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PERSPECTIVE IN EL SALVADOR

Is the conflict raging in El Salvador a civil war in which the oppressed people are seeking to overthrow their oppressors in order to establish a more just and humane society? Or is it part of the international war the communists are waging with the purpose of encircling, and finally conquering, the U.S.A.?

To answer that question, I would like to ask one of my own: Is the music filling the room caused by the felt-coated hammers striking the tensed wires of the piano, or is it due to the pianist whose dexterous fingers depress the piano keys?

The obvious answer to my question is "both." The music is produced by the utilization of the piano by the musician. At least three elements are essential for the production of music:

1. The musician
2. The musical instrument
3. The atmosphere

We could go further and include the composer of the music and the ears and brains of the audience.

The situation in El Salvador can be clarified by this musical analogy. The conflict in El Salvador is both a civil war to redress local grievances and a front in the worldwide war the communists are waging with the objective of world conquest.

The Science of Marxism?Leninism

The communists claim that they are practitioners of a science called Marxism?Leninism.

A scientist is one who perceives, understands, and harnesses natural forces so that they serve him. In this way a scientist may multiply his personal power many times. Examples of scientists harnessing and using material forces abound. The scientific sailor can harness the wind and thereby transport masses of material round the world; the aeronautical scientist can harness the atmosphere and cause it to lift a machine, weighing hundreds of tons, miles into the sky.

The harnessing of the atom has given modern man inconceivable power which can be used for good or ill.

It is important to note that the scientists do not create the forces they harness; they perceive, understand, and utilize them.

Scientists Forces and Tools

For the harnessing and utilizing of forces, tools are invented and constructed. In most scientific operations there are three elements: 1) The scientists 2) The forces and 3) The tools.

Recruitment of the Scientists

The conflict in El Salvador is a scientific operation of the communists. The scientists are the Marxist?Leninists who

control the military forces that do the fighting. They also influence and direct, to a considerable extent, the political organizations that wage political war through negotiation and propaganda, particularly propaganda in the U. S . A. Their directing hand is often hidden in the political organizations which are sometimes allowed a measure of independence, but they always keep firm control of the military forces. This assures that once the revolution has triumphed, the communists can dispose of any deluded democrats who were active in the revolutionary, struggle and who took the protestations of democratic aims seriously. Consider what is happening today in Nicaragua.

These communist scientists are both national and foreign. The foreigners come as advisors from established communist countries. William J. Casey, Director of the C.I.A., states in an interview in the March 8 edition of U S News and World Report that a veritable Communist International has been established in Managua, capital of Nicaragua. He states: "There are Cubans, Soviets, Bulgarians, East Germans, North Koreans, North Vietnamese, and representatives of the PLO." It can be safely assumed that many of these are involved in some phases of the El Salvador conflict.

The vision of an international army under unified control has inspired communists ever since Frederick Engels, the alter ego of Karl Marx, studied military science in order to equip himself for the role of commander-in-chief of the International Proletarian Armies.

Many of the scientists are Salvadorean nationals who have embraced Marxism-Leninism with passionate commitment. Most of these are young, and they were recruited while students at college or high school. A major role in their recruitment was probably played by a professor who was sympathetic to the Soviet Union and bitterly hostile to the U.S. A. which he depicted as an imperialist monster. He presented his students with literature which he had received from the Soviet Union.

This literature was in the Spanish language, and it blamed all local problems on U.S. Imperialism while it portrayed life in the Soviet Union as prosperous, free, and moral with resultant community happiness. Some idealistic, inexperienced students were impressed and progressed along the following path: 1) Anti-imperialist; 2) Anti-capitalist; 3) Socialist; 4) Communist; 5) Guerrilla Leader.

Preventing the Recruitment of Communist Scientists

An understanding of the process of communist recruitment in underdeveloped countries is important as it reveals how the recruitment of many of these young men and women can be prevented. If they receive literature in their own language, which tells the truth about communist doctrine and history, their susceptibility to deception will be diminished. The preparation and provision of suitable literature and its distribution by citizens is the simplest, most economic and most effective way to stop the flow of communist recruits.

