconcealment...

Nonkilling is a moral obligation, spiritual elevation, humanizing conscientization, global salvation, life-affirming education, planetary cooperation, vital

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preservation, etc.

When will educational systems all over the world include the systematic learning of nonkilling language in their language programs? How can Peace educators, psychologists, linguists and other peace-building humanizers get together and help design Nonkilling Language Programs for use in schools at all levels?

Gomes de Matos (2002) explains aspects of his 'humanizing pedagogy' which integrates Dell Hymes' concept of communicative competence (1966) expanded to include communicative peace using the classroom as a prime environment for education about peace (Peace Education), education about linguistic forms which enhance peaceful communication (Peace Linguistics) and education about all things sociolinguistic which impact the ways in which we communicate (Peace sociolinguistics).

English was once a language of imperialism. Today it should grow into a language of humanism, of unification, of peaceful co-existence rather than a reminder of looting with the gun wherever Englishmen colonized the Earth. Let the English(man) rule differently now, rather than enslave.

Humanizers are persons imbued with the ideals of human rights, justice, and peace and who apply such values in everyday interaction. In such spirit, language users, depending on their humanizing or dehumanizing uses of languages, can be described as Humanizers or Dehumanizers, and of course we need many of the former.

Glenn Paige's transformative wisdom of a Nonkilling Society has come to stay.

# Use the space below to write as many words in 10 minutes using 'non'. Then write in another 10 minutes words with suffix 'ation' like in reincarnation.

Start with Animosity, add prefix non, it becomes nonanimosity. Go upto Z, nonzealotry. Put on your creative cap and see how many positive words you can create in 10 minutes. Also play with words, like: (H)armonize, (M)asses. (P)harmaceutical, (Re)search and Impossible with a small comma, becoming, I'm possible. Yes, we need to make World Without Wars possible.



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# TOWARDS A WORLD PARLIAMENT - Rasmus Tenbergen



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It has often been claimed that the current world order should be democratized and that a World Parliament would be a necessary and desirable element of such a democratic world order (Held 1995, Patomäki/Teivainen 2004). This paper is an effort in that direction. It summarizes the current debate on a World Parliament and develops theses regarding the potential creation of the same.

#### The Global Democratic Deficit:

The analysis of past research on global democracy and a World Parliament shows an interesting ambiguity. The whole spectrum of global governance, global democracy, and global democratization is almost a fashion trend; but there seems to be a consensus that the democratic deficit is one of the main problems of international relations. On the other hand, concrete proposals how to solve this problem are almost non-existing.

Proposals to reform the United Nations must manage the dilemma, that they either do not go far enough to create significant change or go too far to be acceptable for current decision-makers. The analysis of the European Union as a case study must address the question of whether Europe can serve as a role model for other regions or even for the world as a whole. This applies, in particular, to the role of the European Parliament as a potential model for a World Parliament both in terms of the history and the structure of this institution.

#### The Debate on a World Parliament

The proposal to create a World Parliament has already generated important support in the political arena, for example Olivier Giscard d' Estaing's "Committee for a World Parliament" lists as members of the honorary boards names, such as, Boutros Boutros-Ghali, Nelson Mandela, Sonia Gandhi, Shimon Peres and Jacques Delors. The most important and most concrete contribution to the discussion is the debate between Joseph Nye and Richard Falk and Andrew Strauss in "Foreign Affairs" and in "World Link" on the desirability of a World Parliament. A "World Parliament" shall be defined as "a global assembly where representatives are selected on the basis of one person, one vote"

Falk and Strauss argue that the creation of a global parliament would be the natural and logical way to overcome the global democratic deficit. European Parliament serves as a role model: similar to the European Parliament, the World Parliament should start with only advisory powers and be founded by only twenty to thirty avantgarde states which are economically and geographically diverse. They hope that as time progresses it would gain more legitimacy and formal competencies (Falk/Strauss 2001).

#### **Concrete Proposals for a World Parliament**

There are not many concrete proposals for a World Parliament in the academic discussion. Such proposals can be found on the internet (Alliance 21 2003, Johansen 2003) or in publications which are of a more political than scientific nature (some references of this kind are in the footnotes of Monbiot 2003 and Patomäki/Teivainen 2004). Monbiot offers a simple model based on the principle of "one person, one vote" and approximately six hundred multinational electoral districts. He focuses, like many other authors, more on the general argument than on concrete details of the organization of elections to a World Parliament. The main difference of his model to Falk and Strauss is that his main actor is not the national state, but civil society, which can elect a World Parliament "without permission" of the national states (Monbiot 2003)

After a critical analysis of the advantages and disadvantages of a World Parliament Patomäki and Teivainen regard the organization of a global referendum "based on a statistically drawn representative sample of voters in different countries" as a meaningful first step towards a World Parliament (Patomäki/Teivainen 2004).

A short pamphlet by Andrew Strauss offers a comparative overview on different models of a World Parliament or a "Global Parliamentary Assembly" (Strauss 2005). After a summary of his arguments for a World Parliament from other texts he distinguishes between four models:

1. An amendment of the UN Charter according to articles 108 and 109

2. The creation by the UN General Assembly as a Subsidiary Organ.

3. Civil society organized elections

4. An interstate treaty process.

Strauss calls the UN Charter reform model the 'classical' model (compare Sohn/Clark 1958) and the one with the best legitimacy from the perspective of world public

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opinion, but he expects strong resistance against this plan because it requires the consent of two thirds of the UN General Assembly plus all permanent members of the Security Council. The problem of veto powers disappears in the second model, Article 22 of the UN charter requires only a two thirds majority of the UN General Assembly. In addition to legal doubts whether a parliament could in principle be called a "subsidiary organ" of the UN General Assembly, Strauss believes that this model would create political compromises. One example is the recommendation of Bummel and others (Bummel 2005: 110) that "in the first development stage, the delegates of the Parliamentary Assembly at the United Nations are uniformly elected from the midst of the parliaments of the participating countries" (Bummel 2005).

#### **Elections organized by Civil Society:**

# A provisional electronic World Parliament on the Internet

If the thesis is accepted that the creation of a World Parliament would be a positive development, all four models described by Strauss seem to be desirable. There is, however, no consensus even among supporters of a World Parliament on the question, which of these models is the most feasible and should be followed to implement the idea. This paper claims that all four models would constitute a positive development on the international system, but that elections organized by civil society pose the best chance of an implementation. This applies even more, if in the beginning provisional electronic versions of a World Parliament are created on the internet.

Pilot projects of this kind do exist. Out of the many initiatives in this direction, only the most radical example should be mentioned: the "World Parliament Experiment" on http://www.world-parliament.org.

Based on the thesis that the creation of a World Parliament is the more likely the more world citizens support it, individuals are invited to support the establishment of a provisional World Parliament through their vote. They participate in a decision-making process with only one ground rule which cannot be changed: that all aspects of the project can be changed at any time through proposals of anybody, if there is enough support based on "one person, one vote". This is not a decision for direct and against representative democracy, this experiment tries to combine the advantages of both models by enabling the delegation of votes for smaller or larger parts of the project (the main parliament, special sub-institutions or even single issues). It is the task of elected representatives to present the results of the opinion-building process as claims to real life decision-makers. Both, the legitimacy and power of these campaigns will increase with growing numbers of participants. After a critical mass has been reached, it should be possible to transform this provisional electronic parliament with only moral and advisory powers to an institution that exercises a significant influence on actual political processes.

If elections organized by civil society include electronic parliaments, some objections against this model lose their importance, for example the financial and organizational difficulties mentioned by Strauss (2005) are reduced dramatically. Monbiot (2003) mentions the possibility of a cheap electronic assembly, but regards it as an insufficient replacement of face-to-face meetings. He does not even consider the possibility of a combination of both formats, which could begin with electronic meetings that lead to non-virtual gatherings in a later phase.

The strongest argument for elections organized by civil society and against the other three models seems to be that measurement of success is much easier in this plan. While it is difficult to see how far away the United Nations are from significant reform steps or how close avant-garde states are to signing a treaty on a World Parliament, a civil society campaign for a World Parliament gains legitimacy and chances of success with every single individual supporting it. This argument can also be used to work against wide-spread pessimism of global democracy activists. The collection of enough individual supporters is difficult enough, however, it is already a sufficient condition for the realization of the project and is therefore a concrete and realistic program of implementation.

#### Conclusion

The global democratic deficit is one of the main problems of international politics.
 The creation of a World Parliament would be an important step to solve this problem.

3. The four scenarios of Strauss (2005) to create a World Parliament (amendment of the UN Charter, a subsidiary organ of the UN General Assembly, elections organized by civil society, and an interstate treaty process) are all desirable.

4. Elections organized by civil society posses the best possibility of success.

5. This possibility of success can be additionally increased if the process starts with a provisional electronic parliament on the internet.

6. A provisional electronic World Parliament on the internet should give its electors the possibility to change any aspect (content, procedures, representatives) at any time, if there is enough support for a proposal based on "one person, one vote".

7. A provisional electronic World Parliament on the internet should give its electors the possibility to decide on how far they want to influence the decision-making process directly and in how far they want to delegate their vote to representatives.

8. A provisional electronic World Parliament on the internet should from the very beginning, even with little support, claim to be a model for a global institution, but it should be clear in every phase of the project that representation and legitimacy in a narrow sense can only be claimed for the participants of the project.

9. A provisional electronic World Parliament on the internet should form the very beginning, even with little support, try to influence real political processes.

10. The campaign for the creation of a World Parliament depends to a large degree on the number of individual supporters. It should therefore focus on this aspect.

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# ENDING MILITARISM - Terrence Paupp



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The early years of the 21<sup>st</sup> century have already been desecrated by the twin curses of unrestrained militarism and unregulated capitalism. Both within the US and around the world the wealth of nations and the needs of billions of people have been squandered by a small cadre of transnational capitalist elites dedicated to the perpetuation of their own hegemony, primacy, and lust for domination. These elites are largely centered in the military-industrial complex, Wall Street, and an economic model based on fraud, unsustainable consumption, and unrestrained greed. This deadly combination created two wars. The first was a so-called "war on terrorism" that shredded the US Constitution at home and international law abroad. The war is also an economic war---which is to say that it is a class war against the poor and middle-classes of the globe. What both of these wars have in common is an ideological fixation upon and commitment to a form of hegemony based upon militarism and a strategy of war without end.

With regard to the first war, the Bush-II administration fostered legal and strategic illusions about the right of the United States to engage in preemptive war, ignore the Geneva Convention with respect to prohibitions against torture, and to contemplate further wars of aggression against those nation-states who refused to surrender their resources, wealth, and rights to the hegemonic dictates of the US primacy coalition. Despite the international law principles of sovereignty and self-determination, a series of state-sponsored lies led to the US invasion of Iraq in 2003 and a subsequent occupation that is now only scheduled to end sometime in 2011.

With regard to the second war, the Bush-II administration's ultimate allegiance was to reward its small cadre of capitalist friends and alliances who worship at the altar of monopoly capitalism, a neo-liberal creed of privatization which discards government as the protector of the people, and ultimately rewards an elite minority at the expense of the democratic aspirations of the world's majority. Instead of democratic accountability, transparency, and a regulatory framework dedicated to the common good, the practice and ideology of privatization has reigned supreme. Certainly the private contractors and corporations that invaded Iraq since 2003 have been primary beneficiaries. Halliburton enjoyed the benefits, which flowed from

no-bid contracts with the Pentagon while private security forces, such as Blackwater, murdered innocent Iraqi civilians under the ideological guise of an alleged war on terrorism.

These two wars are interconnected and complement one another. Trapped in an outdated Cold War mindset, the US continued to forge alliances with dictators who do not share its pronounced values of freedom and democracy. By the early twenty-first century the Bush-II administration was once again backing authoritarian regimes that oppress their people and plunder resources. All of this has been conducted in the name of global stability and the war on terror. Yet, the reality is that partnering with dictators can produce perverse disincentives for those regimes to govern for prosperity, resulting in corruption, economic failure, and instability.

By 2001 the Bush-II administration had made the transition to a unilateral military and economic policy in the global economy. It took a little over twenty years for that transition to be made. Under the pressure of events and newly emerging socioeconomic forces, it is now clear that the Reagan administration began to slowly recombine domestic state policy in order to confront the more internationalized global economy of the 1980s. This meant that an increase in the scope and nature of military spending would be the end product. It would be a *functional militarism* where the new policy would underscore and underwrite the functionality of military spending as a means of reasserting US hegemony.

In the 1980s the Chicago School of economic thought became the dominant paradigm for US economic thought and policy among those who lorded over the Washington establishment. The neo-liberal leader of this economic philosophy was Milton Friedman. He persistently called for the dismantling of the welfare state based upon the obsolete premise that *laissez faire* liberalism can foster expansion within the context of late capitalism. Hence, the leaders of the US primacy coalition were forced to develop a new consensus to respond to this challenge. They would now emphasize precision-guided weapons and simpler and less costly, and more versatile weapons---that is, *functional militarism*. This was the most recent incarnation of modern militarism---the idea of a perpetual armed peace and an occasional shooting war. In other words, it would become a war without end.

Despite the assumption of many international relations scholars, pundits, and state managers, the US has not and will not be able to sustain its hegemony through military means or through threatening future wars against nation-states such as Iran and North Korea. By 2008 it had become clear the three requirements for sustaining US hegemony were in the process of collapsing. America's hegemony would never be able to regain its once imperial splendor.

The three main elements of a functional US hegemony are: (1) consent, (2) a strong

and global military presence, and (3) a vibrant economy to sustain its hegemonic status. Since late 2008 the US economy has moved into rapid decline and is stuck in what appears to be a seemingly irreversible crisis. It can no longer afford to sustain its over 800 military bases around the globe in order to enforce its hegemony through force and military means of coercion.

#### ALTERNATIVE MODELS TO US HEGEMONY & MILITARISM

There are other alternatives to the US hegemonic project and its ideological assumptions. In this regard, one political science scholar, Yong Wook Lee, has written of "the Japanese challenge". By this term he means to convey the notion that an entire set of Japanese foreign economic policies at the bilateral, regional, and global levels have been in place since the 1980s in order to promote a state-led alternative model of economic development. This is diametrically opposite of US efforts at maintaining a neo-liberal economic model of privatizing the world economy through economic coercion and military force. In Lee's assessment: "The Japanese challenge is aimed at undermining US-led neo-liberal attempts to delegitimate the role of the state in economic development through promulgation of the universal validity of the magic of the marketplace."

Japanese development economists have effectively dismissed the neo-liberal evocation of the "magic of the market" because it is a "hijacking" of the very history of the world economy. The history of the world economy actually shows the centrality and relevance of the role of the state in economic development. To argue otherwise is seen as dysfunctional and ahistorical. It is for this reason that Lee concludes: "What is truly normal or universal is the proven validity of state-led development across time and space." According to Lee, this means that "Japanese development economists believe that the 'appropriate' development strategy differs fundamentally from one country to another and from one stage of development to another." Thus, Japanese development economists reject generalization at the level of individual policy measures. What this means is that literally thousands of other policies "cannot be ascertained in the abstract. They are good or bad depending on the particular situation of the country in question." With this in mind, Lee concludes that: "Careful diagnosis is needed before treatment. The same medicine can cure or kill, depending on the condition of the patient."

Failing to see or to acknowledge this basic historical reality we find that American triumphalism, its ideology of exceptionalism, and its proclivity to "make the world safe for democracy" has effectively alienated its stated national purpose and foreign policy from the rest of the world. In the meantime, because of this wrong pursuit, the Pentagon budget has exploded into the range of \$1-trillion dollars a year. As of 2008, it has been calculated that the associated total costs of the Iraq War alone would come to over \$3-trillion dollars.

Since World War II, Japan has become not only a model producer of high-tech consumer goods, but also---despite minimal spending on defensea leader in innovative technology with both military and civilian uses. In the US, nearly one in every three scientists and engineers was engaged in defense-related research and development at the end of the Cold War. Yet, for all of this expenditure of treasure and wealth in the name of security and stability, the relative strength of the US economy has continued to decline. So, we must ask: What is the relationship between what has happened in the two countries? And where did Japan's technological excellence come from? Scholars such as Richard Samuels have concluded that the key to Japan's success is in an ideology of technological development that advances national interests.

Only under President Barack Obama has the US undertaken such a course with a stimulus package that has specifically targeted investments in green technology, rebuilding roads and bridges, investing in mass public transit, as well as investments in alternative fuels and electric cars to remove the US from its dependency on foreign oil. The point of this entire discussion is to show that after 1945 Japan consciously subordinated defense production and, in so doing, emerged as one of the most technologically sophisticated countries on earth. In examining the tradeoffs between butter and guns, it is historically true and apparent that nations cannot hope to be strong without an ideology of technological development that nourishes the entire national economy. Militarism will not do that. Rather, endless investment in the preparation and planning for war will more than likely deplete the entire society, leave the world less secure, and the danger of needless wars more likely.

In place of the paradigms of the past it is now essential that the ebbing tides of Anglo-American hegemony teach the architects of war that war can no longer buy security at home or domination abroad. Rather, consensus and cooperation must become the guiding strategies of this emerging Post-Hegemonic Era or, in the alternative there will be a catastrophic collapse of human civilization itself under the simultaneous curse of war, global warming, an endless dependence on fossil fuels, the struggle for water and the ravages of drought. In this regard, it is at least encouraging that regions and nations on every continent have begun to forge cooperative ties and build new avenues for constructing forms of a new structure of economic engagement that are the first steps toward the realization of a Post-Hegemonic future.

#### CHINA REJECTS HEGEMONISM & EMBRACES A "PEACEFUL RISE"

The maturation of South-South relationships and commerce between Africa, China, and India is just another example of emerging global trends toward the counterbalancing of efforts of various states to the intrusions of US hegemony. The evolving history of this counterbalancing evidence can be seen in many interactions over the recent years between Africa and China. For example, in November 2006, China invited forty-two African heads of state to Beijing for an Afro-Chinese

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summit. At that event, China signed trade deals worth \$1.9-billion with ten African nations. At the summit, Chinese premier Wen Jiabao told the African leaders that the Asian economic giant had ambitions to more than double its bilateral trade with Africa, to \$100-billion dollars by 2010. The direction of these geopolitical trends indicates that the decline of America's global economic influence, power, and hegemony has already begun.

By framing its concept of anti-hegemony in terms of its own foreign policy outreach to the rest of the global South, it can be asserted that the developing world has remained important in Beijing's thinking and has been seen as a possible "third force" independent of any major powers. It is important to understand the nuances of China's foreign policy with regard to hegemonism and its self-perception as a "third force", both as a concept and also as a foreign policy position. In this critical regard, Chinese opposition to US policies in Taiwan and South Korea has been part of its worldwide opposition to American imperialism. In conjunction with its opposition to the goals of the American primacy coalition, China's trade with the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) should be understood as an example of South-South cooperation in the face of an unfair international trading regime.

#### A STRATEGY OF PEACE THROUGH A "COMMONALITY OF INTERESTS"

In my new book, **The Future of Global Relations: Crumbling Walls, Rising Regions** (which was released on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2009 at the Peace Conference in Huntsville, Alabama at which Dr. Leo Rebello spoke), I specifically address the need to engage in a rethinking of the concept of "human security" in a Post-Hegemonic Era. A new nontraditional security agenda is in the process of becoming the hallmark of change throughout Asia. New forms of cooperation are being developed that are seen as making possible a less conflict-prone future by transcending the traditional realist approach and instead embracing the basic principles outlined in the UN Charter and Treaty of Amity and Cooperation in Southeast Asia (TACSA). The treaty's goal is "to promote perpetual peace, everlasting amity and cooperation." In reaching these goals, the treaty stipulates that relations between members should be guided by six principles:

1. Mutual respect for the independence, sovereignty, equality, territorial integrity and national identity of all nations.

2. The right of every state to lead its national existence free from external interference, subversion, or coercion.

- 3. Noninterference in the internal affairs of one another.
- 4. Settlement of differences or disputes by peaceful means.
- 5. Renunciation of the threat or use of force.
- 6. Effective cooperation among themselves.

These six principles sum up much of what I believe can and should be a global

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strategy of peace among all nations and regions. This is especially vital in an age where the crumbling walls of US hegemony are giving way to a world of rising regions. On every continent, from Asia to Africa, from Europe to the Middle East, from Russia to India, from North America to Latin America, people and nations are becoming more open to a strategy of peace through discovering a "commonality of interests" and the value of mutual cooperation as not merely a political program but a strategy for human survival.

Japan is a leading force in this endeavor. Japan has not been averse to deploying its anti-paradigmatic leadership in such forums of international finance and development policy as the G-7, ASEAN, and Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC). Japan's policy toward APEC's Osaka meeting offers an important illustration of Japan's leadership in the politics of economic development in alliance with other Asian countries. The Osaka meeting brought into stark relief the reality that US hegemony is in decline when Yoshiro Sakamoto, vice-minister of international affairs at MITI, argued that "Japan should keep step with the rest of Asia by agreeing only to those US proposals that are acceptable to the whole of Asia."

In this regard, Sakamoto's words reverberate with the historic utterances of Mahatma Gandhi who asked his listeners: "Do we first want to copy the Western nations and then in the dim and distant future after having gone through the agony retrace our steps? Or do we want to strike out on an original path and thereby win and assert our freedom?" That is the question that remains before all of us today. And the answer to that question will determine whether we place the human future on the crumbling walls of US hegemony, or whether we will grasp those new expressions of freedom that are to be found in a multi-centric world of regional orders dedicated to mutual cooperation, the maintenance of global peace, and adherence to the rule of law.

Ironically, it was President John F. Kennedy who supplied the answer on June 10, 1963 in a speech at American University. Kennedy stated: "Genuine peace must be the product of many nations, the sum of many acts. It must be dynamic, not static, changing to meet the challenge of each new generation. For peace is a process---a way of solving problems." On this point, Kennedy could not have been more correct. His visionary answer serves to explain how the 21<sup>st</sup> century's search for peace will be worked out in a world of regions, with different agendas, but with a common aspiration---the aspiration of the ages of humankind to live free from domination, in a world where cooperation and peace combine to create the living reality of freedom.



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# SWORD OF PEACE - Dan Meyer

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War is brutal. War is violent. How can Swords equal Peace? How can Guns equal safety?

Swords are made of metal, steel, blade, hilt and sharp edge. They are instruments of brutality and violence, death and destruction, annihilation and retaliation.

Let's look at what a few world leaders have said about swords.

Jesus Christ, Prince of Peace, said: "*Blessed are the Peace Makers*." In the Garden of Gethsemane, when the soldiers attacked Jesus and his disciples, Peter took out his sword and cut the ear off a soldier. Jesus said to Peter, "Put away your sword. He who lives by the sword dies by the sword".

Over the years, I've learned that inanimate weapons such as swords don't cut you or hurt you on their own. As someone rightly said, "*It is not guns that kill people, it is people who kill people*". Let's take a look at that logic.

It is **not** the **sword** that kills, It's the **arm** that wields the blow. It's not the **arm** that kills, It's the **brain** that moves the arm. It's not the **brain** that kills, It's the **heart** that moves the brain. It's the **heart** clouded by evil thoughts that kills Sword is merely an inanimate object.

"Reckless words pierce like a sword" -Proverbs 12:18 "The tongue is more to be feared than the sword" -Japanese Proverb "The pen is mightier than the sword" -Robert Bulwer-Lytton So it's not really the Sword that kills, but it's the Word that moves the sword. It is not the Gun that kills, it is the person who loads the gun and pulls the trigger that kills.

Swords can slash And swords can stab And swords can pierce to the heart

Some wield words like weapons Some brandish their tongues Their words cutting deeper than steel Yes words can be used to wage wars that kill And words can be used to heal

Words can slash And words can stab And words can pierce the heart

Words bestow honor And words instill pride And words can be crafted as art Words stir up passion And words instill pain ...And words can tear lives apart But a sharp sword is better left unsheathed A sharp word left unspoken

Swords fight battles... And words wage war But someday wars will cease Instead of waging a sort of war We must work for peace

Words can be kept, They can be withdrawn They can be even be twisted or broken

But a sharp sword is better left unsheathed A sharp word left.....



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Napoleon Bonaparte was known for living by the sword. But I think Napoleon said it best when he said, "There are only two forces in the world, the Sword and the Spirit. In the long run, the Sword will always be conquered by the Spirit".

So it is not the Sword that wins out, but in the end, it will be the Spirit... In the long run, it is the invincible Human Spirit, the Spirit of the People that will triumph over the Sword. And we shall have a World without Wars.

Mahatma Gandhi was less than 5' tall, weighing only 100 lbs/40 kilos, but he got great things done. He used Words coupled with the power of the invincible Human Spirit using Actions. Gandhi learned that his greatest Weapons were non-violence and non-cooperation in adverse situation.

After India achieved independence from England in 1947, Gandhi went to London, and ironically, the Fighter without a Sword, was welcomed, praised and honored as a War Hero by the nation he had achieved independence from, even though there were no casualties in this war. This 'war hero' outlook has to change because killing people is not heroic..

In the 1950s, Dr. Martin Luther King, vigorously studied Gandhi's writings on using non-violent methods. In 1955, Martin Luther King said, "Christ gave us the goals and Mahatma Gandhi the tactics."

True Peace comes from People going beyond tolerance to engaging, accepting, cooperating, and embracing each other War is Weapons. Peace is People. War is about Separating People. Peace is about Bringing People Together.

Sword swallowing is a cultural tradition that has for thousands of years inspired people with the thought that it is possible to think beyond the limits of the obvious and do the impossible. "Impossible" as Dr. Leo Rebello said is "I'm possible".

