The Big Lie: 9/11 and Government Complicity in Mass Murder

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“All this was inspired by the principle - which is quite true in itself - that in the big lie there is always a certain force of credibility; because the broad masses of a nation are always more easily corrupted in the deeper strata of their emotional nature than consciously or voluntarily; and thus in the primitive simplicity of their minds they more readily fall victims to the big lie than the small lie, since they themselves often tell small lies in little matters but would be ashamed to resort to large-scale falsehoods. It would never come into their heads to fabricate colossal untruths, and they would not believe that others could have the impudence to distort the truth so infamously. Even though the facts which prove this to be so may be brought clearly to their minds, they will still doubt and waver and will continue to think that there may be some other explanation. For the grossly impudent lie always leaves traces behind it, even after it has been nailed down, a fact which is known to all expert liars in this world and to all who conspire together in the art of lying. These people know only too well how to use falsehood for the basest purposes.” ~ Adolf Hitler, 1925 Mein Kampf

"Of course the people don't want war. But after all, it's the leaders of the country who determine the policy, and it's always a simple matter to drag the people along whether it's a democracy, a fascist dictatorship, or a parliament, or a communist dictatorship. Voice or no voice, the people can always be brought to the bidding of the leaders. That is easy. All you have to do is tell them they are being attacked, and denounce the pacifists for lack of patriotism, and exposing the country to greater danger." ~ Hermann Göring, Nuremberg Trials 1946

"Sometimes the truth is so precious it must be accompanied by a bodyguard of lies." ~ Donald Rumsfeld, U.S. Secretary of Defense, Sept. 25, 2001 Pentagon Briefing

On that horrifying and tragic Tuesday of September 11th we all know what we think we saw transpire live on the television that dreadful morning. All across the country, time came to an abrupt standstill. The emotions ranged from the initial morbid “rubbernecking” curiosity and shock of seeing the aftermath of first tower struck, the North Tower, in flames and billowing dark black smoke into the beautiful clear blue sky from an apparent accidental impact, to the horrors of witnessing dozens of terrified and doomed people leaping to their sudden deaths; to the millions of hands cupped to their mouth’s and the simultaneous nationwide crying out of “No, No, No, No, No” as we all tried unsuccessfully to mentally will away and divert the second oncoming aircraft. The emotions, the fear, and the flowing tears switched into high gear in a purely instinctive fear-based primal survival mechanism as we witnessed on live television the second
airliner bank into the South Tower and erupt into a massive fireball, becoming aware knowing that this country was under an attack of profound magnitude and the persistent fear of not knowing what was yet to come. But the impacts were just the beginning. We had to witness the unprecedented collapse of two of the world’s tallest skyscrapers and a third by day’s end, not knowing how many people, and their selfless rescuers, had perished. We then learned that the Pentagon was attacked, and also that a passenger jet had crashed into a field in western Pennsylvania. The proper emotions are still indescribable. The collective conscience of the American people was filled anger, rage, and yes, even murderous revenge. It was the Pearl Harbor of the 21st Century.¹

How many times have we watched a big name magician and they amazed us with their fantastic illusions and slight of hand? Who can remember when renowned magician and illusionist David Copperfield made the Statue of Liberty disappear before a live audience during a broadcast special? How many times have we been amazed by the hyper-realism of Hollywood special effects on the movie screen, particularly scenes of massive destruction, and then even cheered at them? In a magic show, it’s all accomplished with a professional execution of sleight-of-hand, secret knowledge, and misdirection, in Hollywood special effects it is enabled by the magic of suspension of disbelief. In politics, it’s “shock and awe,” and sophisticated psyops and propaganda campaigns.

“...you don’t have anything to worry about -- third time I’ve said that. I’ll probably say it three more times. See, in my line of work you got to keep repeating things over and over and over again for the truth to sink in, to kind of...catapult the propaganda.” ~ President George W. Bush 5/24/2005. ²

The following information will attempt to shake your worldview to the core with its major and staggering implications. I encourage you to research further, fact-check, and check deeper into what I have put together from a variety of websites and resources. Don’t take my word or research for it, check it out for yourself. It is very challenging, critically urgent material, and it is nothing less than earth-shattering. Everything I am disclosing is documented in this paper, embedded as necessary. Any unfamiliar term can be entered into a Google search for deeper study. The arguments I present are put forward in the spirit of an honest search
for the truth, and not to disparage the lives of those lost – murdered, from the attacks - or to offend their survivors.

The Premise

The deliberate and planned mass-murder on 9/11 of over 3000 citizens and foreigners on United Airlines Flights 175 and 93, American Airlines Flights 77 and 11, the World Trade Center (WTC) 1 & 2 building strikes and collapses, and upon the Pentagon, was planned and executed by an internal cancer, a collection of mafia-like criminal elements within the U.S. government and within the military. The tally of the murdered dead does not include the 2000+ estimated U.S. troop deaths, 19,000+ casualties, and the estimated 2-3 million Iraqi and Afghani deaths from the wars that resulted from the 9/11 attacks, as well as the passing of draconian laws such as the Patriot Act, Real ID Act, and several others to curtail individual liberties and freedoms. In fact, every law, every major government and intelligence realignment, and the massive growth of intrusive government passed since 9/11, the illegal resource wars in Afghanistan and Iraq, have had as their fundamental justification and underpinning, the government deception of 9/11.

