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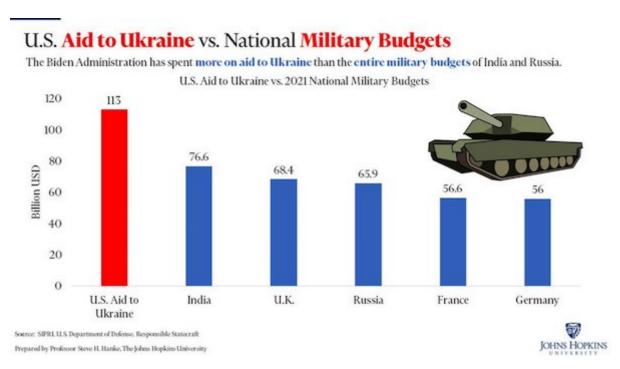
Po desetiletí se v západních zemích neustále pěstovala myšlenka na demontáž Sovětského svazu a Ruska. Bohužel v určitém okamžiku vznikla myšlenka využít Ukrajinu k dosažení tohoto cíle. Abychom takovému vývoji zabránili, zahájili jsme speciální vojenskou operaci (SMO). To je přesně to, o co některé západní země – v čele se Spojenými státy – usilují; vytvořit protiruskou enklávu a pak nás z tohoto směru ohrožovat. Zabránit tomu, aby se to stalo, je naším prvořadým cílem. <u>Vladimír Putin</u>

Zde je váš geopolitický kvíz pro tento den: Co měla Angela Merkelová na mysli, když řekla "že studená válka ve skutečnosti nikdy neskončila, protože Rusko nebylo nikdy zpacifikováno"?

1. Merkelová měla na mysli skutečnost, že Rusko nikdy nepřijalo svou podřízenou roli v "Řádu založeném na pravidlech".

- 2. Merkelová měla na mysli skutečnost, že ekonomický kolaps Ruska nevytvořil "poddajný stát", v jaký západní elity doufaly.
- 3. Merkelová naznačuje, že studená válka nikdy nebyla ve skutečnosti bojem mezi demokracií a komunismem, ale 45 let trvajícím úsilím o "pacifikaci" Ruska.
- 4. Merkelová měla na mysli, že západní státy zejména Spojené státy nechtějí silné, prosperující a nezávislé Rusko, ale servilního lokaje, který dělá, co se mu říká.
- 5. Vše výše uvedené.

Pokud jste si vybrali (5), poplácejte se po zádech. To je správná odpověď.



Minulý týden Angela Merkelová potvrdila to, co mnoho analytiků říkalo roky, že nepřátelské vztahy Washingtonu s Ruskem – které se datují více než století – nemají nic společného s ideologií, "špatným chováním" nebo údajnou "nevyprovokovanou agresí". Hlavním proviněním Ruska je to, že okupuje strategickou oblast světa, která obsahuje obrovské přírodní zdroje a která je kritická pro plán Washingtonu "pivot to Asia". Skutečným zločinem Ruska je, že jeho pouhá existence představuje hrozbu pro

globalistický projekt rozšířit americké vojenské základny po Střední Asii, obklíčit Čínu a stát se regionálním hegemonem v nejvíce prosperujícím a nejlidnatějším regionu světa.

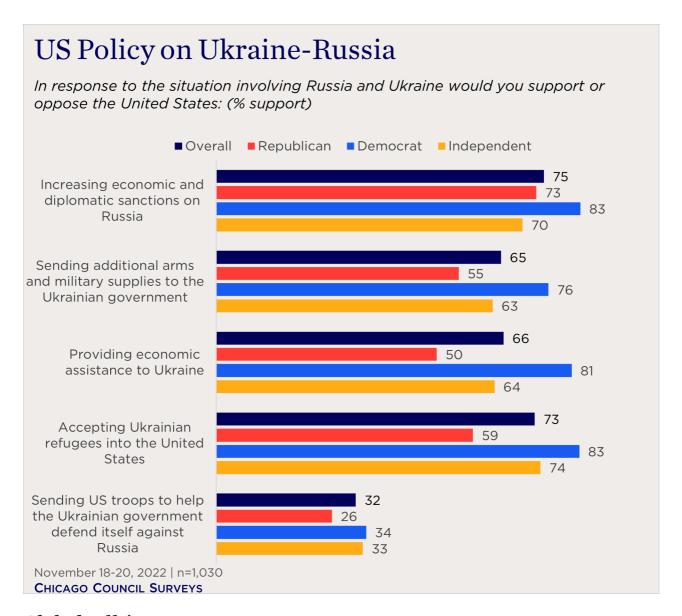
Tolik pozornosti se soustředilo na to, co řekla Merkelová ohledně Minské smlouvy, že její alarmující poznámky byly zcela ignorovány. Zde je krátký úryvek z nedávného rozhovoru, který Merkelová poskytla italskému časopisu:

Minské dohody z roku 2014 byly pokusem dát Ukrajině čas. Ukrajina využila toto období k tomu, aby se stala silnější, jak je vidět dnes. Země 2014/15 není zemí dneška....
Všichni jsme věděli, že to byl zmrazený konflikt, že problém nebyl vyřešen, ale právě to dalo Ukrajině drahocenný čas. ("Angela Merkelová: Kohl využil jeho hlas a budoval", Corrier Della Sera)

Merkelová otevřeně přiznává, že se účastnila 7 let trvajícího podvodu, jehož cílem bylo oklamat ruské vedení, aby si myslelo, že skutečně chce mír, ale ukázalo se, že tomu tak není. Po pravdě řečeno, západní mocnosti záměrně sabotovaly smlouvu, aby získaly čas na vyzbrojení a výcvik ukrajinské armády, která by byla použita ve válce proti Rusku.