Jesus did that, Gandhi did that, Martin Luther King did that, and my uncle Armin did that They all put their Words into Action and put their Lives on the Line..So, until nations never again lift up swords against nations and never learn war anymore, we will need peacemakers. Peace will dawn when different leaders from different countries, different faith, different colour

Pull Equally Altogether in a Cooperative Effort

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HUMAN RIGHTS An incisive analysis of: what has been achieved; what needs to be achieved. by

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#### "Man was born free, and yet everywhere he is in chains" this profound quote from Jean Jacques Rousseau sums up the issue of Human Rights so profoundly.

It was in 1948 that the UN Declaration on Human Rights was adopted in Paris and, ever since, 10th December is being celebrated as Human Rights Day. In all these years, inspite of UN handicap (the biggest criticism of UN is that it has become a doormat of US, and saddled with rampant corruption) some issues have been resolved. The milestones are :-

# 1) Awareness of the rights and conditions of indigenous and tribal populations.

However, inspite of tremendous technological progress, Indians of North America, Tribals of India, Chakmas of Bangla Desh, the Aborigines of Australia, Maoris of New Zealand, Hilly Tribes and Nomadic Tribes remain where they were. Worst affected are the Nomadic tribes (Gypsies) because they do not feature in the Census, many do not even have an identity and some are even labelled as criminals (like *Phase-Pardhis* in India). But on a closer look, this Gypsy-spirit has kept the inherent human nature intact. Being close to nature, they live simply, and consequently they are the most evolved people. Nomadic Tribes do not hoard, they do not talk of Lifeboat Ethics (like a selfish American who consumes equivalent of 50 persons from the third world countries), they have no aspirations to colonise the Moon or Mars, and they do not invade any territory -- infact we need to learn from them to prefer Freedom to Death.

2) Torture remains the major issue in normal times, in war-torn areas, in terrorist infested parts of the world. Inspite of several human rights resolutions, conventions, laws, courts that is the biggest blot on Humanism. It is a shame, that the Police and Army of even the so-called civilised countries do "research and experiments" on how to torture people without leaving tell-tale marks so that the perpetrators like the CIA, KGB, Mosad and their counter parts in other parts of the world can save their skin. Torture in Guantanamo prison has attracted the world attention to the sordid goings-on there. But the mad men care a damn about world opinion.

3) **Death Penalty** -- this grotesque practice has been banned in about 130 countries, but it is still being practiced in some 70 countries. India is one of them. In that

decadent country called the USA, electric chair has been replaced by lethal injection. Encounter Deaths is an illegal extention of that same sick psyche. The condition of death row prisoners is another issue. They are dumped in solitary confinement, food is denied to them, they are beaten up, medical aid is rare to come by, family members are not allowed to meet them.

**4) Conscientious objection to military service.** Compulsory military service (or conscription) is still being practiced in US, UK, Israel and other so-called democratic countries. The first principle of democracy is informed choice and the Right to Say No. When young people are drafted into a compulsory military service, the entire future generation is programmed into "controlled populace" to legitimise that which is inherantly wrong -- to keep the arms and armies going, which have created more problems.

**5)** Child Soldiers -- if compulsory military service is unnecessary, drafting children and women into killing fields is morally decadent. But religious bigots, the minorities who feel insecure, the terrorists, the secessionists and even some revolutionary armies draft child soldiers "to defend" their "just cause" (read insanity). This is worse than the Child labour, because you are denying the child to grow naturally, play, love, trust, feel secure and safe. The children growing with mistrust will naturally be deviant or criminal, unless they evolve later spiritually.

6) The Right to Housing is as important as the Right to Food, the Right to Clothing, because it is a component of Right to Life. But when slums are razed by bulldozers without providing alternative accommodation, when basic amenities are not provided to slums, when women have to wait for the darkness of the night to defecate because there are no toilets, when there is no drinking water, and majority of people live in that condition, then what progress or development paradigm are we talking of.

7) The Right to Religion and Belief - is a negative right. It is a double-edged weapon. Though we must eliminate all forms of intolerance and respect beliefs of others, willy-nilly, we agree to several practices which are not evolutionary. For example, Indian women working in Iran Air office in Bombay, have to wear burqa. In other words, writ of Iran's backward Mullas runs in progressive India, while our secular Govt. and women's organisations look the other way in the name of tolerance. Many religious dogmas and practices enslave people leading to clash of civilisation. Castes, which have now become so rigid, because we have "recognised" them, themselves, become an instrument of tyranny. Practices like menstruating women not allowed to enter temples is unreasonable, that widows cannot marry or they should shave their heads and wear white clothes, or people belonging to scheduled castes should not draw water from community well (decadent Hindu practices), or women should cover themselves from head to toe and she can be discarded by uttering three insane words talaq, talaq (Muslim practice) are a shame on 21st Century civilisation.

8) The Rights of Women and their condition is a very important right. Because, women constitute half the population. They nurture the future generation. If the woman is naked, insecure, tormented, hungry, in jail, or has to sell her body to make a living, then it automatically percolates on her progeny.

**9)** Systematic rape - is rampant in many homes, societies where women are considered as inferior and an object of pleasure and especially in war torn areas where sexually starved soldiers heap untold miseries on the weaker sex. Special Army Acts which give uncanalised powers to the hungry wolves (in protector's attire) make matters worse. Some of these old laws fly in the face of humanity and negate the very resolutions, protocols or international laws that the Govts are signatory to and evolved persons have fought to guarantee equality before law.

**10) Human Rights Defenders** are always under watch. They are not wanted by those in power, and have to undergo humiliation, threats, false police cases or outright abuse, assault or elimination. So, whistle blowers protection is another issue that has assumed importance.

**Hunger and Right to Food** should get priority because more than 2/3 of the world population goes hungry, mainly in Africa and India. But it is largely neglected. 20% of food stocked in Indian grannaries is wasted; another 15% is eaten or destroyed by rodents, while poor people starve. Ration shops that are meant to provide subsidized food and kerosene to cook the food are centres of extortion for politicians. Families in places such as Rajasthan, replete with Palace Hotels, where foreigners come to frolic and have camel and elephant rides, still have to practice rotating hunger and thousands of children every year die or are blinded by xeropthalmia due to insufficient nutrition. It is a shame that inspite of massive 'development' and modernization, we have not been able to eradicate hunger today. As long as 2% insane capitalists control 98% of the world's wealth, through organisations like World Bank (which is a private bank), WTO-GATT regime, and decisions are controlled at the world bodies like UN with veto power in the hands of conniving five, will human rights ever get priority?

Finally, RIGHT TO HEALTH is one issue that has not been answered at all. On

the contrary, the UN or UN bodies have become the stooges of mercenary mafias. WHO is now known as "WHOre" since it makes mercury-laced lethal vaccines compulsory on children of the world. That has given rise to Autism (4 million cases in India alone), Cancers, AIDS, Polio deformities due to Oral Polio Vaccines. WHO has made it mandatory that the AIDS affected people should take Anti-Retrovirals (ARVs), which are known carcinogens. Codex, a sub-committee of WHO, consisting of junior persons like pharmacists, dietitians, so-called consumer activists and allopathic doctors, have now influenced several nations to enact back-door laws prohibiting even natural products like Honey, Garlic extract, Vitamin C, which are

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proposed for inclusion as Drugs. Tomorrow the idiots may legislate, "to eat vegetables and fruits you require Doctor's prescription" and later they may say "even a mother cannot feed her baby her milk till the Doctor certifies that her milk is safe", like they do in that mad country called USA, where if you refuse Chemotherapy or Anti-Retroviral Drugs for Cancers and AIDS, you can be jailed.

In India, the Drug and Magic Remedies (Objectionable Advertisement) Act, 1954 prohibits even factual advertisements like "Lasona" (for unclogging blocked coronaries), "Diabetea" (for Diabetes), Medicines for Obesity, etc. or promotion of ageold traditional or natural remedies. Indian herbal formulations for AIDS Cure cannot be advertised; whereas, Glaxo, Pfizer, Novartis can freely advertise (even on television), and make it compulsory the consumption of carcinogenic ARVs for AIDS by creating scare. Likewise, by employing entire state machinery right from the President of India to Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of India, to superstar Amitabh Bachchan and cricketeer Sachin Tendulkar to vouch for Polio Vaccines, of which they know nothing, the pharma mafia has taken control of our lives. We are being assaulted, raped, threatened, fudged, jailed, controlled and destroyed due to wrong laws passed without much thought.

Scientific and technological advances has lead to moral decrepitude. Instead of evolving, Humanity is deteriorating. We may appear civilised outwardly, but inside we are still worse than animals. To evolve spiritually we need to revert to oriental wisdom of Vedas, Yoga, Vegetarianism, Gurukul system of Learning, Simple Living, etc. As Jesus Christ said, "Verily you are the salt of the Earth. If the salt has lost its flavour wherewith shall be salted". Arise, Awake and Act now, for tomorrow the Earth itself may turn into a big graveyard due to the insatiable greed of a few spiritually decadent persons.

# HENRY FORD, INDUSTRY GIANT:

"It is screen. At the head of this octopus are the Rockefeller Standard Oil interests and a small group of powerful banking houses generally referred to as international bankers. The little coterie of powerful international bankers virtually run the United States government for their own selfish purposes. They practically control both political parties". – 1922

**JOSEPH KENNEDY, U.S. AMBASSADOR, FATHER OF JFK AND RFK:** "Fifty men have run America, and that's a high figure" – 1936

# VEDIC VISION FOR MODERN TIMES - Laj Utreja, Ph.D.



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The great Vedic dictum states, "We are one human family". However, in this extended family of ours, nearly half of the human family lives in crushing poverty, thousands of children die each day from diseases and starvation, many of our family members are exploits of industrial growth and are innocent victims of our failure to protect the environment, there are many who pay a heavy price of being uprooted from family homes to start afresh due to wars being fought for reasons they have no clue, and then there are others we regard as terrorists. If we do not respond, we would be breaking the cord of human values that make us human. What follows would be a whirlwind of chaos, increasing lawlessness and disorder.

We've created a value system in which it is 'wealth' and not 'care' for the fellow men. Paradoxically, we call ourselves civilized. Our social institutions value wealth as a parameter for success, disregarding sensitivity to the fellow human being. To climb up the social ladder, we lie, cheat and disregard the only virtue that separates us from the lower life forms. And that takes us away from the values that make us human beings.

**Human values are the source at the core of our beings.** The source being non-physical, non-material, without any attributes and qualities introduces values through *Rita*, the universal order. The order does not delimit importance of one element of manifestation over the other, but provides an avenue for the universe to sustain itself. That order is called *Dharma*. From that order follow the objective laws that govern the physical universe and the subjective laws that govern human beings. All human values follow from the universal order.

Based on *rita* and *dharma*, every religion has a set of core values. Some quote scriptures when they talk about moral values. Others talk about virtues and principles. The truth is simply this, "Human values are not to be gotten through a text, nor can they be supplied by any company as merchandise. Human values are present in us as naturally as our blood and correspondingly, they flow in the human community by way of our conduct with the other person, just as blood flows naturally in our veins.

Then why we don't live in peace among each other and in harmony with nature? Other important questions include why we aren't concerned about: the fast depletion of arable land for growing uncontaminated food; pollution of life-giving water and air; growing ecological problems such as: the reality of global warming, shrinking forests, disappearing wetlands, eroding soil, extinction of many species affecting ecological balance; economy, poverty and increasing wealth gap among the *Haves* and *Havenots*; and in spite of tremendous advances in science and technology, we live under constant stress of producing and achieving, mental imbalance and physical pain.

Two of the most important factors that compromise our ability to properly and correctly address the issues we face are: the man-made divisions of powerful and the powerless and economics of the global trade. However, unjustified wars, disproportionate wealth-gaps, public health, and fair governance remain other related factors.

The constitutional law is no different from the establishment of *dharma*. However, *dharma* is ensured only when there are provisions in the constitution restraining the exercise of supremacy by any one of the divisions of the government or influence by a segment of society. The only way to prevent the abuse of power is if no ambiguous and independent interpretations of a law are made by any one of the divisions of the government. Otherwise, the government cannot ensure equal protection to the subjects without discrimination. The only way to ensure that a nation will not polarize into the *Haves* and the *Have-nots* is if the government protects the laws and conforms to the laws as well. It is possible if *dharma* is the supreme law of the state and there is one law for all the elected leaders and the subjects alike.

The global trade, for example, has resulted in polarizing the trading countries into the rich and the poor, and increasing the gap bigger than before. Local economies are being destroyed in favor of business giants with access to capital for mass production. *Dharma* enters into the global trade through *Vaishya dharma* (duties and responsibilities for the trading class) that sets the terms for the highest good for all trading partners. *Vaishya dharma* calls for appropriate policies (rules and regulations for trade including banking and lending; taxes, customs and tariffs, etc).

Law and order, duty, righteous conduct, religious principles, engagement and enjoyment in religion, the code of ethics, justice, compassion, truthfulness, discipline, social merit, cleanliness, and one's natural occupation all comprise *dharma* in space-time continuum. Dynamics of *Dharma* is always in tune with the social pulse and offers a conscious choice for an individual to live in harmony with the rest of the environment. Therefore, in the today's polarized world of the *Haves* and *Have-nots*, and the powerful and powerless, while we must share our resources in global trade to fulfill our common need for food, water and energy, *dharma* offers the

single most effective choice for global peace and a sustainable society by ingraining in us to cut selfishness and teaching us not to plunder.

The Vedic tradition is also called *Sanaatana Dharma* (the eternal precept). It offers practical solutions to different family traditions, business transactions and trade practices, under all social and political conditions. *Sanatana Dharma* provides *aachaar* and *vyavahaar* during the human endeavors for *artha* (security) and *kaama* (pleasure) in the conduct of governance and rule, law and order, education, business, trade, science, philosophy, law, agriculture, performing arts, and other orders of society. *Sanatana Dharma* provides human beings the techniques of the 'Right Attitude' and the 'Right Action' to achieve continued preservation and growth.

The most plausible solution to develop the 'right attitude' and perform the 'right action' for social, political and economic injustice is through education in 'yoga.' And it must start from children. Children must be given necessary education for developing their physical and mental health and the teaching of human values. They must be provided factual information on the society and the environment to help develop sensitivity for the other human beings and the environment. This way we can restore the moral fiber of society.

The word *Yoga* is derived from *yuj*, meaning to join the individual soul with the universal soul. Only 'yoga' can bring about total transformation at all levels of human existence. Yoga affords us to have physical health, mental balance and spiritual coherence so that we can create fair governance free from conflicts and wars.

We live in a world of fragmented perspectives in which we divide the whole into parts, analyze each part to its minutest details and rationalize, and in the process we move away from the whole, the very source. Yoga makes one realize that irrespective of our race, faith, culture, gender or national origin, all of us want to avoid pain, suffering and sorrow and attain a state of everlasting joy, the state of bliss. The state of bliss is to be found when we are complete in ourselves with no demand. The sages of yore discovered that the ultimate aim of life was to attain perfection (in any endeavor including governance or social life). This discovery was later systematized into a series of practices that lead us from untruth to truth, from ignorance to light, and from death and mortality to immortality. Yoga is the practical method of attaining this state of bliss.

The Vedic tradition was not meant for one community or one country, but for the whole humankind. That is why it was a universal civilization concerned with the good of humanity at large. We can still avoid future individual, societal and global suffering through the moral and ethical purity of our present actions. Practice of yoga can help eliminate all social ills and create a system of good governance, a society with good health and without poverty, and a world free of conflicts.

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There is no better way to live a quality life without disease than that offered by the principles of *Ayurveda* and *Patanjali's Ashtanga Yoga*. *Ayurveda* (the science of life) is the world's oldest, most perfect and most comprehensive system of natural medicine. It is a preventive system of restoring health, and promoting longevity by preserving the body's natural state and building the body's defenses against disease and other external ingested and internally produced toxins. In addition, *Patanjali Ashtanga Yoga* is a guide for living the right life through its eight limbs.

*Patanjali Yoga* offers moral and ethical development through five orders of *Yama* (moral principles) and five disciplines of *Niyama* (codes of conduct). The remaining limbs are: *Asana* (postures for physical health), *Pranayama* (breathing exercises for eliminating mental disturbance), *Pratyahara* (practice of sense withdrawal for discouraging greed and lust), *Dharana* (concentration to achieve goals), *Dhyana* (meditation for spiritual awareness) and *Samadhi* (for realizing the truth).

There are no prescriptive ways to eliminate poverty in the Vedas. However, an old adage from the Vedas states that serving the poor is the true service to God. Many *mantras* in the Vedas focus on welfare, prosperity, and sharing and the environment. The Vedas also insist on proper distribution of wealth and therefore take care of the social obligations. The following are selected quotes from the Vedas:

Maximize your wealth so that you can take care of those dependent on you. (*Taittiriya Upanishad* iii-9). The rich have to satisfy the needs of the poor. (*Rig Veda Samhita* x-117-5). Give charity in plenty with utmost faith and humility. (*Taittiriya Upanishad* i-11). Wealth earned by 100 hands has to be distributed to 1,000 hands. (*Atharva Veda Samhita* iii-24-5).

If the above is strictly adhered to, poverty can be eradicated by implementing measures, such as availability of free education, affordable housing, and public labor positions; fair minimum wage, curbing corruption, equal and fair taxation, cutting down on conspicuous consumption, no drug dependence, equal distribution of wealth, etc.

**Vedic Perspective on Good Governance:** The human society at large comprises human beings with diverse physical attributes, natures and skills and with disparity in their social and economical status. Consequently, the need for peaceful coexistence and living in harmony existed since beginning. According to *Sanaatana Dharma* the highest state of society to live in harmony, all must live in *dharma* (order): "There existed no state, no king, no criminal and no penalty. All protected one another by virtue of *dharma*".

Good governance is assured when the nation and not the partisan interests are considered for discussion, legislation and execution. And that calls for a single party

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with the main goal of affording 'one law for all' to provide for the health, education and welfare of all citizens who contribute based on their natural talents, education and acquired skills. Good governance also assures that ecology and the environment are protected in all business activities and trade. Good governance must also provide for the defense of humanity and not boundaries. In such a governance, as Dr. Leo Rebello, President of World Constitution and Parliament Association, says, "There will be no military and arms of destruction, but only civilized police to uphold law and order, impart justice and maintain peace". In the ultimate sense, a world without national conflicts or wars.

Vedas teach us to give up malice and hatred. *Rig Veda*: VI 10.7. May we not hate any one! *Atharva Veda*: XII 1.24. It is the most heinous sin to slay the innocent. *Atharva Veda*: X 1.29. O Lord, firm and resolute, make me firm; May all look at me with friendly eye. May I look at all with friendly eye; May all look at one another with friendly eye. *Yajur* Veda: 36,18. Beliefs, attitudes and actions interact to produce peace or violence. The *Brihadaranyaka Upanishad* (ii, 6; iv, 4) reads, "Here they say that a person consists of desires. And as is his desire, so is his will. And as is his will, so is his deed; and whatever deed he does, that he will reap". Every belief creates certain attitudes. Those attitudes govern all of our actions. Man's actions can thus be traced to his inmost beliefs about himself and about the world around him. If those beliefs are erroneous, his actions will not be in tune with the *Sanaatana Dharma*.

We see us all as one global family.



**Namaste:** The Indian greeting *Namaste* or *Namastute* (with folded hands) means I bow to the god/goodness within you. This greeting is better than a handshake, a hug or nose rubbing or cheek kiss.

In *Namaste*, you remind even a corrupt, communal or criminal person coming before you that he can attain divinity. In the western method of handshake, one leaves one's markers on others. And in these days of Swine Flu, I do not think nose rubbing or cheek kissing is advisable. - **Dr. Leo Rebello** 

# SCIENCE AND SPIRITUALISM

**Text of Dr. Leo Rebello's speech** delivered on December 9, 2004 at the Awards function of the Science Exhibition of Schools in North Bombay. The audience consisted of 1518 participating students, 230 teachers, parents, officials, TV actress Nikki Aneja Walia and mediamen.

#### Dear Students, Parents, Teachers and Guests:

I have been asked to give comments on behalf of the 35 Judges and I consider this as an opportunity to guide the students, teachers and their parents in the right direction.

Earlier the Science Exhibition used to be a show put up by rich schools. Hence, I never accepted the invitation to be a judge. This year I accepted it because for the first time Municipal schools are participating along with elite schools. These poor students struggle against heavy odds to succeed in life. Through these exhibitions the scientific attitude will now percolate to the grassroots helping our nation to develop further.

#### My observations as a Judge

Science devoid of Humanism is 'faceless science', like Modern Medicine is 'pseudo science'. Science without discretion and discernment becomes decadent. Scientists should also be poets at heart because like the Marathi saying goes *Je na dekhe Ravi, te dekhe Kavi*. That which the Sun cannot see, the Poet sees. That means we need to look at the whole rather than a part.

Science should be safe. If scientists lose their conscience and conspire with criminals, soon we will have Humanzee (a chimpanzee with human brain) amongst us, due to experiments called *Chimeras*. A Humanzee may be able to speak and dress like a human being, but will jump on the trees if he sees a female mate and be used like a slave by injecting them with hypnotics and programming them to kill people as army recruits. Therefore science devoid of spiritualism becomes a tool for downfall rather than evolution.

Youth and teachers are expected to be intelligent and alert, not postmen of mediocrity. To have a scientific attitude is to have an open mind. Not rote learning. Another qualification of a true scientist is honesty borne out of conviction.

Frankly, I was sorely disappointed by many exhibits, devoid of creativity, windowdressed as it would seem to win the prizes rather than apply the mind. It was routine. There was no originality. No new ideas. To the best part of our ignorance that we arrange and classify, we give the name "Knowledge". What the budding scientists have to understand is that science is not uni-dimensional. Everything has got minimum two sides. For example in the AIDS section we had 39 entries. But all saying the same thing without even verifying whether what they were presenting was fact or fiction. To say that HIV causes AIDS and you will die unless you take ARVs or use condoms, is repeating like a parrot that has been trained to say "Good night" when it is "Good morning". Polly cannot use his brain, and he has limited vocabulary.

Every scientist must remember and ask six questions: who, what, when, where, why and how? Unless you ask these six questions you will not learn anything let alone be a scientist. Incidentally, remember that AIDS is not caused by HIV but by drugs. Elisa, Western Blot or CD4 count tests are all positively programmed and the condom only protects 60% of the organ. Remember that AIDS is a racket. Do not join the bandwagon and be led blindly to accept the lies.

I recently read in the newspapers that the Health Minister of Karnataka has mooted the idea of distributing condoms through school students. This I call condomised education, which will lead to condom ethics, condom morals, condom culture, condom history and condomed civilisation.

If this madness goes on there may come a time, when mothers will tell their daughters to bring a box of condoms, "some for you, some for me", like some irresponsible fathers send their sons to buy cigarettes or beer or liquor and have parties in the presence of their growing children. As a physician with 25 years of clinical, teaching and research experience, let me tell you that 95% of diseases are caused and cured by diet. Many dishes, many diseases.

### For next year's exhibition, I throw up some ideas:

1.. Is Refrigerated food safe? Or is it akin to eating from the garbage bin?

- 2... Are microwaves death machines?
- 3.. Do cell phones cook up the brain?

4.. Do the vaccines we give to tiny tots mutate human bodies creating more deadly diseases? One of the hypotheses is that AIDS is due to overuse of vaccines and deadly drugs. In fact, that is the only known cause of AIDS according to me.

- 5.. Why are veggie vaccines, urine vaccines, homeopathic vaccines not tried?6.. Can food be processed from garbage?
- 7.. Can phytoplankton or algae in the sea be used to purify the air quality?

8.. Internet is the greatest revolution and resource of our times. Use it wisely, because information is not knowledge and knowledge is not wisdom.

9.. Also remember NOT to use plastic, thermocol, corrosive chemicals in your science exhibition next year.

Everything in the Science Exhibition should be Eco and Environment friendly, and safety of our students should be uppermost in our minds. Economy and less garbage from these science exhibitions, and creating a science museum of some of the award winning exhibits is another suggestion that I would like to give you.

# THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK IS A PRIVATE COMPANY

http://unslaver.com/forum/index.php?topic=647.new#new

**Dr. Leo Rebello's note:** Alexander Hamilton, the first Secretary of Treasury, started a movement advocating the creation of a central bank. Following this movement the First Bank of the United States was established in 1791 in Philadelphia and branches in other major cities. The Bank performed the basic banking functions of accepting deposits, issuing bank notes, making loans and purchasing securities. These twelve regional banks are organized much like private corporations.

The following in-depth report was received by me in 2005. You may ask what has this got to do with World without Wars. Well, this shows how a private bank fleeces and controls the world's people. It is an Economic War to subjugate people through unending debt burden.

**Dear American:** Pursuant to your request, I will attempt to clear up questions you have about the Federal Reserve Bank (FED). I spent much time researching the FED and these are the shocking and revealing conclusions.

#### THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK IS A PRIVATE COMPANY.

Article 1, Section 8 of the Constitution states that Congress shall have the power to coin (create) money and regulate the value thereof. Today however, the FED, which is a privately owned company, controls and profits by printing money through the Treasury, and regulating its value.

The FED began with approximately 300 people or banks that became owners (stockholders purchasing stock at \$100 per share - the stock is not publicly traded) in the Federal Reserve Banking System. They make up an international banking cartel of wealth beyond comparison (Ref. 1, 14). The FED banking system collects billions of dollars (Ref. 8, 17) in interest annually and distributes the profits to its shareholders. The Congress illegally gave the FED the right to print money (through the Treasury) at no interest to the FED. The FED creates money from nothing, and loans it back to us through banks, and charges interest on our currency. The FED also buys Government debt with money printed on a printing press and charges US taxpayers interest. Many Congressmen and Presidents say this is fraud (Ref. 1,2,3,5,17).

