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Free Markets/Free Speech Discover the Value For All Human Activity

Deluged with data and attempting to sort through it, results in an ever-growing number of unread articles at the end of each day. And because an ongoing deluge wreaks havoc on human spirit and soul, what can we do to assure sanity in an insane world?

How to maintain our sanity is the question we need to ask because finding balance in a world that is, without question, coming apart, is personal. Our well-being depends on seeing the world for what it, and given that world, coming to terms with who we are.

Like peeling layers of an onion, the world needs to be stripped of adjectives/adverbs, to get down to simplicity of nouns/verbs. That's where reality lives, so how to get there?

Our task is to stick to basic questions about things that are self-evident and understandable—which fundamentally comes down to a single idea that plays-out over the millennia-s. What is the nature of man: are human beings free to decide for their own lives. Or, if incapable, do we give over control to a superior few who know better?

There have always been a 'superior' few who think they know best. Among them, the cleverest bamboozle the entire course of history, perpetuating an axiom, that ceding control to them is in keeping with the nature of man. And, to the degree their rhetoric becomes institutionalized, they perpetuate a myth wherein 'dictates replace debate'.

Who are these guys? Schoolyard bullies that made it to the world stage? Genghis Khan knew what was best. Hitler knew. For that matter so did FDR, W. Wilson and Lincoln. Bringing it up to date Obama knows what is best and Biden—I'm making a joke.

Each of these people dictated, but none gained 'historical narrative status'—for that we have to go back to 400 BC and Plato. Let me say it flat out: if you buy-into the eloquence and reason found in the Socratic dialogues, that's the 'fluff'. Plato is the institutionalization of the idea that humans are incapable of individual decision-making.

Surrounding 'Platonic legacy' is a propaganda 'that all men are (not) endowed by their creator with inalienable rights', and, by necessity, that legacy supports feudalism.

'Bringing it all back home' we have our modern (somewhat institutionalized) Platos—Klaus Schwab and Bill Gates. Lacking Plato's eloquence, and centuries of Platonic buy-in from at least the West, our 'philosopher kings' seem tawdry, ego-driven fools.

But our fools have some ammunition Plato did not have: with 8 billion souls walking the earth, the (we know best), rest their arguments on a correct assumption—that without oil, the world population is unsustainable—and needs reduced at least by half.

Using propaganda to dumb-down mankind, Davos lunatics now have secured a 'toehold' in their quest to have the human population re-purposed from being citizens to 'useless-eaters'—to be dealt with as if they were an infestation of ground-squirrels.

Let's make a statement and an analogy. The statement: it is now almost universally accepted that government makes worse almost everything it touches. Now, after having destroyed the dollar, allowed Pharma to become a 'Dr. Mengele Show', with American exceptionalism taking us to the brink of Armageddon—government is the problem.

The war between 'know best' despots and global citizens is fundamental. Europe is likely 'on the ropes' in a battle between EU feudal control and rampant price hikes, making life difficult across that continent, and by next winter, unbearable in Germany.

Assuming Europe is lost, the real struggle for control will happen in the United States over the Constitution—where it is uncertain how it will play out. The 'all knowers' (government/corporate), have had a firm grip on Pharma, which is their test-ground to control us with 'vaccine passports'. As long as the Dems control, this will be a huge area of contention—with the Biden 'collective' giving the WHO, carte-blanc control. But, with a possibility of indictments for the medical elite, this struggle is far from decided.

As with medicine, it is astonishing how the elite are 'purveyors of disinformation', across the board, while pushing a mission to strip Americans of a basic right to choose.

Another thing up for grabs is the dollar. While Yellen kowtows to Zelensky, hand-delivering taxpayer dollars (that has to be illegal?), a timeline for dollar death is now bet on the outcome of the Ukraine war. The US cannot lose that war and have the dollar survive as the reserve currency, or even as a national currency—not that buys things.

When Russia wins the Ukraine war (and they will—decisively), there goes NATO. Well maybe not—how about NATO without the US, instead with Russia as a member?

All the chips are pushed into the pot and it's game-on. Russian hatred/myopia in the US knows no bounds. No hatred besides for Trump gets close to Vladimir Putin.

Sy Hersh, who just indicted the US for an act of terrorism/war against Russia/Germany, has a curious take on Putin. Hersh dissembles claims that Putin invaded—unprovoked. He understands that Putin reacted to slaughter, treachery, and lies after years of seeking peaceful solution. But, (pointing to horrendous numbers of dead), Hersh sees no justification for the invasion. Does he take the same stance on millions of Nazis killed by the 'allies'. Does he appreciate a need to 'stand your own ground'?

Alex Neuman sees Putin as, without a doubt, a card-carrying member of the WEF. Without the evidence, that's absurd. Peter Schiff sees Zelensky having his problems and Putin, his. Peter needs to stick to inflation because out in the geo-world he is lost.

Assume the war in Ukraine slams the elite, exacerbating a struggle between 'Platonists' and the Constitution, for control. Further assume a worthless dollar and the return (kicking and screaming), to a gold standard because scarce, immutable gold, unlike the dollar (backed by 'full faith and credit' of a bankrupt rogue nation), is the most intrinsically real thing on the planet. Gold, again becomes the money that it always was.

Life is rough and life ends badly. But along the way, humanity finds its way forward through trial and error (the scientific method), free speech, difficult conversations, and hostilities. It's not pretty but more fair than having the few, 'the deluded', decide for us. Mankind, deciding for itself, is the model of the 'free market', where things adjust—as needed. If 1/2 of 8 billion humans need to go, I opt for a free market to sort it out.

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