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Poverty and Homelessness

PREFACE:

As noted in our 1st Article #001, this Newsletter is not going to delve into subjects to simply bitch, moan and complain. We want to leave that to other Newsletters.

Nor are we going to rehash news that we assume most people are already aware of. We therefore will not be commenting on the recent assassination in Iraq, continued wars in the Middle East, the upcoming so-called impeachment trial, etc.

What we are attempting to do is bring to our readers articles and current issues that are not

usually covered by the Main Stream Media. The beauty of the Internet is that it has finally given We The People the voice that we have long yearned for.

In a sense, Bill Gates, started a Personal Podcast/Newsletter Revolution – without even realizing it.

We The People are no longer force-fed “news” by CBS, ABC, NBC, CNN, or MSNBC.

The truth is contagious; catch it!

POVERTY AND HOMELESSNESS

Poverty and Homelessness is on the upswing around the world. However, it is particularly astounding to see how it is a mounting problem in the richest country in the world - America.

As for this increase, the reasons are many - poor life choices, divorce, loss of job, horrendously expensive medical care, an abusive parent/spouse, drug abuse, mental illness,

unaffordable housing, etc.

All these problems have been discussed to the point of utter redundancy. We know that there are poor/homeless people.

What we don't know is how to alleviate the problem.

POVERTY AND HOMELESSNESS – A BURGEONING INDUSTRY?

I realize that this sounds absurd – but I am deadly serious when I say that this is the new growth industry.

Regardless of your political persuasion, there are poor and homeless people all over the world.

The reasons vary – but the fact still remains, they are there – and their numbers are increasing at an astonishing rate.

Since I am an American, and originally from California, I will only deal with this problem

from that perspective.

AMERICA'S POOR AND HOMELESS

There are those people in both government, and private “non-profit” organizations, that have a vested interest in keeping these people in their poor and homeless state. It is called self-survival.

If the poor and homeless problem was actually alleviated, then these organizations, both public and private, would go out of *business*.

These people that are poor and homeless have been around for years. This is nothing new.

What is hard to believe is how these people, who pretend to be kind and considerate, are actually making a very good livelihood off of these “down and out” people.

To look at the high five and six-figure salaries that many of the heads of these government agencies get is shameful. And when you take

into account their retirement benefits it gets even more appalling.

And the private industries are just the same.

Take a look at what the heads of these agencies make, both public and private, and it will make your head swim.

First off, let's not pretend that this cycle of poverty and homelessness cannot be stopped. It most certainly can. But, those in positions of power, simply do not want to put forth a workable cure - for their own personal reasons of power and self-enrichment.

This following article will make you shake your head at how much some of these “non-profit” organizations actually rake in for their “higher-ups.”

<https://www.reno.com/story/news/local/2012/06/04/does-red-cross-ceo-get-exorbitant-pay/28936535/>

A SCENARIO THAT WOULD BE WORTH TRYING

So, here are a few suggestions for our “political leaders” to consider. Granted, the ideas presented here will be soundly rebutted, mostly on a "civil rights" or a “humanitarian” basis, but these ideas will really work, if put into practice.

The question is, I doubt anybody would have the courage to suggest such a solution, considering the Politically Correct atmosphere we current find ourselves drowning in.

THE SOLUTION

1. There is a military structure in California – Camp Roberts.

<https://militarybases.com/california/camp-roberts/>

2. Although this military camp is now used for billeting of certain military/civilian personal, it could also be used to house a certain number of

homeless people. The idea is to use facilities, such as this, all across California to house/billet the California homeless.

3. Use the California National Guard to gather up homeless persons from around California and move them into these facilities.

4. Pass laws that make sleeping on the streets illegal. If the homeless people refuse to go to the housing area, then they should be forced to go there for their own good.

5. Make all drug use and alcohol use against the law in these housing facilities.

6. In the areas where the homeless are removed from, have the National Guard clean up the previously occupied areas and restore it to its original condition, before the homeless took over those areas.