Who actually owns the Federal Reserve Central Banks? The ownership of the 12 Central banks, a very well kept secret, has been revealed: (a) Rothschild Bank of London. (b)Warburg Bank of Hamburg. (c) Rothschild Bank of Berlin. (d) Lehman Brothers of New York. (e) Lazard Brothers of Paris. (f) Kuhn Loeb Bank of New York. (g) Israel Moses Seif Banks of Italy. (h) Goldman, Sachs of New York. (i) Warburg Bank of Amsterdam. (j) Chase Manhattan Bank of New York.(Ref.14, P.13, Ref 12, P.152) These bankers are connected to London Banking Houses which ultimately control the FED. When England lost the Revolutionary War with America (our forefathers were fighting their own government), they planned to control us by controlling our banking system, the printing of our money, and our debt (Ref. 4, 22).

The individuals listed below owned banks, which in turn owned shares in the FED. The banks listed below have significant control over the New York FED District, which controls the other 11 FED Districts. These banks also are partly foreign owned and control the New York FED District Bank. (Ref. 22)

(a)First National Bank of New York. (b) James Stillman National City Bank, New York. (c) Mary W. Harnman. (d) National Bank of Commerce, New York. (e) A.D. Jiullard. (f) Hanover National Bank, New York. (g) Jacob Schiff. (h) Chase National Bank, New York. (i) Thomas F. Ryan. (j) Paul Warburg.(k) William Rockefeller. (l) Levi P. Morton. (m) M.T. Pyne. (n) George F. Baker. (o) Percy Pyne. (p) Mrs. G.F. St. George. (q) J.W. Sterling. (r) Katherine St. George. (s) H.P. Davidson. (t) J.P. Morgan (Equitable Life/Mutual Life). (u) Edith Brevour T. Baker. (Ref. 4 for above, Ref. 22 has details, P.92, 93, 96, 179)

How did it happen? After previous attempts to push the Federal Reserve Act through Congress, a group of bankers funded and staffed Woodrow Wilson's campaign for President. He had committed to sign this act. In 1913, a Senator, Nelson Aldrich, maternal grandfather to the Rockefellers, pushed the Federal Reserve Act through Congress just before Christmas when much of Congress was on vacation (Ref. 3, 4, 5). When elected, Wilson passed the FED. Later, Wilson remorsefully replied (referring to the FED), "I have unwittingly ruined my country" (Ref. 17, P. 31).

Now the banks financially back sympathetic candidates. Not surprisingly, most of these candidates are elected (Reference 1, P. 208-210, Reference 12, P. 235, Reference 14, P. 36). The bankers employ members of the Congress on weekends (nickname T&T club-out Thursday...-in Tuesday) with lucrative salaries (Reference 1, P. 209). Additionally, the FED started buying up the media in the 1930's and now owns or significantly influences most of it (Ref. 3, 10, 11, P. 145).

Presidents Lincoln, Jackson, and Kennedy tried to stop this family of bankers by printing U.S. dollars without charging the taxpayers interest (Reference 4). Today, if the government runs a deficit, the FED prints dollars through the U.S. Treasury, buys the debt, and the dollars are circulated into the economy. In 1992, taxpayers paid the FED banking system \$286 billion in interest on debt the FED purchased by printing money virtually cost free (Reference 12, P. 265). Forty percent of our personal federal income taxes goes to pay this interest. The FED's books are not open to the public. Congress has yet to audit it.

Congressman Wright Patman was Chairman of the House of Representatives Committee on Banking and Currency for 40 years. For 20 of those years, he introduced legislation to repeal the Federal Reserve Banking Act of 1913.

Congressman Henry Gonzales, Chairman of a banking committee, introduces legislation to repeal the Federal Reserve Banking Act of 1913 nearly every year. It's always defeated, the media remains silent, and the public never learns the truth. The same bankers who own the FED control the media and give huge political contributions to sympathetic members of Congress (Ref. 12, P. 155-163, Ref. 22, P. 158, 159, 166).

#### THE FED FEARS THE POPULATION WILL BECOME AWARE OF THIS FRAUD AND DEMAND CHANGE

We, the People, are at fault for being passive and allowing this to continue. Rep. Louis McFadden (R. Pa.) rose from office boy to become cashier and then President of the First National Bank in Canton Ohio. For 12 years he served as Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency, making him one of the foremost financial authorities in America. He fought continuously for fiscal integrity and a return to constitutional government (Ref.1). The following are portions of Rep. McFadden's speech, quoted from the Congressional Record, pages 12595-12603:

"THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD, A GOVERNMENT BOARD, HAS CHEATED THE GOVERNMENTOF THE UNITED STATES AND THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OUT OF ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY THE NATIONAL DEBT.

The depredations and the iniquities of the Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Reserve banks acting together have cost this country ENOUGH MONEY TO PAY

### THE NATIONAL DEBT SEVERAL TIMES OVER.

About the Federal Reserve banks, Rep. McFadden said, "They are private credit monopolies which prey upon the people of the United States for the benefit of themselves and their foreign customers; foreign and domestic speculators and swindlers; the rich and predatory money lenders. This is an era of economic misery and for the reasons that caused that misery, the Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Reserve banks are fully liable."

On the subject of media control he state, "Half a million dollars was spent on one part of the propaganda organized by those same European bankers for the purpose of misleading public opinion in regard to it."

Rep. McFadden continued, "Every effort has been made by the Federal Reserve Board to conceal its power but the truth is the Federal Reserve Board has USURPED THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES. IT CONTROLS EVERYTHING HERE AND IT CONTROLS ALL OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS. IT MAKES AND BREAKS GOVERNMENTS AT WILL. No man and no body of men is more entrenched in power than the arrogant credit monopoly which operates the Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Reserve banks. These evil-doers have robbed this country of more than enough money to pay the national debt. What the Government has permitted the Federal Reserve Board to steal from the people should now be restored to the people."

"Our people's money to the extent of \$1,200,000,000 has within the last few months been shipped abroad to redeem Federal Reserve Notes and to pay other gambling debts of the traitorous Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Reserve banks. The greater part of our monetary stock has been shipped to foreigners. Why should we promise to pay the debts of foreigners to foreigners? Why should American Farmers and wage earners add millions of foreigners to the number of their dependents? Why should the Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Reserve banks be permitted to finance our competitors in all parts of the world?" Rep. McFadden asked.

"The Federal Reserve Act should be repealed and the Federal Reserve banks, having violated their charters, should be liquidated immediately.

FAITHLESS GOVERNMENT OFFICERS WHO HAVE VIOLATED THEIR OATHS SHOULD BE IMPEACHED AND BROUGHT TO TRIAL", Rep. McFadden concluded (Ref.1, contains an entire chapter on Rep. McFadden's speech).

If the media is unbiased, independent and completely thorough, why haven't they discussed the FED? Currently, half the states have at least a grass roots movement in action to abolish the FED, but there's no press coverage. In July 1968, the House Banking Subcommittee reported that Rockefeller, through Chase Manhattan Bank, controlled 5.9% of the stock in CBS. Furthermore, the bank had gained interlocking directorates with ABC.

In 1974, Congress issued a report stating that the Chase Manhattan Bank's stake in CBS rose to 14.1% and NBC to 4.5% (through RCA, the parent company of NBC). The same report said that the Chase Manhattan Bank held stock in 28 broadcasting firms. After this report, the Chase Manhattan Bank obtained 6.7% of ABC, and today the percentage could be much greater. It only requires 5% ownership to significantly influence the media (Reference 14, P. 56-57). This is only one of 300 wealthy shareholders of the FED. It is believed other FED owners have similar holdings in the media. To control the media, FED bankers call in their loans if the media disagrees with them (Ref.25, P. 134-137).

Rockefeller also controls the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), the sole purpose of which is to aid in stimulating greater interest in foreign affairs and in a one world government. Nearly every major newscaster belongs to the Council on Foreign

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Relations. The Council on Foreign Relations controls many major newspapers and magazines. Additionally, major corporations owned by FED shareholders are the source of huge advertising revenues which surely would influence the media (Ref. 14, P. 56-59). It can be no wonder why groups such as FED-UP(tm) receive minimal, if any, press attention.

How do taxpayers stop financing those whose purpose it is to destroy us? First, expose their activity, then demand change.

#### THE SOLUTION:

Currently all we do is exchange FED money (interest attached) for real U.S. money (interest-free) dollar for dollar as Kennedy tried to do. We should not be required to pay interest on our own currency. According to Benjamin Franklin, this was one of the primary reasons we fought the Revolutionary War. Today we are still fighting the same family of bankers (Ref. 4, Ref. 1, P. 211, 212).

The U.S. Government can buy back the FED at any time for \$450 million (per Congressional record). The U.S. Treasury could then collect all the profit on our money instead of the 300 original shareholders of the FED. The \$4 trillion of U.S. debt could be exchanged dollar for dollar with U.S. non- interest bearing currency when the debt becomes due. There would be no inflation because there would be no additional currency in circulation. Personal income tax could be cut if we bought back the FED and therefore, the economy would expand. According to the Constitution, Congress is to control the creation of money, keeping the amount of inflation or deflation in check. If Congress isn't doing their job, they should be voted out of office. Unfortunately, voters can't vote the FED or its Chairman out of office.

If the government has a deficit, we could handle it as Lincoln and Kennedy did. Print money and circulate it into the economy, but this time interest-free. Today the FED, through foreign banks, owns much of our debt and therefore controls us. The FED will cease to exist as taxpayers become informed and tell other taxpayers. The news media and Congress will have no choice but to meet the demands of grass roots America. (Ref. 1, P. 17, 22)

#### **AMERICA DECEIVED**

By law (check the Congressional record), we can buy back the FED for the original investment of the FED's 300 shareholders, which is \$450 million (Reference 1, P. 227, Reference 17, P. 36). If each taxpayer paid \$25, we could buy back the FED and all the profit would flow into the U.S. Treasury. In other words, by Congress allowing the constitutionally illegal FED to continue, much of your taxes go to the shareholders of the FED and their bankers. Note: The people who enacted the FED started the IRS, within months of the FED's inception. The FED buys U.S. debt with money they printed from nothing, then charges the U.S. taxpayers interest. The government had

to create income tax to pay the interest expense to the FED's shareholders, but the income tax was never legally passed (Reference 20 shows details, state-by-state why it was not legally passed). The FED is illegal, per Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution. Not one state legally ratified the 16th Amendment making income tax legal.

Currently, fewer and fewer Americans are being convicted for refusal to pay income taxes. In IRS jury trials, the jury, by law, must decide if the law is just. If taxpayers do not believe the law is just, the jury may declare the accused innocent. Judges are legally bound to inform juries of their right to determine the fairness of a law. Judges often do not disclose this information so they can control the court outcome. Luckily, more and more citizens are becoming informed. If one juror feels the law is unfair, they can find the defendant innocent (Reference 19). In Utah, the IRS quit prosecuting taxpayers because jurors verdict is not guilty. Please tell your friends and sit in the next jury.

If we eliminate the FED and uphold the Constitution, we could balance the budget and cut personal income tax to almost nothing. In Congressional hearings on September 30, 1941, FED Chairman Eccles admitted that the FED creates new money from thin air (printing press), and loans it back to us at interest (Reference 17, P. 93). On June 6, 1960, FED President Mr. Allen admitted essentially the same thing (Reference 22, P. 164). If you or I did this we would go to jail.

It is time to abolish the FED! Tell your friends the truth and win America back. We don't even need to buy back the FED. We only need to print money the way the Constitution requires, not the new proposed international money. We want to keep our sovereignty and print real U.S. money.

Why has Congress allowed the FED to continue? If a Congressperson tries to abolish the FED, the banks fund the Congressperson's opponent in the next election (Reference 17, P. 35). The new Congressperson will obviously support the FED. When Congresspeople retire, political campaign funds are not taxed. Get elected and be a millionaire if you vote right. By the way, the profit of the FED is not taxed either (Reference 1, 9). Once America understands, and takes action, Congresspeople will then gladly abolish the FED. In 1992, Illinois Congressman Crane introduced a bill, co-sponsored by 40 other Congressman, to audit the FED. This is a step in the right direction.

America is a great nation. As "We the People" become informed, the media and Congress will be forced to buy back the FED, balance the budget, significantly cut taxes, and stop allowing bribes to determine voting strategies. I have already heard from politicians who claim they will change their platform to include abolishing the FED if enough people become informed.

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#### IT IS UP TO YOU TO INFORM THE PEOPLE.

The FED hopes you will be passive and not act on this information. We believe in grass roots America - we are waking up America. Ultimately, the battle plan is to inform all Americans and demand change in the media and Congress. True Americans should run for office and throw out the politicians who allow this fraud to continue. Congress may refuse to deal with this issue. That's why each person needs to go to their local county/state government with the proper paperwork and ask them to abolish the FED. With the proper documents, they are legally obligated to do it.

#### WE NEED LEADERS TO BEGIN THIS ACTION. WILL YOU HELP?

Consider this fact. Most of the given sources in this booklet show how the blood line of family bankers who own the FED funded both sides of all major wars. They created fake colonial money to destroy the Americans during the Revolutionary War and tried to finance both sides in the American Civil War. Abraham Lincoln refused and the South accepted. Many publications show that these bankers financed World War I, World War II, and the Russian Revolutionary War, which helped Napoleon, Lenin, and Hitler come to power. They financed both sides from money created from nothing and profited greatly. These same bankers created a number of American depressions to change the U.S. legislation and seize our wealth. Read the sources for details. This is why our forefathers wrote in the Constitution that only Congress can issue money - not private banks (Ref. 18).

More wars create more debt which means more profit to the bankers (Reference 1, 21). These bankers planned three world wars so people would welcome United Nations intervention to govern the world in peace, not war. (Reference 22 gives specific details on World War I and World War II, showing exactly how the bankers were responsible for the beginning and continuation of these wars for their profit).

The banks have publicly announced they will force us to a cashless society by 1997. Furthermore, they plan to create a one world government through the United Nations headed by the FED, Trilaterals, and the Council on Foreign Relations (Reference 3). By the definition of treason, they have committed treason! This means you lose your rights under the Constitution and Bill of Rights. Does this sound far fetched? Twentyfour U.S. Senators (two of them presidential candidates, Harkin & Tsongas) and 80 Representatives have signed a "Declaration of Interdependence." This Declaration, designed to make a one world government, is treason to the oath of office they took. The media remained silent. The FED announced publicly that their first objective was to get nationalism out of the American people's heads because patriotism to a country would not be of value in the future. The media makes us think the U.N. has all the answers, and to "think globally." Congress passed a law stopping certain individuals from being tried for this treason (Reference 6, Reference 1, P. 191-198). Why pass this law if no treason was committed? State Department document 7277 calls for the disarming of America, thus turning our sovereignty over to a one-world government. Again, the media is pushing to eliminate guns. Our forefathers believed that the right to bear arms would prevent a takeover of our government. History shows that before any government took over, they disarmed the citizens. Hitler did it, and before our Revolutionary War, King George told us to disarm - good thing we didn't!

Under the Federal Reserve Bank Act, the bankers control our economy. The FED controls interest rates and the amount of money in the economy. These factors determine either economic prosperity or the lack thereof. Bankers are now pushing for a one world government and a cashless society. Why cashless? No cash means no money for drugs, no theft, and the ability to collect taxes on the underground economy. Anyone who wouldn't support a cashless society must be a drug dealer, thief, or tax evader, right? What a cashless society really means is the banks can now control you. Today you fear the IRS. In a cashless society, if you disagree with the bankers' political goals, you'll find your money gone via computer error. (For additional information on a cashless society, read (Ref. 13, P. 174; Ref. 3; Ref. 14, P. 9-12; Ref. 15, P. 136; Ref. 25, P. 216)

If you could accurately predict future interest rates, inflation and deflation, you would know when to buy or sell stocks and make a bundle of money. The FED has secret meetings (per Congressional Record) to determine future interest rates and the amount of money to be printed. The Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) by law, stops insiders from profiting by privileged information. Congressional records prove that FED bankers routinely hold secret meetings to profit by manipulating the stock market via interest rates and the amount of money they create. FED bankers also profit greatly from economic disasters like the Depression (Ref. 22, P. 56). The bankers create inflation, sell their stocks before the market crashes, then buy up stocks at cheaper prices. Bankers admitted this to Congress. This violates the law, yet Congress does not act because these bankers are large political contributors (Ref. 17, P. 96-98; Ref. 1, P. 162-163; Ref. 22, P. 114-170 & P. 136). Thomas Jefferson predicted this scenario if we ever allowed a private bank, like the FED, to create our currency (Ref. 1, P. 247).

FED Chairman Burns states "Killing can be made simply by knowing the next few months newspapers ahead of time." Congressman Patman said "The FED officials own more than 100 million dollars (of stocks) while making decisions influencing these stock prices..." (Reference 24, P. 123). History proves that banks profit from bankrupting a nation (Ref. 22, P. 56).

Congress consistently defeats balanced budget amendments. In the past 30 years, Congress has raised our taxes 56 times and balanced the budget only once. We need the sound banking system our forefathers wanted us to have. History proves that banking systems like the FED don't work. Major world powers have been destroyed over similar banking systems (Reference 1). If we don't change this system NOW, in five years the only thing our taxes will pay is the interest on the national debt.

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Section 7 of the Federal Reserve Act, passed December 23, 1913, states that much of the profit of the FED should flow into the U.S. Treasury. In 1959, new legislation allowed the FED to transfer bonds to commercial banks at no cost to the bank. Now the FED receives less interest income and less profit for the U.S. Treasury because the money is diverted to other banks through an accounting entry (Reference 17, P. 115-130). Congress and the IRS do not have access to the financial records of the FED. Every year Congress introduces legislation to audit the FED, and every year it is defeated. The FED banking system could easily be netting 100s of billions in profit each year. Through "creative accounting" profit can easily be reclassified as expense (Reference 14, P. 20, Reference 17, P. 239). Within the first few years, the shareholders of the FED received their initial investment back with no risk. All the income is tax-free, except for property tax, according to the Federal Reserve Act. When are the profits of the FED going to start flowing into the Treasury so that average Americans are no longer burdened with excessive, unnecessary taxes? Clearly, Congress cannot or will not control the FED. IT IS TIME TO ABOLISH IT!

#### **3 WAYS TO ABOLISH THE FED AND ISSUE MONEY PER THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 1, SECTION 8:**

\* Buy back the FED and have the U.S. Government collect all profits.

\* Abolish the FED by printing real U.S. dollars as President Kennedy attempted (Executive Order 11.110, 1963) (Ref. 4).

\* Request your county/state to use their Constitutional powers to abolish the FED. This is the BEST SOLUTION. Nearly half the states are attempting or considering this action (Reference 5). Congress has had 80 years to follow the Constitution, and has refused to abolish the illegal FED. The state/county effort is working faster than any other method. We need your support to start a local chapter of FED-UP(tm) Inc. and petition your county.

#### THE WRONG SOLUTION THAT HAS FAILED FOR 80 YEARS:

Congress and the media may want to require the FED to return the required profits into the U.S. Treasury (per the Federal Reserve Act, 1913). The problem is that with "creative accounting" techniques, profit can be easily masked as expense. The FED has expensed items illegally to lower profit (Ref. 17).

"We the People" have pushed the following states to pass or introduce legislation calling for an end to the FED: Arizona, Washington, Arkansas, Idaho, Oregon, Indiana, and Texas. We still need your signatures on petitions, even if you live in these states. Many other states are considering such action due to your petitions. These states and a few honest Congresspeople are powerless until all Americans become informed and demand change. Please pass out the petition. Once we demand change, the media will have to report the whole truth and not just push their own agenda. FED-UP(tm) challenges the media to expose the facts on prime time talk shows or news programs.

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By abolishing the FED, we would not pay interest on Federal Reserve Notes. Until it is abolished, the FED has a monopoly on profit on our currency and whether our money supply will be increased or decreased, inflation or depression. The banks are capable of controlling business by controlling who can or cannot obtain a loan.

#### WE'VE DONE OUR PART - NOW IT IS UP TO YOU TO SPREAD THE WORD.

Please take the brochure (Cutting taxes \$6,000 per family per year) to VFW, Moose/Elk Lodges, Bars, Union Halls, Churches, and Association groups. Make copies of the "single-page" brochure for everyone at work and ask your friends to do the same. Ask small business owners in your community to tell other business owners and spread the brochure and petition through the local Chamber of Commerce. CPAs should be interested in saving their clients taxes. Ask your CPA to mail the brochure and petition out to his/her clients. Upon receiving this petition, many presidents of large corporations made this brochure and petition available to all employees. Once people are informed, we can force a change. People will have more money to spend, the economy will be strong, and we can keep our Constitutional rights, liberties, and freedoms.

Contact your library for the names and addresses of your local and federal Congresspeople. MAIL THEM AN ENVELOPE WITHOUT YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS ATTACHED. In the envelope, say "FED-UP(tm) Inc. Abolish the FED." Also enclose one teabag (Boston Tea Party). Ask your friends to do the same (give them the addresses). Politicians are aware of the "Teabag Protest." If you don't mail it in, they're going to believe that we're not organized or we just don't care. IF YOU DON'T DO IT NO ONE ELSE WILL.

Many Congress people want to make this change, but can't without the support of the people.

#### WHY OUR FOREFATHERS FOUGHT THE FED

"Allow me to control the issue and the nation's money and I care not who makes its laws!" The above quote has long been attributed to the 18th century banker Amshell Rothschild (his blood line controls the FED). For if one unscrupulous group is allowed to print a nation's money - it can eventually use that money to gain control of the press and the politicians - and thus gain control of making the nation's laws - and finally - control of the nation itself. (Ref. 4)

If you will take the time to read the reference material listed which has been researched by Professors of Universities, Congress people, etc, you will turn up information that might frighten you. For instance, in 1921 the stockholders of the Federal Reserve financed an organization called the "Council on Foreign Relations" (CFR). Harpers magazine called this the most powerful organization in the United States. Ninety percent of the people in the State Department and key positions in the

Executive Branch are members of the CFR. The CFR publishes a magazine called "Foreign Affairs." Read it if you want to know what is going to happen in coming years. The CFR is in favor of a New World Order (Ref. 3).

Congressman Patman re-quoted Thomas Jefferson showing that our founding fathers knew this banking principle very well. "I believe that banking institutions are more dangerous to our liberties than standing armies...." "Already they have raised up a money aristocracy that has set the government at defiance. The issuing power (of money)," he said, "should be taken from the banks and restored to the people to whom it properly belongs." The American Revolution was a struggle to wrest control of wealth from the Bank of England and to restore the centers of power to the People where it "properly belongs." The Constitution is specific about the authority of the People, through their elected officials, to control the money, and thus, the affairs of their government. (Ref. 5, P. 32).

Ben Franklin said in his autobiography that the inability of the colonists to get the power to issue their own money permanently out of the hands of George III and the international bankers was [one of] the PRIME reason[s] for the Revolutionary War. (Quoted in Ref. 4)

Thomas Jefferson stated, "If the American people ever allow private banks to control the issue of currency, first by inflation, then by deflation, the banks and corporations that will grow up around them will deprive the people of all property until their children will wake up homeless on the continent their fathers conquered." (Ref. 1, P. 247)

Congressman Charles A. Lindbergh of Minnesota said: "This [Federal Reserve] Act establishes the most gigantic trust on Earth. When the President [Wilson] signs this bill, the invisible government of the Monetary Power will be legalized... the worst legislative crime of the ages, perpetuated by this banking and currency bill." (Ref. 5, P. 33)

Robert Hemphill (Credit Manager, Federal Reserve Bank in Atlanta): "We are completely dependent on the commercial banks. Someone has to borrow every dollar we have in circulation, cash, or credit. If the banks create ample synthetic money we are prosperous; if not, we starve. We are absolutely without a permanent money system. When one gets a complete grasp of the picture, the tragic absurdity of our hopeless position is almost incredible, but there it is. It [the banking problem] is the most important subject intelligent persons can investigate and reflect upon. It is so important that our present civilization may collapse unless it becomes widely understood and the defects are remedied very soon." (Ref. 1, P. 247)

Napoleon, a sympathizer for the international bankers, turned against them in the last years of his rule. He said: "When a government is dependent upon bankers for money,

they and not the leaders of the government control the situation, since the hand that gives is above the hand that takes... Money has no motherland; financiers are without patriotism and without decency; their sole object is gain." (Reference 4)

Congress people have referred to Federal Reserve Notes as "FIAT" (no- backing) money. (Ref. 1, P. 128, 169) In 1879 the Supreme Court declared that the U.S. Government can legally issue United States Notes, debt and interest-free, just as Lincoln and Kennedy attempted. (Reference 1, P. 233)

A bank that attempted to repossess property on the basis of default faced Judge Mahoney in a jury trial. Jerome Daly was found innocent. The bank could not foreclose on the property because it created the loan money from thin air, as many banks do. Use this as a precedent the next time any bank tries to foreclose on your house. (Ref. 17, P. 82, 83 for court records)

The FED violates Security & Exchange Commission (SEC) rules. (Ref. 17, P. 96-98) California 9th Circuit Court declared FED banks are private, not government. (Ref. 17, P. 273)

Mr. Marriner Eccles, who was Chairman of the board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System longer than any other man, testified before the Joint Economic Committee in August 1962. When Chairman Rep. Wright Patman asked whether it was not a fact that the Federal Reserve System has more power than either the Congress or the President, Eccles replied: "In the field of money and credit, yes." (Ref. 1, P. 206)

Dr. Hans Sennholz, Chairman of the Department of Economics at Grove City (PA) College stated: "The Federal Reserve System facilitates the government's own inflationary financing in "periods of emergency." It makes easy the inflationary financing of budget deficits and the inflationary refunding of government loans. It stabilizes the government bond market through inflationary methods and manipulates this market to the advantage of the government. It does all this by wrecking the purchasing power of the dollar; by subtly stealing from the people of this country what it thus provides for the government, through a process exactly on par with the coin clipping of ancient kings but much less visible." (Ref. 1, P. 250, 251)

Source: Banking Act of 1935, Hearings before a Subcommittee of the Banking and Currency Committee, U.S. Senate, 74th Congress, 1st Session, on S.1715, May 1935, pp 871-2. "The Federal Reserve System is in the wrong hands. No Constitutional republic can function when the government's money powers are in the hands of the financial oligarchy such as New York financiers.

