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ENCIRCLED BY HATRED

The encirclement of the U.S. is an essential element of the communist program to conquer this country. This encirclement is psychological as well as military and economic. The communist objective is to surround the United States with people who are convinced that this country is monstrously evil and the enemy of mankind.

A weapon in the campaign to encircle the United States with hatred was found in Grenada when the liberation forces entered that country. It is a booklet which contains a compilation of filthy lies concerning this country. The title of the book is, "CIA's Secret War", and the author is Nikolai Yakovlev, who is introduced as follows:

"Professor Nikolai Yakovlev (b. 1927) is a prominent Soviet scholar, specializing in US history. At present he heads a sector at the Moscow Institute of Sociological Studies, USSR Academy of Sciences. He is the author of more than twenty major publications, including *The USA and Britain in the Second World War*, *The Pearl Harbor Mystery* and biographies of US presidents??George Washington, Franklin D. Roosevelt and John F. Kennedy. A number of his recent books deal with CIA's activities; they are widely read both in the USSR and abroad. More than five million copies of his books have been sold in the Soviet Union and many have been published in Argentina, Bulgaria, Hungary, the German Democratic Republic, Italy, Poland, and the United States, Japan and other countries. This book has been written specially for the Novosti Press Agency Publishing House." (Page 1)

Since the publisher is the Novosti Press Agency of Russia, it is official and cannot be regarded as an expression of the hateful delusions of the author. The book was originally written in Russian, then translated, and is published in English, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Arabic, and Farsi. It is presented in the form of a documentary and contains a number of statements allegedly made by President Reagan in the Introduction. The deceitful nature of the book is illustrated by these quotations. Consider this one:

"We must not hesitate to declare our ultimate objectives and to take concrete actions to move towards them..., which will leave Marxism?Leninism on the ash heap of history." (Ronald Reagan, addressing the House of Commons in London, June 1982)

This quotation consists of two parts. Each part is extracted from its context and the two parts are then artificially associated.

The first statement occurs near the beginning of the speech, and the following paragraph will show its context: "While we must be cautious about forcing the pace of change, we must not hesitate to declare our ultimate objectives and to take concrete actions to move toward them We must be staunch in our conviction that freedom is not the sole prerogative of a lucky few but the inalienable and universal right of all human beings."

The second statement is near the end of the speech and its context is as follows: "What I am describing now is a plan and a hope for the long term: The march of freedom and democracy which will leave Marxism?Leninism on the ash heap of history as it has left other tyrannies which stifle the freedom and muzzle the self?expression of the people."

To wrest statements out of their context and to associate them together in an apparent causal relationship is a well?known technique employed in literary forgery. I am reminded of a joke told frequently in my youth. At that time it was customary to seek a promise from the Bible by taking a pin, closing the eyes, opening the Bible and placing the pin on a verse. That verse was regarded as God's promise or instruction for the day.

The hopeful young man followed this process, opened his eyes and read: "Judas went out and hanged himself." He thought, that can't be right. I'll try again. This time the pin landed on the verse, "Go and do thou likewise." Trying the

third time, he reached the verse, "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Even as children, we knew how a false and evil message can be formed by selecting and associating unrelated statements. The communists are using this technique to propagate falsehood which is designed to generate hatred of the United States.

The following extracts indicate the malignancy of the communist fabrications:

1. The horrible plight of the U.S people

"The history of mankind has never known anything like the police state now set up

in the United States behind the facade of 'democracy'. The giant CIA outfit only ranks first in a long line of punitive departments supervising every step Americans take. (Page 62)

2. U.S perfidy in the Second World War

"During the first three years of the Soviet Union's involvement in the Second World War its Western Allies never went beyond sending impassioned greetings to the Red Army, which was smashing the Wehrmacht, and expressing friendly feelings towards the Soviet people; US assistance to Moscow under the Lend-Lease Act amounted to three and a half percent of all American spending in the war. The United States and Britain delayed in opening the Second Front in the West waiting for the belligerents to bleed themselves white on the Eastern front. (Page 24)

3. U.S plans to start nuclear war: The Soviets are bi-partisan in their slander. They attack Reagan viciously, but they also attack President Carter. They allege that President Carter devised a program for waging and winning nuclear war against Russia:

"For instance, in July 1980, the Carter Administration introduced Directive 59 envisaging the waging of a 'limited nuclear war' and, among other things, the dealing of a 'first strike'. Although its text has not yet been officially published, the announced aims of the directive which aroused indignation around the world remain the same: without any scruples Washington cynically contemplates the possibility of waging a thermonuclear war and winning it. (Page 48)

