

Preparation For Major Social Upheaval
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I would first like to ask you all a question: With a show of hands, how many people here believe this country can keep spending the way it is spending, and not go broke?

It is the year 2010. Barack Hussein Obama has just signed documents giving up America's right to defend itself and our allies if attacked with chemical or biological weapons. China sees weakness, in the debt ridden world superpower, that is the United States. Taiwan has always been marked for conquest by the Chinese; it is a rich jewel they want. The time is now.

It begins with the world bond market. The Chinese, holding \$5 Trillion in US bonds, decide to sell. Panic sets in, as the Japanese, Canadians, Saudis, and every other investor suddenly see a run on the dollar, and seek to sell their dollars for some fraction of what they were worth the day before. Oil, which had cost \$120.00 a barrel, doubles every day. The financial markets close. A bank "holiday" is declared, and no date is set for their reopening. You are suddenly unable to access your money...money you've entrusted the banks to hold, and prices for everything suddenly skyrocket. Gasoline sells for \$50.00 a gallon, and the next day \$200.00 a gallon, when you can find someone willing to sell it for U.S. dollars. Credit cards stop working. Food suddenly becomes scarce and the prices are high. You can no longer afford to drive to work, as travel becomes extremely expensive, and employers become unable to meet payroll. Businesses shut their doors, and store shelves are cleaned out.

The Great Welfare Class in America, and those Americans who have not seen the signs of the times, panic. Looting and rioting tear apart the civil society we have had. The cities are the worst, as gangs go door to door looking for food and anything else to take. As in Los Angeles in the Rodney King riots, government stands by increasingly powerless, as no one will take their paper dollars in pay to enforce law or fight for the government. Government workers themselves raid the armories, and become like just another gang, only better armed.

The prepared, band together for common defense. Protecting life and property now takes many people committed to each other, and being well armed. The forts of the American frontier reemerge.

China now makes its move and easily takes Taiwan. The United States, formerly having pledged to defend Taiwan even using nuclear weapons, does not even object. China's supremacy is clear.

This is just one of many triggers that might collapse the value of the dollar, but mark my words, the dollar will collapse, unless we radically change the direction our country is heading now. It is only faith in the United States government that supports the dollar, and that faith is collapsing.

We are facing the bankruptcy of the United States. Our government, unconstitutionally having abandoned a money system backed by gold and silver and now using paper Federal Reserve Notes, issued by private bankers, not the United States Government, is now bankrupt. The worth of the paper in your pocket is only what other people believe it to be, and that can vanish overnight. China is no longer buying our debt; China is selling off our Treasury bonds. The Federal Reserve is now the largest holder of our debt, they print paper money and loan it to our government at interest.

Every government that uses the printing press to fund major debt, is destined to fall. The German Weimer Republic did this to pay off World War I debt, and it soon took millions of marks to buy a loaf of bread, when one mark would have done so before. We have heard the stories of taking a wheel-barrow full of money to buy a loaf of bread. This is history, and we are facing it now with our future. A collapse of the dollar and hyperinflation could happen at any time. Our government is now desperate for cash, and is setting its sights on any assets we the people have. Hearings have already been held in Congress to explore rolling 401K and IRA retirement accounts into your Social Security, basically giving you an "IOU" in place of your 401K and IRA. They have already given these new accounts the name "Guaranteed Retirement Accounts." They would be far from "guaranteed." Do not count on the government to take care of you. We must prepare to take care of ourselves and those we love.

I do believe that there is still time to take the necessary steps to prepare. So what do we do? You must protect yourself and those you love.

You will need your assets to do that. You should consider cashing in bonds and retirement accounts and placing your retirement in tangible things you or others will need. Real estate is still overvalued with the declining economy and should be limited to your primary residence and possibly a rural retreat away from dangerous cities. Stocks, safety deposit boxes, and bank accounts could disappear in a "bank closure holiday" if there is a run on the banks. Physical gold and silver are good stable long term forms of real money, and can be used for money in any nation in the world. You have only to look at the dollar price of gold over the last 5 years to see the true value of our paper dollars. But gold is for big expensive items. Silver will be used as daily money for small items when the dollar collapses and we go to hyperinflation. I recommend having some of both. Gold bullion, sold by weight value only, has been confiscated by our government in the past. Collectable old gold coins were previously exempt from government seizure, and are the form I recommend. Silver can be purchased as 1964 or before dimes, quarters, half dollars, or dollar coins for daily purchases. Another alternative is to purchase large quantities of current nickels. They are the only coin now used that is worth its weight in the nickel and copper that they contain. But storage space will define what works best for you.

Ammunition will become another item for barter, as self protection will become increasingly important with more lawlessness and desperation in the populace. Police will be less funded, and the huge welfare class in our culture will be out of free cash and not

happy about it. There will be riots and looting. What we see now in Greece, may soon be our future.

Food and fuel may be scarce and will be expensive. Purchase batteries, an inverter to convert 12 volt DC to standard 120 volt AC power, and solar chargers to renew power sources. Stock up now on long shelf life foods. I recommend each family have at least one year of food stored. Canned goods and dehydrated foods last longest. I recommend learning how to can foods, as electricity disruptions may wipe out food you freeze or refrigerate. Drinkable water may mean the difference between life and death, so purchase a Katadyn or Berky water filter to purify water. Consider who you may need to care for, and add their share to what you will need to stock. Start now, learning how to grow some of your own food, and obtain non-hybrid seeds that can produce seeds for planting again. Learn to hunt and shoot. Guns and ammunition will be critical for both self defense and food. You will need to protect yourself and those you love, and to protect your food and property from looters. Even a .22 caliber hand gun can bring down a deer if you are a good shot. Stock pile medicines for times when they will be in short supply. Keep the medicines in a cool area away from light exposure. Keep a medical kit for times where medical services may not be obtainable or delayed. Obama will be rationing medical care. Take classes in basic first aid, so you can begin care in an emergency. Fuel storage can be prolonged with the addition of stabilizers. Gasoline unstabilized will be good for at most 2 years, diesel for about 8 years, and kerosene lasts about 15 years. Food, fuel, and medicine kept cool will last longer. Having extra for barter will be important, for silver, gold, food, fuel, medicine, and ammunition will likely be the new forms of currency.

Band together with people you can trust. Multiple families living and protecting one property may become the norm. Neighborhoods at a minimum will need to be able to band together for mutual protection. Look at your home, consider strengthening doors, placing fencing, and making it harder to break into, and easier to defend. Develop skills and services that you can use in trade with others. Make yourself someone useful. We all need each other to survive what the government is trying to do to us.

Never give up, never surrender! Speak up, stand up, fight for the Truth and our Constitution. Get out and Vote!