

Newest Introduction, April 1, 2016, to Lefties Are In Their Right Minds!

Hello dear lovers of the ideals of democracy! The Revolution is happening, RIGHT NOW! We're actually in the midst of the wakening and the exercising of genuine PEOPLE POWER! Look at those balloting returns from so many states! Bernie's on the rise! The younger folks are catching-on to the truths that we oldsters have know for a long time. The truth has long been apparent to us that true democracy and the ruthless capitalist economic system are completely incompatible! "The best democracy that money can buy" is a sad condemnation.

This same adrenaline force powers the Trump movement, but is mixed with testosterone, and is completely misplacing the blame. More military power and divisive disrespect, even hatred of "others" is not a path to a peaceful world. The long-belated acknowledgement is necessary that primitive "us/them" analyses of world problems do not even envision a solution, but only more military might and domination. This non-solution only exacerbate the problems, and in the inevitable "oneupmanship" lead us always closer to the mushroom-shaped cloud end of this hopeful human experiment.

So sorry that President Obama has been persuaded to use targeted assassination against alleged enemies. Can you imagine the surprised response from the rest of the world if the US would drop Bread not Bombs? The sad fact that war is profitable is what makes it so entrenched...and always needing new enemies!

We can do better than that! And how wonderful that Bernie Sanders has captured the attention and the imagination of new generations of people who have felt sidelined by the system, and who will vote to be recognized and counted. They will demand that the capitalist economic system treat them respectfully and fairly, rather than as an expendable commodity, favoring only the few. We demand a more ethical and equitable system that benefits all!

And this will take courage and tenacity, for it entails a complete change in values! In order to create an active democracy, rather than a token-spoken hypocrisy, the valuing of the people and the planet must come into focus, and become an ideal to which we as a nation will become dedicated. This is harmonious with the vision of all of the "planet-wise" young people who are surging at the barricades, demanding change.

They have amazing new hand-held devices that enable them to communicate with other Earthlings! And who know already from their own life's experience that we are not enemies, but are actually more alike than we are different. They are wincing at the painful and retro rhetoric like "Go kill ISIS!" These vengeful words screamed with upthrust stabbing fists, by the primitives in our midst.

We can have a peaceful revolution! Setting new standards for the behavior of corporation, and ending the unlimited campaign spending that skews elections are tasks that loom ahead. But we are courageous! We know that there can be more productive solutions to the problems in this country and in this world. Go, Bernie! Go!

With appreciation for Corliss Lamont and for Bernie Sanders, and all wiser generations from Beth K. Lamont, proud widow of Corliss Lamont, a Man of great wisdom and courage!

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