

## **Cognitive Confusion?**

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Never before in the history of humanity have so many been made aware of an undeniable fact: That the people on this planet are on a path toward extinction unless the system dragging them along on their death march is not despatched to oblivion before its most 'brilliant' capitalists turn off the lights on this one, mount their rockets, and escape to spread their venomous greed to other celestial bodies.

Unfortunately awareness is at the level of a pet's affection for their master; a cheerful display of obedience which is returned with a treat. In humans awareness of the cause of the coming calamity is overwhelmed by thoughts of what would happen should they seriously work against the system. It never enters the realm of conscious deliberation and resolution.

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Advanced capitalism is a finely tuned system of exploitation and oppression. Both main political parties are founders of the National Endowment for Democracy, and active participants in the programs that subvert efforts of people in foreign states to create systems that serve their interests rather than those of foreign and domestic capitalism. Yet come election day most Americans will vote for parties that they know are working against their interest.

There are so many actionable offenses on the books that not a day goes by that the average citizen commits several of them. The law of double jeopardy is circumvented by allowing employers to punish offenders that could not be charged and tried by the state. The statute of limitation has been subverted by permitting sensationalized sex crimes said to have been committed many years in the past to be brought to trial even though there is no possibility of gathering evidence for a fair trial, and anyone in a position to support the accused risks being drawn into the accusation whirlpool.

Perjury is acceptable if its committed by the authorities as is the withholding of evidence. It is no surprise that 95% of the cases are

plea bargained because the innocent are more concerned about jail time than personal integrity.

The fear that leads to submission is from the states power to illegitimately take away ones freedom. It is not cognitive dissonance – a confusion and competition of conflicting thoughts on an issue. Fortunately a way out can be seen in the more frequent world uprisings that spread worldwide independently of any organization because they are grounded on the now universal form of capitalist oppression.

Both the earth and the system are in dire straits. It's imperative that democratic shadow constitutional conventions be established to plan for a future government that will represent the interests of the working masses. A very broad based proportional electoral system will appeal to the de facto disenfranchised. Military forces will be asked to publicly swear their loyalty to the people of the nation they serve and not remain goons of the ruling class.

When there is another world blowup the masses will declare the constitutional convention their government in the making. It will transform itself from shadow to real and create a form of government that is approved by the masses. The military will swear allegiance to it and stand ready to protect it from an enemy. As we have seen a world wide likeness in the recent uprisings, we will see the same in government formation and international rule.

The system of market economy, commodity production, and waste in all its forms will be abolished. It will be replaced by a socialist society. All nuclear nations will be work simultaneously to rid the world of their weapons. Production for use and with all the evils of capitalism left in the past, the task of returning the earth as close as possible to its natural state will begin in earnest.

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