Ale to je stará zpráva. Zajímavější je pro nás to, co řekla Merkelová po svých komentářích k Minsku. Zde je nabídka peněz:

Chci s vámi mluvit o aspektu, který mě nutí přemýšlet. Je to fakt, **že studená válka ve skutečnosti nikdy neskončila, protože nakonec Rusko nebylo nikdy pacifikováno.** Když Putin v roce 2014 napadl Krym, byl vyloučen z G8. Kromě toho NATO rozmístilo své jednotky v oblasti Baltského moře, aby prokázalo svou připravenost zasáhnout. A i my jsme se rozhodli vyčlenit 2 % HDP na vojenské výdaje na obranu. CDU a CSU ji jako jediné ponechaly ve vládním programu. Ale i my jsme měli na agresivitu Ruska reagovat rychleji. ("Angela Merkelová: Kohl využil jeho hlas a budoval", Corrier Della Sera)



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To je překvapivé přiznání. Merkelová **říká, že "studená válka** nikdy neskončila", protože primárního cíle oslabit ("pacifikovat") Rusko – do té míry, že nemohlo bránit své vlastní životní zájmy nebo promítat moc za svými hranicemi – nebylo dosaženo. Merkelová naznačuje, že hlavním cílem studené války nebylo porazit komunismus (jak nám bylo řečeno), ale vytvořit poddajnou ruskou kolonii, která by umožnila globalistickému projektu pokračovat bez překážek. Jak vidíme na Ukrajině, tohoto cíle nebylo dosaženo; a důvodem, proč toho nebylo dosaženo, je to, že Rusko je dostatečně silné, aby blokovalo expanzi NATO na východ. Stručně řečeno, **Rusko se stalo největší** překážkou globalistické strategie ovládnutí světa.

Stojí za zmínku, že Merkelová nikdy nezmiňuje údajnou "nevyprovokovanou agresi" Ruska na Ukrajině jako hlavní problém. Ve skutečnosti se nesnaží obhajovat toto falešné tvrzení. Skutečným problémem podle Merkelové je, že Rusko nebylo "pacifikováno". Přemýšlej o tom. To naznačuje, že ospravedlnění války je jiné než to, které propagují média. Znamená to, že konflikt je řízen geopolitickými cíli, které byly skryty za kouřovou clonou "invaze" . Komentáře Merkelové v tomto ohledu pročišťují vzduch tím, že identifikují skutečný cíl; uklidnění.

Za minutu ukážeme, že válka byla vyvolána "geopolitickými cíli" a ne údajnou "agresí" Ruska, ale nejprve musíme přezkoumat myšlenky, které podporují válku. Hlavním souborem principů, na kterých spočívá americká zahraniční politika, je Wolfowitzova doktrína, jejíž první návrh byl představen v Směrnici obranného plánování v roce 1992. Zde je krátký výňatek:

Naším prvním cílem je zabránit opětovnému objevení se nového rivala, ať už na území bývalého Sovětského svazu nebo jinde, který představuje hrozbu v řádu té, kterou dříve představoval Sovětský svaz . Toto je dominantní úvaha, která je základem nové regionální obranné strategie a vyžaduje, abychom se snažili zabránit jakékoli nepřátelské mocnosti ovládnout region, jehož zdroje by pod konsolidovanou kontrolou stačily k vytvoření globální moci.

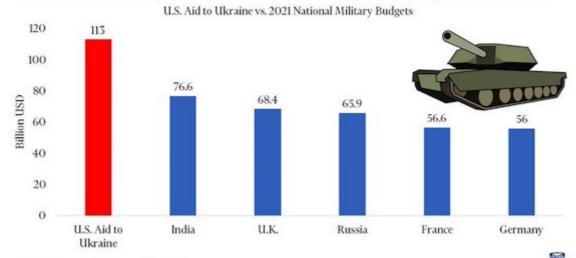
Je to černé na bílém: **Nejvyšší prioritou americké zahraniční politiky** "je zabránit opětovnému objevení se nového rivala, ať už na území bývalého Sovětského svazu, nebo jinde, který představuje hrozbu v pořadí, jaké představuje. dříve Sovětským svazem." To ukazuje na důležitost, kterou Washington a jeho spojenci přikládají území okupovaném Ruskou federací. Ukazuje také odhodlání západních vůdců zabránit jakémukoli suverénnímu státu kontrolovat oblast, kterou USA potřebují k realizaci své velké strategie. Není třeba génia, aby člověk přišel na to, že transformace Ruska v silný a nezávislý stát ho nejen postavila přímo do hledáčku Washingtonu, ale také výrazně zvýšila šance na přímou konfrontaci. Jednoduše řečeno, návrat Ruska do řad velmocí ho zařadil na washingtonský "seznam nepřátel" a logický cíl americké agrese.

Co to má společného s Merkelovou?

V komentářích Merkelové je implicitní skutečnost, že rozpad komunistického státu a kolaps ruské ekonomiky nestačily k tomu, aby Rusko zůstalo "pacifikováno". Ve skutečnosti vyjadřuje svou podporu extrémnějším opatřením. A ví, jaká ta opatření budou; změna režimu následovaná násilným rozštěpením země.



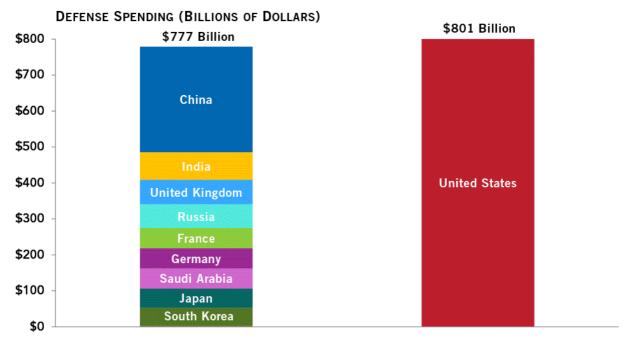
The Biden Administration has spent more on aid to Ukraine than the entire military budgets of India and Russia.



Source: SIPRL U.S. Department of Defense, Responsible Statecraft
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The United States spends more on defense than the next 9 countries combined



SOURCE: Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, SIPRI Military Expenditure Database, April 2022.

NOTES: Figures are in U.S. dollars converted from local currencies using market exchange rates. Data for the United States are for fiscal year 2021, which ran from October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2021. Data for the other countries are for calendar year 2021. The source for this chart uses a definition of defense spending that is more broad than budget function 050 and defense discretionary spending.