U.S. leaders seem oblivious to this obvious truth. The director of the C . I . A. states in his U.S News interview of March 8: "The Soviets go in and exploit the underlying social and economic discontents;" but he gives no details of the mechanism by which this is done.

It cannot be stressed too often that it is better to prevent the recruitment of guerrillas by the supply of truthful literature than to try to fight them by the supply of weapons and servicemen after recruitment.

The Forces

Scientists use forces. Communist scientists use social forces along with material forces such as guns. A social force is created when an emotion or conviction is shared by a substantial number of people so that it motivates them to common action. Typical social forces can be based on hunger, pain, grievance, envy, fear, and hatred; but they can also be based on idealism, altruism, sympathy and love. Some of the social forces used by the communists are based upon: 1) Loathing of poverty; 2) Hatred of oppression; 3) Fear of arbitrary arrest and deprivation; 4) Envy of the well-to-do; 5) Hatred of the U.S.A.; 6) Infatuation with violence; 7) Guilt because of personal and family advantage; 8) Fear of atomic destruction; 9) Desire for peace; 10) Love of country; 11) Religious zeal.; 1?) Hunger for property.

The Tools

1 The Party

Natural forces have existed since the beginning of time, but they have been the masters rather than the servants of men. The elements for successful flight have always been present, but aeronautics and rocketry are recent developments. The forces have been compelled to obey men through the use of tools.

Social forces exist wherever people live together in community. They, too, can be utilized through the use of tools. These tools are political, cultural, and military organizations.

The Marxist?Leninists create organizations to harness the energies of those who share an emotion, conviction, or vision. The primary organization is the Party which is made up of those who accept Marxist doctrine and Leninist discipline.

The common practice in most countries where communism has not yet conquered is to have several Marxist?Leninist Parties which compete with each other for recruits and influence. Each Party may organize its own military forces. This is the situation in El Salvador, but the Parties are cooperating and their military units have united into a combined force known as the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front (FMLN). The military forces are under communist control and are supplied with weapons by the International Communist Movement which also provides guidance and direction. C .1 . A. Director, William J. Casey, states:

"This whole El Salvador insurgency is run out of Managua by professionals experienced in directing guerrilla wars."
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2. The Front:

In addition to the Communist Parties, a variety of Fronts are formed to utilize specific forces. A Communist Front is defined as an organization which is conceived, created, and controlled by communists but which consists of members of whom the majority are noncommunist. A Communist Front typically has dual objectives. The announced objective is non?communist, but the hidden objective is directly related to the communist purpose.

The major Front in El Salvador is political and is known as the Revolutionary Democratic Front (FDR). The announced objective of this Front is to negotiate with the militarycivilian Junta, which is the present government of El Salvador, in order to set up a provisional government with elements from both groups. This government will then prepare for genuine democratic elections. This seems reasonable especially since the leader of the FDR is Manuel Guillermo Ungo who represents the Social Democrats.

The goal of the communists, who control the FMLN and influence the FDR, is different. They are determined to establish a communist dictatorship and consider a negotiated provisional government as a stepping?stone to this objective. If a provisional government can be established, the military forces of the present government will be demoralized and disbanded whereas the forces of the FMLN will remain intact. At the appropriate moment these forces can be used to seize power. Dictatorship will prevail over democracy.

3 Religious Institutions

Among the tools being used are religious institutions in El Salvador. Liberation Theology has influenced the Catholic Church in El Salvador and made many priests and nuns sympathetic to violent revolution and willing to collaborate with the Marxists. Priests and nuns who go to El Salvador as missionaries often become sympathetic to the revolutionary forces and become unofficial propagandists for them even if they are not active supporters. They believe the guerrillas are serving the poor and that this is in tune with the dynamics of Christianity. If they are aware of the dynamics of communism as revealed by its doctrines and history, they disregard them.