7. Provide healthcare, dental care, and any other type of assistance that is needed to care for these people.

8. Set up schooling, training, and education to help them get back on their feet and back into society at large.

9. Require these people to take care of the facilities that they are living in – housekeeping, gardening, laundry, food preparation, grounds-keeping, etc.

10. Have a time limit on living in these facilities of one year, after which they will be returned to society, if they are deemed ready to do so. If they are not ready by that time, then further counseling should be undertaken to see what underlying problems still exist.

JUST ONE SUGGESTION

Above is just one suggestion as to how to remedy the problem.

It would get people off the streets, into housing that is safe, clean, free of drugs and alcohol, and also help to solve the myriad of

problems that these people are dealing with.

Of course, there will be the do-gooders who will complain that their rights are being abused by forcing them to go to the facilities if they choose not to go.

But this is a ruse. If this type of situation was actually offered to these people, I would venture a guess that the vast majority of people would be willing to give it a shot.

Only one problem.

Do-gooders usually do no good.

This is one remedy that would physically help them to make the real transition back into society in the quickest and most efficient manner possible.

As stated above, this is just one suggestion. No complaining about government inaction. It is a possible solution that, as of yet, has never been tried.

WHAT IS THE PURPORTED STATUS OF HOMELESS PEOPLE IN JAPAN?

Below is an article related to the homeless in Japan.

Although the number sounds extremely low to me, it does show that homelessness is much less of a problem than that of the poor/homeless in America.

Bear in mind, America is the richest country in the world. To have so many homeless inhabitants is not only a shame, but an *international* disgrace.

Please note that one of the main reasons these numbers are so low in Japan is because of the extremely efficient healthcare system every person is afforded in Japan, regardless of their income.

Japan's homeless ranks down to 15-year low under 5,000, survey says
Kyodo, Jul 14, 2018

The number of homeless people in Japan has dropped to a 15-year low below 5,000, according to the welfare ministry, which credited municipal and prefectural efforts to help them regain independence.

As of January, the ministry said Friday, 4,977 people were living in places such as riverbeds or parks, down 557 from a year ago and under 5,000 for the first time since it began surveying the ranks of the homeless in 2003.

“Support measures from governments, such as counseling, are believed to have produced certain effects that reduced the number of homeless people,” a ministry official said.

The survey was conducted by having local officials patrol communities to spot people without permanent dwellings. More than 90 percent of the total, or 4,607, were men and 177

were women, but the sex of the remaining 193 was left blank as they were bundled up in clothing when they were found.

Three-quarters of the homeless were observed in Tokyo's 23 wards or other major cities.

Tokyo had 1,242 homeless, followed by Osaka with 1,110 and Kanagawa with 934.

Six other prefectures, Aomori, Akita, Yamagata, Nara, Shimane and Nagasaki, reported no homeless people.

The ministry noted, however, that the actual number could be higher because the survey was based on informal observations. A homeless person would not have been included, for example, if he or she was elsewhere when officials strolled by to scan the parks and train stations.

IN CLOSING, PLEASE TAKE TIME TO VIEW THIS VERY DISTURBING VIDEO - AND SEE IF YOU CAN PICK OUT THE

EXTREMELY SUBTLE POLITICAL OVERTONES HIDDEN IN THIS PRESENTATION, DONE BY A GERMAN VIDEO PRODUCER

When viewing, notice how this video has been, very subtly, politically weaponized. It is extremely well done, but in the end, it only shows a certain element of the “working” homeless.

Notice the types of people that are shown, who does the evicting, what races are predominantly portrayed, and how the political points are inserted throughout the video.

But, in truth, casting all that aside, it does show a section of working homeless that is rarely portrayed in the Mass Media of America.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JHDkALRz5Rk>

That is it for now. Take care, stay safe and keep thinking positive.

Until next time, this is Lawrence Klepinger,
saying Sayonara from, Kobe, Japan.