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Putin si je tohoto zhoubného plánu dobře vědom a při mnoha příležitostech o něm otevřeně diskutoval. Podívejte se na toto dvouminutové video ze schůzky, které Putin před několika týdny vedl:

"Cílem našich nepřátel je oslabit a rozbít naši zemi. Tak tomu bylo po staletí. Věří, že naše země je příliš velká a představuje (pro ně) hrozbu, a proto musí být oslabena a rozdělena . Z naší strany jsme vždy sledovali jiný přístup; vždy jsme chtěli být součástí takzvaného 'civilizovaného (západního) světa.' A po rozpadu Sovětského svazu jsme si mysleli, že se konečně staneme součástí toho "světa". Ale jak se ukázalo, přes veškerou snahu jsme nebyli vítáni. Naše pokusy stát se součástí tohoto světa byly odmítnuty. Místo toho udělali vše, co mohli – včetně pomoci teroristům na Kavkaze – aby skoncovali s Ruskem a rozbili Ruskou federaci . <u>Vladimír Putin</u>

Jde o to, že názory Merkelové se hladce shodují s názory neoconů. Rovněž se shodují s těmi z celého západního politického establishmentu, který jednomyslně podpořil konfrontaci s Ruskem. Kromě toho Strategie národní bezpečnosti, Strategie národní obrany a nejnovější zpráva Kongresové výzkumné služby všechny přesunuly své zaměření z války proti mezinárodnímu terorismu na "velkou

mocenskou soutěž" s Ruskem a Čínou. Není divu, že dokumenty mají jen málo společného s "konkurencí", spíše poskytují ideologické ospravedlnění nepřátelských akcí s Ruskem.

Jinými slovy, Spojené státy položily základy pro přímou konfrontaci s největší jadernou supervelmocí světa.

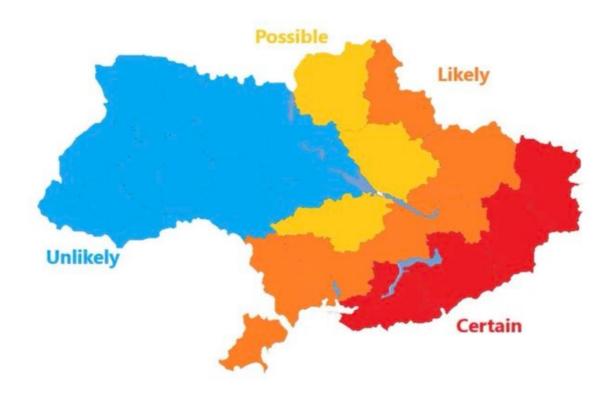
Podívejte se na tento krátký klip ze zprávy Kongresové výzkumné služby s názvem Obnovená konkurence velké moci: Důsledky pro obranu – problémy pro Kongres:

Cíl USA zabránit vzniku regionálních hegemonů v Eurasii ... je politická volba odrážející dva úsudky: (1) že vzhledem k množství lidí, zdrojů a ekonomické aktivity v Eurasii by regionální hegemon v Eurasii představoval dostatečně velkou koncentraci moci, aby mohl ohrozit životně důležité zájmy USA; a (2) že Eurasie není spolehlivě samoregulační, pokud jde o předcházení vzniku regionálních hegemonů, což znamená, že nelze spoléhat na to, že země Eurasie budou schopny zabránit, i když vlastními činy, vzniku regionálních hegemonů, a může potřebovat pomoc z jedné nebo více zemí mimo Eurasii, aby to bylo možné spolehlivě provést."....

Z pohledu USA na velkou strategii a geopolitiku lze poznamenat, že většina lidí, zdrojů

ekonomické aktivity světa se nenachází na západní polokouli, ale na druhé polokouli, zejména v Eurasii . V reakci na tento základní rys světové geografie se američtí politici v posledních několika desetiletích rozhodli sledovat jako klíčový prvek národní strategie USA cíl zabránit vzniku regionálních hegemonů v Eurasii . Ačkoli američtí tvůrci politik často neuvádějí explicitně na veřejnosti cíl zabránit vzniku regionálních hegemonů v Eurasii, americké vojenské operace v posledních desetiletích – jak válečné operace, tak každodenní operace – se zdají být prováděny v nemalé míře. na podporu tohoto cíle." ("Obnovená konkurence velmocí: Důsledky pro obranu – problémy pro Kongres" , Kongres USA)

Zní to hodně jako Wolfowitzova doktrína, že? (Což naznačuje, že Kongres se přestěhoval do tábora neokonzervativců.)



The Big Serge Annexation Map

V tomto krátkém úryvku stojí za zvážení několik věcí:

- 1. Tento "cíl USA zabránit vzniku regionálních hegemonů v Eurasii" nemá nic společného s národní obranou. Je to přímé vyhlášení války každému národu, který úspěšně využívá volný trh k růstu své ekonomiky. Zvláště znepokojující je, že Čína je na cílovém seznamu Washingtonu, když americký firemní outsourcing a offshoring tak významně započítaly úspěch Číny. Americké průmyslové podniky přesunuly své podniky do Číny, aby se vyhnuly placení něčeho nad otrockou mzdu. Může za to Čína?
- 2. Skutečnost, že Eurasie má více "lidí, zdrojů a ekonomické aktivity" než Amerika, nepředstavuje "hrozbu" pro národní bezpečnost USA. Představuje pouze hrozbu pro ambice západních elit, které chtějí využít americkou armádu k prosazování vlastní geopolitické agendy.

3. Konečně: Všimněte si, jak autor uznává, že vláda záměrně uvádí veřejnost v omyl ohledně svých skutečných cílů ve Střední Asii. Říká: "Tvůrci politik USA často explicitně nestanovují na veřejnosti cíl zabránit vzniku regionálních hegemonů v Eurasii, vojenské operace USA v posledních desetiletích – jak válečné operace, tak každodenní operace – se zdají být prováděny v nemalý podíl na podpoře tohoto cíle." Jinými slovy, všechny ty žvásty o "svobodě a demokracii" jsou jen pablum pro masy. Skutečnými cíli jsou "zdroje, ekonomická aktivita" a moc.

Národní bezpečnostní strategie a národní obranná strategie jsou stejně explicitní v identifikování Ruska jako de facto nepřítele Spojených států. Toto je z NSS:

Rusko představuje bezprostřední a trvalou hrozbu pro regionální bezpečnostní pořádek v Evropě a je zdrojem narušení a nestability v celosvětovém měřítku... Rusko nyní představuje bezprostřední a trvalou hrozbu pro mezinárodní mír a stabilitu...

