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Saturday History Call

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A Sunday, Mondays: 9 – 10:30 EST **Cheryl Croci's Activation Calls**
By telephone only: 1 – 605-475-5950; PIN 9467441#

**B Tuesdays, 2nd & 4th of each month:
9:00 – 10:30 pm EST** **Ashtar on the Road**
Host is Fran; Susan Leland channels Ashtar & others
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Replay # [good for 1 week] 1-712- 432-0990 PIN 666238#

Opening Meditation: Cheryl Croci

- Information on the Festival of Humanity/Good Will & Festival of WESAK
- World Healing Meditation

Housekeeping: Rainbird

- BBS:**
- A listener-supported radio program; we can access program archives on BBS
 - The radio program costs \$300 per week; **this week, we need \$ 357**
 - We caught up from last week! Great news! Everyone doing a little helps a lot - **many thanks to everyone for paying it forward!**
 - Go to BBSradio.com/Station2; find the listing for True History call; find the **Paypal** button
 - BBS appreciates getting checks through the mail – no fees taken off by Paypal
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Paradise, CA 95969
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- T & R:**
- Their full-time, life time commitment is to be tuned in to what is really going on behind the artificial world we see around us. They don't ask for anything but they do require food, gas, a home, and access to BBS Radio on order to get the information out.
 - **This week** they need food money, gas money, some money for bills [\$ 200] Rent due next weekend!
 - We can donate via the Paypal button on the **homepage of 2013 Rainbow Roundtable**
 - **Please notify them if you're sending something:** koran999@comcast.net
 - Rama's mailing address for cheques, Money orders: Ram D Berkowitz
1704 B Llano St, # 249
Santa Fe, NM 87505
 - **phone contact** is via MariettaRobert Pickett: 317-773-0061
or by e-mail: stargatemarietta@gmail.com
 - **Remember you can book a session with Mother, as well!**
 - **THE GO FUND ME A/C Also requires more help! \$9,160 of \$14k**
<https://www.gofundme.com/RamaSurgery>
 - The gofundme a/c is now active again !!!!!!!!!!!!!

FROM ASHTAR ON THE ROAD: donate to the Santa Fe Coop so T&R can access organic, fresh food

Fresh Produce Donation for Tara&Rama

Your donation here sets up an account for Tara & Rama with Beneficial Farms Community Supported Agriculture in Santa Fe, New Mexico. This will make available a weekly supply of fresh produce raised with organic and sustainable methods.

These funds will be exclusively used to maintain this weekly account for a steady supply of produce to Tara and Rama. They and we are very grateful for your assistance.

It's in the A-O-T-R store & is designated for the food. People can do multiples if they want:

<http://www.ashtarontheroad.com/catalog/item/2497194/10263880.htm>

Fran will put the link on their page as well.

http://www.ashtarontheroad.com/tara_rama_A_A_news_reports.html

- MR:**
- Please remember to support MariettaRobert's show, too
 - **You can also book a session with MR for a transformational clearing.**

T: **if you have any trouble hearing, that means there is an issue with the sound and it is an emergency – call # 1-888 – 710-8061**

Intro Notes

- The following audio link allows you to listen to the entire program.

<http://bbsradio.com/podcast/true-history-may-21-2016>

- The **new number for the Conference Line: 605-475-1600**

HARD NEWS

T: the energies are available for the times we are in: there is an exponential increase every time we turn around

- R was saying that the data transmission from the plane that went down in the Med – NOT ANY KIND OF TAKE-DOWN/terrorism: A TECHNICAL FAILURE OF SOME KIND.
 - 2 sensors went off just behind the cockpit, and at the same time, smoke came from the lav, and then from the avionic compartment which is under the cockpit –
 - The problem is that kind of thing [fire] happening: the expert on DWNews said that all trained pilots know that the most dangerous thing that can happen is fire, and that because there are no sprinkler systems on any plane, a fire means nothing can be done.
- The WESAK energy, the Humanity energy – the energies are changing so much that the types of technologies that used to work now have ANOMOLIES GOING ON WITH ALL TECHNOLOGIES ACROSS THE PLANET – they learned this from Counter Spin, a Canadian program that they hear in Santa Fe
- R was forced to upgrade to windows 10 in spite of his best efforts, and Mercury goes direct tomorrow
- 5th dimensional energies are higher than 3D energies: Mother told them a long time ago it was never imagined that we would go to 3D levels when we opted for our free will choice! It's been a nail biter for the Ascended Masters!

Camp Lovewave – guest was a lady who went to the Bernie Rally – she was helping people prepare for the rally by doing deep breathing and meditation – activities we need to focus on – it is about taking our time and doing things slowly.

- Someone called up to say the film about the JFK assassination had info that Hillary doctored the film: she spliced it and caused the talking points to change; someone called up and said there is a film that shows the truth, and also a book that the film is a hoax. Someone didn't want the real truth to come out about JFK's assassination. Colin Powell was also involved in this
 - Norman Schwartskopf shot from the grassy knoll and hit JFK's head; Lee Harvey Oswald was cloned; he's not dead and they staged it to look like - one of the Secret Service guys shot LH Oswald: this is coming up now & being taken apart, showing we've been snookered about what is the truth!
 - Rama called into the program: brought up the July summit and NATO wanting to go to

war with Russia, and that in Russia and the USA, the galactics have shown up over missile silos and fried the circuits with little blue beams, and that those in charge from Norad or Minot, ND or Cheyenne mountain in Colorado freaked out – it's just to show that the galactics control those technologies, and that nukes will not be tolerated.

- He also brought up Paul Hellyer from Canada and others who spoke at the citizens disclosure event and said that our brothers and sisters are with us every single day

KOS: Mr 19.5* knows when to come forward and talk about Full Disclosure: Putin has his directives and orders, as does Mr Xi; the galactics have already met with the world leaders and everyone knows what to do at the right time, as do Ashtar and Sananda –

- It's cut and dried – no lobbyists, no nukes! The story about the Rockefeller Initiatives and Hillary: when you play in the same bed as the Rockefellers & Rothschilds, you have to play the same game: Panetta, Hillary and others hold out the olive branch but they have knives behind their backs.