A Republican Senator, who preferred to remain unnamed, stated: "Congress is too much motivated by fears and anxieties concerning pressure groups and the "non election." (Ref. 1, P. 210)

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By controlling Congress, the FED has been able to control the nominating conventions of both political parties. In this way, it has been able to hand-pick the presidential nominees so that no matter which party wins, their nominee for President is under definite obligations to the FED... (Ref. 1, P. 210; Ref. 22)

In 1975, the Rockefeller Foundation Report discussed the "Interdependence" of the countries of the world on each other. It stated we are one world and America shall become a nation-state under one government. They also say we must reach a zero state population growth. The Rockefeller Foundation stated that they have in excess of 747 million dollars to achieve this with. (Ref. 3)

Congressman John R. Rarick states that the Council on Foreign Relations CFR) is dedicated to a one world government. The media remains conspicuously quiet. The CFR wants to convert the U.S. from a sovereign, constitutional republic into a servile member state of a one world dictatorship. On February 17, 1950, CFR member James Warburg (banker, and architect of the Federal Reserve System) stated before a Senate Foreign Relations Committee, "We shall have one world government whether or not you like it, by conquest or consent." Again, the media remained silent. In the April 1974 issue of the CFR journal, "Foreign Affairs", page 558, Richard Gardener states that the new world order "will be built... but an end run around national sovereignty, eroding it piece by piece, will accomplish much more than the old fashioned frontal assault." Congressman McDonald, Heinz and Tower stated that this is a conspiracy. Again, the media remained silent. (Ref. 14, P. 17, 18, 32, 33).

#### THE CFR WANTS TO ABOLISH THE CONSTITUTION. WE MUST STOP THEM

In a letter to Thomas Jefferson, John Adams wrote: "All the perplexities, confusions, and distresses in America arise, not from defects in the Constitution or confederation, not from want of honor or virtue, as much as from downright ignorance of the nature of coin, credit, and circulation".

British bankers have stated "Those that create and issue money and credit direct the policies of govt. and hold in their hands the destiny of the people". (Ref. 1, P. 200-214)

Adams, Jefferson, and Lincoln believed that banker capitalism was more dangerous to our liberties than standing armies. In a republic, banks would lend money but could not create or manufacture it. (Ref. 1, P. 215)

Later, Jefferson used stronger language and denounced the institution as "one of the most deadly hostilities against the principles and form of our Constitution." Some have said that Jefferson did not favor a strong central bank. What he did not favor was the delivery of our monetary system into private hands to be run for private profit. (Ref. 1, P. 230)

President James A. Garfield said: "Whoever controls the money in any country is absolute master of industry [legislation] and commerce". (Ref. 1, P. 247, Ref. 4)

Without the Federal Reserve System, there can be no continuing march towards socialism, and with it there can be no free economy. (Ref. 1, P. 251)

By controlling our own money, Thomas Jefferson expected that the government would incur no debt, as had occurred in the European system. (Ref.1, P. 243) European banks are like the FED.

The FED system is the death of our Constitution. (Ref. 1, P. 250)

#### THE PLAN TO REDUCE PERSONAL INCOME TAX BY 75% AND BALANCE THE BUDGET BY ABOLISHING THE FED CAN BE PROVEN BY AMERICAN HISTORY. THE FACTS:

\* England lost the Revolutionary War.

\* England nearly destroyed the Colonies by creating fake Colonial money and hyperinflation

\* Rothschilds who control the Bank of England (Like our FED) said that by controlling the issue of money (printing it) you can control the government.

\* The authors of the Constitution understood private banks" control over governments. The Constitution gives only Congress the right to print money.

\* From the beginning of the United States to present there have been two ways to issue new currency:

The first way is to have the government print the money, debt and interest- free, and circulate it through the economy for use as a medium of exchange. There is no tax levied to pay interest on the currency in circulation because it is debt and interest-free. This is the system Lincoln used with his "greenbacks", a system Kennedy desired, and Jefferson demanded.

The second method is: The Citizens allow the bank to print \$500 billion in currency (cash). The bank pays for printing costs, ink, and paper. The Citizens do not charge the bank any interest for use of the \$500 billion in printed currency. The bank uses the \$500 billion cash to buy a \$500 billion government bond, which pays the bankers interest. The bank keeps some of the bonds and sells, for a fee (10%), some of the bonds to the public. The bank can buy back the bonds from the public simply by printing more money. The bankers can create inflation and depressions by manipulating the amount of currency in circulation. The FED operates exactly like this today. It also prints money (through the U.S. Treasury) and uses this printed money to buy loans from other banks. This money has created our inflation. We give the bank cash interest-free, then they charge us interest on our own currency.

#### Take a look at our history in view of the two banking systems: BEN FRANKLIN - THE TWO BANKING SYSTEMS

From the autobiography of Ben Franklin as reported by Gertrude Coogan in Money Creators: ...the inability of the colonists to get the power to issue their own money permanently out of the hands of George III and the international bankers was the PRIME reason for the Revolutionary War. (Ref.4).

Ben Franklin answering a question about the booming economy of the young colonies: "That is simple. In the colonies we issue our own money. It is called Colonial Scrip. We issue it in proper proportions to the demands of trade and industry." (Colonial Scrip had no debt or interest attached.) (Ref. 4)

#### **BANK OF AMERICA**

International bankers saw that interest-free scrip would keep America free of their influence, so by 1781 banker-backed Alexander Hamilton succeeded in starting the Bank of America. After a few years of "bank money", the prosperity of "Colonial Scrip" was gone. Benjamin Franklin said, "Conditions were so reversed that the era of prosperity had ended and a depression set in to such an extent that the streets of the Colonies were filled with the unemployed!" Bank money was like our FED money. It had debt and interest attached. By 1790 Hamilton and his bankers had created a privately owned central bank and converted the public debt (interest-free) into interest bearing bonds, payable to the bankers. When Hamilton's bank charter expired in 1811, the international bankers started the war of 1812. By 1816, another privately-owned U.S. bank was started with \$35 million in assets - only \$7 million of that was owned by the government. This bank lasted for 20 years. U.S. history shows that currency with debt and interest attached created a depression. (Ref. 4)

#### ANDREW JACKSON - A GREAT PRESIDENT!

When the 1816 charter expired in 1836, Andrew Jackson vetoed its renewal. It was then that he made two famous statements: "The Bank is trying to kill me - but I will kill it!" Later he said "If the American people only understood the rank injustice of our money and banking system - there would be a revolution before morning..." (Reference 4)

#### ABRAHAM LINCOLN - ANOTHER GREAT PRESIDENT!

President Lincoln needed money to finance the Civil War, and the international bankers offered him loans at 24-36% interest. Lincoln balked at their demands because he didn't want to plunge the nation into such a huge debt. Lincoln approached Congress about passing a law to authorize the printing of U.S. Treasury Notes. Lincoln said "We gave the people of this Republic the greatest blessing they ever had - their own paper money to pay their debts..." Lincoln printed over 400 million "Greenbacks" (debt and interest-free) and paid the soldiers, U.S. government employees, and bought war supplies. The international bankers didn't like it and

wanted Lincoln to borrow the money from them so that the American people would owe tremendous interest on the loan. Lincoln's solution made this seem ridiculous. (Reference 1, P. 46, 47; Reference 4)

Shortly after Lincoln's death, the government revoked the Greenback law which ended Lincoln's debt-free, interest-free money. A new national banking act was enacted and all money became interest bearing again. (Reference 4)

The late Thomas A Edison explained the matter of issuing currency this way: "If our nation can issue a dollar bond (interest bearing) it can issue a dollar bill (interest-free). The element that makes the bond good makes a bill good also. The difference between the bond and the bill is that the bond lets money brokers collect twice the amount of the bond and an additional 20 percent, whereas the currency pays nobody but those who contribute directly in some useful way. It is absurd to say that our country can issue \$30 million in bonds and not \$30 million in currency. Both are promises to pay: But one promise fattens the usurers (interest collectors) and the other helps the people." (Reference 1, P.46)

The FED is owned largely by foreign banks that control our economy and Congress through the power of money and the media which they bought with profits generated with profits generated by artificial debt.

If we can convert U.S. dollars that are debt and interest-free to interest bearing currency, we can change it back just as easily. Both the media and the banking system will probably claim that such a change will cause hyper- inflation. The answer however, can be found in history. Lincoln printed debt and interest-free Greenbacks (cash) to finance an entire war. With added production you can add currency without having hyper-inflation. Lincoln proved it. John F. Kennedy - a President with vision! On June 4, 1964, President Kennedy issued Executive Order 11110. This Executive Order called for the issuance of new currency - the United States Note. At the time, \$4,292,893 of this currency was put into circulation. This new currency was to be distributed through the U.S. Treasury and not the Federal Reserve System. Furthermore, it was to be issued debt and interest-free. Upon Kennedy's assassination, this currency was withdrawn from circulation, never to be issued again. The media remained silent on how Kennedy would have eliminated the debt and interest payments, and therefore eliminated the FED. Interest-free United States Notes do not result in hyper-inflation. By issuing United States Notes, interest-free, we have less interest expense, and less taxes. With less taxes people spend more and buy more. This result is added production, and therefore, you can add dollars without inflation. Either Rockefeller and his people will spend your tax money into the economy or you get to spend your own money by paying less taxes. The bankers want you to think you'll have mass inflation by changing the system. This is only true if you add dollars to the economy without added production. For example, look what

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happened in post World War I Germany. They merely printed money without increasing production. The result was hyper-inflation. Another example: In the entire economy, if you have only 10 loaves of bread and only \$10, each loaf would sell for \$1. If you print an extra \$10, now you have \$20 and the 10 loaves which would sell for \$2 each. This is only true if we don't have added production. By cutting taxes, people will spend more and buy more bread. If we print more money and bake more bread, we have \$50 and 50 loaves, so each loaf still sells for \$1. As long as you monitor production with increased cash, inflation will not occur. Under the FED system, the price of bread has dramatically increased since 1913. If we cut taxes and YOU spend your money instead of the BANKERS spending it, you will have more bread, cars, and wealth than the bankers. SOMEONE will spend your money - it might as well be YOU!

A FED-like banking system has destroyed other governments. In five years the only thing taxes will pay is the interest on the debt. Clearly, the FED must be abolished before we're demolished! Already laws are set up to have a dictatorship when we have the economic crisis (Federal Emergency Management Act, or FEMA).

Under the FED system, when a new dollar is issued, we pay taxes to pay for the dollar as the principal (debt) plus interest on the dollar. We pay for each new dollar twice, and who gets most of the money? The bankers, who control this money. Taxpayers should only pay taxes for the paper, ink, and printing costs of new money. Why should we give bankers the right to print money on a printing press, charge them no interest on this money, and then let them exchange their "free" money for a government bond that pays them interest?

England never gave up on owning the United States. They are still silently fighting the same Revolutionary War. The Bank of England, through the Rothschilds, owns and controls the FED (Reference 22). We have been robbed of our wealth, and in five years we will be bankrupt if there is no change. The FED bankers will LEGALLY OWN OUR NATION; OUR HOUSES, OUR CARS, OUR BUSINESSES, just as Thomas Jefferson predicted.

#### SPECIFIC PLAN: HOW TO GET OUT OF DEBT

U.S. history proves that issuing debt and interest-free currency allows our economy to prosper, as long as Congress controls the amount of money created. You can add printed dollars into the economy as you add production, and there will be no inflation. With today's sophisticated computers, we can easily monitor the printing of money and inflation.

Congress needs to buy back the FED and/or abolish it. Any government debt they own would be automatically eliminated. All remaining debt could be paid as needed with the same type of currency Kennedy issued (debt and interest-free United States Notes). United States Notes are backed by the full faith of the best government in the

world - The United States of America. This is no different than the backing of today's Federal Reserve Notes. U.S. citizens collect only a small fraction of the interest income on Federal Bonds and Bills. Foreigners benefit from this interest, but we pay the tax so that they collect interest on our currency. This makes sense to bankers and Congresspeople who receive money from bankers and foreign lobbyists.

As we pay less interest, government spending will decrease and so will taxes. Less taxes mean that people buy more goods and services and our economy expands. An expanded economy means more jobs and higher profits for businesses. More profit means increased state/federal business taxes. Businesses continue to pay taxes while personal taxes decrease. People will have more money to spend, will buy more, and therefore pay increased state sales tax. This allows the states to balance their budgets without raising real estate taxes. As history proves, we will prosper.

For 80 years the FED has destroyed our economy. It will take years to undo this damage. Just as Congress appoints a Postal Service, we will have Congress appoint an agency to monitor inflation as we exchange our retiring government debt for debt and interest-free United States Notes (cash). We need to break up all Central Banks created by the FED and return to the Constitution of the United States. We have to return the power of the citizens' money back to the people.

#### THERE ARE SEVERAL SIMPLE WAYS TO ABOLISH THE FED:

\* Inform all Americans of this report and collect signatures on the petition. \* Demand that Congress and the media support "We the People's" rights to uphold the Constitution and abolish the illegal FED.

\* Write to your local newspaper, show them this report and ask them to keep freedom of the press alive, support the Constitution and abolish the FED. Freedom of the press should not be limited to those who own it.

\* Write to CNN and other media. Tell them you want to see FED-UP(tm) on their programs.

\* Ask your State/County Representatives to use their Constitutional powers to enforce your rights under the Constitution to have the FED abolished. Write to Reference 5 for detailed paperwork to be given to your local government.

\* Call in on TV and radio talk shows and discuss why the FED should be abolished.

 $\ast$  Support businesses who distribute the petition and display the sign "FED-UP". If they don't, please ask them to.

\* Ask candidates if they plan to introduce legislation to abolish the FED and uphold the Constitution which they are obligated to defend. Make candidates take a stand! Have the politician sign a contract with "We the People" enacting legislation to abolish the FED by a certain date or the politician must resign from office. The Democratic Congress and President promised the people "no FED" before the election. Thirteen months later, they passed the FED.

\* Display your bumper sticker to show support and inform people.

\* If 5,000 people distribute 2-3 brochures daily, we can inform half a million Americans monthly. Roughly 10% of these half a million people will make copies and inform others. Our goal is to inform 70 million adult Americans. Public opinion will soon be on our side. Once 10% of the population know, the other 90% will follow.

\* Pray and ask God to return us to "One nation under God."

It is our recommendation that you research the references listed, support all organizations that re trying to stop this fraud, and help us in our goal to get every American to sign this petition.

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## USURY THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL Dr. Leo Rebello

According to the Webster dictionary, usury is a practice of lending money at excessive or unlawfully exorbitant rate of interest.

The recent **Michael Moore** film on Capitalism gives a knock-out punch to the Neocon Capitalism and behind them the Jewish usury plutocracy. He writes: "Plutonomy is the top 1% of the population that controls 95% of the world's wealth". That is why the monetary system has been overturned and the crisis is not going to pass without overturning and judging the criminals. Moore's conclusion: That capitalism is both un-Christian and un-American, an evil that deserves not regulation but elimination.

**Gen. Kostas Konstantinidis** of Greece avers: "I would say that this capitalism is a Jewish system to control the humankind. It is the satanic, anti-life and plotting system of cleptocracy and the oligarchy. Behind it are criminals, greedy, selfish barbarians that now are in the last phase to stop the civilized norms of the Hellenic civilization democracy, freedom, justice, moderated path (*metron*), know yourself, the ecology, the beauty and harmony, the truth (science and technology for humankind) that started 2,500 years ago in Athens. This civilization was eliminated by the Judeo-Christian invasion in Rome and Greece, in the 4<sup>th</sup> Century and is continuing until now. This evil system is barbaric, oppressive, unjust, plotting, theocratic, criminal, hideous, warmonger, divisive and illogical".

**The love of money is the root of all evil.** - 1 Timothy 6:10. And the evil first came from the Temple Priests, then the Goldsmiths and the commercial bankers of today. Practically all important ethical teachers -- Moses, Aristotle, Jesus, Mohammed, and Thomas Aquinas, for instance -- have denounced lending at interest as morally wrong. Thomas Aquinas said: "The Jews should not be allowed to keep what they have obtained from others by usury".

Usury = Interest. The ancient Israelites called usury "a bite." It is like the slow poison of a serpent: The practice of lending to an enemy was "as a means of destroying him". The Old Testament "classes the usurer with the shedder of blood, the defiler of his neighbor's wife, the oppressor of the poor, the spoiler by violence, the violator of the pledge, the idolater, and pronounces the woe upon them, that they who commit these iniquities shall surely die." The usurer was put in the same category with extortionists (Ezekiel 22) and classed with the liar, the unrighteous, and denied the right to inherit the New Jerusalem (Psalm 15). The usurer is further classed with the meanest and lowest of men and the vilest of criminals (Ezekiel 18). Solomon gave us the proverb, "the borrower is servant to the lender". Jesus taught (Luke 6:34-35) ".....lend, hoping for nothing again". Usury was the basis for Jesus' calling the money changers thieves: Therefore, the Master whipped these thieves and indignantly drove them out from the Temple. Every well-informed mind knows that the money changers in the Temple, on that startling occasion, were the Jews. The reason why they ganged up against him and got him crucified. This practice still continues. But now they do not crucify. They shoot.

Money has pernicious effect upon society. It takes no great mind to see that financial

expediency lies behind much of our inhumanity. Some more radical thinkers have argued that money should be eliminated - and with it the notions of possession and property. It is certainly true that some of the less material cultures have no notion of property, possession or money; and have survived very well, and in greater harmony with the rest of life.

Aristotle called usury the most unnatural and unjust of all trades. Money, he said, was to be used for exchange, not the breeding of money from money. Plato condemned it on the grounds that it set one class against another and was therefore destructive to the state. In Rome, Cicero, Cato and Seneca made similar censures.

Usury was outlawed by the Church of Rome's Canon Law, but people got around it by various means. One was to claim that it was impractical to lend money completely free. There were, after all, various small costs involved - the time and paperwork, and sometimes the shipment - and some borrowers failed to repay their loans. Why should the lender lose money? So the Church allowed lenders to charge an *interisse* - the Latin word for 'a loss' - to cover these costs. Soon this 'loss charge' became a fixed percentage, and as greed reared its ugly head the percentage grew, turning the loss into a profit. Usury was back, but under a new name - interest.

Today it's hardly questioned; except perhaps by the person whose life is made a misery by the interest payments he cannot keep up with. But certainly not by the governments and banks who make themselves so much money out of it. Nor by all the people who lend their money to these money-lenders on deposit.

The impact of usury on our world runs far deeper than making the rich richer and the poor poorer - with all the social tensions that engenders. It exacerbates some of the most critical problems of our time.

In essence, usury is wanting something for nothing. Lending money involves no input of human labor - apart perhaps from signing of an agreement and entering some data in a computer. Nor does the act of lending in itself produce anything. The borrower may well use the money to do something useful, but the lender has done nothing. Yet he or she still expects to receive something in return.

Most of the money in circulation consists not of notes and coins, but credit - the money the banks have loaned out to individuals and corporations, and which 'circulates' as it gets transferred from one bank account to another. The banks, of course, demand their interest on all this money out on loan, and in order that this interest can be paid the amount of money in circulation must increase. This extra money does not grow on trees; nor, except in the case of gold, can it be dug out of the ground. It is the banks who supply the additional money, and they do this by making more loans.

These additional loans are, of course, made at an interest, with the result that the money supply must be increased yet further to accommodate them. And so on... Having continually to increase the money supply in order that the interest is paid has two undesirable consequences. First, it promotes inflation. This occurs because the increase in money supply does not in itself increase a nation's wealth. Increase in wealth comes from increased income from products and services. But seldom is this anything like as high as the increase in money supply. The difference is absorbed by inflation.

Let us take a very simple example. Suppose that the banks increase the money supply at the rate of 10% per year but the increase in economic growth is only 4% - quite an optimistic figure for most countries. For every \$100 worth of real wealth a year ago there is now \$104 worth, but the amount of money representing this new wealth has grown to \$110. The net effect is that value of the money in circulation has been diluted by 6%. In other words, it takes more dollars to buy the same thing. This is called inflation.

Nobody likes inflation, particularly the money-lenders. If all the extra money supply is soaked up by inflation, they make no net profit. Much better is to compensate for the extra money by increasing the real wealth. This results in the second undesirable consequence of continually increasing money supply - endless economic growth. It is true that in our current system, growth is deemed necessary for a 'healthy economy' and the maintenance of a decent standard of living. But it is only necessary because of usury in the first place. And when we consider the wider impact of endless economic growth we are forced to question the real health of such an economy.

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It is little wonder, then, that economies based on usury eventually collapse.

We are trying to apply similar accelerating growth to the global economy. For a while the effects were absorbed by the growing size of the population and increasing industrialization. But now that population growth and industrialization are reaching their limits, the environment is beginning to pay the cost.

Meanwhile the banks, ever in search of new borrowers, entice the less-developed countries to take out enormous loans. 'You need not remain peasants, with our money you can grow cash crops, trade with other countries, set up new industries, manufacture things you need, create new wealth. Why not become a 'developing nation' and enjoy the advantages and comforts of economic growth? Then you can live as we do and buy lots of the nice things we produce (which you don't really need, but which we need to sell).

'Like anyone else, you'll of course have to pay interest on this loan (but in our money, please; not the worthless stuff you print). If at first you can't manage to pay us back, don't worry, we'll lend you some more to tide you over. And if, as the interest mounts, you still can't pay, we'll help you out by buying some of those nice resources you have - but at a knock-down price.

The net result of usury? Rain forests are consumed even faster. Species become extinct more rapidly than we can classify them as endangered. More and more Earth is torn up to meet our ever-growing demand for minerals. And the extra waste generated by all this additional activity fouls the air, pollutes the water and poisons the land.

Meanwhile we continue to preach that endless economic growth is healthy.

The profits they are making go to their investors. Banks that fund new enterprises do not lend money at a mere ten or fifteen per cent as they do to you or me. Businesses are riskier; many fail and never repay their loans. And to cover this extra risk the banks demand 25%, or even 40% per annum on their loans. This is what causes many growing businesses to cut environmental corners. If it's a choice between foreclosure and a little pollution, guess which one is chosen?

And then there are the shareholders. They have very seldom invested this money out of the kindness of their heart, or because they really believe a particular company is doing good and should be supported. The usual criterion (ethical-investment included) is: where will the most money be made? Whose shares will rise the most? Who will pay the best dividends? And the directors of the company, answerable as they are to the shareholders, do what they are told. We have lent our money to the company, and want as much usury in return as we can get.

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Sustained economic growth requires, as we have seen, the production of more and more goods. Most people in the more-developed countries already have the things they need for their physical well-being, so they have to be persuaded to buy them for other reasons. The obvious candidate is the satisfaction of their psychological needsthe needs for security, approval, self-esteem, power, stimulus, love and suchlike.

We have to break the vicious circle society has caught itself in. To solve the many problems facing us we have to tend the root causeour addiction to the world of things and the love of money to which it leads. This is the virus in our mind, the root cause of our malignant tendencies.

Do not borrow and fall into the trap of the criminal usurer. As Henry Ford opined: "I am convinced that nearly all wars are caused so that someone will profit and those who profited and those who are profiting now are the International Financiers, the Jews. Gather together the fifty wealthiest Jewish Financiers, the men who create wars for their own profits, control them and you will put an end to it all".



while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen. For the things which are seen are temporary, but the things which are not seen are eternal. - II CORINTHIANS 4:18 NKJV

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## INDIAN CULTURE DOES NOT SUBSCRIBE TO WAR Radhakrishnan Pillai

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From time to time every generation has dealt in wars, in some form or the other. Be it war between nations, communal violence or internal unrest. After a long period of struggle finally all of them conclude, "War is not the solution!" Then why do we try that route?

The only reason why wars continue is that we do not learn from our past. We need to take a look at the past, understand the present and create our future. All wars including the world wars have concluded that we need to exist in co-operation rather than competition.

The result of the World War 1 and 2 was the creation of United Nations, to work in coordination with all the nations across the globe. Its mandate is to share earth's resources equitably and creation of peace. Then why do we still have war like situations?

In India, for centuries, we have understood that wars are not the real options. Indian history is largely a civilisational history. It is rich in arts, architecture, sciences, music, and dance, pursuit of excellence through generations.

History is also about the social life, family values and the spiritual search of each individual. We understand history from different perspectives. Thus, when we go through Indian history, both oral and written, we find that our great sages and saints through their search for peace via meditation have changed and enriched our lives and taught us to avoid wars and live in peace.

It is not that India did not have wars or battles at all. The first to invade India was Alexander the Great. Another great emperor was Ashoka. In the *Kalinga* war he had seen so much bloodshed that he decided to embrace Buddhism. He realised the value of non-violence and was instrumental in spreading Buddhism far and wide. Today, in addition to India, Buddhism has spread to China, Tibet, Japan, Korea, Myanmar, Vietnam, Cambodia, Thailand, Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Nepal and Bhutan, thanks to Ashoka.