4. Bats and Cats No accusation is too absurd. Eleanor Roosevelt is the subject of their ire in the following story, which is not meant to be funny:

"They say that Eleanor Roosevelt, the President's wife, got into her head the idea of setting fire to Japanese cities which were built, as she knew for sure, of bamboo and paper houses. If a small incendiary bomb were somehow attached to a bat and if the bat were set free over Japan, it would eventually come to nest in the attic of a house, reasoned the First Lady of the United States. The rest was clear. The men at OSS conducted an experiment: They caught several bats, attached small bombs to them and released them from a plane over a mining town in the United States. The bats returned to the building where OSS experts had fitted them out for their mission and burnt it down. So it became necessary to seek other ways of punishing the Japanese. A similar fate befell the suggestion made by an influential Senator: to build a glider bomb operated by a cat. The Kamikaze cat was to be released close to the enemy ship and, since it is well-known that cats abhor water, the cat concerned, the Senator argued, would run its paws over the control buttons, adjusting the flight path of the bomb and land it directly on the deck of the enemy ship. The scheme devised by the venerable Senator was a flop, however. It turned out that cats dropped from a plane almost immediately lost consciousness." (Page 38)

5. "Normal" life in the United States:

"Journalist S. Rivers told the story of his own brother who in the above mentioned atmosphere in 1970 read a novel by Allen Drury about how the Soviet Union tried to conquer the United States. The poor boy went crazy. First he imagined that the CIA was keeping him at gunpoint. Later he came to suspect his parents of being 'Soviet Agents'. After some time he brought home the book 'The Manchurian Candidate' and asked his mother to read the last page which describes how a young man killed his mother and stepfather, both agents of Red China. The family's life turned

into a nightmare. The boy became a dangerous mental case, scared stiff of the CIA. Somehow it became possible to restore him to his senses. The price was 10,000 dollars, the parents' lifetime savings. Their son now lives from hand to mouth, but his parents failed to endure such tension and both died. The nightmare of Hugh Rivers (The New York Times, October 10, 1978) is that life in the United States is now in the tight net of what is known as 'Catch?22'. (Pages 53?54)

6. Beware of psychosurgery:

"The aim of psychosurgery, along with other means like those developed under the MCULTRA programme, is to populate the capitalist countries with robotised beings incapable of social protest Secret work in the United States along these lines is supervised by the CIA, the FBI, military counter?intelligence, and other political investigation departments. Efforts are definitely being made to create a situation in which dissenting political views and not illness would serve as a justification for psychosurgery. (Page 60)

7. The hideous future is described as follows:

"It is already being said that the ordinary members of the American society of the future will have electrodes implanted in their brain so they will obey commands flashed to them by radio. (Page 61)

8. Treatment of dissenters:

"The legitimate question is what happens to the people (and there were quite a few of them, say, in the 1960s) who dare protest against the existing system? What lies in store for them? Depending on the degree of their protest, they can expect all sorts of persecution at work beating up by police with truncheons framed up 'suicide or a road accident official execution of murder in the torture chambers of the special services Besides that, it is now established US practice to describe dissenters just as common criminals." (Page 61)

9. The Jonestown massacre: What happened at the Jonestown massacre? The CIA did it, of course.

"By 1978 the community was flourishing. Its members had cleared patches of the jungle for growing citruses, manioc, yam, and sugar cane. They had built several workshops, a school for their children and placed the elderly under constant care. In the course of their daily work and struggle with nature the members of the People's Temple gradually abandoned their religious ideas and took pride in the fact that their community lost in the jungle would be a 'model socialist society.' The US special services were not prepared to allow this to happen. Jim Jones and his followers became an object of concentrated slander. Finally, a bloody incident was provoked on November 17, 1978, when a Congressman of the State of California and several journalists who had come to Jonestown were killed.

"This was followed by horrifying and little explained events. An unprecedented tragedy occurred in the jungle of Guyana: nine hundred and eleven people, American citizens, met their deaths. According to the CIA version spread through correspondents in the pay of the US intelligence, what happened was mass suicide.