KOS: brought up story about Neil Keenan and the reset Brought up Fallujah and Irag: people have broken into the prime minister's office: 93 people dead - the US needs to leave Irag yesterday: **KOS said 9/11 had nothing to do with Irag or Afghanistan.** It is home grown terrorism by US Black Ops - a standing army in a time of peace – has to do with the great schism in the US as people have not been told the truth from the very beginning: has to do with the beings who came here a very long time ago

R: this was brought up yesterday in a new version of *Ancient Aliens* – **KOS reminded him**

- talking about the archangelic reality, & on down to the pixies and the tiniest beings that work with the Office of the Christ; those who wanted to play with their free will choice within in the Laws of the One and they chose the Dark Side; now stories are coming out

- the nephilim, the elohim [**not** the elohigh] who are 10 – 50 ' tall and have the wisdom and the abilities like the X Men and use their abilities even knowing they have violated the Laws of the One and played like gods though they are no better than us; they have deleted their 12th strand of love – yet it is already showing up: **love is like radiation poisoning to the Dark Side, in the words of KOS** – if they hold on to it, they are taking themselves out

T: this applies to everyone; this is why this has been a long term project - it is about us learning how to work with higher energies: this requires Free Will choice – choosing it and then acting on it

R: People need to get a huge upgrade and understanding: we need education in how to breathe, how to meditate, how to work with the higher frequencies each day.

- Volunteers in Santa Fe were helping people to get ready to interact with Bernie by doing simple breathing techniques and to be calm

T: this is quite a dance, as they changed the rules at the convention at NV; Nina Turner was there for 8 hours and said THERE WAS NO VIOLENCE. This morning Harry Reid there was violence and honoured Bernie, then turned around and said Bernie should go back to being a Senator and unifying the party – and this is not where Bernie is going!

R: someone else tried to jump the fence at the White House again: he was shot and went to hospital; he's out. KOS said this is why he sleeps with the Obama family: people want to

take the family out – they have no respect for the family IT'S A BIG DEAL.

T: this country was created to welcome all kinds of people: race, religion, gender etc etc

R: why is walking while being black, brown, blue you get shot – or noticeably being trans or wearing a hajim – our police have become Darth Vader storm troopers.

T: Bernie raised \$27 Million on April; HRC raised \$25 million; not true that the donations are diminishing – people need to be woken up!

- Bernie has \$5 Million on hand; HRC has \$32.5
- Bernie is still going on to the White House: Michelle is to be the next President and Bernie is working towards that: laying down the path for revolution

R: Camp Lovewave played the clip of Bill Maher interviewing Michael Moore and a segment from the Netherlands and the prisons which are humane, clean, decent food

T: lots of things going on in the Netherlands – not all rosy: gender, race issues, too

T: at NV, people got together with the one who had a chair in the air [NV Democratic Convention]

- someone came over and talked to him, and he put it down and there was a group hug after that. This does not excuse those who threatened the Chair of the Convention

R: Bernie did not have the County seats that were supposed to be filled with delegates: HRC had 27 empty delegate seats; Bernie had 462 empty delegate seats – understaffed; could also be a problem with underfunding; also, Bernie's NV office was shot up and ransacked. NOR DID HILLARY WIN NV in the first primary – about the rigging of the votes

R: Bernie is being represented by the angels and Ascended Masters from Venus – a direct blow to the 13 families have lost the Gauntlet of Power and the 6 Infinity Stones

T: Ben and Jerry were on the Laura Flanders Show last night saying this is really showing we don't need a party system any more: they bypass morals and ethics and principles: behind the scenes, dealing another hand about using thermo nuclear war on Russia

KOS: also brought up that certain folks are looking into the murder of John Denver whose plane went down due to lack of gas – Hillary and Mr Bush – also Paul Wellstone, JFK Jr, –

- Denver was taken out because he was going to talk about our brothers and sisters

T: Obama is going to Viet Nam and then Japan and Hiroshima on Friday – first sitting president to do so. He will not apologize; also will veto the move to file lawsuits against the Saudis for 9/11: the people do not have the whole truth on what has happened – can't take an action on a one-sided basis: the Saudis would just slap it back!

- Gas is @ \$2.25 in S F, up from \$1.50. has to do with not using the mother's blood
- Ben and Jerry saying let's end the party system as it is against the true principles on which the country was founded; and ONLY A HANDFUL of our founding fathers got their sovereignty – 99.9% DID NOT get free with the Declaration of Independence.

R: Japan surrendered BEFORE THE US dropped the bomb: the galactics came soon after the bomb was dropped; the Roswell incident was a direct result of the US dropping the bomb.

- THIS TIME THEY SAID THERE WILL BE NO dropping bombs from above BUT the Twin Towers came down due to a nuclear tritium explosion. And everyone in the whole world is

getting radiated: the energies are going higher and as we engage those our thoughts can change physical matter/DNA - as long as we follow them up with actions and maintaining our positive attitudes.

- Israeli's defence Minister resigned because of Netanyahu and the extreme right wing gangs/ activities: they want to eliminate all the Palestinians as a race
 - and Hillary answers to Netanyahu's agenda: she is a Mossad agent, and that is why she will not become President – the way in which we do this really matters!
 - there is a consciousness in Santa Fe: the people took the energy seriously to stop bickering and at the same time, to not compromise where it is not compromisable – and that place is difficult to discern

For example, **KOS** said Neil Keenan is not long for this earth, as the money he is dealing with is blood money; it represents the death of 100s of millions of peoples' death and the suffering of even more.

Reading: 2016-05-20 America and NATO's Outrageous Behavior, Greatest Threat that Exists [LISTEN TO T'S READING AND COMMENTS!] **[SEE BELOW]**

- NATO is nothing by an extension of the US. She explains how NATO started
- Americans have no territorial rights in the South China Sea; nor does the US have any right over other countries – just an awe-inspiring international thug!
- The US has the law of the sea on the land, meaning people can all be accused of mutint by the Office of the President – with is NOT BARACK OBAMA **NB:** Whenever you see Obama's name, put in "Hillary/13 families": he is playing a double agent to exacerbate the situation that the 13 families want so ordinary people will wake up and squawk.

AUDIO: KOS said to play it even though we cannot see it: COR got this for us!
Michael Moore's Where to Invade Next?

B B S Music

ASTROLOGY

Richard: another 12 hours of Mercury retrograd

Sun: sun opposite Mars; moon conjuncts Saturn; Mercury goes direct – Sag is unstable; so is Gemini – both are masculine and mutable. Gemini – a air sign – it's is neutral

Mon: Moon in Sagittarius

Tues: moon goes into Capricorn; moon goes into Gemini; Venus is opposite Mars

Wed: a Sag day; moon square Uranus at night

Thurs: Jupiter squares Saturn exactly – this is part of the earth trine, and the mutable T square

Fri: Moon into Aquarius where it went Thurs; Mars is retrograde and will back up into Scorpio for all of June.

T: what does that mean for Obama going to Japan for the first time?

Ri: it's negative: Scorpio about getting into the shadow realm and dark, hidden stuff. Ruled by Pluto – brings up shadow, dark hidden material – in a general sense, everyone will have another chance to work with their shadow material. Because it's Mars, it will get expressed.

