The Truth about Socialism

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"Your Children Belong to the State"

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. ***Romans 12:2***

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Hello,

We weren't able to arrange for a children's sermon today, but I think these words from True Father might be worth sharing with your children!

We all know that the 10 Commandments tells us not to covet or steal. But when reading the CSG, I was shocked to find out that True Father said there is one situation where it's okay to steal! Here is Father's quote:

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Rev. Katundu, the Sanctuary leader in Connecticut, invited me to give a talk to the Family of Truth and Hope (FOTAH) group about Socialism. And I thought this might be an important topic to talk about in this election season.

In 2026, America is very divided. Many young people have turned towards Socialism. Zohran Mandami, a Muslim socialist , became Mayor of NYC this year. This summer radical candidates he endorsed from Democratic Socialists of America won Democratic nominations for Congress in NYC and Colorado. But what is this socialism they want to bring to America?

The story about socialism starts with the Enlightenment, which was a shift in thinking away from blind acceptance of religious authorities to empirical research and reason starting in the 15th and 16th centuries, and flourishing in the 17th and 18th centuries, which led to modern ideas about universal human rights. Here are 4 main ideas of the Enlightenment.

- World rationally intelligible to each individual
- Direct observation and reason by anyone can uncover truths
- Rights for all individuals, not just political or religious elites
- Tyranny is Not Inevitable

Not bad, right?

Modernism, which came out of the Enlightenment claimed that science and technology would solve our problems.

As modernists, the socialists argued that socialism could be proved by evidence and rational analysis, and that once the evidence was in socialism's moral and economic superiority to capitalism would be clear to anyone with an open mind. That is why Marx and Engels claimed that their theory was "SCIENTIFIC SOCIALISM."

Marx believed that man became alienated from his true self when the concept of private ownership was adopted early in prehistory. As expressed in these 2 quotes, that is why he called for it to be ended.

"The abolition of private property is therefore the complete emancipation of all human senses and qualities." Marx, *Economic and Philosophic Manuscripts of 1844, MECW, Vol. 3, p. 300*

"The proletarian liberates himself by abolishing competition, private property, and all class differences."

Karl Marx and Friederich Engels*, Communist Manifesto*

"Tribute to True Father"

Here are 4 of Marx's major claims:

1. Capitalism is exploitative: Rich enslave the poor; brutally competitive domestically and imperialistic internationally.
2. Socialism, by contrast, is humane and peaceful: People share, are equal, and cooperative.
3. Capitalism is ultimately less productive than socialism: The rich get richer, the poor get poorer. The ensuing class conflict will cause capitalism's collapse in the end.
4. Socialist economies, by contrast, will be more productive and usher in a new era of prosperity.

So how did that work out? Not so well. The reality of socialism is different. For instance, In Venezuela, which used to be the wealthiest country in South America you have price-controlled stores.

One Venezuelan woman said she was allowed to shop 2 days a week, which was to prevent reselling on the black market. She spends all day waiting in lines. Her husband stays home from work to prevent thieves from stealing shopping bags. Rationing, meaning she can only buy 2 items at a time. She had to bring a birth certificate to prove her baby is hers, and she is not buying baby items just to sell on the black market. The total cost was less than a dollar, but no incentive for farms to produce.

SMM to teens about "Love, Life and Lineage"

Most people have never heard about the benefits of free market Capitalism. Here are some economic factoids which explain why freedom and the right to own things without having it confiscated by your government changed the world, starting in Great Britain, Europe and America, and spreading to the whole world.

In 1820, 94% of the world's population lived in extreme poverty. In 1990, 35% lived in poverty, and in 2015, under 10% lived in poverty.

To give an example. The nation of India abandoned socialism in 1991. Since free market reforms in 1991, the average income in India tripled over the last three decades. The poorest and lowest caste, the Dalits, benefited the most.

Annastasia and I interviewed Xi Van Fleet, who grew up in China during the Cultural Revolution. It was a shocking interview. In her book she explains that at key moments over the last century, America helped the Communists to take control of the country.

Leftists distract from the failures of socialist governments by telling the story of Western colonizers like the USA.

The central claim of the Third-Worldism is that the fundamental division in world politics runs between a dominating North and a dominated South, that this cleavage precedes and explains every other political fact, and that every conflict resolves into a single story of colonizer and colonized. Victimhood confers legitimacy and power confers guilt, a formula that can be applied to any dispute anywhere, indefinitely.

I then spoke about New York City Mayor Zohran Mamdani's plan involves opening five city-owned, subsidized grocery stores - one in each borough - by 2029 to lower food costs. Each of these 5 stores will likely cause nearby bodegas to go bankrupt. Mamdani's rent freeze plan will give some rent relief to those in rent-stabilized apartments and likely stop construction of new private housing at a time when there is already a housing shortage in NYC.

True Father- "Love Your Enemy"

Popular leftist podcaster like Hasan Piker praise Mao Zedong, a mass murderer, as one of the great leaders of this world. Mao's policies led to widespread famine and cannibalism in China. Tens of millions starved to death.

Socialized medicine in Canada has led to its Medical Assistance in Dying policies. Veterans seeking counseling have been encouraged to kill themselves.

The DSA platform promises free healthcare, public housing, free college education. It includes Open Borders and voting rights for noncitizens. Defunding the Police. Ending the Electoral College. Limiting the power of the Supreme Court to evaluate laws according to the Constitution. Massive jobs programs funded by first taxing the Rich and then taxing everyone. Government control over not just the means of production, but also over housing, food, healthcare, media, transportation, energy and natural resources. What is the bottom line? People need to realize-the state that provides everything for you also controls you. It's the creation of an all-powerful state, as Kook Jin Nim puts it, the Rule of the Archangel. They say they will take from the "Rich." But they don't tell you they will create a new system of control.