Rusko představuje bezprostřední hrozbu pro svobodný a otevřený mezinárodní systém, bezohledně porušuje základní zákony mezinárodního řádu... Toto desetiletí bude rozhodující při stanovení podmínek ...zvládání akutní hrozby, kterou představuje Rusko... (" <u>The 2022 National Security Strategie"</u>, Bílý dům)

A konečně, Národní obranná strategie 2022 opakuje stejná témata jako ostatní; Rusko a Čína představují bezprecedentní hrozbu pro "pořádek založený na pravidlech". Zde je krátké shrnutí z článku na webu World Socialist:

Národní obranná strategie do roku 2022... jasně říká, že Spojené státy.... považuje podrobení Ruska za kritický odrazový můstek ke konfliktu s Čínou. ... Erupce amerického imperialismu... se stále více přímo zaměřuje na Rusko a Čínu, které Spojené státy považují za hlavní překážky neomezené nadvlády nad světem . Američtí stratégové dlouho považovali ovládnutí euroasijské pevniny s jejími obrovskými přírodními zdroji za klíč ke globální nadvládě. ("Dokument národní strategie Pentagonu se zaměřuje na Čínu", Andres Damon, World Socialist Web Site)



Tyto tři strategické dokumenty ukazují, že washingtonský BrainTrust připravoval ideologický základ pro válku s Ruskem dlouho předtím, než vůbec zazněl první výstřel na Ukrajině. Tato válka nyní probíhá, i když výsledek není zdaleka jistý.

Strategie do budoucna se zdá být verzí Cheneyho plánu, který doporučoval rozpad samotného Ruska, "takže už nikdy nemůže být hrozbou pro zbytek světa". Zde je více z článku od Bena Nortona:

"Bývalý americký viceprezident Dick Cheney, hlavní architekt války v Iráku, chtěl nejen rozložit Sovětský svaz; chtěl také rozbít samotné Rusko, zabránit tomu, aby znovu povstalo jako významná politická mocnost ... Skutečnost, že postava v čele americké vlády ne tak tajně usilovala o trvalé rozpuštění Ruska jako země, a to přímo sdělil to kolegům, jako je Robert Gates, částečně vysvětluje agresivní postoj, který Washington zaujal vůči Ruské federaci od svržení SSSR.

Realita je taková, **že americké impérium prostě nikdy nedovolí Rusku zpochybnit jeho jednostrannou nadvládu nad Eurasií,** navzdory skutečnosti, že vláda v Moskvě obnovila kapitalismus. To je důvod, proč není překvapivé, že Washington naprosto ignoroval ruské bezpečnostní obavy a porušil svůj slib nerozšiřovat NATO "ani palec na východ" po znovusjednocení Německa a obklopit Moskvu militarizovanými protivníky, kteří se pekelně rozhodli ji destabilizovat. ("<u>Bývalý viceprezident Dick Cheney potvrdil, že cílem USA je rozbít Rusko, nejen SSSR"</u>, Ben Norton, Multipolarista)

Rozdělení Ruska na několik menších států bylo dlouho snem neokonzervativců. Rozdíl je nyní v tom, že stejný sen sdílejí političtí vůdci na celém Západě. Nedávné komentáře Angely Merkelové podtrhují skutečnost, že západní lídři jsou nyní odhodláni dosáhnout



nerealizovaných cílů studené války. Mají v úmyslu využít vojenskou konfrontaci k ovlivnění politického výsledku, o který usilují, což je výrazně oslabené Rusko neschopné blokovat projekci moci Washingtonu ve Střední Asii. Nebezpečnější strategii by bylo těžké si představit.

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The West's war on Russia is the proverbial "unstoppable force meeting the unmovable object". I am betting on the unmovable object winning the battle. Russia (and China) have the most to lose – the West are led by greedy Jews wanting more and more lucre – Russia and especially China just want their place in the Sun after years of deprivation and struggle – in essence their skirts are cleaner – and the average Russian or Chinese should (and will certainly eventually) figure out that their butts are on the line. The Western serfs have nothing to gain by joining the fight – they are just pawns in the game to win more lucre for their elites.

2. SteveK9 says:

January 5, 2023 at 2:11 pm GMT • 17.5 hours ago • 100 Words ↑ I do not agree with 4) or the premise of this article. The Cold War was between ideologies. The idea that nothing has changed since 1945 is nonsense. Back then we were ruled by WASP capitalist oligarchs, whose guiding ideologies were largely the founding ideologies of America. We wanted out ideology to 'win' and dominate the World. Today we are ruled by Jewish oligarchs. Their goal is not so much for our ideology to 'win' but for them to 'win' and rule the World. The ideology is some bizarre mix of oligarchy and wokeism.

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and to think, he gave flowers to that fat whore, well no more flowers for her, and flowers for algernon for brandon (when dr. jill's magic pills don't work anymore).

the russians should publish a map of what the u.s. and e.u. will look like when they break them up into less dangerous states. might i suggest we break the u.s. up into 50 individual countries, each with their own national guard. d.c. should just be turned into a toxic waste dump, completely eliminate the entire federal government, all spy agencies and the whole of u.s. military and all of it's branches and foreign bases.

there i just made the world safe for democracy.

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5. putinandhisfansaremorons says:

Seems like a pretty good thing to happen to countries ruled by dictators who illegally invade their neighbors and attempt to steal land, especially since most of that land isn't populated and Russia has no real claim to it. I'm sure China would enjoy getting some land back too.

• **Replies:** <u>@Wokechoke</u>, <u>@Curmudgeon</u> ReplyAgree/Disagree/Etc. This Commenter This Thread Hide Thread

6. anonymous[139] • <u>Disclaimer</u> says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 3:32 pm GMT • 16.1 hours ago</u> • 200 Words ↑

One might think Putin was aware of the Western leader's insincerity in signing the 2014 agreement but also needed time to disengage Russia's economy to avoid economic disaster through sanctions as well as develop their own military capabilities. Now he can act shocked, shocked at their duplicity. People like Wolfowitz make a name for themselves by coming up with these grand plans that sound good yet when it comes to implementing them it's another thing. Keeping the Russians down is a whole other situation if they don't happen to cooperate with it. As we're seeing, kind of hard to do. It's just a matter of who has the power to do what they want.