T: already expressed that there will be no apology for what happened -

Ri: says why he thinks there shouldn't be an apology, to which T says Japan had already surrendered BEFORE the bomb was dropped.

JUNE: June 4 next new moon – 15* of Gemini; Venus will exactly square jupiter; new moon will conjunct Venus

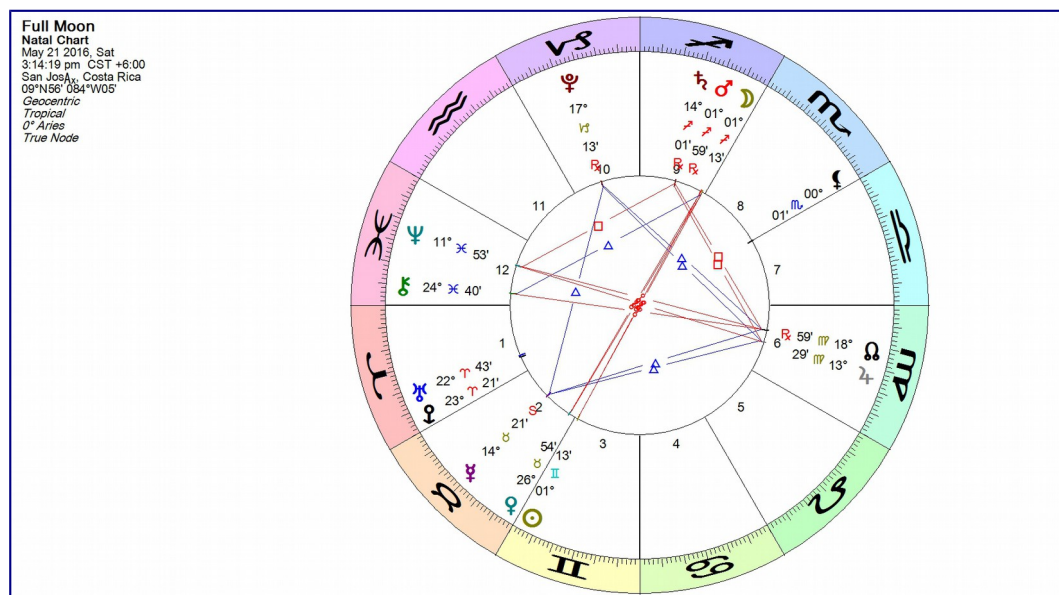
- on June 3, Venus opposite Saturn – on June 1st – will have a mutable cross : moves from a mutable T square to a mutable cross – this will result in a lot of conversation going on, and heating up! Lots more propaganda! Gemini is the essence of polarity – talking out of both sides of mouth at once – it is both Gemini, mutable, a cross, unstable!

The Pele Report

<https://youtu.be/j6zNrFxA51w>

[click here to download/listen to the Pele Report mp3](#)

*Sometimes I feel like an animal skin,
Stretched over the head of a drum,
Being played by the hands of the Spirit World,
To the beat of the Spirit's Song.*



Wow, can't believe it, it wasn't until after I found and uploaded the pic of the wounded native that it revealed itself to me! Such the picture of Gaia, of the feminine, of our Mother, of our own bodies, reflected in the wounding of Her native people. This 2.5 year period of Saturn (reform and restructure) in Sag (natural law, truth, wisdom), and now Mars, joined by this Full Moon..... a huge opportunity to heal ourselves, our relationships, and our planet. This is what the purification is all about (Jupiter/north node in Virgo).... oh yeah.

So we may be seeing where we are out of balance, out of integrity, not in alignment with "Truth," but it will be helpful to learn the lesson, change (mutate), and move on rather than get lost in guilt, shame, self sabotage and blame. We are all a work in progress and this next month of the Sun and Venus moving through Gemini reflects a period of learning fast..... Injoy the process!

Ri: the Lunarship Book by Rick Bills

Reading: 2015-05-May 21 FULL MOON Blue Moon in Sagittarius May 21st 2016~ Mystic Mamma

CONFERENCE CALL

- discussion about the Michael Moore film: the idea of turning people into economic slaves was all premeditated – people of colour were becoming more able to have a middle class lifestyle but they had to struggle way more to do that. Now they have found out there is no one supporting them – Ben and Jerry last night were saying that never minding what Hillary has done, she still represents taking even more from people

Max Keiser is talking about what's next: Michael Moore is showing what can happened

- the troublesome things T saw when she was in Europe is about the elitest people trying to keep up with what was happening in the US. There is trouble across the board due to the inequality everywhere: there is neo-nazism going on everywhere

COR: it is part of the program to put people in the austerity situation – brings up Trump who yells and waves a gun – in Britain, the people suffered horribly under Thatcher!

T: series on LinkTV called "Filthy Cities" - in London in the 1300s when there was the Black Plaque – the next is "Industrial New York in the 1900s" - Dan Snow is the presenter – 200,000 horses and 400,000 tons of horse pucky!

COR: the invention of the car saved NYC!

T: the electric car came first THEN gas – had to do with suppressing Tesla's energy – the owner of GE got involved – they used direct current, not alternating – the direct current required so much coal to create the energy – alternating current would have been cleaner.

- Now things are on a planetary scale and this has not happened before: Moore was asking the people in Italy why they made pencils – the Italians are advocating the quality of Life and, as COR says, that has been left behind. As people wake up, the question is what direction will they go in?

T: So incredulous – they get 5 months where mothers can be with their babies – in France can get 18 months; and 2 weeks off to get married and have a honeymoon!

- Bring up the lunch hour for Italian kids: real food and dishes; Michael brought in a Coke and had a girl try it: she exhibited nervous energy after drinking it.
- Germany behind the scenes is doing some not-so-nice nazi things.

COR: has Rama ever talked to Michael Moore?

- **T:** yes at a book signing in Santa Fe – they both talked to him – there were also goons

standing around!

T: in the US, 40 million people / year getting raped – this includes some men too

COR: talks of the people being exploited in Belfast as sex slaves

P: story of Israel bringing in women to use as prostitutes

T: what is going on in US prisons is not a rarity: common stories; It's a going thing that in Italy people want to go to America as per one of the couples in the documentary

COR: has read stories about people returning to their own countries due to what happens to them in the US

T: the immigration between the US and Mexico is changing: most were coming from Honduras, thanks to US Black Ops killing them there. We know about Madam Palfrey etc etc etc but underneath that is the children that are being stolen, having their organs taken from them, and then being killed . . . over 18,000 people in Syria lost their organs during the war . . .