4 The News Media:

Another tool is the news media of the U.S.A. The sophisticated Marxists of the FMLN are familiar with the role played by the U . S. media in contributing to communist victory in Vietnam, and they are eager to make El Salvador another Vietnam in this regard. They seek to speak to the U.S. people over the heads of the U.S. Government, and

create confusion and uncertainty. They hope and believe this will result in political pressures being brought to bear on the U . S Administration so that it will be impossible for the administration to act effectively to prevent communist conquest of El Salvador.

Agents of the FMLN, who are skilled in Public Relations, cultivate U. S. newsmen and provide them with information and experiences that enable them to have journalistic "scoops." The natural tendency is then to publicize every atrocity that can be blamed on the government, and to ignore or excuse those for which the guerrillas are responsible. If the author of an outrage is unknown, the responsibility can be laid at the door of the authorities by suggestion and innuendo. Even programs of land reform and free elections are belittled and opposed when they are attempted by the hated government. In this way formidable power is exercised in favor of the FMLN.

Results of Communist Victory in El Salvador

If the communist plan is successful, we will see a recapitulation in El Salvador of what took place in Cuba and is currently taking place in Nicaragua. There will be a brief period during which the revolutionaries display moderation and tolerance and pay lipservice to pluralism and democratic processes. During this period they will be supported by the populace. They will waste little time in consolidating their military power and their relationship with the Soviet Union and the Socialist States. They will wrap the chains round the people by establishing local espionage committees in each community similar to the Committees for the Defense of the Revolution in Cuba. At the chosen moment, the communists will discard their democratic garments and announce that a singleparty Marxist?Leninist government has been formed. At this point, El Salvador will come under the protective umbrella of the Brezhnev Doctrine and any decisive activity by the U.S.A. will be inhibited by the possibility of provoking conflict with the Soviet Union which may escalate into nuclear war. The militarization and internationalization of El Salvador will proceed apace, with ominous consequences.

The population of Cuba is 10 million, but Cuban military forces are the largest and most powerful in Latin America, and Cuban servicemen are serving communism all round the world. Developments in Cuba brought the U.S. A. and the Soviet Union to the brink of nuclear war at least once.

The population of Nicaragua is 2?1/2 million, but they are building the largest military forces in Central America. The objective is an army of 50,000 supported by a militia of 300,000. These military forces are being armed by the Soviet Union and have the assistance of military experts from many communist?ruled countries.

The population of Grenada is 100,000, but it is becoming a potential Soviet and Cuban air base in the Caribbean.

The population of El Salvador is 5 million. An army of 100,000 men and a militia of half a million could, and almost certainly would, be raised and equipped as in Nicaragua. The balance of power in Central America and the Caribbean would tip decisively in favor of the communists. Guatemala, Honduras, and Costa Rica would fail. Could Panama and Mexico stop the expanding torrent?

If the Panama Canal were closed, would the U.S.A. take military action to secure the passage of ships carrying essential oil to the East Coast, or would the fear of starting a nuclear conflict with the Soviet Union prevail so that the U. S . A. accepted the consequences?

The sea lanes through the Caribbean would become vulnerable and much material essential to the U.S. economy and defense passes through them. If these lanes were blocked, would the U.S. be paralyzed by fear that effective action might precipitate nuclear war?

The consequences of the fall of El Salvador are calculable and enormous. They should lead to the non?negotiable determination: "Communism must not conquer El Salvador." This determination should be backed by all necessary action.

THE U.S COMMUNIST LEADER GUS HALL APPLAUDS MARTIAL LAW IN POLAND

Gus Hall, leader of the U.S. Communist Party, is a faithful servant of the Soviet Union. He spoke at a meeting of the U.S. Communists in New York's Unity Auditorium on Sunday, February 28, and scolded the leaders of the

Communist Parties of Italy and Spain, Enrico Berlinguer and Santiago Carrillo, for daring to criticize the Soviet Union for its actions in Poland.