Mughals were the only ruthless rulers who tried to destroy and plunder through violent means. However, our tolerance, our high values, our natural beauty, our stressless pace and plenty of resources had sobering influence even on them. Akbar understood the strength of Indian tradition of love and respect. He respected Indian

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culture and understood it completely. He formed a new religion called *Dine-Ilahi* taking the best from Indian and Islamic culture. Portuguese, French, Englishmen too ruled over us in recent centuries. But the greatness of India lies in sending them back home, non-violently.

We can proudly aver that India has not invaded any country. Instead, we have helped Bangla Desh in its liberation and saved Maldives when someone tried to capture that tiny and defenseless Islamic nation, in the Indian Ocean. Of late we have had some communal and terrorist attacks on us, but forces inimical to our progress have politically engineered them.

*Chanakya*, by far, was our greatest war strategists. In the *Kautilya's Arthashastra*, written in 3<sup>rd</sup> century B.C., he writes at length about the theory of war and its implications. Let us take a *sutra* (verse) from the *Arthashastra*: "He should enter the enemy's residence with permission" (1.16.10). It is a direction given to the kings, that even if you have an enemy you have to go to him for discussion, with permission.

The well-known theory of *Chanakya* to achieve results is *Sama* (discussion), *Dana* (rewards), *Danda* (fear) and *Bheda* (separation). This theory, to solve problems starts with discussion. And "through discussion 99% problems can be solved", says Dr. Leo Rebello.

In his latest book, **The Idea of Justice**, Dr. Amartya Sen states that the only way to avoid wars is through meetings and open discussions. To arrive at 'what' is right rather than 'who' is right. In most cases, instead of a good discussion to arrive at solutions to a problem, we end up with arguments.

So if you have problems with your enemies meet them by taking prior permission. Go with an open mind and be ready for new ideas to explore.

Let us take a few steps on how we can have a good meeting with our opponents with the view that we want to turn them into friends.

#### 1. Be open minded

The western management teaches us that for good decision making the 'process' has to be right. Indian way of management focuses on the 'state of mind' being right while taking decisions. Without any pre-conceived notions we need to approach the other person. Yes, we need data and statistics in hand to understand the situation but that is only to have a realistic picture of where we stand. Good leaders, however, go beyond the data.

#### 2. Seek for a win-win situation

If there is a problem let's face it. Instead of being optimistic or pessimistic let's be

realistic. In facing realities we open up new possibilities. Let's discuss solutions instead of problems. Even if the views differ we can still agree in differences. Once a south Indian met an Englishman over breakfast. The South Indian suggested *Idlis* (rice cake) for breakfast. While the Englishman suggested Berries. "Let's try a combination of Idli-Berries" was the friendly solution. Surprisingly, the combination was very good.

#### 3. Past as an indicator need not be the solution

Most of us carry a lot of load from the past when we come to the discussion table. The past can only be an indicator but cannot be the solution. The decisions of the past were based on various factors, which the present may not have. As human society is very dynamic lots of changes keep happening. So why limit ourselves with something that happened in the past? "Look ahead" said Swami Chinmayananda. He said "Human beings talk about revolutions; we should be thinking of evolution. Usually revolutions are armed struggles but evolutions are the right way up well thought and peacefully executed"

#### 4. Be ready to try the new route

At the end of it we should be able to try a new route. As Mahatma Gandhi said, "You must be the change you wish to see in the world". So, take that first step and work for change. Yes, in the initial stages it may seem difficult but the only way to learn to drive is drive. You will learn on the way and even if there are temporary shortcomings it should not matter. As you set examples, others will follow. Thought leaders become successful when they are able to execute their ideas and achieve results.

#### 5. Share with others

Once you have found that your new path has led you to success, do not keep it with yourself. Share it with others. We see many who do not share their so-called 'trade secrets' with others. This comes from insecurity. Have trust in the divine. Nature has its own way of rewarding those who know how to give to others. Share your success stories with others. Only givers finally become successful.

In conclusion, wars can be avoided if we have the right approach and good leaders. In the Mahabharata Lord Krishna states, "The aim of war is not victory but creating a new society". So if we can create a new society without taking up weapons, why have wars?



## **HIV-AIDS RACKET**

This is the first person report on XV International AIDS Conference held in Bangkok from 11 to 16 July 2004. It was written and circulated by Dr. Leo Rebello in 2004 widely. If you read this comprehensive report and juxtapose it with 'War on your Health' you will further know how Pharma mafia has been culling the population through various methods.

**1..** This was the third consecutive AIDS Conference I attended. The first one was in Durban in 2000 (the best), the second was Barcelona (the worst) and this one, in Bangkok, proved that the Asians have better brains and capacity of organizing, innovation and hospitality. The innovation being the Global Village.

**2..** 'Global Village' was located strategically on the ground floor in the Impact Convention Center, with the total space of 7,500 m<sup>2</sup> and was divided conceptually into five zones: Community Radio, Community Market, Spiritual and Mental Health Promotion Centre, Centre for Community Networking and Advocacy and Global Village Coordination Centre. It was for those who could not afford the IAC 2004 registration fee (1000 US dollars) to listen to rubbish like HIV tests, condoms for prevention, carcinogenic anti-retroviral drugs as "life saving" treatment and bogus vaccine trials to hoodwink people.

**3.** 19,000 delegates from all over the world thronged Bangkok, once infamous for 'free sex' now known for 'safe sex' and 'traditional massage' (foreigners enjoyed it and the locals made brisk business with reasonable rates of 150 Bahts for one hour of therapeutic pressing). Thai hospitality was at its best, exotic food and wine was aplenty (but no one got drunk), fashion clothes much better than in fashion capital France and the *goras* (whites) went gaga over the chic ethnic couture very affordable. Law and order was excellent, but unobtrusive. Smoking was strictly not allowed inside the conference venue or public transport (luxurious air-conditioned limousine buses).

**4.** The Thai PM Thaksin Shinawatra, who spoke extempore and delivered a 'politically correct' speech, inaugurated the Conference. UN Secretary-General Kofi Annan was accompanied by his wife Nane and read out a prepared speech that showed no understanding of the AIDS situation at its best and connivance with the pharma cartel at its worst. The other bigwigs who were present at the AIDS conference included: Nelson Mandela, his second wife Graca Machel, Sonia Gandhi, Miss Universe 2004 Jennifer Hawkins, veteran soul singer Dionne Warwick, Actress Ashley Judd, star of 'Double Jeopardy'; singer Coco Lee, Hollywood star Rupert Everett, the star of movies like 'My Best Friend's Wedding'; Actor and activist Richard Gere, actress-activist Shabana Azmi and hundreds of ministers accustomed to enjoying free trips, roaming aimlessly.

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Dr. Leo Rebello, World Peace Envoy, with Mrs. Sonia Gandhi, MP, on 16th July, 2004, at the XV International AIDS Conference, Bangkok, Thailand.

**5.** I conducted daily workshops at the Global Village on Yoga and Meditation, Naturopathy and Diet for AIDS patients, as also on De-stressing through Drawings and Paintings, which got tremendous response. Thai people at least know about Thai traditional medicine (Ayurveda). As for the mad Americans and Europeans 'surviving on mediclaim' less said the better. Their understanding about Holistic Healing modalities is abysmal.

**6.** XV International AIDS conference, as in the past, began and ended with ARVs, more

ARVs and more ARVs. Anti-retroviral drugs (ARVs) offer no cure for AIDS. The toxic effects of ARVs include nerve damage, weakened bones, cancers, unusual accumulation of fat in the neck and abdomen and drug-induced diabetes. Many people have developed dangerously high levels of cholesterol and other lipids in the blood, raising concern that HIV positive persons might face another epidemic of heart disease. Indiscriminate use of ARVs to pregnant mothers is fraught with danger. If a cigarette smoking mother can deliver a 'blue baby', if an alcoholic mother can deliver a 'drunk child', if thalidomide can produce 'monster babies', you are unwittingly playing with the future generation by demanding that the HIV positive mothers be given ARVs compulsorily.

**7.** There are now some 20 ARVs and even if you were to read the mandatory caution, you will wonder how these drugs can be called 'life saving'? But that is how they are promoted and the Africans dance with their 'big botties' and make chimpanzee noises demanding free access to these dangerous drugs, not knowing what the white supremacists are trying to do to them. Their hero Nelson Mandela is unwittingly playing into the hands of Pharma mafia in spreading 'AIDS SCARE' rather than nailing the AIDS LIE. He has formed Nelson Mandela Foundation (NMF) which organised a charity concert in Cape Town in December 2003 (clippings of which were shown on the penultimate day of the conference). Called Campaign 46664, his prison number, to create awareness and fight HIV/AIDS, the politics of NMF are counter to South African President Thabo Mbeiki's sensible policies on HIV/AIDS and malnutrition, the biggest scourge of African continent.

**8.** Persons Living with AIDS (PLWAs) or the organisers of AIDS conferences (pharma cartel) do not know or pretend not to know that AIDS was started as a population control programme by the CIA. The second phase is to increase the numbers of AIDS patients by false tests designed to test 90% positive and manipulating statistics. Supplying more and more ARVs to larger number of population so that their genes are

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mutated and the future generations turn out to be zombies, unable to think, oppose or act is the ultimate goal of this sinister programme. <u>AIDS is the biggest con of our times and a few examples will suffice.</u>

**9.** I asked Dr. Jack Chow, Dy. Director General, WHO: "World Health Assembly has passed several resolutions in favour of integration of traditional and natural medicines for TB and AIDS. Why then the WHO always gives step-motherly treatment to Alternative Medicine in spite of apex body's resolutions? Is that why WHO is now called WHOre of the pharma cartel?". Tongue tied.

**10.** I asked Prof. Richard Chaisson of John Hopkins: "Your University recently, in association with WHO, declared after extensive study that diet and nutrition can save millions of children from dying. Why then your costly research protocol on the so-called AIDS pandemic has not taken note of this? Is it the case of left hand not knowing what the right hand is doing?". No answer.

**11.** I asked Dr. Helena Gayle, a minion of Gates Foundation and President-elect of International AIDS Society: "Your foundation has announced another 50 million dollars (chicken feed considering the tax exemption and publicity that Bill Gates will get). But does not even allocate 10% grants to research in traditional and natural medicine. Why? Is it because you know nothing about these systems of medicine or your boss wants to make money now in pharma business having invested heavily in all pharma MNCs?". She was stunned by my straight questions. But being a politician, she said she would discuss them later. Why later? Why not during the IAC when world attention is drawn to it?

**12.** I persist. I ask them that when V-1 Immunitor (the Thai oral vaccine/nano biotechnology) has shown great efficacy, or when safer homeopathic vaccines (nosodes) are available, why are they not taking it up, they have no answer. I ask them

if after 50 years of trials, and billions of dollars down the drain, Cancer vaccine is not found, how can they be so sure that they will be able to find a vaccine against mutating HIV, which itself has not been identified, they gawk at me and take another question. Hundreds of participants look at me with awe or queerly.

**13.** I personally gave copies of my 'AIDS and Alternative Medicine' book (3rd Edition, soon to go into 4th by popular demand) to (a) Nelson Mandela (b) Sonia Gandhi (c) Richard Gere and several others in the hope that they will get the light of the day. Nelson Mandela, ofcourse, is too old (he is 86)



Dr. Leo Rebello, President, AIDS Alternativa, with Actor Richard Gere, at Bangkok, on 13 July, 2004, during the XV International AIDS Conference.

to understand or acknowledge the racket called AIDS. Sonia Gandhi (whose speech was the best and who got a standing ovation for that) did mention *en passant* about some people not believing in the established theory of AIDS.

**14.** If only all the above people were to read my foolproof book on AIDS or visited my popular website: <u>www.healthwisdom.org</u> they will get the complete picture of this so-called AIDS pandemic being drummed up to high crescendo. As Hitler said, "A lie repeated a thousand times becomes truth". When will this genocide unleashed by Pharma mafia in the name of AIDS pandemic ever end?

**15.** For the first time, '2004 AIDS Film Festival' was organised. Held simultaneously at three different venues: (a) at Room 11 in Impact Centre (b) Lido Cinema and (c) Goethe Institut, from 13 to 19 hours, it brought many visitors. 40 Films selected from over 100 received (between April and May 2004) were screened. They dealt with exploitation of women, their low status, the trafficking of young girls, the vast crisis of illiteracy, unemployment, penury and explosive spread of injecting drug use in many countries. Films selected from various geographical regions, themes and genres were in different languages with English sub-titles or voice-overs. I saw one very poignant film titled *Meddah* (Mercy). It revolves around Luk Nam, an 11-year old girl in Thailand whose life has forever been changed by AIDS. Filmed over two years at a community hospice in the slums of Bangkok, the story unfolds through Luk Nam's diary as she recalls the loss of her family and her best friend.

**16. I made the following comments at the end of the film.** I am standing here in four capacities: (a) as a Parent (b) as a Physician (c) as a Human Rights Activist and (d) as a Communicator. As a Communicator I say that the film is excellent / heart rending. As a Physician, I must caution you that the children dying in the community hospice, as is evident from the film, were all dying by drugs, not by disease. Drug reaction and suffering due to them is evident. If only the children could speak and assert, the story would be different. As a Human Rights Activist and Parent, therefore, I shall stand up and speak fearlessly. And my indictment is pharma mafia is killing the children. We are also killing our children either due to ignorance, complicity or silence. After seeing this film I am more convinced that I will have to speak up more fearlessly to stop this sinister game. This report proves the point.

**17. I shall conclude this report with two Anecdotes:** All the participants at the AIDS conference were given free condoms daily. So, when I received my 100<sup>th</sup> condom as gift (in less than a week) at the hands of a beautiful, buxom college girl working as a volunteer (there were hundreds of them) I asked her teasingly, "what am I supposed to do with it?". She replied, like a parrot, "use it for safe sex". I retorted, "You have provided a condom, the next logical step is to gift a woman". She blushed, giggled, bowed and answered smartly that her job was only to distribute condoms.

**18.** At a stall on female condoms, I found a high ranking Thai bureaucrat being 'educated' by the college kids on the benefits of Female condom, and the press personnel going crazy to get that byte. I asked the volunteers at that stall: "Condoms come in how many sizes because African, American women are too big, whereas Thai women are very slim and small". The boys could not answer. I asked the Thai official whether he knew that Penises came in three sizes 5 inches (standard size), 7 inches and 9 inches (according to Playboy magazine world survey), the official laughed and sneaked away before I could ask him another difficult question.

**19.** This condom approach (incidentally a condom protects only 60%) is creating condom culture of promiscuity, condom ethics, condom morals, condom generation and condom civilisation. We are writing condomised history. Infact one lady has even created condom wedding gowns and fancy dresses, which you can wear only once like the condoms. If this madness were to continue, there would be only one-night stands, no marriages, and no population on earth. Only selected members of Masonic Mafia, who is masterminding the world, will rule to glory.

**20. When AIDS Conference next comes to India,** I shall be the first one to organise a parallel conference on AIDS and Alternative Medicine. Let us end this AIDS racket which is playing havoc with people's health and lives.



Dr. Leo Rebello and Mrs. Kashmira Rebello with Pope Benedict XVI on 15<sup>th</sup> November 2006 at the Vatican, Rome

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Extracted from *Twilight of the Psychopaths*, by Dr. Kevin Barrett [http://www.agoracosmopolitan.com/home/Frontpage/2008/01/02/02073.html] and *The Trick of the Psychopath's Trade* by Silvia Cattori (http://www.tinyurl.com/53qjml). Both articles reference the book *Political Ponerology: A science on the nature of evil adjusted for political purposes*, by Andrzej Lobaczewski. Cattori's article includes an interview with the book's editors, Laura Knight-Jadczyk and Henry See.

We make the effort to share this information because it gives us, at last, a plausible answer to a long-unanswered question: Why, no matter how much intelligent goodwill exists in the world, is there so much war, suffering and injustice? It doesn't seem to matter what creative plan, ideology, religion, or philosophy great minds come up with, nothing seems to improve our lot. Since the dawn of civilization, this pattern repeats itself over and over again.

The answer is that civilization, as we know it, is largely the creation of psychopaths. All civilizations have been built on slavery and mass murder. Psychopaths have played a disproportionate role in the development of civilization, because they are hard-wired to lie, kill, cheat, steal, torture, manipulate, and generally inflict great suffering on other humans without feeling any remorse, in order to establish their own sense of security through domination. The inventor of civilization the first tribal chieftain who successfully brainwashed an army of controlled mass murderers was almost certainly a genetic psychopath. Since that momentous discovery, psychopaths have enjoyed a significant advantage over non-psychopaths in the struggle for power in civilizational hierarchies especially military hierarchies.

Behind the apparent insanity of contemporary history, is the actual insanity of psychopaths fighting to preserve their disproportionate power. And as their power gets ever-more-threatened, the psychopaths grow ever-more-desperate. We are witnessing the apotheosis of the overworld the overlapping criminal syndicates that lurk above ordinary society and law just as the underworld lurks below it.

**During the past fifty years, psychopaths have gained almost absolute control of all the branches of government.** You can notice this if you observe carefully that no matter what illegal thing a modern politician does, no one will really take him to task. All of the so called *scandals* that have come up, any one of which would have taken

down an authentic administration, are just farces played out for the public, to distract them, to make them think that the democracy is still working.

One of the main factors to consider in terms of how a society can be taken over by a group of pathological deviants is that the psychopaths' only limitation is the participation of susceptible individuals within that given society. Lobaczewski gives an average figure for the most active deviants of approximately 6% of a given population. (1% essential psychopaths and up to 5% other psychopathies and characteropathies.) The essential psychopath is at the center of the web. The others form the first tier of the psychopath's control system.

The next tier of such a system is composed of individuals who were born normal, but are either already warped by long-term exposure to psychopathic material via familial or social influences, or who, through psychic weakness have chosen to meet the demands of psychopathy for their own selfish ends. Numerically, according to Lobaczewski, this group is about 12% of a given population under normal conditions.

So approximately 18% of any given population is active in the creation and imposition of a Pathocracy. The 6% group constitutes the Pathocratic 'nobility' and the 12% group forms the new bourgeoisie, whose economic situation is the most advantageous.

When you understand the true nature of psychopathic influence that it is conscienceless, emotionless, selfish, cold and calculating, and devoid of any moral or ethical standards, you are horrified, but at the same time everything suddenly begins to make sense. Our society is ever more soulless because the people who lead it and who set the example are soulless - they literally have no conscience.

In his book *Political Oenology*, Andrej Lobaczewski explains that clinical psychopaths enjoy advantages even in non-violent competitions to climb the ranks of social hierarchies. Because they can lie without remorse (and without the telltale physiological stress that is measured by lie detector tests), psychopaths can always say whatever is necessary to get what they want. In court, for example, psychopaths can tell extreme bald-faced lies in a plausible manner, while their sane opponents are handicapped by an emotional predisposition to remain within hailing distance of the truth. Too often, the judge or jury imagines that the truth must be somewhere in the middle, and then issues decisions that benefit the psychopath. As with judges and juries, so too with those charged with decisions concerning who to promote and who not to promote in corporate, military and governmental hierarchies. The result is that all hierarchies inevitably become top-heavy with psychopaths. Since psychopaths have no limitations on what they can or will do to get to the top, the ones in charge are generally pathological. *It is not power that corrupts, it is that corrupt individuals get into the positions of power*.

How can we distinguish between psychopaths and healthy people? What is the portrait of a true psychopath?

Such a dangerous question has almost never been successfully asked. The reason is because we mistakenly confuse *healthy* for *normal*. Human psychological diversity is the *health* of our race. There is no *normal* because *healthy* humans continuously evolve beyond all normalizing standards. The terrorism of searching through hierarchies for anyone deviating from *normal* is no different from witch-hunts or Inquisitions. You must remember that hierarchies thrive on such low dramas, torturing victims until they confess to *evil* beliefs. Not so long ago the church and state ongoingly acquired significant income and property through witch-hunts and Inquisitions. This continued for over two hundred and fifty years. Ten generations of Europeans understood pogrom as normal life. Let us not return to that nightmare. Testing for *normal* is guaranteed to backfire in our face. There is no normal. But there *is* conscience.

We have very little empirical evidence to support the idea that true psychopathy is the result of an abused childhood, and much empirical evidence to support that it is genetic. The neurobiological model offers us the greatest hope of being able to identify even the most devious psychopath. Other recent studies lead to similar results and conclusions: that psychopaths have great difficulty processing verbal and nonverbal affective (emotional) material, that they tend to confuse the emotional significance of events, and most importantly, that *these deficits show up in brain scans*! A missing internal connection between the feeling heart and the thinking brain is detectable.

Psychopaths are incapable of authentic deep emotions. In fact, when Robert Hare, a Canadian psychologist who spent his career studying psychopathy, did brain scans on psychopaths while showing them two sets of words, one set of neutral words with no emotional associations and a second set with emotionally charged words, while different areas of the brain lit up in the non-psychopathic control group, in the psychopaths, both sets were processed in the same area of the brain, the area that deals with language. They did not have an emotional reaction until they intellectually concluded that it would be better if they had one, and then they whipped up an emotional response just for show.

The simplest, clearest and truest portrait of the psychopath is given in the titles of three seminal works on the subject: *Without Conscience* by Robert Hare, *The Mask of Sanity* by Hervey Cleckley, and *Snakes in Suits* by Robert Hare and Paul Babiak. A **psychopath is exactly that: conscienceless.** The most important thing to remember is that this lack of conscience is hidden from view behind a mask of normality that is often so convincing that even experts are deceived. As a result, psychopaths become the *Snakes in Suits* that control our world.

**Psychopaths lack a sense of remorse or empathy with others.** They can be extremely charming and are experts at using talk to charm and hypnotize their prey. They are also irresponsible. Nothing is ever their fault; someone else or the world at large is always to blame for all of their *problems* or their mistakes. Martha Stout, in her book *The Sociopath Next Door*, identifies what she calls the pity ploy. **Psychopaths use pity to manipulate.** They convince you to give them one more chance, and to not tell anyone about what they have done. **So another trait and a very important one is their ability to control the flow of information.** 

They also seem to have little real conception of past or future, living entirely for their immediate needs and desires. Because of the barren quality of their inner life, they are often seeking new thrills, anything from feeling the power of manipulating others to engaging in illegal activities simply for the rush of adrenaline.

Another trait of the psychopath is what Lobaczewski calls their special psychological knowledge of normal people. They have studied us. They know us better than we know ourselves. They are experts in knowing how to push our buttons, to use our emotions against us. But beyond that, they even seem to have some sort of hypnotic power over us. When we begin to get caught up in the web of the psychopath, our ability to think deteriorates, gets muddied. They seem to cast some sort of spell over us. It is only later when we are no longer in their presence, out of their spell, that the clarity of thought returns and we find ourselves wondering how it was that we were unable to respond or counter what they were doing.

**Psychopaths learn to recognize each other in a crowd** as early as childhood, and they develop an awareness of the existence of other individuals similar to themselves. They also become conscious of being of a different world from the majority of other people surrounding them. They view us from a certain distance.

Think about the ramifications of this statement: Psychopaths are, to some extent, self-aware as a group even in childhood! Recognizing their fundamental difference from the rest of humanity, their allegiance would be to others of their kind, that is, to other psychopaths.

Their own twisted sense of honor compels them to cheat and revile non-psychopaths and their values. In contradiction to the ideals of normal people, psychopaths feel that breaking promises and agreements is normal behavior.

Not only do they covet possessions and power and feel they have the right to them just because they exist and can take them, but they gain special pleasure in usurping and taking from others; what they can plagiarize, swindle, and extort are fruits far sweeter than those they can earn through honest labor. They also learn very early how

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their personalities can have traumatizing effects on the personalities of nonpsychopaths, and how to take advantage of this root of terror for purposes of achieving their goals.

So now, imagine how human beings who are totally in the dark about the presence of psychopaths can be easily deceived and manipulated by these individuals, gaining power in different countries, pretending to be loyal to the local populations while at the same time playing up obvious and easily discernable physical differences between groups (such as race, skin color, religion, etc). Psychologically normal humans would be set against one another on the basis of unimportant differences (think of Rwanda 1994, think of Israelis and Palestinians) while the deviants in power, with a fundamental difference from the rest of us, a lack of conscience, an inability to feel for another human being, reaped the benefits and pulled the strings.

We are seeing the final desperate power-grab or *endgame* (Alex Jones) of brutal, cunning gangs of CIA drug-runners and President-killers; money-laundering international bankers and their hit-men economic and otherwise; corrupt military contractors and gung-ho generals; corporate predators and their political enablers; brainwashers and mind-rapists euphemistically known as psy-ops and PR specialists in short, the whole crew of certifiable psychopaths running our so-called civilization. And they are running scared.

Why does the Pathocracy fear it is losing control? Because it is threatened by the spread of knowledge. The greatest fear of any psychopath is of being found out.

Psychopaths go through life knowing that they are completely different from other people. **Deep down they know something is missing in them.** They quickly learn to hide their lack of empathy, while carefully studying others' emotions so as to mimic normalcy while cold-bloodedly manipulating the normal.

Today, thanks to new information technologies, we are on the brink of unmasking the psychopaths and building a civilization of, by and for the healthy human being a civilization without war, a civilization based on truth, a civilization in which the saintly few rather than the diabolical few would gravitate to positions of power. We already have the knowledge necessary to diagnose psychopathic personalities and keep them out of power. We have the knowledge necessary to dismantle the institutions in which psychopaths especially flourish militaries, intelligence agencies, large corporations, and secret societies. We simply need to disseminate this knowledge, and the will to use it, as widely and as quickly as possible.