It seems that the Western approach, as led by the US, is to knock off competitors if they become too successful. Not much about becoming more productive and efficient to compete with other economies such as China's, just to tear the others down and exploit weaker countries. It's a formula for permanent war and conflict, a world constantly in contention.

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7. Judd says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 3:44 pm GMT • 15.9 hours ago</u> • 300 Words ↑

From 2019 RAND corp document Extending Russia : Competing from Advantageous Ground

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8. <u>January 5, 2023 at 3:58 pm GMT • 15.7 hours ago</u> • 200 Words <u>↑</u>

Last week, Angela Merkel confirmed what many analysts have been saying for years, that Washington's hostile relations with Russia —which date back more than a century— have nothing to do with ideology, 'bad behavior' or alleged "unprovoked aggression". Russia's primary offense is that it occupies a strategic area of the world that contains vast natural resources and which is critical to Washington's "pivot to Asia" plan. Russia's real crime is that its mere existence poses a threat to the globalist project to spread US military bases across Central Asia, encircle China, and become the regional hegemon in the world's most prosperous and populous region.

Actually, the hostility to Russia dates to the Anglosphere's Great Game rivalry, which started in the 1800's. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Great_Game

It's concentrated by the fact that Jews/Satanists have so much more power in the Anglosphere since Marxism and Imperialism conjoined.

9. JVC says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 4:30 pm GMT • 15.2 hours ago</u> • 200 Words ↑

break up of Russia itself, "so it could never again be a threat to the rest of the world."

I'm thinking the best thing would be for the rest of the world to break up the United States so it never again will be a threat to the rest of the world. It seems to me in what I read outside western propaganda is that the new national alignments beginning with the BRICS+, the shanghai cooperation organization, China's belt and road initiative and other organizations that are uniting the global south are the real hope for global peace. The west under the hegemony of the US has not in my life time, and for a long time prior to that, had no interest in peace. Beware the micimatt to paraphrase Ike.

Meanwhile, we can only pray that some sanity prevails in DC, the neocons are tossed out on their respective ears, (tar and feathers and a ride out of town on a rail sounds nice) and the entire world gets to take a deep breath and live to love another day.

10. David from Alaska says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 4:58 pm GMT • 14.7 hours ago</u> • 300 Words ↑

Ah yes. Good to see our assholes (the West's leadership) outing themselves so bigly.

What I find most troubling is that illustrated survey showing such broad-based support for 'our' international treachery. I'm going to take a smidgen of consolation in holding out that those numbers/statistics are jiggered like so much else in our propagandized wonder world of psyops, this psyopcracy as conjured up by Cathy Vogan of Consortium News.

Yet at the same time I am reminded of just how uninformed the majority of our populace is and has become thanks to the unceasing efforts of our Minders/Masters/Owners. They've stolen the collective brains of our population by so many devious means, electronica being the real magic wand that made this contemporary state of brain dead possible. Coupled with public, federally-funded schools whose mission has been the opposite of what education has stood for over the centuries, its current mission statement is obvious for all of the ignorance expressed in the Chicago Council Surveys as picked up by Global Affairs (who?) dot org. (Likely another Atlantic Council interventionist "think" tank allied with the MIC.)

Yeah, assholes everywhere, a world run by psychopaths as ever it has been so.

And speaking of assholes: Ben Norton. Thief. Back-stabbing Practitioner of Treachery. Mandatory vax man. "True-Believer." You could have done better in choosing who to quote, Mike. But thanks for giving people a further glimmer of the truth about who and what the USA is. Its wolf in sheep's clothing is wearing thin. And I think the blatancy of Merkel and the rest of the West portends a new phase of the "Great Game." They infer (likely

rightfully) that they no longer need to pretend, they have successfully pacified multiple generations now, so it has apparently become no holds barred.

I'm sickened and appalled at the gross stupidity that infects our hope for a better future as a species.

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11. Wokechoke says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 5:07 pm GMT • 14.6 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑

https://archive.nytimes.com/iht-

<u>retrospective.blogs.nytimes.com/2014/03/29/1918-germany-takes-control-of-crimea/</u>

here the International Herald (republished in an NYT archive) translates a German article about the Ukie advance into Crimea toppling the Soviet/Tartar alliance there.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Crimea Operation (1918)

The brief existence of the German sponsored Ukraine Republic under a Hetman (Ukie Aristocrat) involved a Ludendorff sponsored Ukie attack on the Crimea, at that moment a Muslim Soviet Republic.

Ludendorff expected in April 1918 to use Crimea as a spring board for German expansion into Rostov and Tzaritsyn and then Baku.

ww1 on the Eastern front was a blizzard of coups and fast movement.

Only on the western front was the war apparently static. Note that Germany and Ottomans fully expect to fight the war into 1919 and onward to total victory over the east.

12. do chere says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 5:41 pm GMT • 14.0 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑

Now the whole truth is coming out which has been concealed for decades. The way in which this prominent German is talking, is a revelation of the true intentions of the Collective West, acting in cahoots with German nationalism of 80 years ago and today, Ukrainian nationalism. Now a pattern is emerging which cannot be mistaken that the Germans , the Ukrainians together with the EU/NATO projects are nothing but a cloak and dagger approach to conquer the Russian Federation and then China, to lick them to the bone just like it has been the case with other weaker nations all over the globe for a couple of centuries. These hawks know too well what they are doing but they don't realize that by now, the world is wiser than it has ever been. Still, that doesn't make their agenda any less dangerous.

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13. Wokechoke says:

January 5, 2023 at 6:58 pm GMT • 12.7 hours ago ↑ @putinandhisfansaremorons

Perhaps Dugin was correct. It's either eurasia Rus Fed or a series of warring or Squabbling States sponsored by atlanticists and Jews. That's why his daughter made a good enough target.

14. <u>Curmudgeon</u> says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 7:09 pm GMT • 12.5 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑ @SteveK9

Back then we were ruled by WASP capitalist oligarchs, whose guiding ideologies were largely the founding ideologies of America.