A report in the March 4 edition of the U.S. Communist newspaper, the Daily World states:

"The Polish events were used by the Eurocommunists, Hall said, to challenge the basis of scientific socialism and living socialism in the Soviet Union.

"The recent statements by some of the leading cadre of the Italian and Spanish Communist parties, he said, explicitly and implicitly contain just about every fabrication, mystification, distortion and vile slander that the reactionary forces have been spreading against socialism, and especially the Soviet Union, for over 60 years." (Page 23)

All is not harmony in the communist camp.

The audience applauded when Hall supported the imposition of martial law in Poland. Hall reiterated one insane delusion that is basic communist doctrine. The article reports:

"One could see the signs of warm agreement when Hall said: 'The world revolutionary process is irreversible and indestructible because there are inner laws of objective developments'." (Page 3)

This delusion removes them from the realm of rationality.

ED ASNER (Lou Grant on TV DELIGHTS THE COMMUNISTS

The U.S. Communists are cheering Ed Asner because he is trying to lead the Screen Actors Guild, of which he is President, in a radical direction, and because he is trying to marshal support in Hollywood for left-wing causes.

A group of prominent members of the Screen Actors Guild, led by Charlton Heston, the former President, have protested the "politicization" of the Guild.

Control of the entertainment industry has always been an objective of the U . S. Communists. During the 1930's and 40's, they came close to attaining this objective. Ronald Reagan, now U. S. President, fought and defeated them when he was President of the Screen Actors Guild.

The following article and picture appeared in the February 17 edition of the U.S. Communist newspaper, the Daily World

TV stars help Salvador fight

'Lou Grant' is his television name, and he's become a star in a new way. Ed Asner - the man who plays Lou Grant - has joined a movement of actors and actresses supporting the people and freedom fighters of El Salvador.

Concerned that the Reagan Administration is pushing the U.S. into a Central American "Vietnam," Asner has stepped off the screen to play a real-life role as a concerned citizen.

He is not alone. Ralph Waite, who plays Pa Walton on "The Waltons," Howard Hesseman, who plays Dr. Johnny Fever of "WKRP in Cincinnati," and movie producer Bert Schneider have joined him in an called "Medical Aid for El Salvador."

On Monday Asner and his fellow members gathered at the Washington DC Hilton - in front of the State Department - for a press conference.

They roundly condemned Reagan's involvement in El Salvador, and publicly presented a \$25,000 check to Dr. Gloria Torres, a representative of a Mexican group that will deliver the funds to the freedom fighters. The money was collected from about 8,000 contributors.

The check represented the first installment on \$1 million that the group has pledged to raise.

Asner commented, "I'm trying to get this country to stop its... participation in the fate of El Salvador and change its age-old nonattention to the problems of Central America, which are true land reform and true democratic practices." ?

Asner said that he and others in the entertainment industry plan to increase their political activity. "We are all American citizens," he said, "and our visibility gives us a special responsibility...I hope to furbish my identity as a concerned human being."

Talking about the present Administration, Ralph Waite said he is "chagrined, embarrassed and shocked by the statements of our leaders ? I feel they have been lying to me."

Howard Hesseman added he wants his efforts to "balance the bombs an bullets" that our government "insists on sending."

U.S COMMUNIST PARTY APPLAUDS SOVIET POLICY IN POLAND

The U.S. Communists are trying to put the best face possible on the situation in Poland. They are blaming the prevailing poverty and privation on U.S. Imperialism instead of the system of Socialism. They are applauding the Soviet Union for the "fraternal help" given the Poles. Absurdity and irrationality know no limits.