"The US mass media immediately heaped mountains of slander on the dead, accusing Jim Jones of forcing nearly a thousand people to take their own lives. In midMarch 1979 a 31?year old journalist, Michael Prokes, who survived by 'sheer chance' because he was away from Jonestown on that fatal day, held a news conference in San Francisco. With a good deal of emotion he explained that no one had forced his friends to commit suicide and that they all had been killed by CIA agents Prokes could have said and, evidently, wanted to say a great deal, as he was himself a former CIA agent. But something or someone prevented him from doing so at the news conference. What is known is that, ignoring questions from sensationhungry reporters, Prokes ran his eyes over them, sighed, walked into an adjoining room and shot himself.

"Copies of the tape covering the final agony of Jonestown were made available to the press the next day. In all probability, the recording had been doctored four months before to match the CIA version." (Pages 74?75)

10. Cambodian Genocide: The fanatical communists, Pol Pot and his fellow murderers were agents of the CIA.

"The 'Khmer Rouge' forces, which swore allegiance to 'socialism', won the war on April 7, 1975. In fact, however,

they drowned Kampuchea in blood. An unprecedented tragedy broke out: Three million people were killed during the three-and-a-half year rule of the Pol Pot clique. The country was plunged into the abyss of an economic crisis.

"Let us now pause to ponder; who gains from the discrediting of socialism, as happened in Kampuchea under Pol Pot? There can be no doubt that the bloodbath in that country was part of CIA psychological warfare." (Page 98)

11. Amnesty International: The members and supporters of Amnesty International may be surprised to learn that they are U.S. agents following the instructions of the CIA.

"In recent years a large-scale provocative campaign has been launched on CIA instructions in defence of what are called 'prisoners of conscience'. The campaign is conducted by US agents under the cover of an organisation calling itself Amnesty International." (Page 104)

12. Afghanistan: Naturally the CIA is to blame for the conflict in Afghanistan while the Soviet Union is promoting peace.

"[IS agents immediately got in touch with Afghan counter-revolutionaries who had fled the country after the 1978 April uprising and mostly settled in Pakistan. From the autumn of 1978 to November 1979 at least 15,000 terrorists underwent training at 30 bases and 50 strongpoints set up in that country. They received arms, other equipment and money and were sent into Afghanistan... But as the CIA kept expanding its activities, the scale of intervention in Afghan affairs also increased. The CIA established close contacts with special services of those countries who also actively joined in the fight against democratic Afghanistan.

"The CIA came to direct and co-ordinate all anti-Afghan activities...

"In those crucial days at the very end of December 1979 the Soviet Union came to Afghanistan's help to repulse the threat from the outside Assistance to that country was given in strict accordance with the UN Charter and Article 4 of the Soviet-Afghan Treaty.

"The Soviet Union's move to send a limited contingent of its troops in Afghanistan foiled the schemes devised by the CIA and domestic counter-revolutionaries...

"The United States is directing and supervising the undeclared war against Afghanistan and co-ordinating the actions of the forces involved ... " (Pages 115-117)

13. Poland: Again the CIA is to blame.

"The CIA's hand is clearly visible in the events that have taken place in Poland in recent years. This is common knowledge. Its involvement has on more than one occasion been proved beyond a shadow of doubt by the Polish authorities." (Page 119)

You may well ask, Who will believe this incredible nonsense? The sad answer is many people. Firstly, the book is designed primarily for the people of the third world countries and not for internal circulation within the United States. It is designed to create the encirclement of hatred.

Information is the raw material of thought. The judgment of no man is better than the information on which that judgment is based. As the Bible says: "Evil communications corrupt good manners."

Secondly, there are many people in the United States who would be deceived by the presentation of the message of this book. I gave it to an educated, patriotic Christian U.S. citizen. She skimmed a portion of the book and then said: "It appears fairly objective to me." I said: "How can you say that when your own experience contradicts the very essence of the book? The central message is that the American people are like cattle, who are corralled, harassed and persecuted by an evil organization called the CIA. You have lived in the United States for over thirty years. Have you ever had any contact with the CIA? Have you or anyone you know ever been harassed by the CIA? Have you ever spent one minute worrying about what the CIA might do to you?"

Her answer in each case was an emphatic "no".

The prevailing social system in the U.S.A. is the most permissive in the history of mankind. Millions can and do rail against the president and the administration with impunity. It is a sad commentary that so many of those enjoying this remarkable freedom seem unable to distinguish between reality and fantasy.

If we allow the communists to have a monopoly of information so that their vicious lies will be believed, we must not be surprised at the harvest of hatred that will ensue. A massive truth campaign in the third world is imperative. To spend one percent of the sum spent on military weapons on such a program would be a prudent and wise investment in national security.