I disagree. All of the (((Western liberal democracies))) have been ruled – to a greater or lesser extent – by the cabal of what is presented as "the international banking cartel", since the dawn of the 20th Century. Compliant WASP or others of European origin have been the front men. Any attempts to disrupt or challenge the rule leads to war.

• Agree: nokangaroos

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15. <u>Curmudgeon</u> says:

January 5, 2023 at 7:11 pm GMT • 12.5 hours ago ↑ @putinandhisfansaremorons

Rhetorical question for you: Are you so dim that you don't understand that every (((Western liberal democracy))) is a dictatorship?

• Agree: <u>JR Foley</u>

16. Harold Smith says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 7:17 pm GMT • 12.4 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑ <u>@SteveK9</u>

The idea that nothing has changed since 1945 is nonsense. Back then we were ruled by WASP capitalist oligarchs, whose guiding ideologies were largely the founding ideologies of America.

I have to completely disagree with this statement. Jews pushed the U.S. into WW1 just like jews pushed the U.S. into WW1 just like the jews are now pushing for a direct war with Russia. The only difference between 1945 and today is that jews went from having somewhat less than complete control of the U.S. "government" in 1945 to having complete control today. The "founding ideologies," to the extent they ever meant anything in the first place, are long gone.

• Thanks: Chuck Orloski

17. WorkingClass says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 8:08 pm GMT • 11.5 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑

I was born a working class American male in 1944. I was a Cold Warrior the day I was born. My turn to serve came in 1965. I ALWAYS knew my time would come. ALL of us knew we would be called when we came of age.

Of course the Cold War was not about fighting Communism. It was about expanding the Anglo/Zio Empire. All the wars since have served that same purpose. But there is a new twist to the current conflict. The Empire is facing bankruptcy. There exists an urgent need to plunder Russia's natural resorces.

Russia has become the greatest-single obstacle to the globalist strategy for world domination.

Exactly!

Russia is defending Russia and all of humanity.

• Agree: JR Foley

• Thanks: Chuck Orloski

18. <u>al gore rhythms</u> says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 8:37 pm GMT • 11.1 hours ago</u> • 200 Words ↑

You are assuming that Merkel wanted to see Russia 'pacified' as part of a project for America to achieve global hegemony. But you are not looking at this from the point of view of Germans who had and have their own strategic reasons for fearing Russian power that have nothing to do with the interests of globalists or Americans.

The threat posed by the Soviet Union was an important feature of German post-war politics, and much of their diplomacy with Britain and America was marked by negotiations concerning this issue. They had, after all, very nearly been wiped out by them in a war in which they did many unspeakable things to the Russians, and had the Eastern portion of their country occupied by them. All German post war chancellors would have wanted to see Russia 'pacified'.

The problem with this article is that you are thinking like an American and seeing everything through that lens.

• Replies: @Chris Moore

19. Jacobite2 says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 9:07 pm GMT • 10.6 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑

The main point here is, as Putin says, the the hostility of "The West" towards Russia has "been the case for centuries." In 1823, was the US waiting for any chance to break up the Russian Empire (which included Alaska at the time)? I must've missed that day in US History class. The rest of the European countries/empires shifted from alliance to conflict with Russia as the geopolitical situation changed.

Of course, there was one group who had, and have, permanent hostility to Russia and to the Russian People. Maybe if Solzhenitsyn's "Two Hundred Years Together" (2002) had ever been translated into English, Americans might have a better understanding of the 'Russia Question'.

• Replies: @Wokechoke

20. <u>UncommonGround</u> says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:09 pm GMT • 9.5 hours ago</u> • 600 Words ↑

The article is very interesting, but I'm not sure that every point it makes is right. There is another explanation for the comments made by Angela Merkel. I don't believe that she is conceding anything at all. At the end of Merkel's government she was very popular. Even some leftists seemed to see a lot of positive aspects of her government. But shortly after she left politics she was criticised a lot. There were already older critic against her, but it wasn't mainstream. All of a sudden she looked like a complete failure even for mainstream public opinion after the end of her government. Fridays for Future complained that she didn't do anything at all about global warming and she was made responsible for a dramatic failure. She was blamed because she invited too many refugees, she didn't prepare Germany for future challenges. Finally she was blamed because Germany bought gas from Russian and because Germany hadn't reacted on time to the "Russian threat", which was taken to be the most important thing by many people. Angela Merkel became practically a paria, like Assad, or Saddam, or Trump.

So, when Merkel said that Minks was negotiated in order to give time to the Ukraine to arm itself she said something that functioned practically like that, but this doesn't mean that the agreement was made with this intention. It was used by the US to arm the Ukraine and to prepare a war and now could be used as an excuse by Merkel for having tried to have better relations with Russia. She is lying in order to preserve her image, in order to find an excuse for not having done what people now say that it was necessary.

Why would German or European elites play the American game? Do they know what is the game? I don't believe so. Politicians here are too busy taking care of their carreer to be able to think

for themselves. They notice from where they wind comes, and know what is to be done. They know where power is and they hope to get some rewards if they behave well. But they don't know and maybe even don't care about what is happening and what are the reason for what happens. There are a few people who understand what is happening, but they don't have any influence, there are some politicians like Lafontaine who published a book some weeks ago telling the Americans to go home, there are also older politicians like Klaus von Dohnanyi, but most others have no idea at all. They believe their own propaganda. The politicians who have power are incredibly stupid, limited or oportunistic (or everything together as is the case of the foreign minister). Maybe you could write an article or a book telling about their different combination of those things by each of the politicians.

If you consider that the mainstream media also believe exactly what the government believes, even when it is absurd, you see that what is at play here are power relations. The media does and believes exactly the same thing as the government and the reason is the same. They bow to power because they know that only that way they are able to keep their jobs and don't get trouble. And the primary power is not the German government, although they will punish journalists which don't folow (toe?) the line. (I see if I write a second part of this comment).

21. <u>Chris Moore</u> says: • <u>Website</u> <u>January 5, 2023 at 10:22 pm GMT • 9.3 hours ago</u> • 200 Words ↑ <u>@al gore rhythms</u>

The threat posed by the Soviet Union was an important feature of German post-war politics, and much of their diplomacy with Britain and America was marked by negotiations concerning this issue. They had, after all, very nearly been wiped out by them in a war in which they did many unspeakable things to the Russians, and had the Eastern portion of their country occupied by them. All German post war chancellors would have wanted to see Russia 'pacified'.