COR: all this is coming to the light now because we have to wake up to what is happening

T: *Redacted Tonight* – 2 segments go after Hillary for what happened in NV, and for voting fraud.

COR: surprised by the lack of discussion re voting fraud.

Caller: her husband is in a bad mood & is commenting that the Clintons seem to be above the law

T: the Clintons have archons after them, and there are archons behind the archons, and then there are the Lords of Chaos; we cannot really judge them as we haven't walked in their shoes – in Herzo Govina, the US gov't murdered millions of people and the records are buried – maybe 250,000 died, yet someone else on the media/ RT said it's ½ million – which means a million.

T & R went to a veterans group in Albuquerque – people got up to speak of what they saw in NYC about 9/11; underneath a building there was a morgue with 14,000 bodies in it; it was some time later that they learned about the nuclear bombs under the buildings – that info has since been pulled back; they have boxes and boxes of info to keep it because it all has to come out.

Caller: husband works outside the home and talks regularly of the people he meets that are awake and aware, and some are older people who just know

T: lucky to have KOS as a resource; and Rama is the only person without a gag order

Lyn: go to **breakingthroughpower.org** – 86 speakers, 4 days, inside DC – all kinds of programs

T: brings up that some people travel a lot to go to these things; others are anchored in their local areas – takes both

Rainbird: building own space craft – 10,000 EU – work on own craft or collaborate; has been listening to Keshe on You tube – using the technology to create nutrients – Keshe said he felt pressured to make the leap from building own energy system to building own space craft.

T: is he holding classes to teach people this? Can you listen to the classes even if you don't have

the money?

RB: yes – classes on Tuesday about the magrav units: has watched someone pretty much clone himself. He had used a different recipe and was experimenting – nobody used the word “clone”. All kinds of creativity showing up. This technology is part of every day life.

T: people putting out info about him being a hoax do it because it's true.

RB: had read about Keshe being a hoax, but went back to listening and watching the you tubes

T: what Harry Reid said this morning does not go along with the Transcendental Meditation that he knows – they tried to kill him because he was a fly in the ointment, going up against the overlords. **R:** Harry Reid knows a whole lot more about 9/11 than people are willing to admit. He is the minority leader in the Senate; McConnell is Majority leader – cannot be in Harry's position without knowing where the dead bodies are in NV –

- Mr Hair is involved in this story, also Shelly Adelson and many others from that city – and R blessed Dr Peterson who operated on Rama.

- “What happens in Vegas stays in Vegas” - not any more! Stuff is leaking out.

R: doing better every day – still has waves of pain that he has to breathe through: the scar is almost gone – there is a lightening up of the stress, thanks to the food coop program that Ashtar on the Road folks set up – Beneficial Farms grows organic food and they can go pick up their bag full

COR: asks about natural herbs for the pain **R** taking something Relaxer which helps him relax!

B B S RADIO

Music: 136 Htz – opening 3rd eye Sofeggio meditation

T: touched on Venezuela's crisis – open letter from Lisa Sullivan about Venezuela

2016-05-20 **Venezuela's Crisis From Up Close**

[SEE BELOW]

Audio: Balance of the Michael Moore documentary

Audio: Gar Alperovitz: The Next American Revolution

Audio: Max Keiser Episode 917 2016-05-21

<https://www.rt.com/shows/keiser-report/343874-episode-max-keiser-917/>

In this episode of the Keiser Report, Max and Stacy discuss the return of “Bubba” – aka ex-President Bill Clinton – as Hillary's “coal gaffe” loses her votes in Appalachia. In the second half, Max interviews independent journalist Teri Buhl of TeriBuhl.com about the Bear Stearns e-mails from 2007-08 that she managed to successfully sued to have disclosed. The e-mails show clearly that senior executives at Bear Stearns knew the bank was on the verge of collapse, despite their public assertions to the contrary.

Audio: ???

Audio: Redacted Tonight May 21, 2016

<https://www.rt.com/shows/redacted-tonight-summary/343861-show-celebrations-nevada-convention/>

The Redacted Team has much cause to celebrate, because it's our 100th episode! We won't let celebrating get in the way of reporting the news no one else will. For example, Lee covers the mayhem at the Nevada delegate convention. He also covers the thousands of hackable voting machines that are still being used. Naomi and Lee discuss the current fiasco regarding our crumbling infrastructure. Also, Carlos explains what the hell is going on with Colombia and the pharmaceutical industry.

Reading: 2016-05-20 African American Museum of History and Culture to Open in Washington in September **[SEE BELOW]**

Reading: When God was a Woman finishes Ch 1 and begins Ch 2.

Closing: Rainbird

Music: Rumi – Coleman Barks - Moses heard a shepherd on a road praying

Give yourself to Love; Love is all you're after!

INFORMATION RELATED TO THE NOTES

2016-05-20 [NEIL KEENAN UPDATE | Federal Reserve To New US Republic Via A Global Currency Reset](#)
[May 20, 2016 / Keenan Team | GroupK / 44 Comments](#)

Here is the latest intelligence report that was sent directly to Neil directly:

Gentlemen:

In the interest of expediting mutual understanding I have organized the key information:

1. The "United States" that has been causing all the trouble is only "the territories and District of Columbia". Those "United States" known as the United States of America (Minor) have committed fraud against these United States (Major) and the entire rest of the world.
2. As a result, the United States Major has still not come to the table with regard to the eminent changes in the financial system.
3. The United States Major issued new Sovereign Letters Patent in November 2015 and appointed new Federal representatives. Mr. Jacob Rothschild representing the UN Corporation and Pope Francis as Trustee have both been notified that THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, INC. has no contract, is acting on a for hire basis only, and is obligated to honor the terms and conditions of the actual Constitution while doing so.
4. The High Contracting Powers have similarly been informed that none of the ESTATE trusts named after living Americans and created by the UNITED STATES, INC. for its own benefit are contractually valid. These private contracts have been created and secured under conditions of non-disclosure and semantic deceit.
5. The High Contracting Powers have also been informed that we have acted as the lawful Beneficiaries and Priority Creditors and have authorized the discharge of the "National Debt" owed by the UNITED STATES, INC. against our already accrued "National Credit" so as to put an end to all pretense of conflict with or valid commercial claim against the American People and their actual property assets.
6. The position of the United States Major is one of guarded optimism. Having clearly defined the problem of fraud and misrepresentation by the United States of America Minor, it is now possible to overcome it. That said, we agree that gold has always been the international medium of exchange in modern times and we understand that other nations may desire or require gold in payment for goods and services. We agree that at least for the time being a precious metals standard may serve to restore a degree of honesty and stability to international markets and that new and stringent bank regulatory mechanisms are sorely needed to prevent speculation, insurance scams, commodity rigging and a host of other evils.
7. We draw everyone's attention to the fact that the United States Major's lawful money is and has always been the United States Silver Dollar. We see no reason why our currency would be in any way incompatible with the proposed international return to a precious metals-based system.
8. We welcome the understanding and the assistance of the international community as we put our house in order and point out that as we have authorized our Trustees to settle all the debts of

the UNITED STATES, INC. there can be no complaints or accusations held against the American People nor any continuing claims against their assets based on the fraudulent misrepresentations of the United States of America, Minor.