BATTLES FOR THE MIND IN EL SALVADOR

By Rev James Colbert

The Rev. Peter Padro and I spent late February and early March in El Salvador. The primary purpose of our visit was to present anti-communist programs on national television. We recorded two 30-minute programs to be presented as a television special entitled, "Why I Am Against Communism", after adequate advertising. It is anticipated that 60 percent of the nation will view these programs.

Our time in El Salvador was consumed by meetings and interviews including, interviews with three major newspapers. Our audiences included:

1. The largest evangelical church in El Salvador.
2. The Lions Club.
3. The National Association of Evangelicals.
4. A conference of university evangelical groups.
5. A gathering of paratroops.

Evangelical Church Meeting

Pete and I attended the Sunday morning worship service in the largest evangelical church in El Salvador. This church has three Sunday morning services, with a total attendance of 7,500. We arrived during the second service and remained for the third at 11:00 a. m. The pastor invited us to the platform and introduced us to the people. He also invited us to return on Monday night to speak at a special 5:30 p.m. service.

Approximately 500 people gathered for this service. About 50 percent of them were between the ages of 18 and 30 years. The pastor and board members were nervous about the meeting as communism is literally a life and death matter in El Salvador. They did not know what I was going to say and worried whether there would be repercussions or reprisals. They also wondered if I could present a message about communism with a spiritual emphasis. I tried to give attention to these concerns during my message which was received with rapt attention. The question period following the message was lively, and we consumed so much time answering important questions that we missed a speaking engagement of 130 students of church history in the university which is related to the church.

We couldn't get away from the students. They followed us to the hotel to ask more questions while they visited us and telephoned us at the hotel all week long.

At the conclusion of the service, we dedicated the booklet "Why I Am Against Communism" to the Lord and prayed for its effective distribution. The people responded and asked for all the literature we had and promised to place it in the hands of those who could and would read. The pastor asked for an additional 3,000 copies, which we provided.

Distribution of "Why I Am Against Communism!"

Plans have been made for the distribution of 200,000 copies of "Why I Am Against Communism" before the Salvadoran elections. It is possible and even probable that a million people will either read or have read to them the message of "Why I Am Against Communism" before the presidential election in El Salvador which takes place on March 25.

The Lions Club

Our next speaking engagement was to the Lions Club. Prior to this meeting, we had been visited by the Vice President of El Salvador, and he suggested that he drive us to the Lions Club. En route we called at his house, and he presented Peter and me with valuable artifacts from the first and third centuries which came from archaeological diggings in El Salvador. The Vice President is keenly interested in archaeology and expressed his desire to devote himself to that study when he retires from politics.

The dangerous situation in El Salvador is illustrated by the abundance of weapons. The Vice President wore a .45 caliber pistol, had another one on the car seat, and an automatic weapon like a machine gun was on the car floor. At his home we changed cars and got into a bullet-proof sedan with an armed driver, and the arms were transferred from the other vehicle into this sedan.

The members of the Lions Club responded to the message with great enthusiasm. They requested copies of "Why I Am Against Communism" so that they could distribute them to the national officers and the 1700 delegates at the national convention. I provided 900 copies which I had in my room, and Pete and the officers distributed them personally to the eager delegates.

The members of the lions Club are small businessmen and employees of business firms, and they are adamantly opposed to the attempts of the guerrilla forces of the FMLN to capture the country by force and violence. Those who think that the U.S. is helping the wrong people in El Salvador, such as Ed Asner, Jane Fonda and Senator Dodd, ought to speak and listen to the members of the Lions Club of El Salvador.

Daily Death

El Salvador endures daily sabotage, destruction, intimidation and intrigue. People are killed constantly. During the time we were there, the guerrillas hijacked a train, killed many passengers, and robbed them of their valuables.

The printer who is printing the booklet, "Why I Am Against Communism", had a narrow escape. We had an appointment with him, but he failed to keep it. We contacted him by telephone and, in a voice that indicated his state of shock, he told us that the back wall of his print shop had been blown out by a time bomb. That same day three gasoline stations were blown up.

National Alliance of Evangelicals

The leadership of the National Affiance of Evangelicals met with us and commended our program with enthusiasm. They have invited us to return during the last week of June to conduct two seminars with 300 pastors in each. One seminar will be held in Santa Ana and the other in San Vincente. The guerrillas attacked San Vincente in the past and on one occasion held it for 39 hours. During that time, two of the city officials were executed and the meeting place of the Lions Club was destroyed.