The following article taken from the March 3 edition of the U . S. communist newspaper, the Daily World is typical:

Polish premier hails Soviet aid

By TOM FOLEY

Premier Wojciech Jaruzelski of Poland said Monday, "Once again, we can see for ourselves the true essence of the socialist family of peoples brothers show solidarity in helping the one in trouble." The Polish premier spoke in Moscow in reply to a dinner speech by President Leonid Brezhnev the USSR, who had assured Poland of additional aid from the USSR.

Jaruzelski stated that "Poland is in a very grave economic situation. Revealing themselves are the consequences of the voluntaristic errors committed in the past decade and above all, the economic implications of the destructive activities of the enemy in the recent period.

"Our situation is also being significantly complicated by the economic sanctions introduced by the U.S. Administration," the Polish premier said. "Against this backdrop, becoming ever more evident is the tremendous importance of the irreplaceable internationalist assistance which is being given to us by the USSR."

He continued, "Without this assistance, without a substantial broadening of the cooperation within the framework of the Council for Mutual Economic Assistance (CMEA), a way out of the crisis would be impossible."

Soviet assistance imperative

Jaruzelski said the Poles realized their own efforts would be the crucial ones and "we are making such efforts. However, our economy needs a strong additional impulse so that it can restore, in a shorter period, its balance and to get rid of its dislocations. The Soviet assistance is this impulse."

After thanking the Soviet people, Communist Party and Brezhnev for this additional fraternal aid, Jaruzelski said, "Poland will not abandon the road of socialism. It will not be its weak link. Our working class and working people feel bound with the ideas of socialism and believe that we shall overcome the difficulties and restore the well-being of our homeland.

"The Polish people have proved their patriotism many times," Jaruzelski said. "Never in history have they yielded to

foreign pressure. They will not yield now."

The Polish premier noted earlier in his speech that "we have arrived at a moment that is extremely difficult for our country. Poland is now living through days of trial." He said that counterrevolutionaries backed by the imperialists brought Poland to a state of anarchy last year.

The martial law introduced December 13, he said, was endorsed by the Sejm (Polish parliament). Decisions difficult

"It was difficult for us to make these decisions," Jaruzelski said. "We made them independently and sovereignly, being deeply convinced that they meet the interests of socialist Poland and serve the cause of peace in Europe.

"Time confirms their correctness. Stabilization is setting in. But the struggle continues," he said, pointing out that "our party, the Polish United Workers' Party (PUWP), is a guarantor of taking the country out of a deep crisis. It is indispensable in this." He noted that the PUWP is "restoring the Leninist style of activity."

In his speech, Soviet President Brezhnev said, "It is not easy for Poland today. The waves of anarchy, chaos and terror would not roll back overnight.

"The imperialist powers, the United States, in the first place, are increasing their pressure on Poland and in doing so, trample underfoot law and morals," Brezhnev said. "But let no one hope that socialism will not be able to defend itself. It will. And with all resolution.

Better day coming

"Beyond the present complicated day, one can already see a better day coming," the Soviet president said. "We helped Poland the best we could and we shall continue helping it. These are not just words."

Brezhnev spoke on the Polish crisis and the introduction of martial law. He said, "These are timely measures. Had the Communists given way to the counterrevolution, had they wavered under the furious attacks by the enemies of socialism, the destinies of Poland, stability in Europe and the world at large would have been jeopardized.

"The bitter lessons of what has happened are something to learn from and Communists know how to learn," the Soviet president said.

3? DAILY WORLD Wednesday, March 3, 1982

SOCIALISM NEEDS BLOODSHED?

Socialism can only be imposed on a people by restriction of personal liberty and bloodshed. This is stated unequivocally by Arthur Lewin, who teaches in the Department of Black and Hispanic Studies at Baruch College, New York, in an article published in the February, 1982 issue of the Socialist magazine, Monthly Review, which circulates in the academic realm.