Until the knowledge and awareness of pathological human beings is given the attention it deserves and becomes part of the general knowledge of all human beings, there is no way that things can be changed in any way that is effective and long-

lasting. If half the people agitating for truth or stopping the war or saving the earth would focus their efforts, time and money on exposing psychopathy, we might get somewhere.

One might ask if the weak point of our society has been our tolerance of psychopathic behavior? Our disbelief that someone could seem like an intelligent leader and still be acting deceptively on their own behalf without conscience? Or is it merely ignorance?

If the general voting public is not aware that there exists a category of people we sometimes perceive as *almost human*, who look like us, who work with us, who are found in every race, every culture, speaking every language, but who are lacking conscience, how can the general public take care to block them from taking over the hierarchies? General ignorance of psychopathology may prove to be the downfall of civilization. We stand by like grazing sheep as political / corporate elites throw armies of our innocent sons and daughters against fabricated enemies as a way of generating trillions in profits, vying against each other for pathological hegemony.

Nearly everyone who has been part of an organization working for social change has probably seen the same dynamic play out: The good and sincere work of many can be destroyed by the actions of one person. That doesn't bode well for bringing some sort of justice to the planet! In fact, if psychopaths dominate political hierarchies, is it any wonder that peaceful demonstrations have zero impact on the outcome of political decisions? Perhaps it is time to choose something other than massive, distant hierarchies as a way of governing ourselves?

So many efforts to provide essays, research reports, exposés and books to leaders so they might take the new information to heart and change their behavior have come to naught. For example, in the final paragraph of his revised edition of the book, *The Party's Over*, Richard Heinberg writes: "I still believe that if the people of the world can be helped to understand the situation we are in, the options available, and the consequences of the path we are currently on, then it is at least possible that they can be persuaded to undertake the considerable effort and sacrifice that will be entailed in a peaceful transition to a sustainable, locally based, decentralized, low-energy, resource-conserving social regime. But inspired leadership will be required".

Only when the 75% of humanity with a healthy conscience come to understand that we have a natural predator, a group of people who live amongst us, viewing us as powerless victims to be freely fed upon for achieving their inhuman ends, only then will we take the fierce and immediate actions needed to defend what is preciously human. Psychological deviants have to be removed from any position of power over people of conscience, period. People must be made aware that such individuals exist and must learn how to spot them and their manipulations. The hard part is that one must also struggle against those tendencies to mercy and kindness in oneself in order not to become prey.

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The real problem is that the knowledge of psychopathy and how psychopaths rule the world has been effectively hidden. People do not have the adequate, nuance knowledge they need to really make a change from the bottom up. Again and again, throughout history it has been *meet the new boss, same as the old boss*. If there is any work that is deserving of full time efforts and devotion for the sake of helping humanity in this present dark time, it is the study of psychopathy and the propagation of this information as far and wide and fast as possible.

There are only two things that can bring a psychopath under submission: (a) A bigger psychopath. (b) The non-violent, absolute refusal to submit to psychopathic controls no matter the consequences (non-violent noncompliance).

Let us choose path 2. If individuals simply sat down and refused to lift a hand to further one single aim of the psychopathic agenda, if people refused to pay taxes, if soldiers refused to fight, if government workers and corporate drones and prison guards refused to go to work, if doctors refused to treat psychopathic elites and their families, the whole system would grind to a screeching halt.

True change happens in the moment that a person becomes aware of psychopathy in all its chilling details. From this new awareness, the world looks different, and entirely new actions can be taken. Distinguishing between human and psychopathic qualities begins the foundation of responsibility upon which we have a real chance to create sustainable culture.

**Dr. Leo Rebello's Note:** (a) It is about time we identified these psychopaths and control them to save the world. Simultaneously (b) we need to dismantle the old hierarchical structures; (c) identify inspired men and women who will see reason and the light of day, who will change, learn and grow, make compassionate decisions and take conscientious actions, and (d) get them elected to powerful offices. Do not go on dreaming, discussing, and planning *ad nauseam*. Having finished reading the best brains, now turn to the Last Word, which gives a foolproof plan for a World without Wars, and act in that direction.

## NGOs WORKING FOR WORLD WITHOUT WARS, WORLD WITHOUT BORDERS, WORLD WITHOUT HUNGER, etc.

It is one of the greatest achievements of this century that millions of individuals and groups work dedicatedly for the betterment of humanity and the world. We have selected 111 organizations that believe in *Oughtopia*, (meaning what ought-to-be in society) and provide an ideal vision of a spiritually beautiful, materially sufficient and humanly rewarding society through Goodwill, Cooperation and Service.

The five major movements that emerge through these collective efforts are: movement for a healthy society; movement for better living; movement for the love of nature; movement for the restoration of human dignity; and movement for global peace.

But a miniscule few who control everything upset the balance. In preparing this list we discovered that certain organizations are two faced, representing themselves to the public as serving bright principles, yet secretly funded by and serving shadow agendas. Therefore, we have applied the following criteria to our list:

(a) That these listed organizations are not funded by the CIA, KGB, Mossad, World Bank, IMF and other such world ruining agencies.

(b) That these listed organizations are not working for UNO, WHO, UNAIDS, or such organizations which promote hidden agenda of de-population.

(c) That these listed organizations are not in anyway connected with the Freemasons or Arms and Drug syndicates, or Zionist mafia, imperialist establishments, new world order manipulators, globalist reptilians, corporate racketeers, (p)harmaceutical mafia or their surrogates who believe in "Useless Eaters" doctrine or who subscribe to "Lifeboat ethics" because of their warped thinking and insatiable greed.

(d) We have included some US NGOs. But we have ensured that the façade organizations are kept out as USA is destroying itself and we cannot use that decadent model to save the world.

(e) We have kept religious organizations out of this list, too, as they maintain *status quo ante*. In fact, they emasculate us. We need radical humanism, but radical humanism does not imply a gun for a gun or an eye for an eye. We, the peace loving people, do not believe in that.

(f) That the organizations selected have long history of selfless service, they are spread all over the world, they have contributed immensely towards world progress, they believe in non-violent civil disobedience and that they offer a ray of hope for humanity when all around us we find the debris of death.

Here are 111 organizations that work for the removal of disparities, hunger, and exploitation; organizations that work for uniting us with a link language like Esperanto; organizations that subscribe to 'world family' idea; organizations that promote Holistic Healing and Holistic Development. We have also included Red Cross, which, once the world becomes free of wars or free of borders will automatically cease to exist along with many of these listed organisations. That is the day we all wish to see in our lifetime.

The compilers of this list, as do the leaders of 111 NGOs, believe like Francisco Gomes de Matos, Professor Emeritus, Federal University of Pernambuco, Recife, Brazil, who wrote to me: "On reading your well-crafted alliterated book title, the following text popped up in my mind and I dedicate it to you:

"Can there be a World without Wars? Yes, it is a Planet without sores deeply inspired by humanizing cores committed to Life-preserving Mores".

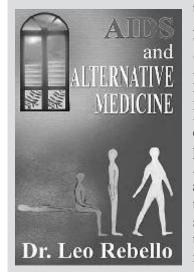
**1. Abolition 2000 -** A Global Network of 2000 organizations in more than 90 countries working for a treaty to eliminate nuclear weapons within a time bound framework. It is open to all organizations endorsing the abolition 2000 statement. The member organizations meet once a year and communicate on an ongoing basis via a number of list serves and through conferences, teleconferencing, and periodic mailings. <u>abolition2000.org</u>

**2. Actions Against Hunger** - an international organization that delivers emergency aid to people suffering from natural and manmade disasters. Founded in France in 1979, they share an over all vision of **world without hunger** with other humanitarian NGOs. <u>actionagainsthunger.org</u>

**3.** Act Now to Stop War and Stop Racism - was formed in September 2004. It is a coalition of hundreds of organizations and prominent individuals and scores of organizing centers across U.S to campaign against U.S. intervention worldwide. answer.pephost.org

**4. Afghanistan Peace Association -** Formed in 1989, is NOT seeking political power but aims at becoming a social power. It aims at achieving internal peace in order to be able to remove the ostensible reason for foreign occupation. http://afghanistanpeace.org **5.** Ahimsa International is based in Uruguay, South America. Its work is inspired bythe legacy of Ashoka, a great ruler in ancient Asia. By instituting a complex and sustainable social system, Emperor Ashoka transformed a kingdom permeated with violence and inequity into one of peace and social well-being. All the activities of AI are based on noble qualities of the individual, virtuous activities in personal and community relationships, and altruistic principles of governance. Its projects are: Eco City. Biodiversity center to biomap living systems. Global model of sustainable, healthy living that addresses four areas of global destruction: climate change based on petroleum for transportation; rampant toxicities based on pesticides and agropetrochemicals; declining health and public services worldwide, and the rapid rise of global drug addiction among youth. AI believes that by generating ecological prosperity from bio-energy and organics, it will be possible to contribute to a national health program based on holistic healing modalities. www.ahimsainternational.org

**6. AIDS Alternativa International** founded in 1989, AAI works to create true awareness on HIV/AIDS and Vaccines. Through its 'Aids Anonymous' idea (well accepted by millions), it protects the HIV/AIDS patients who are discriminated by



the society, and victimized and used ruthlessly by the AIDS mafia. Its operating principles and slogans are: 'From AIDS Scare to AIDS Care', 'AIDS No More', 'Health Care is Self Care', 'Doctors, Drugs and Devils', and 'No Ills, No Pills, No Bills'. Through Holistic Treatment, Research, and Training by way of lectures, seminars, participation in conferences, by conducting capacity building workshops, and publications, AAI has reached millions worldwide. AAI Founder Dr. Leo Rebello's original tome **AIDS and Alternative Medicine** (in 4<sup>th</sup> Edition and translations) is the most comprehensive book on the subject, which gives many liberating ideas, including the recipe on how to create vaccines at home without much expense. <u>www.healthwisdom.org</u>

**7. All India Letter-Writers Association** was founded on 1<sup>st</sup> January 1980. It is the first association of conscience keepers in the world and won the Limca Book of World Record in 2001 for 'Pen Power' an encyclopedia of letters to the editors. Recognised by UN-Habitat, AILWA (Founder/President Dr. Leo Rebello) aims at: *Evolving* an independent forum of writers. *Fostering* progressive ideas. *Arousing* people towards action and results. *Supporting* preservation of good value system. *Correcting* waywardness of mass media. *Campaigning* for health education and cleaner environment. *Imparting* good citizenship training to youth and *Developing* fellow feelings in this strife-torn world. <u>http://ailwa.tripod.com</u>

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**8.** Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women that brings freedom and peace to other alcoholics. Bill Wilson and Dr. Bob Smith founded AA in 1935. In 1937, the big book on AA was written that sets out 12 steps to freedom from alcoholism. Since then, it has helped millions. With 106,500 AA groups and over two million members worldwide AA is a passive force. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. The operating principles of AA are: 'stay sober, promote sobriety', 'what we were like, what happened and what we are like now' and 'whither do we go?'. www.aa.org

**Dr. Leo Rebello's note:** You may ask - how AA finds a place in this book whose avowed aim is freedom and peace. Well, the world alcohol expenditure is more than the food bills of people that die of malnutrition. Alcohol enslaves, like wars do. Many leaders and army men have drowned themselves in alcohol. When you are a slave to drugs, Devil drives you, you are controlled and you are ruined because reason and courage fail you. The key words here are: fellowship, freedom and peace, operating principles that lay emphasis on sobriety and correcting the wrongs.

**9. Amnesty International** UK based worldwide movement of people who campaign for human rights for all. Since 1961 they have been working around the globe to stop the human rights abuse and rescue of political prisoners who do not believe in violence. Winner of Nobel Prize for Peace, 1977. <u>www.amnesty.org</u>

**10. Anti-Mines:** International Committee of Rotary Clubs was started in Barcelona, Spain, and works on the deactivation of millions of antipersonnel mines or cluster bombs, which remain active in territories where wars or armed conflicts have taken place. These antipersonnel mines can remain active for more than 50 years, waiting for someone to step on them and maim and kill thousands of innocents, mainly children. 80% of the victims of antipersonnel mines are produced in times of peace. The main objective of this committee is to compel all countries that have not signed the 1997 Ottawa Treaty or the anti cluster bomb agreement of 2008 to stop using these weapons. <u>www.antimines.org</u>

**11. Anti Slavery International.** Founded in 1939, it is the world's oldest international human rights organization and the only charity in U.K to work exclusively against slavery and abuse. They work locally, nationally and internationally to eliminate the system of slavery around the world through various actions. <u>antislavery.org</u>

**12. Architecture for Humanity -** seeks architectural solutions to humanitarian crisis and brings professional design services to communities in need. It was founded in 1979 by Cameroon Sinclair and Kate Sthor in response to the need for immediate shelter for Kosovo refugees after the region's bloody conflict. Their vision designers

innovate globally to build housing, schools, clinics and other essential infrastructure locally and improve people's lives. The best thing about AH is: it spends barely 3% in fundraising outreach, only 9% on administration costs and use 88% funds on construction and design service. architectureforhumanity.org

**13. Arthur Morgan Institute for Community Solutions** was founded in 1940 as a community service organization to educate on the benefits and values of small local community living. It envisions a world where people live cooperatively in low-energy, self-reliant communities, which are diverse, equitable, and just. It educates about the global oil production peak and climate change, and helps design solutions to the current unsustainable, fossil fuel-based, overly centralized way of living. Community Solutions seek alternatives to both non-renewables and renewables that are risky. www.communitysolution.org

**14. Asian Federation Against Involuntary Disappearances -** works directly on the issue of involuntary disappearances in Asia. Envisioning **a world without** *desaparecidos*, the Federation was founded on June 4, 1998 in Manila, Philippines. It is guided by the principles of mutual support among member-organizations, transparency within the Federation and with other regional formations, and sustainability of efforts. AFAD adheres to various universal declarations on human rights and protection of all persons against torture, cruelty and degrading punishment. It also adheres to the principles of gender equality, care for the environment and nature and non-discrimination. www.afad-online.org

**15. Avaaz.org** was co-founded by Res Publica, a global civic advocacy group and non-profit organization, and MoveOn, that pioneered internet advocacy in the United States. It claims that it is an independent, not-for-profit global campaigning organization that works to ensure that the views and values of the world's people inform global decision-making. Avaaz (voice) is now 3.6 millions members strong in 14 languages. On 21 September 2009, it staged a 'global wake-up call' to press leaders of G20 to take action on climate. Avaaz is staffed by a global team based in Ottawa, London, Rio de Janeiro, New York, Buenos Aires, and Geneva. www.avaaz.org

**Dr. Leo Rebello's critique:** Ricken Patel, Executive Director of Avaaz.org, has not been able to answer me on (a) Why there are no campaigns against USA or Israel atrocities on Palestinians and elsewhere? (b) Why there are no campaigns against mandatory vaccinations when they claim to work for human rights? (c) Why some of their campaigns appear engineered? For example, when it conducts campaign on Global Warming, why there is no mention about HAARP, Star Wars, etc.? (d) What is their corpus and annual budget? (e) From where they get huge funds for office, staff salaries, and other overheads? (f) How much they have

donated, to whom and what percentage of the funds received? (g) 'Global wake-up call' is fine, but during G20 recent meeting in Pittsburg there were 3 police personnel to every peace protestor that assembled, and they were handled mercilessly. Was any Avaaz raised against it?

**16. Axis of Justice -** Founded in 2002 by two famous anti-imperialism activists Rockstar Tom Morello and Serj Tankian. Its purpose is to encourage musicians, fans and grass roots political organizations to act for social justice and to fight racism and imperialism worldwide. <u>www.axisofjustice.org</u>. Anti Imperialist Camp started in 1992 in Assisi, Italy is another NGO that brings together different movements dedicated to opposing war. <u>antiimperialist.org</u>

**17. Befrienders Worldwide** - In 2003, Samaritans (UK & ROI) took on the Befrienders Worldwide network of over 400 volunteer centers in 39 countries, across 6 continents. These centers provide help to those in need of emotional support, in order to reduce the number of people who die by suicide (over a million annually), and enable people to explore their feelings in an anonymous, confidential and non-judgmental environment. For maximum impact, Befrienders work in partnership with other networks. <u>www.befrienders.org</u>

**Dr. Leo Rebello's observation:** By listening to those prone to suicide, a befriender helps them to listen to themselves. This is what Rev. Chad Varah, the founder of Samaritans, taught us in the early seventies. Problem starts when WHO (the Godfather of the pharma mafia) comes in and labels this passing phase of depression as mental illness and then some of these centres, like the one in Bombay, start prescribing psychiatric drugs. Then befriending is forgotten and drug dependence is encouraged. Instead of rehabilitating these people back into the society as useful members, they become numbers for funds, the end beneficiary being the medicine mafia.

**18. Berkana Institute** is a global charitable foundation, co-founded by Margaret Wheatley partnering with local leaders around the world who work to liberate the capacity for human goodness that is common to all people. A leader is anyone who wants to help strengthen their communities with the wisdom and wealth already present in their people, traditions and environment, wisely stewarding the earth's resources. 12 centers in 10 nations, 375 members, 9200 beneficiaries worldwide. BI believes that human beings are caring, generous and want to be together. www.berkana.org

**19. Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament** Britain based organization was formed in 1958. It is anti-war and anti missile defense system. It says firm no to nuclear weapons and other WMDs and DU. It is also against NATO and it is for immediate withdrawal of foreign troops from Afghanistan. www.cnduk.org

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**20. Campaign Against Arms Trade** - a UK based NGO campaigning for organizations working towards the abolition of international arms trade. Founded in 1974 by a broad coalition of peace groups. CAAT is united in opposition against military industrial complex and the growth of private military industry. www.caat.org.uk

**21. Carica Worldwide** a cooperative formed by philanthropist Ramon Tan in the Philippines in 1995. It started as an international herbal company. But today they also carry out charitable and humanitarian works through free livelihood, seminars on natural healing, entrepreneurship, food production etc. They are strongly antipharma, anti-chemicals, anti-colonialism and anti-economic imperialism. www.caricaworldwide.com

**22. Center For Humane Technologies -** a Ukraine based NGO, founded in 1991. Its mission is to promote the creation of a civil society by means of preparedness for survival and sustainable development of local communities through the teaching of humanitarian technologies, social efficacy, across Eurasia. <u>www.civilsoc.org</u>

**23.** Centre for Research in Ayurveda and Social Medicine for International Brotherhood was founded by Dr. Jitendra Singh, in 1992. It works at evolving a comprehensive health and harmony policy for the world, based on the sound principles of Ayurveda (the science of life). CRASMIB also works to protect the three components of the living world, namely, animal, mineral and plant kingdom, focusing on India's rich Herbal biodiversity from being plundered by the pirates of development. Dr.Leo Rebello, President, Indian Council of Natural Medicine and Research, is its Patron, since inception. www.crasmib.org

**24. Centre for Research on Globalisation**, put together by Prof. Michael Chossudowsky, is a registered non-profit organization in Quebec serving as an independent research organization of writers, scholars, journalists and activists. In addition to providing the Global Research website, the Centre publishes books, supports humanitarian projects as well as educational outreach activities including the organization of public conferences and lectures. The many academicians who contribute to the CRG are the eyes and ears of this organization. In combination with the Internet it is one of the most meritorious creations. www.globalresearch.ca

**25. Center for Wise Democracy** teaches and uses a social innovation that allows people to come out of denial, understand the problems they face, dialogue respectfully, discover deep feelings of connectedness, creatively invent new solutions, and freely pitch in to serve the common good. The social innovation is called *Wisdom Council*, which brings people together to make collectively intelligent decisions. www.wisedemocracy.org

**26. Childvoice Campaign -** An NGO, which helps to assist child soldiers and child war victims. They operate through advocacy in developed countries, research on the effects of war on children and conduct projects to assist war torn countries by providing education, housing, and assistance for reintegration into civilian society. www.childvoice.org

**27. Coalition for the International Criminal Court** - a global network of more than 2500 organizations in 150 countries advocating for a fair and independent international criminal court. The coalition was founded in 1995. <u>www.iccnow.org</u>

**28. Dream Change** is a nonprofit corporation dedicated to shifting consciousness. Founded by John Perkins and Llyn Roberts, the objective is accomplished through Waking Our World with programs dedicated to empowering individuals to consciously channel their energies into actions that create a more compassionate and just world. <u>www.dreamchange.org</u>

**29. Earth First** is an effective international movement. It started in 1979 in response to a lethargic, compromising, and increasingly corporate environmental community. EF believes in using all the tools, ranging from grassroots organizing and involvement in the legal process to civil disobedience. Everyone who believes in biocentrism and acts to save the mother earth is Earth Firster. They are diverse, passionate, committed, and an uncompromising group of environmental activists. "No compromise in the defense of mother earth" is their motto. <u>www.EarthFirst.org</u>

**30. Esperanto International** - is a link language that is spoken by several million people, even though not adopted by any country officially. Because of multiplicity of tongues, humanity stands divided today. Esperanto reflects the aspirations of all people to communicate in a universal language. Dr. Ludovic Lazarus Zamenhof, a Jewish ophthalmologist from Bialystok, then part of the Russian Empire, developed Esperanto in the late 1870s and early 1880s. He created this language to foster harmony between people from different countries. It is an easy-to-learn neutral second language for every country. Punch Esperanto in Google search and hundreds of articles will pop up. You can also download the original textbook and/or learn Esperanto free online. www.esperanto.org

**31. Falun Gong** is a human (body-mind) cultivation practice guided by Truthfulness, Benevolence and Forbearance. "Cultivation" means continuously striving to better harmonize oneself with these universal principles. "Practice" refers to the exercises five sets of easy-to-learn gentle movements and meditation. While the exercises have deep inner meanings, they also help to reduce stress and can bring great improvements in health and fitness. In 1992, Mr. Li Hongzhi first taught Falun Dafa publicly in Changchun, and then continued to lecture across China, and everywhere he got spontaneous response because of profound benefits. Today, Dafa is practiced World without Wars

and cherished by over 100 million people in some 115 countries, and has received a plethora of honors inspite of crackdown and persecution by the Chinese Govt. since 1999. <u>www.falundafa.org</u>

**32. Filmaid International** empowers millions of people suffering the effects of war, poverty, displacement or disaster. Since 1999, a group of idealist film directors, work with communities in crisis to shape messages for survival and strength, create films and videos in their own voice, and show these films in the most impactful and appropriate settings. FilmAid screenings, in diverse places, range from intimate discussion of 40 people to large outdoor screenings, reaching thousands at one time. www.filmaid.org

#### 33. First Children's Embassy in the World - Republic of Macedonia was founded



on 29th April 1992 in Skopje, for protection of children and does not belong to any government or political party. It unites the children of the world by co-operating with all international organizations that are interested in the care and protection of children. The Embassy is especially interested in the protection of war-affected children (saving, caring and sending to other countries where there is no war), preventing cases of abuse of children for sexual,

economical and political aims, religious disputes and national conflicts. <u>www.childrensembassy.org.mk</u> [Dr. Leo Rebello supports this unique initiative from its inception].