9. What remains to be resolved is an arbitration process by which the United States Major is credited back costs which we have incurred by covering the UNITED STATES, INC. debts and which were never agreed to by any fiduciary deputies of ours.

10. We trust that the banks are well-aware of where the accounts actually stand, the fraud that has been committed against the United States Major, and their own fiduciary culpability. A prompt and just settlement of these issues is in the best interests of the entire planet and we stand ready to do our part.

We hope this synopsis of the situation clarifies it for everyone concerned.

[Confidential Signatory]

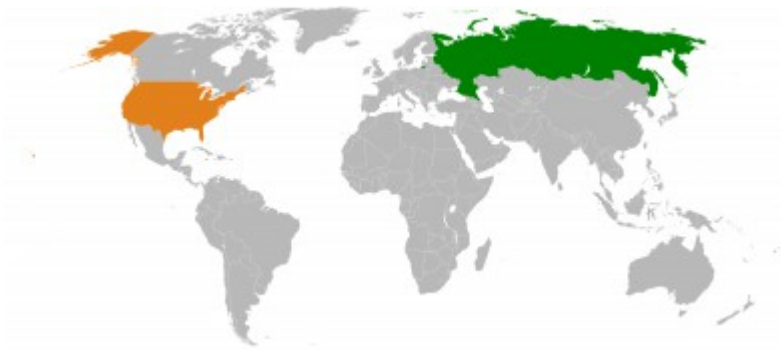
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2016-05-20 America and NATO's Outrageous Behavior, Greatest Threat that Exists

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On May 18th, two top people at NATO, one being its current Secretary General — the very top person — [laid out in preliminary form the case for war against Russia](#), which presumably will be presented in more detail at the NATO Summit to be held in Poland on 8-9 July this year.

As if that weren't bad enough, there's the matter reported by Bryan Cloughly at Strategic Culture, headlining on May 19th, ["Surging Towards yet Another War"](#), where he pointed out that

"The United States has no territorial rights of any sort, in the South China Sea which is 7,000 miles (11,000 kilometres) from its west coast. There is nothing in international law that justifies its unilateral military 'challenge' to China's presence" there, in that area [which is contested between five countries: China, Philippines, Vietnam, Malaysia, and Brunei](#). The American government, which has no authority to speak for the entire world regarding *international law*— of which the U.S. itself has been perhaps the most frequent violator during the past 16 years — isn't "policeman of the world," certainly not judge and jury and executioner (well, maybe *executioner*) of the world, but instead it's merely an aspiring global thug: "The Pentagon [declared](#) on 10 May that China's 'excessive maritime claims are inconsistent with international law as reflected in the Law of the Sea Convention in that they purport to restrict the navigation rights that the United States and all states are entitled to exercise.'" Cloughly points out that the U.S. "refuses to ratify the Law of the Sea Convention — while ordering every other country to abide by it."

America's — and NATO's — biggest danger to the world, however, is its (their) *aggressions against Russia*, by:

1: Violating the promise that the agents of U.S. President George Herbert Walker Bush made in 1990 to the USSR's, and then Russia's, President, Mikhail Gorbachev — and on the basis of which the USSR was dissolved and the Warsaw Pact terminated — that [NATO would not be expanded "one inch to the east" \(i.e., toward Russia\)](#), a promise that was [violated by](#) Bill Clinton (Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland), George W. Bush (Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia), and Barack Obama (Albania and Croatia — with current [aspirants](#) being Bosnia, Georgia, Montenegro, Macedonia, and Ukraine). Gorbachev would have had to have been crazy to have ended the Cold War under those conditions if he had known about it — known that

GHW Bush and his successor Presidents are a bunch of lying thugs. But because he trusted the word of Bush and his agents (such as James Baker, Francois Mitterrand, and Helmut Kohl), Russia is now in this extremely vulnerable position, and Gorbachev himself thus has [the lowest approval-rating of all Russia's rulers since the czars: below even that of Stalin \(28%\) and Yeltsin \(17%\)](#).

Another poll, of only 20th-Century leaders of Russia (i.e., excluding Putin and Medvedev, both of whom scored atop that other poll), [rated Brezhnev the best, and Gorbachev the worst](#). (That poll included Czar Nicholas II, who, along with Lenin and Khrushchev, rated near 50% approval. The only leader who was almost as low-rated as Gorbachev's 20% was Yeltsin, at 22%.) Though Gorbachev was a sucker, America's recent Presidents have been even worse than that — and the entire world is now threatened by what they did (and, under Obama, *are doing, perhaps culminating*).

2: Overthrowing the secular leader of Libya, who held that nation together and gave it the highest living-standard in Africa — overthrowing Muammar Gaddafi because he was friendly toward Russia — turned that country into a failed state and another festering hotbed for jihadists.

3: [Scheming ever since 1949 to overthrow Syria's secular leaders so as to enable Saudi oil to be pipelined through it into Europe so as to choke off Russia's largest oil and gas market and hand it to the fundamentalist Saud family who own Saudi Arabia, and the fundamentalist Thani family who own Qatar— both of which families \(and especially the Saudis\) are top financial backers of jihadists \(everywhere but in their own countries\), which are America's best foot-soldiers against the leaders of nations who are friendly to Russia](#) (and in Chechnia were trying to get Putin overthrown).

[Obama even prioritizes ousting Assad over defeating Syria's jihadists, as a consequence of which Syria has by far the world's highest misery-index in Gallup's polling of 140 nations, and a comprehensive article on the subject](#) noted that "at least [18,000 Syrians have had organs removed during the war thus far](#)" and, "All this tragic human horror only occurs because of an overly aggressive, imperialistic US-Israeli foreign policy creating a path of chaos and destruction across the Middle East and North Africa secretly [supporting Islamic terrorists](#) to fight US-Israeli proxy wars to illegally overthrow sovereign national governments like Assad's." Unfortunately, that commentator ignored the key fact: that the reason Obama wants Assad overthrown is that Assad supports and is supported by Russia. (Israel's government might have different motivation on that matter, but [likewise supports the jihadists](#) — and is importantly [profiting from the organ-trade](#).)