Anglo-Zionists controlled all "sides" of WW2, including the German side, and of course, the ((Bolshevik))-wing controlled Soviet Russia. They were simply eliminating the surplus population, same as today. Hitler was very smart in some ways, but totally retarded in others.

All of these "Let's analyze the minutia of the wars of the 20th Century" Big Brains are simultaneously smart and stupid, like Hitler. And of course, they completely overlook the central role of the Synagogue of Satan in all these wars, which would not have occurred but for their decisive influence, just like, for example, the Mideast wars launched by multiple ZOG administrations leading up to and into the 21st Century.

The Jewish Century really did a number on the psyche of the Western man.

22. <u>UncommonGround</u> says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:45 pm GMT • 8.9 hours ago</u> • 500 Words ↑

(continuation of my comment above): Adopting the American tale about this war is a way for the Germans to disguise their subordination to the Americans. If Germans think they are fighting for peace and for justice, they don't have to notice their subservience.

The main question then is who has the ultimate power, who is responsible for the American politics. It's difficult to tell. There is one problem about this question. The problem is that American politics is irrational. The risks are so big that nothing could justify it. If you pursue an aggressive politics which fails, the results will be much worse than if you pursue a more moderate politics which fails. If you pursue a more moderate politics and fail you may have a better results than if your aggressive politics suceeds.

One thesis about American politics is that American diplomacy failled, because it wasn't taken seriously enough and because of that the military determine the aggressive foreign politics. This is the thesis of Ronan Farrow, the son of Mia Farrow. But the fact is that in the last times even some military people have been advocating for negotiations with Russia, like Petraeus or Mark Milley, while the State Department have been on the forefront of an aggressive politics. Colin Powell didn't seem to be a specially aggressive man who wanted war at any price. I think he felt as someone who was fooled. Austin seems to be someone who does and thinks what he is told to do and to think. Even Obama seemed to try to avoid more wars, he made an agreement with Iran, he tried to get better relations with Cuba and he refrained from attacking Syria because of the supposed use of chemical things.

But when people begun talking about Biden's future appointments a lot of people feared that he was taking the road of militarism and war. There were several articles about that. At the time that might have seemed an absolut exxageration. When one of them wasn't chosen (Flournoy?) people thought that they could tame and control Biden and that the worst had been avoided. But that was wrong. (Some) People who are in the government seem to be the ones who have all the strings in their hands. They control a weak and corrupt president, they control the media, they control the political parties, they control the elites. So, a doctrine which may seem to be prudent or mere rethoric about freedom and so on at the end is the true blueprint for the real politics, although the people who read it don't see how aggressive it is. Mike Whitney saw it and this is what makes his article one of the most interesting that I have read.

The question then is, who is behind this politics and why? I think that the question isn't a question of geopolitics but a question of ideology. It's not geopolitics which moves everything, it's ideology. And "geopolitics" is simply a result of the ideology. Who is responsible for the ideology in the US? Who uses it? This is the question.

23. SafeNow says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:46 pm GMT • 8.9 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑

There will occur a nuclear ash pile, because the U.S. leaders are wired for dissension, contentiousness, and irresolvable conflict. They just can't help themselves. Philip Roth understood this as well as anyone. A protagonist, Zukerman for example, would try his best to suppress those traits, but alas, he eventually succumbed to his wired mental life. And so the US will blow it all up, darn it, mainly because of these wired traits, but also a failure to understand the Russian and Chinese national character, and possibly because of US incompetence leading to systems error.

24. meamjojo says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:50 pm GMT • 8.8 hours ago</u> • 200 Words \uparrow

Offered for your consideration:

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America is the big winner of the war in Ukraine – and all of Europe will lose

The conflict shows no sign of ending as each side tries to win a decisive victory, small though the chances are that they will succeed

December 31, 2022

Hot and cold wars in a divided Europe played a crucial role in the 20th century in making the United States the most powerful state on the planet. The war in Ukraine is having a similar impact this century in promoting American primacy. Any league table of winners and losers in the conflict so far will inevitably be headed by the US.

Put to one side for a moment the humanitarian and democratic motives for American intervention in the war, not out of any sense of cheap cynicism but to understand how the war is convulsing the world's political landscape.

The US would have been a great power in the 20th century regardless because of the size and sophistication of its economy, but it was the Second World War and the Cold War that followed which gave it world hegemony contested only by the Communist powers. Its dominance was greatly enhanced by the collapse of the Soviet Union in 1991, though it subsequently eroded as its economic primacy ebbed and it failed to win small wars in Afghanistan and Iraq.

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https://inews.co.uk/opinion/america-is-the-big-winner-of-the-war-in-ukraine-and-all-of-europe-will-lose-2056799

25. Verymuchalive says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:54 pm GMT • 8.8 hours ago</u> • 300 Words ↑

This is very old news. It's been obvious and manifest since the 1990s. Here's crazed Russophobe Zbigniew Brzezinski in Foreign Affairs magazine in 1997 ("A Geostrategy for Europe")

In these circumstances, Russia's first priority should be to modernize itself rather than to engage in a futile effort to regain its status as a global power.

Code. We're going to reduce you to a subservient minor state.

Given the country's size and diversity, a decentralized political system and free-market economics would be most likely to unleash the creative potential of the Russian people and Russia's vast natural resources.

Code.We're pillaging Russia with the aid of Wall Street backed oligarchs, largely Jewish.

We have no regard for the Russian people. All we want is control of Russia's natural resources, obtained as cheaply as possible.

A loosely confederated Russia — composed of a European Russia, a Siberian Republic, and a Far Eastern Republic — would also find it easier to cultivate closer economic relations with its neighbors.

Code. Once we've reduced you to an inconsequential minor state, we're going to partition you up into 3 or more statelets.

Each of the confederated entities would be able to tap its local creative potential, stifled for centuries by Moscow's heavy bureaucratic hand. In turn, a decentralized Russia would be less susceptible to imperial mobilization. Code. These statelets will have their economies and governments controlled by America, EU, NATO and the Zionists. The population of these statelets will get whatever scraps we throw them and be grateful for it.