Under the caption, "The Fall of Michael Manley: A case study in the failure of reform socialism," Lewin states:

"Tourism and free emigration cannot exist in a nation undergoing a true socialist revolution. Manley, however, never attempted a true socialist revolution, but a democratic socialist one. He tried in vain to achieve a middle ground??a chimera in a world divided between capitalism and socialism... If history has taught us anything, it is that revolutions can never be wrought from above, can never be accomplished without the shedding of blood." (Page 57)

SUPPORT THE TRUTH AND TRUTH?TELLERS

There are thousands of dedicated Christians who are willing and eager to distribute literature telling the truth about communism to the people in their countries.

This picture shows a Christian anti-communist worker distributing the Telegu translation of the book, Why I Am Against Communism, in Andhra State of India.

Such workers can be supported at moderate cost. In India, support costs \$25 per month. In other countries, it may be more, depending on the prevailing cost of living, but it is only a small fraction of the cost of sending someone from the U.S.A. to do the work.

No investment promises greater dividends than the support of such truth-tellers. You can become the sponsor of one or more workers. Write to the Crusade for detailed information.

ACT NOW

Shatter the lingering delusions concerning the nature of communism by learning and telling the truth. Send for the envelope and bumper stickers containing the messages:

1. Communism brings less food, more fear: Ask the Poles.
2. Communism is a cause, not a cure of poverty, discrimination and oppression.
3. The communist plan for the conquest of the U.S.A. is: "External encirclement, plus internal demoralization, plus thermonuclear blackmail, lead to progressive surrender."
4. The Communists must not conquer El Salvador.

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Christian Anti-Communism Crusade

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Dear Friend,

We are convinced that: 1) It is better to prevent the recruitment of communist guerrillas than to spend blood and treasure fighting them after recruitment; and that 2) Truthful information concerning the false doctrines, deceitful methods, bloodthirsty practices, tyrannous objectives, and the hideous history of communism is a powerful deterrent to recruitment. Inspired and guided by these dual convictions, the Crusade is engaged in active truth campaigns in many countries. In order to sustain these campaigns and to originate new ones, we are appealing for contributions to our million-dollar truth fund. Some of the campaigns in which we are engaged are:

1. The distribution of the book "Why I Am Against Communism" to all Senior High School Students, High School Teachers, College Students, University Students, College Teachers, and University Teachers in the Republic of China. The book will have the text printed in Chinese on one page and the same message printed in English on the facing page, thereby encouraging its reading by those Chinese interested in learning English. The book will be given to 619,500 students and teachers, and the cost will be \$76,725 or 12 cents a copy. What an example for other countries.

I thank those who share the vision of what this program can achieve and who have given to make it possible. In response to my appeal, we have received donations from close to 1,000 individuals and these add up to \$35,000. More must and will contribute.

One champion of freedom made an individual contribution of \$16,019 so that the book can be sent to every professor and teacher and to every third college student and every tenth Senior High School student of Taiwan. I am praying that her example will inspire others, who have the means, to do likewise. I am immensely grateful for all gifts, large and small.

2. The distribution of "Why I Am Against Communism" to students, teachers, and citizens within the U.S.A. 3. The distribution of the Spanish edition of "Why I Am Against Communism" to students, teachers, and citizens in Central

America and the Caribbean. A bilingual U.S. citizen, with a Latin American heritage, is directing this program.

4. The distribution of the Telegu edition of "Why I Am Against Communism" in Andhra State, India.
5. The printing of a new edition of 50,000 copies of the Italian edition of the book, "You Can Trust the Communists (to be Communists)" and the distribution of these to students, academics and opinion?molders in Italy. It is costing \$20,000 to print these books.
6. The support of hundreds of Christian anti?communist workers in many countries. Many of these face serious personal danger as they carry on their work.
7. Anti?subversive seminars for pastors, educators and anti?communist workers. Seminars in Lagos, Nigeria, and Nairobi, Kenya are presently being planned.

These are only some of the many projects we are conducting. Surely you can see why we need a million?dollar truth fund. Please send your generous contribution.

With Christian love,

Fred Schwarz