4: [Overthrowing the democratically elected President of Ukraine in 2014](#) and replacing his democratic government by [a barbaric fascist regime](#) which perpetrated [a massive ethnic-cleansing operation against its former Donbass region](#), which had [voted 90% for that President](#). Then slapping economic sanctions against, and now even threatening invasion of, Russia, for Russia's having [protected Crimeans](#) (who had [voted 75% for that overthrown President](#)) from their being similarly invaded, and from Obama's intended take-over of Russia's key naval base there at Sebastopol. (Oh, and did I mention, [crashing Ukraine's economy](#), and [stripping it](#) — but there's too much [misery](#) in Ukraine now to even begin to itemize.)

5: Creating the refugee crisis in Europe, which doesn't only produce hell for the millions of refugees from America's coups and invasions, but which also weakens Europe — an American 'ally,' but an 'ally' which America's Presidents don't want to be able to overtake the U.S. so as to

become the world's top dog.

6: Now increasingly trying to do the same thing in Asia, especially to keep China down.

This is a far cry from the America of Franklin Delano Roosevelt, who would be twisting in his grave to know what his successors have been doing after the anti-communist war was won in 1991. It's become a shameful America, which is shameless. And the American people *aren't* to blame for it; [the American aristocracy, which rule here](#), are. The American people have been [conquered, too](#). America's aristocracy are as guilty as sin. They're top dog, but this dog is rabid, and it now threatens the entire world. It's not just George W. Bush, Barack Obama, and the Kochs, and George Soros, but it's the whole hypocritical lot of them, the entire [American aristocracy](#), the people who don't merely run this lunatic asylum, they're the schemers who've made it go mad and are trying to sic it against the rest of the world.

So, perhaps we'll see what happens after July 8th and 9th. Will they call off their war? Or — as expected — escalate it to the next level?

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2015-05-May 21 FULL MOON Blue Moon in Sagittarius May 21st 2016~

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Welcome to this truth bearing **FULL MOON* BLUE MOON*, the first of two consecutive Full Moons in Sagittarius.

As the Moon rises to her fullness, it's likely we'll feel the pull and tug of our hearts calling us to align with our deepest truth and encouraging us to bring forth the balance needed to embody it.

Here are the MYSTIC MAMMA Astral Insights from our beloved featured astrologers. First from [SARAH VARCAS](#) from her [Astro-Awakenings.co.uk](#):

"Occurring less than 24 hours prior to the end of Mercury retrograde, this Moon signals **a shift of perspective.**

"Events of the past three weeks begin to reveal a deeper significance now and through the coming month..."

"This is a positive Moon with an uplifting tone and encouraging demeanor. That said, she poses a challenge too, our response to which will color the weeks to come

"There exists an innocence about this Moon, even as she radiates timeless wisdom passed down through ages. Burning away the jaded half-truths of dogma and obedience to belief and form, she **illuminates the vitality at the heart of a soul on fire for truth...**"

"Currently in Scorpio, Black Moon Lilith also speaks, reminding us that without the darkness of inky skies we could never appreciate a magnificent moon.

"We cannot have light without darkness. To deny the shadows renders life uni-dimensional, robbed of its guts and gumption.

"Those feelings we judge as wrong or negative, the ones we're told aren't spiritual or 'of the light', they are part of us too, an expression of our wild nature which rages against obstacles, suffers when suppressed and challenges the narrative that nice is more important than true.

"Lilith embraces everything and everyone, resplendent in her power and alive in her fullness. She stands beside every person torn apart by grief, ground down by depression, fractured by rage or broken by guilt.

"She looks into our eyes and sees our soul aflame with both divine love and sacred wrath, united in one ecstatic expression of Life..."

*"She reminds us **the most effective response to life is born of an open mind and heart**, not one resistant to the very conditions it struggles to confront."*

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From [KELLEY ROSANO](#):

"This Full Moon is in a grand square....The test will be to balance your need for freedom with your duties. There will be a tug of war between keeping the status quo verses your risk taking..."

"This is a dynamic Full Moon. It effects many areas of your life. This is where the action is this year. We have been building towards this time.

"(With) the Saturn Neptune aspect...You can feel pulled in numerous directions..."

*"**Less is more**. Make friends with the word no. No is your friend. No, I am not available. No, I cannot do that for you..."*

"This Moon requires you to be who you really are...Be true to yourself. Yes, consider the needs of others. But do not let others needs trump what is right for you.

"Come from your soul desires. Your soul knows what you need. Saturn requires you to be realistic. Be practical. Be grounded.

*"If you are tired rest. Take plenty of catnaps. These energies can be exhausting at times. It will take time to get used to the higher vibrations. It is not the time to push yourself. **Focus your energy**.*

"Work while you are strong. Rest when you need it. Listen to your body. It is your messenger. What is it telling you?"

"Saturn restricts the energy of the Sun. This is so you prioritize what is important for you and what is a distraction..."

"Do what makes you happy. Make sure you are including you in your life. Where are you out of balance?"

"...You are here to be happy. You are not here just to serve. You are here to live your Best Life..."

*"Make sure that what you are doing is right for you. That you are not in denial of the truth. What is real? What is an illusion? This will be your challenge. **Discernment and patience** will guide your way."*

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From [ROBERT WILKINSON](#) from his Aquarius Papers:

"This is an extremely important Lunation that will open a certain type of Wisdom for the next year. This Lunation bridges what has been, and what is just now beginning to unfold..."

*"Be willing to find techniques that help you **know what is core and what is peripheral.***

"Take another look at what is more important and what is less important, and find ways to experience life and power more deeply that open a cultural sensitivity and/or your understanding of the importance of your cultural background."

He also says:

*"This distributive, communicative, activating, and truth-focused Full Moon at 2 Gemini-Sagittarius will allow us to see and express truth and wisdom demonstrating **a determination to live a greater freedom in all our lives...**"*

"This Full Moon falls at 2 Gemini and Sagittarius...The Solar degree symbol for the 2nd degree of Gemini is 'Santa Claus filling stockings furtively.'

*"...We are told in the Astrological Mandala that this symbolizes 'a rewarded faith in spiritual blessings,' **relating to our purity of heart** and our willingness to accept gifts from the invisible world.*

"He says this is about us getting beyond 'ego and rationalistic arguments' so we can experience the manifestation of what we have imagined.

*"He goes on to state we should not examine the gifts from the invisible world too closely, and we need to **build an attitude that will help us receive gifts and blessings from the spiritual realm.***

"He says we need 'faith, purity of heart, and a common type of understanding,' as well as innocence..."