**34. Food First Information and Action Network** advocates for the realization of the right to food, for more than two decades. It consists of national sections and individual members in over 50 countries around the world. FIAN is a not-for-profit organization, without any religious or political affiliation and has consultative status with the United Nations. FIAN's vision is **a world free from hunger**, in which every woman, man and child can fully enjoy their human rights in dignity, particularly the right to adequate food, as laid down in the international human rights instruments. www.fian.org

**35. Food not Bombs** is an all-volunteer global movement that shares free vegetarian meals with hungry poor people as a protest to war and poverty. Began in early 1980's in Cambridge, USA. Food not bombs organizes nonviolent, direct action to stop the globalization of the economy and end exploitation and destruction of the earth; planting 'Food Not Lawns' community gardens and housing people with 'Homes Not Jails' projects. Food Not Bombs has no paid staff and is an all-volunteer movement. It is a great time to stop underestimating the power of one (whether one person or one dollar). www.foodnotbombs.net

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**36. Freedom From Hunger** offers sustainable, self-help solutions to poor women in Africa, Asia and Latin America to end chronic hunger and poverty through a powerful combination of micro finance, education, and health protection. Established in 1946, it began as Meals for Millions, the organization that developed and introduced Multi-Purpose Food, a high-protein powdered food supplement still used today in relief efforts around the world. In the 1970s, it began implementing Applied Nutrition Programs, focusing almost exclusively on the health and nutrition of mothers and children. In 1988, it developed the world's first integrated micro credit/health and nutrition program. Today, its *Credit with Education* program is serving nearly 400,000 families in some of the poorest countries on earth. freedomfromhunger.org

**37. Gonoshasthaya Kendra (People's Health Centre)** was established in 1972 by Dr Zafrullah Chowdhury. GK emphasises people-orientated development. Beginning with health, it now works for education, nutrition, agriculture, employment generation, production of basic medicines and women's emancipation. GK's paramedics trained in preventive and curative medicine, cater to vast population of impoverished Bangladeshis. In 1981, GK set up Gono Pharmaceuticals (GP) to make essential drugs of the highest quality at low cost. GK experience elevated Chowdhury as a key adviser to the Bangladesh government in 1982 when it drew up its Essential Drugs Act, proscribing 1,700 dangerous or useless drugs. Winner of the Right Livelihood Award 1992. www.gkbd.org

**38. GCS Global Cooperation Service Society** - A global movement started in 1975 by Dr. Young Seek Choue together with 77 world leaders. Its headquarters are in South Korea. The movement spread worldwide in the 1980's, as club members strove to build 'Oughtopia' through goodwill, cooperation and service to build a healthy society, better living, the love of nature, human dignity and global peace. <u>gcs-ngo.org</u>

**39. Gesundheit Global Outreach** is the Gesundheit Institute's international service, dedicated to the improvement of health of individuals and communities through Patch Adams' clowning missions, humanitarian aid, building projects, community development and health justice gatherings in over 65 countries around the world. http://www.patchadams.org/en

**40. Global Eco-village Network** is an international confederation of individuals and communities whose main aim is to support and encourage the evolution of sustainable settlements worldwide. GEN promotes sharing ideas, exchanging technologies, developing cultural and educational exchanges, directories and newsletters. <u>www.ecovillage.org</u>

**41. Global Humanitarian Photojournalist** - founded by Jacob Foco, this NGO aims at raising awareness of social injustices worldwide while seeking local partnership and projects that provide real solutions instead of blame - to build unity among people as equals regardless of race, political affiliations, religion or gender, to eliminate suffering and improve lives. <u>globalhp.org</u>

**42. Global Impact** - a global NGO-umbrella that represents more than 50 of America's most respected international development and relief charities. Through its member organizations it works in developing countries providing wide ranges of service to the poor, including feeding the hungry, teaching effective farming techniques, providing prenatal care, supplying clean water, building schools and training teachers, promoting entrepreneurship thru micro loans etc. <u>charity.org</u>

**43. Globe International** - a non-profit making, non-membership NGO based in Ulaan Baator, Mongolia founded in March 1999, to sustain Mongolian democracy and civil society, and spread power of information and knowledge to improve the world. <u>globeinter.org</u>

**44. Global Network Against Weapons and Nuclear Power in Space** is a coalition of 150 peace groups around the world that work to oppose the introduction of weapons and nuclear power into space. Bruce Gagnon, Karl Grossman and Bill Sulzman founded it in 1992. Since then, GN has met every year in order to bring together key activists who work on the avowed cause as described in the organization's name. 17<sup>th</sup> annual conference was held in Seoul, South Korea on April 16-18, 2009. **Dr. Leo Rebello is associated with it since 2001**. www.space4peace.org

**45. Global Peace Builder** - An international network of conflict resolution, conflict transformation and peace building initiatives, by connecting organizations and researchers; established in 1992 in Ireland, rooted in the context of northern Ireland peace process. <u>globalpeacebuilder.org</u>

**46. Global Peace Hut -** a Canadian NGO that runs conflict resolution and peace making programs in Uganda and East Africa, through their local, indigenous affiliate NGOs. GPH's mission is to provide people with the tools to live in peace, connected to each other in community and globally. <u>globalpeacehut.org</u>

**47. Global Security Institute** - an international organization with a mission to eliminate nuclear weapons thru international cooperation and security. Alan Cranston founded the institute in 1999. He believed that nuclear weapons are impractical, unacceptably risky and unworthy of civilization. <u>gsinstitute.org</u>

**48. Global Volunteer Network** - a New Zealand based NGO established in 2000 by Collin Salisbury. Its vision is to connect people with communities in need. They do

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this by supporting the work of local community organizations in countries, through the placement of international volunteers. <u>volunteer.org.nz</u>

**49. Goi Peace Foundation** - Masahisa Goi (1916-1980), a Japanese teacher, philosopher, poet and author, dedicated his life to peace and humanity. After witnessing the terrible destruction of World War II, he started a world peace movement to spread the message and prayer "May Peace Prevail on Earth," as a way of uniting the hearts of humanity transcending all boundaries of race, religion, or politics. <u>www.goipeace.or.jp</u>

**50. Greenpeace International**, based in the Netherlands, is an independent global organisation that acts to change attitudes and behaviour, to protect and conserve the environment and to promote peace. It has been campaigning against environmental degradation since 1971 when a small boat of volunteers and journalists sailed into Amchitka, an area north of Alaska, where the US Government was conducting underground nuclear tests. This tradition of 'bearing witness' in a non-violent manner continues today in 40 countries. "We exist to expose environmental criminals, and to challenge government and corporations when they fail to live up to their mandate to safeguard our environment and our future" avers it's website: www.greenpeace.org

**51. Habitat of Humanity International** - Since it's founding in 1976 by Millard and Linda Fuller, it has become a world leader in addressing the issues of poverty housing. They build simple, decent, and affordable homes for the poor people through their 132 affiliates in the Asia-Pacific region and 2,291 worldwide. HFHI has built and rehabilitated more than 300,000 houses, sheltering more than 1,500,000 people in thousands of communities in North America, Latin America and the Caribbean, Africa, Eastern and Western Europe, and throughout the Asia-Pacific region. It is supporting new operations in Afghanistan, and Cambodia presently. Habitat New Zealand, for example, encourages affiliates to build a "House for a House": for every house built in New Zealand, a house is built elsewhere in the world. www.habitat.org

**52. Help Without Frontiers:** An international humanitarian aid NGO, with main office in Italy. Founded by young and enthusiastic people, without geographical and mental frontiers to help refugees in Burma (Myanmar) and other war torn places.<u>helpwithoutfrontiers.org</u>

**53. Holy Land Trust:** A pacifist NGO established in Bethlehem. Working since 1998 to develop non-violent community actions aimed toward bringing an end to the Israeli occupation and building a future based on the principles of non-violence, equality, justice, peaceful coexistence and empowerment of the oppressed Palestinians. <u>holylandtrust.org</u>

**54. Humanist Movement** aspires for a universal human nation through transformation of the individual and the society. It believes in: all human life is of central value and concern, higher than money or institutions; non-violence as the only way to achieve results; fighting discrimination in all its forms; encouraging the continuous development and free distribution of human knowledge and freedom of beliefs and ideas. Founded in Argentina, in the sixties, it is now spread in 150 countries with over 4 million voluntary workers. Orange Book and other publications by "Silo" (a.k.a. Mario Luis Rodríguez Cobos) are the basis of the political program (New Humanism). HP uses Moebius ribbon in orange colour as symbol, as it symbolizes the infinity, therefore also the infinite possibilities of human beings. It also symbolizes the continuity between the personal and the social sphere, and the need for coherence in social and personal change. The orange colour symbolizes 'help and solidarity'. www.humanistparty.org

**55. Initiatives of Change (Moral Re-Armament)** works for change in the world. It comprises people of many cultures, nations, beliefs and backgrounds committed to transforming society through changes in individuals and relationships. Frank Buchman, its originator, called for 'moral and spiritual rearmament' as the way to build a 'hate-free, fear-free, greed-free world' in 1938. Development of character and creation of a value-based society are its twin objectives. <u>www.in.iofc.org</u>

**56. International Alert** an independent NGO that works at local, national, regional and global levels that generate conditions and processes conducive to **cessation of war** and the generation of sustainable peace. <u>international-alert.org</u>

**57. International Alliance of Inhabitants** is a formidable network of associations and urban social movements whose goal is to build another possible world, based on the right to housing. Its various initiatives like *Khuda Ki Basti* (God's village) in Pakistan, Million Houses in Sri Lanka, stop forced eviction of Roma people in Italy and elsewhere in Europe, or zero eviction of Palestinians in Israel, or in Nigeria, have met with success. The demand for a world-wide moratorium on evictions; and funding for housing for at least a billion people is gaining acceptance. Billion people must also plant billion trees to control global warming is my suggestion to them. Their next step is the World Assembly of Inhabitants in 2011. www.habitants.org



**58. International Association of Educators for World Peace** was founded by Prof. Charles Mercieca, in 1969, in USA. Membership of IAEWP now exceeds 60,000 in 90 countries. It works for Peace Education, Environmental Protection, Human Rights and Disarmament. **Dr. Leo Rebello is its World Peace Envoy** and Vice President, Central and South Asia. www.iaewp.org **59. International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons** - a civil society's movement with a goal of eliminating nuclear weapons through a legally binding nuclear weapons convention. It was launched internationally in Vienna in 2007 at a meeting of parties to the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons. It is supported by over 100 NGOs worldwide. <u>icanw.org</u>

**60. International Campaign to Ban Landmines -** Swiss based network of more than 1400 NGOs in 90 countries working for the Global Ban on Landmines. Recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize 1997. Landmine Monitor is the research and monitoring initiative of the ICBL and the *de facto* monitoring regime for the Mine Ban Treaty. <u>www.icbl.org</u>

**61. International Center on Non Violent Conflict -** an independent international foundation that develops and encourages the study and use of civilian-based, non military strategies to establish and defend human rights, democracy and justice worldwide. Founded by philanthropist Jack DuVall together with other pacifists and philanthropists. <u>nonviolent-conflict.org</u>

**62. International Commission on Peace and Food.** Founded on 1997 it carries on research in the fields of development, education, employment, peace and security in collaboration with other organizations to promote activities that will advance progress towards world peace and prosperity. <u>icpd.org</u>

**63.** International Network for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights an international network that connects human rights and social justice, to create new pathways for greater global action. Today it has in its fold 161 organizations and 41 individuals from 58 different countries. <u>escr-net.org</u>

**64.** International Parliament for Safety and Peace (IPSP), based in Palermo, Italy, an intergovernmental organization of States, was founded in 1975 and has representatives in more than 130 Nations, who are recognised by the Convention of Vienna of 1961 and 1963. IPSP was founded by the orthodox Archbishops Viktor Busa (President of IPSP) and late Makariós III, who was the president of the Republic of Cyprus. The supreme council of IPSP consists of Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, President of Equatorial Guinea, Hugo Chavez, President of Venezuela and Yayah Jammeh, President of Gambia, as the International Vice Presidents and Mohamed Nasheed, President of Maldives, as the Secretary-General. IPSP has two branches: The High Chamber of Senators and the Assembly of Deputies. High Chamber is composed of 400 senators, while the Assembly has 800 deputies, elected for five years. All members of the IPSP are volunteers, it being a non-profit organization. **Dr. Leo Rebello is one of the Senator-Ministers of IPSP.** www.international-parliament.net **65. International Physicians for Prevention of Nuclear Wars** is a worldwide grouping of 62 national medical organizations. It uses education, research and advocacy to help prevent nuclear war and encourages the abolition of all nuclear weapons. <u>ippnw.org</u>

**66. International Rescue Committee -** the IRC provides relief, respect and renewal to refugees and victims of armed conflict around the world. Founded in 1933 now a global leader in emergency relief, rehabilitation, and protection of human rights. <u>theirc.org</u>

**67. International Teacher** is the quarterly journal of International Association of Teachers a network of teachers and pedagogues to promote a culture of peace and non-violence. It was founded by Frank Kroeyer in 1982 and is now supported by the Danish Ministry of Education. IT organises annual conferences of 10 to 15 days. Mrs. Kashmira Rebello (special educator) and Dr. Leo Rebello are actively connected with it. <u>www.international-teacher.dk</u>

**68. Larouche movement.** An independent international political, economic, cultural and scientific organization founded by Lyndon Larouche in 1985. This movement advocates a just world economic and financial system, dialogue and cooperation of all nations for new renaissance of humanity and long lasting world peace. <u>larouchepac.com</u>

**69.** Medecins Sans Frontieres or Doctors without Borders - Doctors and nurses volunteer to provide urgent medical care in more than 60 countries to victims of wars and disasters regardless of race, religion, or politics. Established in France in 1971, MSF's work is based on the humanitarian principles of medical ethics and impartiality and it operates independently of any political, military, or religious agendas. More than 27,000 committed individuals representing dozens of nationalities provide assistance to people caught in crises around the world coordinated through its 19 offices. MSF received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1999. http://doctorswithoutborders.org/

**Dr. Leo Rebello's note:** Unfortunately, all doctors and nurses attached to MSF subscribe to only orthodox medicine or Allopathy (which is a pseudo science) and lay emphasis on vaccinating the children in war zones. Also, in malnutrition, instead of providing healthy meals they may provide artificially fortified meals or synthetic vitamins. I am yet to see Nature Cure, Homeopathy, Ayurveda, Acupuncture and other age-old recognized systems of health care incorporated in its humanitarian agenda. Why this Medical hegemony?

**70. Menschen für Menschen (People for People) Foundation** is an independent charity founded by Karl-Heinz Boehm (German Actor) in 1981 providing self-

development in Ethiopia. A team of 780 runs integrated projects in nine Ethiopian regions. Achievement to date: 1,333 water outlets, 93 million trees planted, 86 medical centers, 3 hospitals, 65,203 in farming courses, 12,994 personal loans to women, and 32,505 women in further education, thus helping strife-torn and poverty-ridden Ethiopia to progress. Infact this successful experiment should be replicated all over Africa. www.menschenfuermenschen.de

71. Mercy Corp. An international Humanitarian NGO, engaged in alleviating suffering, poverty and oppression by helping build secure, productive and just economies. Started in 1979 as save the refugees fund, organized by Don O'Neill, since then they have already provided 1.5 billion dollars in assistance to people in 106 countries. mercycorps.org

72. Payday International an international, multiracial, pacifist network that works on the central demand: 'the society must invest in caring, not in killing'. Over the years they have been involved in many campaigns and initiatives in defense of welfare, anti deportation, anti war, supports for waged workers on strike, anti racism and anti apartheid. gloabalwomensstrike.org

73. Peace Brigades International has been promoting non-violence and protecting human rights since 1981. The founders of this NGO shared a profound conviction that ordinary people can take action to stop war and human rights violation even when their government cannot or will not. peacebrigades.org

74. Peace Tech - a pacifist and development based not for profit NGO, established in 2007, in the Philippines, to educate and empower Youth by teaching peace ideas via video conferencing nationwide. Also involved in connecting soldiers and rebels. peacetech.net

75. Peaceful Tomorrows Organization is an anti war organization for the survivors, families and friends of 9-11 attack. It aims to develop and advocate non-violent options and actions in pursuit of justice in the hope that this will help break what the members see as the cycles of violence engendered by war and terrorism. peacefultomorrows.org

76. People In Need Foundation - a Humanitarian NGO based in Czech Republic, founded in 1992. They implement relief and development in crisis regions around the globe, defend human rights and democratic freedom. clovekbtisni.cz

77. Project concern international - a humanitarian NGO based in San Diego, California with operation in 11 countries and five continents. Dr. Jim Turpin founded this NGO in 1961, with a goal of providing health and poverty solutions to children and communities around the world. pciconvio.net and communities around the world. pciconvio.net

**78. Radio for Peace International** - a short-wave radio community in Costa Rica streaming live mp3. Addresses the world community as a voice of peace, champion of human rights, advocate for the oppressed and defender of the truth. rfpi.org

79. Red Cross Movement is the world's largest humanitarian network, with activities in 186 countries. It reflects the power of humanity since its birth in 1859 by



its founder Henry Dunant and four others. The seven fundamental principles of the movement are the power **WWW** of humanity humanity, impartiality, neutrality, independence, voluntary service, unity, and universality. It brings out

a quarterly which is available online. In Geneva, where it has its headquarters it runs world's best museum. If you visit Geneva, exactly opposite the UN office is the Red Cross, which must not be missed. http://www.redcross.int

80. Refusing to Kill Movement - a worldwide pacifist movement encouraging military people to quit. The movement firmly believes in 'refuse to kill' and 'military is a crime'. refusingtokill.net

**81. Registry of World Citizens,** founded in 1949, is the only institution in the world



that has the right to deliver world citizen identity cards through its approved centers. WCR registration centres promote mundialist ideas, issue world citizen cards within their own country, and send out information bulletin. Dr. Leo Rebello is a Registered World Citizen since 4<sup>th</sup> March 1992, and is *charge d'affairs* for India. More details on this Paris-based organization on: http://www.recim.org

Millions have supported the world citizenship idea. Here is what Stafford Beer, President, World Association of General Systems and Cybernetics, Managing Modern Complexity, Fifteen Years After, said in1985: "How many more of us would it take to register, and make the point that nation states are obsolete? Worse yet: they are harbingers of universal death. Each of us is a world citizen. But we have no voice until World Government. massively declares itself".

82. Roots of Peace - works to unearth dangerous landmines in war torn countries and empower local communities scarred by weapons. Also working to build sustainable crops on land once too dangerous to traverse. That is how they transform the scars of conflict into roots of peace. rootsofpeace.org

83. Sapiens movement - an international movement of people and organizations working to establish a democratically elected world governing authority by reforming UN or by the creation of new democratic international bodies, such as the e-bodies. They also advocate a border free world as a constructive solution to the conflict of full sovereign nation states. The movement was established in 2005 in New Zealand. sapiens.org.nz

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**84. Sarvodaya** is Sri Lanka's largest and most broadly embedded people's organization, with a network covering 15,000 villages, 345 divisional units, 34 district offices, 10 specialist Development Education Institutes; over 100,000 youth mobilized for peace building under *Shantisena;* the country's largest micro-credit organization with a cumulative loan portfolio of over LKR one billion (Sarvodaya Economic Enterprise Development Services, or SEEDS); a major welfare service organization serving over 1000 orphaned and destitute children, underage mothers, and elders (Sarvodaya Suwa Setha); and 4,335 pre-schools serving over 98,000 children; among others. <u>www.sarvodaya.org</u>

**85. Sasakawa Peace Foundation.** Formed on September 1,1961 in Japan, seeks to improve the world society through co-existence of pluralistic values. They contribute to the welfare of humankind and the sound development of the international community. <u>spf.org</u>

**86. Share International,** based in London, is a non-sectarian movement founded by artist and author Benjamin Crème. It is promoting sharing of world's resources, global social justice, peace and brotherhood. <u>shrareintl.org</u>

**87. Solidarites -** France based International humanitarian NGO that provides aid and assistance to the victims of war and natural disasters. For almost 25 years they have concentrated on three vital needs - **water, food, and shelter** by carrying out emergency programmes followed by reconstruction projects. <u>solidarites.org</u>

**88. Stop the War Coalition.** Formed in September 20, 2002 in London, main aim is to campaign to stop the useless global war on terror. <u>stopthewar.org.uk</u>

**89. The Elders** is a group of leaders who come together free of political, economic or military pressures whose only purpose is to ease human suffering in three essential areas: (a) Offering a catalyst for the peaceful resolution of conflict. (b) Seeking new approaches to seemingly intractable global issues. (c) Sharing wisdom: reaching out to grassroots elders and the next generation of leaders, listening, helping to amplify voices for good, all over the world. <u>www.theelders.org</u>

**90. The Foundation Power and Elite** was founded on May 16 1978 by Joost van Steenis to promote research on how the European nations operate their economic system vested in political elites. It has published several books and articles and the most recent one being **From Chaos to Change - Entering a New Era** (published in May 2009/Foreword by Dr. Leo Rebello). <u>http://members.chello.nl/jsteenis</u>

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**91. The Opanal -** An international anti-nuclear weapons NGO based in Latin America that promotes nuclear disarmament in Latin America and the Caribbean. The movement was created as a result of the treaty of Tratelolco, ratified on April 1969, which forbids it's signatory nations from use, storage or transport of nuclear weapons. <u>opanal.org</u>

**92. The Peace Research Center Tamera in southern Portugal** (spread over 331 acres of land) is an international training and experimental site for the development of Peace Research Villages and Healing Biotopes worldwide. Dieter Duhm and Sabine Lichtenfels founded it in 1995. www.tamera.org

**93. The YMCA-YWCA:** Young Men's Christian Association was founded on June 6, 1844 in London, by George Williams, is a world NGO of more than 45 million members from 124 national federations. Like YMCA, Geneva-based Young Women's Christian Association too is the largest global network of women working for socio-economic change. YWCA is independent of the YMCA, though many YMCA and YWCA associations have amalgamated, goals being common, making it even bigger than UNO or Rotary International in membership. However, in spite of Christian principles of love, brotherhood, charity, caring and sharing, these brother-sister organizations have not grown into a World Parliament of Youth.

**94. 350.org** is Bill McKibben's international movement to unite the world around practical solutions to the climate crisis. The mission is to bring CO2 concentrations below 350 parts per million (ppm), the level scientists have identified that leads to glacier melt, drought, famine, displacement of millions and wars. Today with CO2 at 389 ppm we are in the danger zone, and need to act quickly and in unison. www.350.org

**95. Transnational Institute.** A worldwide fellowship founded in 1974. Committed to critical analysis of global problems, with a view to providing intellectual support to those movements / concerns to steer the world in a democratic, equitable and environmentally sustainable direction. <u>tni.org</u>

**96. Transparency International** is Berlin based global civil society organisation leading the fight against corruption. TI brings people together in a powerful worldwide coalition to end the devastating impact of corruption on people. It's mission is **a world free of corruption.** Since it's founding in 1993, through 90 national chapters, TI has played a lead role in improving the lives of millions. These bodies fight corruption in the national arena in a number of ways by bringing together relevant players from government, civil society, business and the media, to promote transparency in elections, in public administration, in procurement and in business. Politically non-partisan, TI has the skills, tools, experience, expertise and broad participation to fight corruption. Corruption ruins lives. Zero tolerance to corruption. <u>www.transparency.org</u>

**97. Transition Network** emboldens communities to look peak oil and climate change squarely in the eye and unleash the collective genius of their own people to build oil-free resilience and drastically reduce carbon emissions. TN shares insights and connections to build collective experience for self-determined solutions and to re-localized authority. www.transitionnetwork.org

**98.** Union of Concerned Scientists is a non-profit partnership of over 250,000 scientists and citizens combining rigorous scientific analysis, innovative policy development, and effective citizen advocacy to achieve mission to ensure that all people have clean air, abundant food, a future that is free from the threats of global warming and nuclear war, and a planet that supports a rich diversity of life. In short, UCS seeks a great change in humanity's stewardship of the earth. www.ucsusa.org

99. University for Peace has its headquarters in Costa Rica, a country distinguished for a long tradition of democracy, strong efforts on natural conservation, and friendly people. Costa Rica abolished the death penalty in 1882 and its army in 1948. Since 1865, it has offered asylum to those facing persecution for political reasons. From 1907 to 1918, Costa Rica hosted the Central American Court of Justice, which was the first permanent international tribunal that allowed individuals to take legal action against states on international law and human rights issues. In that tradition, President of Costa Rica, Rodrigo Carazo began efforts to establish the UPeace. On 5 December 1980, the General Assembly of the United Nations vide resolution 35/55 consented to establish UPeace that runs innovative programmes of education, training and research for peace, focused on key issues, including conflict-prevention, human security, human rights, environmental security and post-conflict rehabilitation. UPeace is located 30 kms southwest of San Jose, in a protected area of 303 hectares. UPeace works with an increasing number of partners in various parts of the world to cater to as many individuals and institutions as possible. Secretary-General of the United Nations is the ex officio Honorary President of the University. www.upeace.org

**100. War Child** - a network of independent organizations working across the globe to help children affected by war. War child was founded to advance the cause of peace by investing hopes through the lives of children caught up in horrors of war. warchild.org

**101. War Resisters' League.** Founded in 1923, they affirm that war is crime against humanity. They also strive non-violently against removal of the causes of war, including racism, sexism and all forms of human exploitations. www.warresisters.org

**102. World Constitution and Parliament Association** [8800 West FourteenthAvenue, Lakewood, CO 90215, USA] was formed 51 years ago by Prof. Philip Isely.World without Wars

It has published **A Constitution for the Federation of Earth** (amended at the World Constituent Assembly in Troia, Portugal in 1991). WCPA has also drawn a list of major world problems, which transcend national boundaries. 'A Bill of Particulars on Why the UN Must Be Replaced', 'Immediate Economic Benefits of World Government' and monographs on 'Phytoplankton as Food Resource and Oxygen Source' are other publications translated into multiple languages. Dr. Leo Rebello was invited to become the President of WCPA in 2002. He wrote a widely acclaimed paper on 'Global Solutions to Global Problems' as also another article highlighting the difference between the New World Order, as promoted by the Neocons, and an Elected World Govt. as promoted by the WCPA. Dr. Robert Muller who was Asst. Secretary General of the United Nations, for many years, and Chancellor of the University of Peace in Costa Rica, vide his letter of 13th October 1992 wrote: "I support wholeheartedly the brilliant and modern world constitution offered to humanity by the WCPA. It is here at the right moment when the world needs a salvation from its present chaos and a metamorphosis into a new, appropriate world order to cope with the massive global problems confronting us. The men and women who gave it birth through hard work and perseverance deserve humanity's gratitude and prompt approval. May God bless this Constitution".