• **Agree:** son of a jedi ReplyAgree/Disagree/Etc. This Commenter

26. meamjojo says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:55 pm GMT • 8.8 hours ago</u> • 300 Words ↑

Russia is a loser in all aspects of Putin's war. As a loser, the country SHOULD be divided up, not only to be more manageable but also to reduce any future chances of it again deciding to preemptively attack its neighbors because of fantasy demons in a sick leaders mind.

This is a really excellent article! At almost 3700 words, I am certain that Ron would have loved to host this on UNZ.

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How Putin's dream of a new Russian empire was destroyed on the fields of Ukraine Far from restoring Russia's greatness, the president's war has reduced it to a third-rate power

By Daniel Johnson 1 January 2023

Deep in the recesses of the Kremlin, Vladimir Vladimirovich Putin has been poring over maps of Ukraine.

We cannot, of course, know what drives this reclusive, ever more paranoid despot. His spectral presence haunts the nightmares of millions, but his own personality is a void — humanity's black hole.

Of one thing we may be reasonably certain, however. As he looks back over the past 300 days since February 24, he is tormented neither by guilt nor remorse for the terrible human consequences of his "special military operation". That this year, fateful for him, has also been fatal for perhaps a quarter of a million other people, does not trouble him in the least.

If we know anything at all about the Russian president, it is that he is unburdened by conscience and immune to compassion – a cold-blooded killer who increasingly resembles his predecessor Joseph Stalin.

His abysmal descent is reminiscent of the murderer Raskolnikov in Dostoyevsky's Crime and Punishment, whose yearning to be a Napoleon leads him to think himself entitled to kill.

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https://www.telegraph.co.uk/business/2023/01/01/how-putins-dream-new-russian-empire-destroyed-fields-ukraine/

• LOL: <u>Verymuchalive</u>

• Troll: Notsofast

• Replies: @Wokechoke

27. meamjojo says:

<u>January 5, 2023 at 10:58 pm GMT • 8.7 hours ago</u> • 200 Words ↑

Looking to prepare Russia's raw recruits for their future as cannon fodder, we have this pronouncement: [lol]

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Russian propagandist Vladimir Solovyov urges Russians not to fear death, claiming life is "highly overrated"

MONDAY, 2 JANUARY 2023

Russian propagandist Vladimir Solovyov has called on Russians not to be afraid of death, saying that "life is highly overrated" and death is inevitable anyway.

Quote: "Life is highly overrated. Why fear what is inevitable? Especially when we're going to heaven. Death is the end of one earthly path and the beginning of another. But to fear it, and let it influence your decisions..."

Details: The guests on the TV show supported Solovyov, saying that previously Russians had lived from day to day, but now they have an "intangible dream, a higher goal".

According to the propagandist, "it's only worth living for something you can die for, and that's how it should be."

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28. Wokechoke says:

@meamjojo

The house organ of the Tory PARTY? Say it ain't so.

• Replies: @John Johnson, @meamjojo

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29. Charles says:

It would be helpful if Vlad Putin enacted the policies of Vlad the Impaler. The latter Vlad, as everyone knows, was Stoker's model for Count Dracula. The Impaler was (and is) a national hero to the people of Romania, as he battled and often defeated Turks.

• Replies: @meamjojo

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30. Wokechoke says:

@Jacobite2

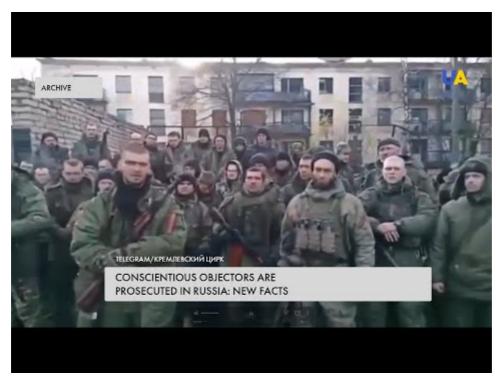
For Russia the West was The Third Reich. It was also Imperial Germany. It was also the Anglo-French attack on Crimea, it was also Napoleon, before that it was Sweden then the Polish-Lithuanian commonwealth. Let's not discuss the Cold War. The US is just the latest Western encroachment.

31. John Johnson says:

<u>January 6, 2023 at 3:11 am GMT • 4.5 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑ Completely ridiculous theory.

Russia will not break up as they are a nation of serfs that don't even fight back when their husbands and sons are dragged off to a pointless front.

Anyone with a rebellious spirit was killed or chased out by Communists. Only the servile remain. Just look at how conscripts are treated as cannon fodder and no one does anything:



Watch Video At: https://youtu.be/ENlVtDVdnlk

Try doing that in America and there would be rooftop voters in every town.

• Replies: @meamjojo

32. John Johnson says:

<u>January 6, 2023 at 3:36 am GMT • 4.1 hours ago</u> • 100 Words ↑ <u>@Wokechoke</u>

The house organ of the Tory PARTY? Say it ain't so.

Do you just stick your head in the sand like an ostrich when it comes to information outside of Unz pro-Putin bloggers?

Would you prefer an Indian source?

https://www.republicworld.com/world-news/russia-ukrainecrisis/top-putin-propagandist-asks-russians-to-embrace-deathwhy-be-afraid-go-to-heaven-articleshow.html

"Life is highly overrated," the propagandist said in his program on state-run TV on Monday. "Why be afraid of what is inevitable? Moreover, we'll go to heaven. Death is the end of one earthly path and the beginning of another."

That's Putin's Jewish propagandist who recently went on a tirade about how he doesn't have to go to the front. He most likely doesn't believe in heaven and just wants to keep his job.

I noticed that Anglin doesn't mention him and Putin's followers don't give him the (((bracket) treatment. Funny that.

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33. <u>meamjojo</u> says:

@Wokechoke

Criticize the CONTENT, not the messenger or delivery medium.

34. meamjojo says:

@Charles

Heads on pikes in Red Square would be pretty cool!

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35. <u>meamjojo</u> says:

@John Johnson

"Russia will not break up as they are a nation of serfs that don't even fight back when their husbands and sons are dragged off to a pointless front."

All the more reason why the county can and should be broken up.

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