DSA representatives fully embrace the Marxist attack on the family. Let's take a look at what they say:

"Socialist analysis makes clear that the nuclear family form (parents with children) is an inherently repressive, racist and hetero-sexist institution that functionally reinforces and reproduces capitalism." The things the family normally provides - food, housing, education, and childcare - would be "collectivized." meaning those things would be taken over by the government.

Here is another quote: "the only real difference between marriage and prostitution is the price and duration of the contract." It sounds like they don't want men and women to get married. Then who takes care of the children?

The bottom line is "Your Children Belong to the State."

These Leftist 'Abolitionists' say they want to Abolish Police, Borders and the U.S. Constitution. Initially the term was misused by pro-crime activists who wanted to abolish police, prisons and the justice system, claiming that these were racist and were rooted in the institution of slavery. They used social media and academia to popularize the false claim that the police had started out as slavery patrols and argued that the prison system was just another form of slavery.

They want to abolish the existing social order and taken the leap of faith necessary to continue believing in socialism, and justifying using language not as a vehicle for seeking truth but as a rhetorical weapon in the continuing battle against capitalism.

SMM Speech in San Francisco on 1/18/1974

This nihilistic way of thinking started with the 18th century French philosopher Jean-Jacques Rousseau, who in his famous book, The Social Contract, wrote that a society properly founded on natural passion and religion will override the self-centered individualism that reason leads to, making it possible for individuals to form a new, **collectivized social organism**.

In the new society, the leadership expresses the "general will" and enacts policies that are best for the whole, thus enabling all individuals to achieve their true interests and their true freedom.

Yet there is something about human nature, corrupted as it is now by reason and individualism, that militates and always will militate against the general will. **To counteract these socially destructive individualistic tendencies, the state is justified in using compulsion:** "whoever refuses to obey the general will will be be forced to do so by the entire body; this means merely that he will be forced to be free." And if the leaders of the state say to the citizen, **"' it is expedient for the state that you should die,' he should die."**

SMM on God's Secrets"

What the Collective Left and Collective Right Share

- Anti-individualism
- Need for Strong Government
- Religion is a State Matter (to promote or suppress)
- Goal of education- socialize obedient citizens
- Use tactics of conflict, violence and war

We need to realize that socalled "right-wing" fascists and leftist "anti-fascists" are VIOLENT TWINS. BOTH seek to use the State to seize and control wealth and power to attack vilified groups and benefit favored groups.

The American and the French revolutions were both an overturning of the established order, but they were radically different in significant ways.

The American was an "Abel-type" Revolution, which involved a split within the elite class. It values due process of law and limited government due to its Biblical understanding that man is prone to corruption.

The French revolution could be called a "Cain-type" Revolution since its revolutionaries sought TOTAL POWER based on an anti-Christian belief that they were the embodiment of goodness and the only thing needed was to eliminate (murder) the upper class and other vilified groups.

"God created the world for the fulfillment of love"

What does Divine Principle say about collectivist government?

Individuals and institutions exist only for the benefit of the state. *Under fascism, individuals cannot claim freedom as their inviolable right; they are to sacrifice their freedom in their duty to serve the state. EDP 296*

Political theorist Ayn Rand wrote that "Fascism, Nazism, Communism and Socialism are only superficial variations of the same monstrous theme - collectivism. All of these bring a Post-Christian Culture that rejects not only God, but also idea we are created with a purpose in an ordered universe. They deny that there is any absolute truth or even a common shared reality. Groups with strongest Will to Power get to define what is important and what is true

I played a short video by ranch owner/philosopher Chris Langan proposes that we are facing 2 possible futures for humanity: 1) centralized control by a "progressive" elite, 2) a decentralized world where people take responsibility for their own lives.

Yoido Plaza in Seoul swelled with 1.2 million souls

When the Bible asserts that God is the SUPREME BEING, and when we come to believe and accept that, then what are we saying? We are agreeing that "I AM NOT GOD!" And since the God of the Bible is not like the capricious Greek or Roman gods who rape humans, etc. there are moral laws I have to respect. There are things I cannot do.

Our understanding of the implications of the biblical belief that God created us in His image, expressed in Gen 1:27, include such things as:

Sacredness of human life. The goodness of the man-woman relationship in creating new life. Each human should be equal before the law, with their rights to speak, to worship, to engage in commerce, to do process and to self-defense guaranteed in a written constitution.

The biblical commandment in Gen. 1:28 given to Adam and Eve blessed them to be fruitful, multiply and have dominion over the creation. We are meant to use our gifts and talents to create and spread blessings to our families, descendants, communities and nation.

Scholars at the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences in 2003 made the following statement finding that Christianity is what made the West so powerful. YET, the CCP chose their OWN power instead of allowing the God-given freedoms that would have made China even greater than the USA and other western nations.

The trend toward democratic ideals and universal freedom including the end of slavery is another sign we are living in the age of the restoration of the first blessing, of our true human value, of the perfection of our relationship with God.

The struggles over politics shouldn't make us forget that there are more basic things which are important. Such "Social Capital" includes:

- Healthy Marriages, Intact Families
- Safe Neighborhoods
- Communities with shared values and faith
- Individuals who have self-control, love and respect instead of resentment
- Individuals with a public mind

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May God bless you and your families!

Sincerely,

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