Paratroops

I spoke to a company of paratroops at the El Salvador base. The meeting was at the conclusion of a Catholic Mass. I am informed that I made history by being the first Protestant minister to speak to a government unit in a Catholic chapel. The first question asked by a paratrooper was: "We needed this. When can you come back to speak again?" There was an unending stream of questions. It is clear that the fighting forces need to be taught the nature of the enemy which they are fighting to improve their morale.

Evangelical Hostility

Our saddest experience came during a meeting of evangelical student leaders from the 36 universities in El Salvador. I was scheduled to speak from 11:00 to 12:00 noon. The leader of the group was a young man who was studying at the Catholic university. I spoke for about 15 minutes and showed the deceitfulness of communism, explaining how the very name "communism" is deceptive. The name suggests "having things in common" and "sharing", but this is not the nature of communism. The founder of modern communism, Lenin, had defined Marxism as "the class war plus the dictatorship of the proletariat", so the essential elements of communism are war and dictatorship.

I asked them if they had ever heard that Jesus was the first communist and that early Christians practiced communism. I pointed out that war and dictatorship were very different from what Jesus and the early Christians practiced.

At that point, the leader of the meeting interrupted and informed me that I must stop. Apparently he did not approve of what I was saying. Many in the gathering later expressed their disappointment that I had not been allowed to continue.

This illustrates how important it is that evangelical students should be taught the true nature of communism.

Guatemala

We visited Guatemala to further the program to distribute a copy of "Why I Am Against Communism" to every teacher and high school student in the nation. In addition, the booklet is being distributed to the military forces. The Minister of Education shares our excitement about this program. We have also been asked for an additional 1,000 copies of the booklet so that each of the political candidates, running for office in the upcoming elections, may receive a copy.

The taped messages "What is Communism?" in Spanish are now being used extensively in the Guatemalan military.

The doors are wide open in Central America for the truth about communism. The outcome of the battle for this area will be determined by who wins the minds and the hearts of the young people, and not by guns alone.

It is better to prevent the recruitment of idealistic students into the ranks of communist guerrillas than to spend blood and treasure fighting them after recruitment.

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Christian Anti-Communism Crusade

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Dear Friend,

What is your reaction to the monstrous lies about the United States and President Reagan which the communists are spreading all around the world? If the attitude of those with whom I have discussed the outrageous statements contained in the book found in Grenada and presented in the accompanying newsletter is typical, it is a mixture of amusement and anger.

Amusement

Some of the accusations are so ridiculous that it is difficult to refrain from laughter. The idea of the most technologically advanced nation in the world being reduced to dependence upon bombs piloted by cats and bats is hilariously funny. However, it is graveside humor, which is deadly, not delightful.

Anger

The humor gives way to anger when the consequences of the circulation of this evil compilation of malignant falsehoods are realized. Most of the people who receive and read this book have no first-hand experience of life in the

U.S.A. They will naturally accept the charges and statements as true, and they will scorn, despise and hate this country. A lie which is believed produces the same psychological consequences as if the statement were true. Some of our staff are particularly angry about the way the communists have cut, trimmed and recombined the statements of President Reagan in order to forge a false message which they use to discredit and vilify him.

Rebuttal?

The anger is compounded by the knowledge that the responsible authorities are failing to use the resources of the U.S.A. to rebut the lies with the truth. Since the majority of those who read the book are in the Third World, its message will be unanswered. Most of the programs produced by the United States Information Agency, the Voice of America, Radio Free Europe and Radio Liberty, are directed towards Europe and the Soviet Union, while attempts to reach the students and peasants in Third World countries are puny. It requires little imagination to predict the consequences of the communist barrage in these circumstances.

The anger will be creative if it leads to appropriate action. The report in the newsletter describing our truth campaigns in El Salvador and Guatemala by Rev. Colbert provides an example of what can be done. We are presenting the truth to millions in Central America and to the people of other nations on a worldwide scale.

One of the first things that Rev. Colbert said on his return from El Salvador was: "We have an open door in Central America, and we can reach a majority of the population with the truth provided we have the money required to do it."

We need the \$2 million we are requesting to expand our worldwide truth campaign. Have you responded to my appeal? Are you doubling your donation? Will you send your best gift promptly? The truth will bring freedom and peace.

With Christian love,

Fred Schwarz