*"He says this is about **a need for appreciation** when encountering 'nature's largess and society's favors,' where we keep spiritual values alive in the hearts of all..."*

"The Lunar degree symbol for the 2nd degree of Sagittarius is 'The ocean covered with whitecaps.'

"...According to Dr. Jones, creator of the Sabian Symbols, we find this degree symbolizes 'the unending availability of everything ever needed for life and experience' which we discover via the 'tireless anticipations of the human soul.'

"He speaks of a need to give focus 'to the restlessness of an over-all consciousness' in which our 'immortal being is cradled, and for channeling this into a manifestation of personal energy.'

*"He states **we prosper as we are 'self-quicken to (our) own potentialities.'***

"...So the Lunar degree should help us express the Light through whatever intensifies us, or where we hear a call to some form of 'vital activity.'

"This will help us express whatever we've been anticipating, and channel our 'immortal self' into some personally relevant 'manifestation of personal energy.'

*"This implies that part of the wisdom this year is about allowing ourselves to be quickened, intensified, or **become more resourceful**, and find a greater way to view our attack on the problems of life."*

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MOLLY HALL from Astrology.About.com:

*"At this Sagittarius Full Moon, there can be **flash sightings of a new big picture**. Sagittarius is mutable fire, the sign of broad knowledge — the kind that connects the dots. This is very, very empowering, and allows you to consider new and surprising possibilities.*

*"...Sagittarius is the sign of truth and high ideals. Gandhi said, 'Truth is by nature self-evident. As soon as you remove the cobwebs of ignorance that surround it, it shines clear.' With the clarity, **unveiling and burning off of what's false**, a new path forward is realized."*

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From [DIVINE HARMONY](#):

"Gemini sees the small picture while Sadge sees the Big Picture- but they both can be overly mental and at times overly stuck in their version of the truth.

*"With Saturn in Sadge we all have **lessons right now about discerning Truth from fiction**, fantasy, illusion or lies (ones we tell ourselves, ones we tell others and ones we absorb from the world around us)..."*

"Being able to discern truth from Truth, ego from Soul/Spirit and self from Self is the lesson right now. To truly surrender self serving notions we have to be willing to stop serving the ego self- and this can be very hard at times particularly when we are invested in being right or being seen in a particular way.

*"But letting go of self-serving notions we must- as they keep us back, and we are not here to stay back. We are here to wake up! And **every present moment is the perfect moment to awaken** :)"*

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From [APRIL ELLIOTT KENT](#) from Mooncircles.com:

"...for every situation that really demands stark truth-telling, there's one that calls for a little more restraint and judgment.

"At those moments, this piece of advice, attributed to Indian spiritual master Sai Baba, can be helpful:

*"Before you speak, ask yourself: **Is it kind, is it necessary, is it true, does it improve upon the silence?***

"Oh, self-righteousness can feel so good. Setting someone straight. Telling it like it is. Few things offer the delicious jolt of freedom, of agency, of utter indifference to consequence that comes with letting fly a self-righteous screed.

"But even if what you say is true, and even if you can argue for its necessity, that kind of truth-telling is never kind and almost never improves upon the silence..."

"The next time you feel the itch to really let loose and try to convince someone that you're by-God right about something, try for a moment to close your eyes and pretend you're in some beautiful natural spot that's sacred to you. Put yourself in the silence. Wait awhile.

"You may find, to your surprise, that the real truth that needs to be told is a little different than you'd imagined. Sometimes, it's not a truth about someone else at all, but rather about yourself— something you're a little ashamed of, embarrassed by, and have been only dimly aware of.

"Let the silence stretch on, holding your truth gently aloft. Could your words improve this moment, this silence?"

"...Truth shouldn't be something we use to shame one another, but rather a way of revealing us more completely so that we can better love one another."

"...when you're looking around you to total up the hypocrisies and dishonesties that need to be called out, remember, as Mercury and Mars are still retrograde, to look inside yourself, first, for frailties.

*"Then, if you find you still have something to say that's big and truthful and heart-opening, open up your throat and sing out loud and strong, with love and without judgment. **Make your truth as beautiful as you can.** Improve the silence."*

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***FULL MOON* Blessings to all!**

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2016-05-20 Venezuela's Crisis From Up Close

An open letter from Lisa Sullivan

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Dear friends,

Greetings from the state of Aragua in Venezuela where we are concluding a small US delegation focused on grassroots solutions to the massive food crisis here.

I am reaching out to you to share my grave concerns about what is happening here in Venezuela, my home for over three decades where I worked for 21 years as a Maryknoll Catholic lay missionary, then as Latin America Coordinator for the School of the Americas Watch.

It is out of concern for the most vulnerable sectors in Venezuela, such as my neighbors, that I break my silence to write. As I watch their efforts to obtain food for their families become more desperate and more futile, and as I witness pounds dropping from their bodies, I think the time has come to do more than share from my own scarce cupboards and gardens as they share with me.

These people, my friends and neighbors and family, are literally being swallowed up by massive economic and political interests. A perfect storm of a collapse of global oil prices combined with massive internal economic errors leading to unbridled corruption on all levels of society has left these vulnerable sectors literally almost starving.

The reaction of the US and other global interests seems clearly based on Venezuela's enormous oil reserves (the world's largest). Those interests are circling our nation like vultures, ready to swoop in and devour.

I have spent countless hours leading delegations to Venezuela over the past 12 years to share the enormous advances in education, health care, housing and nutrition that returned dignity to millions of Venezuelans under the Bolivarian revolution. Throughout those years, there was an almost total boycott of the international media to acknowledge these advances that led to Venezuela becoming the most equal society in the Americas, to its surge to 5th place worldwide for college enrollment and to building new homes for a fifth of its families.

The achievements of the Bolivarian revolution were real, palpable and inspired a continent. Today our reality is widespread hunger. The current government points to an economic war unleashed by wealthy business owners with international support from the US that has led to hoarding and

shortages of food.

The US points to mismanagement and poor planning on the part of the Bolivarian government that led to a nation totally renter economy dependent on food imports.

My neighbors point to their stomachs while simultaneously planting corn and beans and bananas in any tiny space, beseeching the heavens for rains that have also been in dire shortage this season.

I wish that I could share a simple message or solution with you, such as "close the SOA". Observing such complicity in this crisis all around me, near and far, I can offer no simple slogan

However, having spent a decade traveling the continent, witnessing the horrors unleashed by US-trained Latin American military upon their own people, I want to at least alert you to the possibility of a similar scenario here.

Unfortunately, because the Bolivarian government has already experienced this very reality of outside complicity in a military coup in 2002, they are ultra sensitive (understandably so) towards any critiques and suggestions, even within their own ranks. Unwittingly, that may contribute to an eventual military or outside solution rather than allowing for an internal democratic resolution to this grave humanitarian crisis.