**103. World Court,** officially known as the International Court of Justice (ICJ), is the principal judicial organ of the United Nations. Its seat is at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands. The ICJ began work in 1946. Its functions include: Settling in accordance with international law the legal disputes submitted to it by States. Giving advisory opinions on legal questions referred to it by duly authorized international organs and agencies. The Court is composed of 15 judges and can't include more than one judge of any nationality. The United Nations General Assembly and Security Council elect the judges to nine-year term. Details on www.icj-cij.org

**104. World Goodwill** is an international movement to build right human relations through goodwill. It was established in 1932 as a service activity of the Lucis Trust. Its work is based on the principles of brotherhood, human unity, sharing and cooperation; and on the fundamental rights and freedoms embodied in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. WG's activities are essentially educational. www.worldgoodwill.org

**105. World Hunger Education Service -** Founded in 1976 their mission is to promote individual and collective commitment to the solutions to world hunger and poverty that confronts trillions of the people of the world. <u>worldhunger.org</u> Also see the Hunger Project that works in more than 20,000 villages across 13 countries of South Asia, sub-Saharan Africa and Latin America, reaching the lives of an estimated 35 million people, primarily through 275,000 trained volunteers. <u>www.thehungerproject.co.uk</u>

106. World Kindness Movement, started in Japan in early 1990's is now a global

network with a mission to inspire human connection and activate the practice of kindness locally and globally that will lead to world peace and understanding. worldkindeness.org.sg

**107. World Organisation of Natural Medicine** is founded by Dr. Sheila McKenzie in Canada, to deliver primary health care to the world's poor as Governments fail to provide cost-effective traditional health care, due to corrupt practices and undue reliance on pharmaceuticals. Most doctors are at a loss without expensive hospital technology, technicians, and prescription drugs. Their business approach and lack of knowledge of traditional and natural medicine health care prevents them from using inexpensive, effective and reliable resources of eclectic healing modalities. Through its Clinics for Humanity worldwide, WONM's practitioners of humanitarian medicine will administer free help to the masses. Dr. Leo Rebello, WONM Chancellor for India, addressed the Humanitarian Medicine Congress and conducted a capacity building workshop on AIDS and Holistic Healing in Toronto, on 23-24 May 2009. www.wonmfoundation.org

**108. World Peace Flag Organization** - a global NGO dedicated to helping feed and educate the hungry and starving. Estd. in 1998 with a mission to promote peace, media help, housing, environmental education, and clean drinking water for those in need globally. They are now planning to build Noah's arch replica. worldpeaceflag.org

**109. World Peace Society** - an educational pacifist NGO since 1989. The mission is to unite the World's human family by focusing on the undeniable need for everyone to come to awareness that cooperation and working together for survival is the *sine qua non* for world peace. worldpeace.org

**110. World Transhumanism Organization -** An international intellectual and cultural movement supporting the use of science and technology to improve mental and physical characteristics and capabilities of human beings. Founded in early 1980's in UCLA School in LA by a group of scientists. Many transhumanists seek to apply reason, science and technology for the purpose of reducing poverty, disease, disability and malnutrition around the globe. transhumanist.org

**Dr. Leo Rebello's caveat:** If World Transhumanism Organization is going to use science and technology for reducing poverty, disease, disability and deaths due to malnutrition, then its aims and objectives are appreciated. **We say yes to** abolition of suffering, definite life extension, *immanentize the eschaton* (create heaven on earth). But if it means modifying human embryos, designer babies, cloning and germline genetic engineering, concentration on altering the human body leading to tragic consequences of atomized individualism and body commodification within a consumer culture, **then certainly no.** If this organization with avowed goals were finally going to end up in Human Genome Project, then I would caution by recalling the old saying, 'don't approach a horse from behind'.

**111. World Without Wars** is a world movement in existence for 15 years. With the announcement of World March for Peace and Non-Violence, it has now attracted world attention. The World March will pass through 6 continents, 90 countries in 90 days, covering over 160,000 kms. It will begin in New Zealand on October 2, 2009 (the International Day of Non-Violence) and conclude in Argentina (Andes Mountains) on January 2, 2010. This will be the first World March ever, to circle the earth calling for an end of all Wars and Nuclear arms, and elimination of Violence of all forms.

Additional features of the March are: *Transportation:* (a) 40 train trips (including the trans-Siberian). (b) 100 trips by land (four and two-wheelers). (c) 14 trips by air. (d) 25 trips by sea (ship, barge, canoe, etc). *Climates:* The march will pass through all climates from mild and temperate crossing through mediterranean, continental, tropical and desert zones to polar, from the Siberian steppes through the Sahara desert and the Atacama (the driest desert in the world) to Antartica. *Seasons:* In 90 days the March will pass through all 4 seasons of the year. *Altitude:* During the journey the March will climb 16,400 feet (5000 mtrs) above mean sea level. *Permanent team:* There will be 100 permanent team members. Border crossings: 160. Co-organizing institutions: 500. Collaborators/institutions: 3,000. Visits with officials: 100. Spiritual centres: 25. Participants in the tour: 1 million. Virtual participants: over 10 million. www.worldmarch.in

Say **NO** to all forms of violence. Say **NO** to all nuclear weapons in particular. Say **NO** to wars and Say **YES** to give Peace a chance.



This book is dedicated to an ideal human dream of living in a paradise of peace, where there will be no wars, no borders, no hunger, no disparity, no man made illnesses, no tears and no bondage. Where there will be enough for all and happiness all around and Smile that spreads like a Rainbow. - **Dr. Leo Rebello** 

# **THE LAST WORD**

#### 'OUT OF THE BOX' IDEAS FOR A WORLD WITHOUT WARS Dr. Leo Rebello

"After hurtling blindly through history, mankind has reached the crossroads. A change is coming... This moment had been prophesied by the ancient texts... The date was specific, its arrival imminent. It would be preceded by a brilliant explosion of knowledge... a flash of clarity to illuminate the darkness and give mankind a final chance to veer away from the abyss and take the path of wisdom". **- Dan Brown, The Lost Symbol** 

While working on this book, through my worldwide travels, by exchanging views and ideas with peace loving people of the world, by interacting with the world citizens working to put together a People's Federal World Government (which is the lasting solution to the world's problems), I have compiled the following creative ideas, which if implemented, there is no reason why we cannot have a world without wars, a world without hunger, a world without borders, a world without insanities, a world without fear of governments, corporations or religions, and a world without discrimination or slavery.

Internet is the brilliant explosion of knowledge (that Dan Brown refers to), and this book is the flash of clarity that gives mankind a final chance to veer away from the abyss and take the path of wisdom. **Consider these 'out of the box' ideas** given below and take firm steps to secure your future.

**1. Realize that religions are man-made. As witnessed from history, Religions divide people.** Therefore, there should be no state religion; the Constitution of the World should be secular, like India has. Division of the world on the basis of religions is the reason why wars are perpetrated, intolerance grows, and communal killings take place. Example: America, with Bible in one hand, gun in another invades non-Christian countries and kills, destroys, plunders and builds; nice business of war that! If the same oil was there, say in Christian country Spain, would America invade it?

**2. Burn all so-called 'holy books',** convert all so-called 'temples of hatred' into 'schools of new learning' based on humane values. If at all humanity must congregate, then build 'Light and Love Temples', or 'Brotherhood Assemblies', to pray, sing, rejoice and meditate together.

**3.** Do not send your children to work in the Military. Policing is fine (more of People Policing), as it requires higher responsibility to keep Society on the path of

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Good Orderly Development. The concept of the police was always to keep order and promote harmony, whereas the concept of the military was always to destroy, kill and inflict suffering.

**4.** Do not work for or become share holders/directors of the arms and weapons manufacturing companies, or pharmaceuticals or of any industry that kills people for profit. Such blood money is not worth it.

**5.** Do not subscribe to 'Population is Burden' theory. Gaia knows its carrying capacity and has its own methods to adjust imbalances. She has not appointed those mentally retarded, spiritually compromised members of *Committee of 300*, as her agents or spokesmen. So denounce these mad men who are out to reduce the population to 500 million in the foreseeable future.

**6.** In a review article titled "Eliminate the Useless Eaters" Paula Demers reviews Dr. J Coleman's "Global 2000: A Blueprint For Global Genocide". The opening paragraph itself is very striking: "Every time I turn around I will hear over the news, or read in the paper of the tremendous over population of our planet. This is very interesting, because if you took the entire population of the world (roughly seven billion people in 2004), and stood them side-by-side in the state of Texas, each person would have 1000 square feet! There are 261,914 square acres in Texas (that figures to seven trillion square feet). So there is enough room just in Texas for every person in this world to get a piece of land 32 ft. X 32 feet! And that's just Texas! There is no overpopulation problem!".

The above authoritative analysis proves that over population is not the problem. It is unequal geographical distribution of population due to national boundaries which is the main problem. These national boundaries have to be demolished. The birds in the air, animals in the jungles, and fishes in the water do not recognize these artificial man made boundaries.

**7. Do not depend on any drugs, vaccines, carcinogens** or genetically modified food, because that would make you genetically weak and turn you into a living robot moving away from higher consciousness. That is the whole idea of the Genome project, genetic engineering and robotics.

**8. Humanity stands divided today, because of multiplicity of languages and scripts.** Esperanto reflects the aspirations of all people to communicate in a universal link language. Similarly, adopt one script, say the Roman script, which has 26 alphabets as against (say) Sanskrit which has 36 + alphabets, so that language learning becomes easy and one can rejoice in the multiplicity of cultures by enriching each other. Every language on earth could be written in this one script, although the traditional scripts could be retained for historical purposes.

**9. Discard the 'just war' theory.** It is being promoted by the psychopaths and commercial interests the petrochemical-military-industrial complex. So that they can go on invading oil or mineral rich Islamic countries like Iraq, Afghanistan, Iran, to destroy, plunder, build and control. If at all there is any 'just war' it should be against the various Mafiosi who control the world.

10. Dismantle cancerous capitalism and replace it with the Trusteeship economic model of 1:10. According to this model, if the lowest worker is getting \$10 a day wages, then the highest should not get more than \$100 a day in salaries. In short, an alternative economy based on 'small is beautiful', 'simple is effective', 'life natural', 'love and light' and not capitalism leading to misery due to usury. This will cut down the reign of Forces of Greed; instead there will be holistic development and everyone will be happy.

**11. Geographical national boundaries must give way to Borderless One World** or as a start up - European Union, SAARC Union, African Union, Arab Union, Russian Union, etc. so that problems like Poverty/Refugees become things of the past. How can human beings be called refugees and discriminated as such, when planet Earth has no boundaries? Boundaries are made by people with small hearts, small minds and small goals.

**12.** Absolutely no aggression on other countries should be the norm. Consequently, the members of UN will not watch China attacking Tibet, Israel attacking Palestine, America attacking Iraq, Afghanistan or Iran, on one pretext or the other to protect their lethal industries and business interests, but swiftly intervene.

**13.** Destroy the Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMDs) before they destroy us. So, (*a*) No HAARP -- Secret Geophysical Weapons -- which are being used to create earthquakes, storms, hurricanes, typhoons, floods, fires, electrical and mechanical crashes and disasters (cars, planes, trains, ships etc.) and building and bridge collapses, killing millions of people. (*b*) No spying technology. (*c*) No depleted uranium (DU), and (*d*) No lethal hardware in space. It is completely irrational that three billion dollars are spent everyday on weapons, while nothing is done for the more than 165,000 people in the world who die daily from hunger, a total of 60 million people a year according to UN figures of 2008.

**14. Discard the plan to colonize Moon and Mars.** No control of Space and Satellites. Who is Pentagon to say "we own the space", as the "rule of national boundaries doesn't extend 250 miles above the earth's surface"? Wouldn't this lead to Star Wars? Isn't this the ultimate aberration of the Universal Laws?

**15.** Satellites are common property since they are made and powered by Earth's natural resources not to be owned by any particular nation, and the benefits should

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reach all equally. What Patent? What Intellectual Property Rights? Any good invention must *ipso facto* belong to humanity; conversely, anything that is detrimental to the humanity should be immediately destroyed.

**16.** Mountains and oceans, as also the polar region should be the common property of the world. People cannot own the Earth. The Earth owns people.

**17.** Destroy narcotic and psychotropic substances and chemical drugs; they weaken, enslave or kill people. Taliban, for example, had the drug production in Afghanistan almost eliminated. Now with American clandestine organizations running things, the harvest of opium is in full swing again. Afghanistan just had their biggest production of heroin ever. Black market drug money is used by economic hit men to hire mercenaries and supply them with weapons to topple regimes inimical to multinational corporations. It is very obvious, who is the drug dealer and who is the terrorist here and the reason why they want more troops in Afghanistan.

**18.** No vaccines. No pharmaceuticals. No GMO. No mind control. No imbedded chipping. No RFID bracelet. No assault on our bodies of any kind.

**19.** No destruction of herbal medicine, fruits and agriculture by deadly fertilizers and pesticides. Only organic and probiotic farming should be allowed.

**20. Only Holistic Healing modalities** based on Traditional and Natural Medicine should be recognized and pseudo science called Allopathy should be dumped in the dustbin.

**21. Say no to cruel Animal Experiments in the Research Laboratories.** Because when the drugs tested on mute animals are prescribed to humans, they too suffer. It is a vicious cycle.

**22.** No factory farms to rear animals and no big box slaughterhouses. The current Swine Flu 'pandemic' is linked to the way food is produced in factory farms. Experts say the global food industry, like the global banking industry, is too big and out of control. It needs to be fixed.

**23.** No mechanized fishing should be allowed. The fisheries are already being wiped out and the big trawlers are ransacking ocean wealth with impunity. The trawler owners, big companies, are today's pirates who are not only destroying the livelihoods of the indigenous people but also thieving from nature.

**24.** No Private Prisons, because criminals are not born, they are made. So, reforming them is a serious business and a state duty, which cannot be delegated to exploitative businesses.

**25.** No terming those who fight the State corruption or State atrocities as Naxalites, Maoists, or Terrorists. **No Guns will be used against the Citizens under any** 

pretext. Paranoid authorities are the bane of civilized societies.

**26.** WTO-GATT regime, IMF, WB, WHO or Codex should be wound up. These are the control organizations.

**27. Presently nations or groups of nations may create local currencies** - like Euros in EU, Rupee in SAARC countries - and **all currencies should be treated on par** so that there is no fleecing in the name of exchange rate and any American dollar or British Pound supremacy. Why should the exchange rate between currencies vary daily? That itself is speculative business. If I fly from Bombay to New York, and I have 100 INR in my pocket, at New York airport I should get 100 USD in exchange, not two and half dollars for my hundred rupees. That is cheating.

**28.** Once we have a Federation of World States, we can have **one currency throughout the world** and a World Citizen passport, not green card, work permit, study permit. Like I can travel, work, settle, anywhere in my country, why cannot I travel, work and settle anywhere in this globalised world?

**29.** No racial, communal, ethnic discriminations or cleansing should be allowed. Human culture is the only culture, and Love is the only language that 99.99% humanity understands. Enough of 00.01% psychopaths imposing their decadent codes on us.

**30. Dismantle forever the Nuclear reactors,** nuclear submarines, and nuclear arsenal of any kind.

**31.** Like the Berlin wall fell apart due to two Germanies uniting, the electrified fences of two Koreas can be demolished and the two nations reunited.

**32. Demolish the 300 kilometers long and still growing Israel wall forthwith.** Israel should also not be allowed to demolish the *Al Aqsa* mosque on the temple mount to make room for a temple of Judaism, a plan if executed will lead to *Jihad* of untold magnitude with heavy casualty on both sides. Jerusalem was destroyed once. This time, it will destroy the whole world and Jews will be killed *en masse* in Israel and elsewhere.

[Jerusalem was destroyed in 597 BC. The Romans practically destroyed Jerusalem in 70 AD. Constantine rebuilt it in 335 AD. The Muslims conquered it in 638 AD. The Crusaders came and 'liberated' the city in 1099. The Muslims recaptured it in 1187. Then it was passed around like an old hat until 1517 when the Ottomans took it over. The British took control in 1917 and the city was handed back to the Jews in 1948] What the Jewish people actually do is the repetition of their fights, hegemonial efforts, escapes and deportations of a time from 4000 BC (the Flood/the Deluge) - the

whole Old Testament, full of blood, sweat and tears... About time they stopped living in the past.

**33.** If actions speak louder than words, it is obvious that the USA is determined to control all nations, through endless struggles and wars. It explains why the USA has already 761 military bases across the world and is planning to have more without limit. Immediately disband these military bases, destroy all weapons and munitions, and divert that money for Holistic development.

**34. Reform the United Nations (UN).** Veto power held by 5 countries in the UN should be abolished immediately. Shift UN headquarters from New York to Bombay so that the decisions taken are not rigged. Or the best option is to replace UN with Federation of World States or People's World Parliament.

**35. Disband all armies from all nations.** Use the present army personnel until they retire, for constructive work. No further recruitment of armies anywhere.

**36. The police personnel should be psychologically tested and trained properly not to kill the citizens.** Civilised societies do not kill their citizens because 99.99% of citizens are law abiding. In fact, not enough citizens are rising in revolt against the machinations of those who manipulate everything to their advantage.

**37.** Permanently dismantle parallel government organizations like the CIA, KGB, Mossad, FBI, CDC, FDA, which have become wheels within the wheels in sordid cycles of murders and mayhem, corrupt to the core, ruthless, irresponsible and unaccountable.

38. Similarly, the petrochemical-military-industrial complex, the Masonic mafia, the drug syndicate, the Jewish mafia should be banned.

**39. Remove the self-pitying Holocaust Museum, the chilling Auschwitz camp,** the museum of skulls of people killed in the *pol-pot* regime, plus all the *war memorials* and statues of warriors and soldiers, so that our collective memory-wounds can fully heal rather than be constantly re-opened. **Also disband Yale University** (the *Skulls and Bones* University) and other such war mongering institutions.

**40. Oppose water privatization at all costs,** because this will be the main cause of water riots and the absolute End War, in which 90% of world population is predicted to be reduced in the foreseeable future. But with our collective will and unity of purpose, we can change our destiny rising like a Phoenix from the ashes.

41. Free electricity: Bucky Fuller in his book 'Critical Path' talks of the most logical,

world monetary energy unit built into our very existence. Through his Dymaxion Map, he shows that the five major continents were joined except for 30 miles at the Bering straits. "Link up all the electric grids, the 'railroad tracks' of energy", he advised, "and, after using the sun to generate it you could transmit via direct current the kilowatts instantaneously throughout the world and make everyone energy billionaires!"

## If Bucky Fuller's scheme is implemented, it will additionally:

- Protect the environment; and the planet!

- Eliminate war.
- Help reduce the population [Population goes down as standards of living go up].
- Reduce crime.
- Reduce diseases.

- And provide every individual with an opportunity to grow into a responsible adult, develop conscious potential and deliver beneficial gifts to humanity.

**42. We can bring in these changes with non-violence and non-cooperation.** That is the silent revolution or transformation for which this Manifesto is created and dedicated to Humanity on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2009, when the world begins the World March for Peace and Non-Violence.

# With this guide map be a catalyst for change, create a world of co-existence, begin your journey with confidence to a new destiny.

## END EVERY 'HOLY WAR' NOW

Priests of all religions accompany the soldiers to the battlefields while soldiers carry their 'holy books'. The job of every priest here is to try to boost the morale of the soldiers who get depressed by the killings and destruction. Normally, these priests remind soldiers of their mission to fight for a just cause to bring about peace. Unfortunately, they fail to tell them that peace is brought about by putting down the guns and going home.

The *Mullahs* (Muslim priests) proceed to chest-beating, ranting *jihad*. Even the Christian priests tend to view the war their country is engaged in against another country as 'holy war'. The Hindu priests, likewise, remind the soldiers about what Krishna said to Arjuna on the battle field -- do your *dharma* (duty), fight against the evil; to kill or to give birth is not in your hands. Unwittingly, all priests end up supporting wars by justifying rather than guiding.

Instead of soldiers carrying the so-called holy books like the *Bible*, *Q'uran or Gita*, they should be given this book which you have just now finished reading, so that they educate themselves during their spare time and decide to lay down the guns and go,

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home to their families. Their wives, as Mrs. Kashmira Rebello proclaimed well in one of her poems, should not allow them to return to the battle field under any circumstance.

The children of the world, accompanied by their mothers, should approach soldiers and put flowers in the barrel of their guns. They should also give soldiers candles to hold in their hands, asking them to pray and to take a vow of NO WAR, return to their homes and engage themselves in constructive work.

## **STOP PRESS** IN ANOTHER THREE YEARS THE WORLD WILL END?

If we stop star wars, if we dismantle nuclear power stations, if we diffuse stockpile of nuclear arsenal, if we stop this madness called atom smasher and dump the secret geophysical weapons, we will be able to save our mother earth. I begin the New Revolution with this book. Are you with me? Otherwise, we have only three years left to self-destruct. Dr. Leo Rebello

**Experts** from around the world are predicting that 3 years from now, all life on Earth could well come to an end. The following are some likely arguments as to why the world would end by the year 2012.

#### Reason one: Mayan calendar

The first to predict 2012 as the end of the world were the Mayans. Thousands of years ago they managed to calculate the length of the lunar moon as 329.53020 days, only 34 seconds out. The Mayan calendar predicts that the earth will end on December 21, 2012. Given that they were pretty close to the mark with the lunar cycle, it's likely they've got the end of the world right as well.

#### Reason two: Sun storms

Solar experts from around the world monitoring the sun have made a startling discovery. Our sun is in a bit of strife. The recent solar storms have been bombarding the earth with lot of radiation energy, they say. It's been knocking out power grids and destroying satellites. This activity is predicted to get worse and calculations suggest it'll reach its deadly peak sometime in 2012.

#### **Reason three: The atom smasher**

Scientists in Europe have been building the world's largest particle accelerator. Basically, it's a 27 km tunnel designed to smash atoms together to find out what makes the universe tick. However, the mega-gadget has caused serious concern, with some scientists suggesting that it is a bad idea to turn it on in the first place. They're

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predicting all manner of deadly results. So when this machine is fired up for its first serious experiment in 2012, anything can happen.

#### Reason four: The Bible says it

If having scientists warning us about the end of the world isn't bad enough, religious folks are getting in on the act as well. Interpretations of the Christian Bible reveal that the date for Armageddon, the final battle between good and evil, has been set for 2012. The *I Ching*, the Chinese Book of Changes, says the same thing, as do various sections of the Hindu teachings.

### Reason five: Super volcano

Yellowstone National Park in the USA is famous for its thermal springs. The reason for this is simple it's sitting on top of the world's biggest volcano and geological experts are beginning to get nervous sweats. The Yellowstone volcano has a pattern of erupting every 650,000 years or so, and we're many years overdue for an explosion that will fill the atmosphere with ash, blocking the sun and plunging the earth into a frozen winter that could last up to 15,000 years. The pressure under the Yellowstone is building steadily, and geologists have set 2012 as a likely date for the big bang.

## Reason six: The physicists

This one is simple mathematics. Physicists at Berkley University have been crunching the numbers. They've determined that the earth is well overdue for a major catastrophic event. Even worse, they're claiming that their calculations prove that we're all going to die, very soon. They are also saying that their prediction comes with a certainty of 99 per cent; and 2012 just happens to be the best guess as to when it occurs.

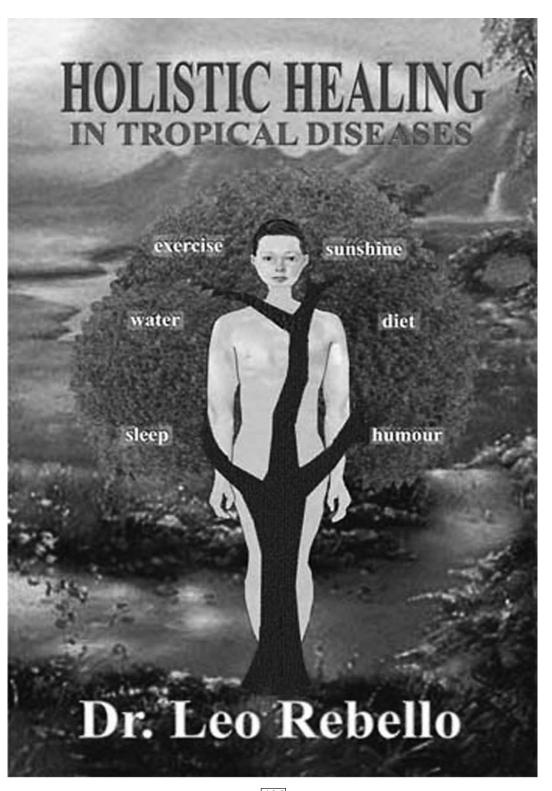
#### Reason seven: Earth's magnetic field

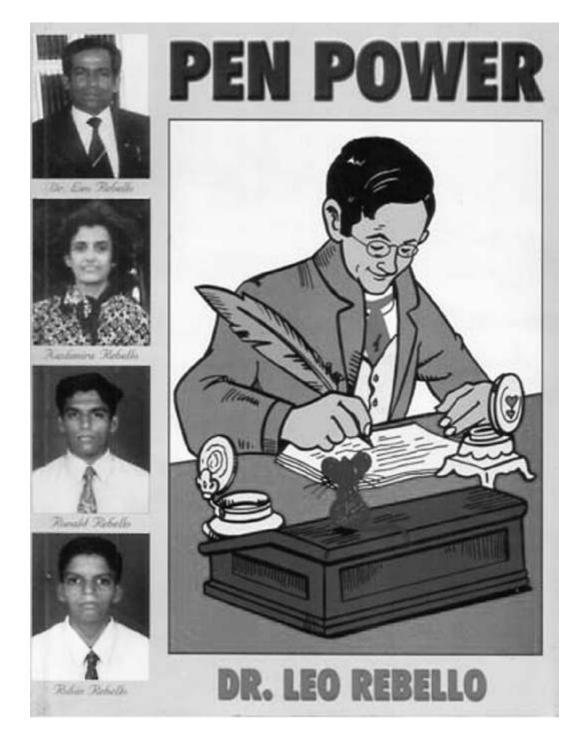
We all know the Earth is surrounded by a magnetic field that shields us from most of the sun's radiation. What you might not know is that the magnetic poles we call North and South have a nasty habit of swapping places every 750,000 years or so -- and right now we're about 30,000 years overdue. Scientists have noted that the poles are drifting apart roughly 20-30 kms each year, much faster than ever before, which points to a pole-shift being right around the corner. While the pole shift is under way, the magnetic field is disrupted and will eventually disappear, sometimes for up to 100 years. The result is enough UV outdoors to crisp your skin in seconds, killing everything it touches.

#### **Reason eight: Balance of earth in rotation**

Earth got its globe shape over years of rotation. Mountains and valleys, gorges and oceans, rivers and deserts have their locations which were formed in the process of self-aligning and balancing during its dynamic movement. High rise buildings, huge dams or deep mining, destruction of mountains for quarrying, reclamations of islands, enormous developments in cities is sure to tilt the balance of the earth, setting off a series of catastrophic culminations.

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