As the political configuration of South America quickly shifts to the right and the global alignment of power is in active play, Venezuela is in the cross-hairs. The grave humanitarian crisis in Venezuela today is real and not an invention of the press. And the contributions to this crisis lie on multiple shoulders. And the solution to this problem needs to be determined by the Venezuelan people with support from other Latin American peoples.

Hoping that these days don't bring worse scenarios. Thanks for your support through the years.

Abrazos

Lisa

This letter comes via Rick Sterling of Task Force on the Americas with Lisa's approval.

Lisa has led many TFA, NLG and other delegations in Venezuela beginning in 2003 and up to the current moment.

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2016-05-20 African American Museum of History and Culture to Open in Washington in September

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African American Museum of History and Culture to Open in Washington in September

A center designed for the preservation and exhibition of the contributions of people of African descent in the United States is scheduled to open later this year.

Known as the National Museum of African American History and Culture (NMAAHC), the building represents efforts to construct such a project which extends back over 100 years.



NMAAHC

This will be the largest of such institutions in the country surpassing the Dr. Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History in Detroit.

The museum is a 400,000 square foot edifice becoming the 19th division of the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C. President Barack Obama is scheduled to cut the ribbons at the building on September 24.

During the second week of May journalists were allowed in for a preview of what is in store for the

public. The structure will feature numerous galleries with displays on slavery, segregation and the civil rights movement along with music, entertainment, sports and politics.

Much work remains to be done before the official opening. Electrical equipment, artifacts and artistic treasures will be moved in and fitted for public perusal. There are exhibits on cultural figures such as Bo Diddley, Little Richard and the Jackson Five.

In a report from the New Observer, it says "After years of false starts, a bill from Democratic Rep. John Lewis of Georgia to create the museum passed Congress in 2003 and became law with the pen of President George W. Bush. Three years later, the Smithsonian's Board of Regents approved the five-acre site on the Mall between the Washington Monument and the National Museum of American History. Lead designer Freelon Adjaye Bond/SmithGroup were selected in 2009, and construction began in 2012. (May 15)

The article goes on saying "The \$540 million project was funded through a partnership with Congress, which provided half the money, or \$270 million. The other half is being raised through private contributions; officials are within a few million dollars of that goal."

All together there are 3,000 artifacts with videos, photos and wall text which will be on view in 11 inaugural exhibitions. Dozens of staff people must be accommodated and the 400-seat cafeteria has to be set up. For security purposes there are metal detectors requiring installation at the two entrances.

According to the official website for the NMAAHC, "In many ways, there are few things as powerful and as important as a people, as a nation that is steeped in its history. Often America is celebrated as a place that forgets. This museum seeks to help all Americans remember, and by remembering, this institution will stimulate a dialogue about race and help to foster a spirit of reconciliation and healing." (<http://nmaahc.si.edu>)

The NMAAHC goes on to stress that "There are four legs upon which this museum will stand:

The first is to create an opportunity for those that care about African American culture to explore and revel in this history. Equally important is the opportunity to help all Americans see just how central African American history is for all of us. The museum will use African American history and culture as a lens into what it means to be an American."

This website also emphasizes "Additionally, the museum will use African American culture as a means to help all Americans see how their stories, their histories, and their cultures are shaped and informed by international considerations and how the struggle of African Americans has impacted freedom struggles around the world. Finally, as a 21st century institution, the museum must be a place of collaboration. We must be a truly national museum that reaches beyond Washington to engage new audiences and to collaborate with the myriad of museums and educational institutions, both nationally and internationally."

NMAAHC is steps away from the Washington Monument, the towering obelisk built in commemoration of the nation's first president who owned slaves. Even though the official narrative within U.S. history suggests that the so-called "Revolutionary War" was fought to gain independence from British colonialism, Africans remained enslaved in the U.S. until the conclusion of the Civil War in 1865.

That contradiction is startling in light of the failure of the racist system to guarantee a decent life,

genuine equality and self-determination to the African American people even in the 21st century. African Americans have achieved enormous gains over the last century-and-a-half since the end of slavery; nonetheless they remain an extremely exploited and repressed people.

Today African Americans are subjected to incarceration rates that far exceed those of whites who continue to represent the overwhelming authority within the state and economic structures of the country. Rates of joblessness and poverty disproportionately affect African Americans while the world economic recession of the last decade appropriated much of the limited household wealth accumulated since the rise of industrialization in the 20th century.

In the areas of foreign policy, people of African descent in the U.S. have only made a progressive impact through their own propaganda, petitioning and mass demonstrations. For decades, successive administrations maintained close and fraternal relations with European colonial powers which carried out genocidal policies against territories in Africa, the Caribbean and Latin America.

In 2016, the Pentagon and the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) still enacts counter-insurgency programs across Africa amid a broadening mistrust of U.S. intentions among the masses of workers, youth and farmers in the region. Meanwhile the overall volume of trade between the U.S. and emerging African states has declined in the last several years despite the existence of the country's first self-identified president of African descent.

Detroit Museum Serves as Community-Oriented Model

At present the largest of such institutions exists in Detroit, a majority African American city. This center was founded through the decades-long visionary work of the late Dr. Charles H. Wright.

Dr. Wright started the museum in a residential house during 1965 at the height of the Civil Rights Movement. Wright was an admirer of the African American artist, actor, activist and social scientist Paul Robeson, Sr.

In the 1980s, Wright campaigned for the release of African National Congress (ANC) leader and then political prisoner Nelson Mandela as well as other South African political prisoners. Under the administration of Mayor Coleman A. Young, the first African American to serve in this position in Detroit, there was the initiation of the construction of a city-administered museum in the late 1980s.

Several years later an even larger museum was built in the area which is now known as Midtown near Wayne State University and the Detroit Medical Center.

Under its present administration the Wright Museum hosts numerous lectures, panels and conferences on African world history and culture. Just this year, the museum featured former Black Panther Party leader Kathleen Cleaver; Ramona Africa of MOVE; Saladin Muhammad of Black Workers for Justice; and other luminaries.

A Liberation Film Series screens documentaries on a myriad of issues impacting African people around the world examining the lives of historical figures such as Malcolm X, Thomas Sankara, Frantz Fanon, only to name a few. Every August the Wright Museum sponsors the African World Festival founded by Dr. Wright in 1983 on the Detroit Riverfront at Hart Plaza.

These institutions are important in their role of historical memory and assessment. They will only maintain their relevance if they are linked to the overall struggle for the complete liberation of the African American people.

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