After reading this presentation, you may ultimately come to the conclusion(s) that I painfully have. You must remove the blinders forced upon you and join the growing chorus of citizen-patriots calling for nothing less than: treason charges, indictments for high crimes and misdemeanors, and impeachment for the current occupant of the office of the Presidency and members of his administration, and possibly several prior administrations. A massive scandal and Constitutional crisis exists in secret that dwarfs the shame of Nixon and the Watergate scandal.
Lessons of History and “Fool Me Once”

“In politics, nothing happens by accident. If it happens, you can bet it was planned that way” ~ Franklin D. Roosevelt

You may be saying to yourself that the U.S. government would never do anything so horrible to conspire and execute staged attacks upon its own citizens. On the contrary, governments throughout history have routinely conspired and acted with malice towards their own blinded populations, so don’t be too surprised. Consider these examples of governments conspiring to deceive, manipulate, and to act violently against its citizens. This list is necessarily lengthy to illustrate the wide range of activities and devious measures that the government will attempt:

- **The Reichstag Fire**: This example from pre-WW2 Germany is included as a template for the classic bait-and-switch false-flag operation and the application of the Hegelian dialectic. In 1933, the Reichstag, the legislative assembly of parliamentary government in Germany, was firebombed and set ablaze by stormtrooper elements of the Nazi Party (Goebbels & Göring) which then turned around and blamed the fire on the Communists and Jews. 4,000+ blameless Communists and Jews were arrested and scapegoated, many executed or sent to prison camps that foreshadowed the Holocaust.

  Show-trials followed, and as a result of the false terror, the Enabling Act (Patriot Act) was authorized and Hitler was then legally empowered and rose to dictatorial power through a perversion and manipulation of the democratic process by using fear as a political device and ally. The Night of the Long Knives then followed and many of the Nazi’s former supporters, the useful idiot’s, dupes, and many of the SA Brownshirt’s were executed, purged, or imprisoned, as well as other many political opponents and
potential rivals. It has been said before that “all revolutions eat their own young.”

- **Pearl Harbor**: President Franklin D. Roosevelt, according to the recently declassified (under a Freedom of Information Act inquiry) McCollum memo\(^8\), had an 8-step plan to force or entice the Japanese to attack the US including using an oil embargo against the Japanese.\(^9\) The U.S. military had also successfully cracked the Japanese military and diplomatic codes (MAGIC and PURPLE) with a high degree of success,\(^10\) and were able intercept and decipher the transmissions of plans.\(^11\) In his meticulously researched book *Day of Deceit*, Robert B. Stinnett states, "Seven Japanese naval broadcasts intercepted between Nov. 28 and Dec. 6 confirmed that Japan intended to start the war and that it would begin at Pearl Harbor."\(^12\)

Roosevelt also had radar coverage repositioned that would have alerted the Hawaiian Islands earlier. The Chief of Naval Operations issued, on the basis of an intercepted coded message of the Japanese intent of war, orders to allow unrestricted submarine and air warfare against Japanese forces.\(^13\) Roosevelt allowed the Dec. 7\(^{th}\) attack to proceed unimpeded resulting in 2400 U.S. deaths and heavy damage to the anchored battleship fleet. He desired to bring the U.S. into the war to fight the Germans in Europe, knowing that the mutual defense treaties between Japan and Germany would provide the perfect justification, and the resulting outrage of Pearl Harbor would force the U.S. to enter the war.

- **Atomic Soldier Tests**: *Operation Tumbler-Snapper*, *Operation Plumbbob*, *Upshot-Knothole*, *Buster-Jangle*, and several others, were among a series of 1940-1960’s Cold-War atmospheric atomic bomb experiments beginning with the 1941 Trinity test. U.S. Army
soldiers, sailors, and airmen took the testing grounds and conducted drills and maneuvers just after atomic devices were exploded, and were exposed to high levels of ionizing radiation at testing ranges in the Pacific and also in New Mexico and Nevada. Personal radiation exposure badges were primitive and imprecise and are now presumed to have led to overexposures. The soldiers and airmen flew testing and sampling aircraft, marched, and conducted simulated combat operations among the fallout and worked within the radioactive area of ground zero, without protective clothing or respiratory devices. U.S. military films show the troops within the shadow of the atomic mushroom cloud still rising in their very near vicinity, as well as being swept with fallout dust from the blast waves. Several blasts were conducted that exposed soldiers and airmen to heavy doses of dangerous ionizing radiation with the purpose to condition U.S. troops to the false security of atomic combat. After many decades of illnesses and cancer related deaths, these soldiers have yet to be fully compensated for their injuries. Disabled American Veterans National Commander Michael E. Dobmeier says: "Veterans exposed to ionizing radiation suffer debilitating illnesses and disabilities but are treated as second-class citizens by the federal government."

- **The Vietnam War:** Robert McNamara, U.S. Secretary of Defense under President’s Kennedy and Johnson admitted uncertainty as to whether the North Vietnamese ever attacked the U.S initially. Additionally, further substantive and credible evidence exists that the “attacks” on the destroyer USS Maddox were either faked, non-existent, or over-exaggerated. Flying protective fighter cover, squadron commander James Stockdale was one of the U.S. pilots flying overhead August 4. In the 1990’s, Admiral Stockdale, a “Hanoi Hilton” POW survivor, and recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor stated:
"[I] had the best seat in the house to watch that event, and our destroyers were just shooting at phantom targets -- there were no PT boats there. There was nothing there but black water and American fire power."18

These “attacks” formed the justification for Johnson to request the Gulf of Tonkin Resolution. In total, the Vietnam War cost 58,226 U.S. soldiers needlessly killed and 153,303 casualties suffered (and up to 3 million Vietnamese killed and injured). The Vietnam War also saw heavy use of chemical defoliants and Dioxin toxins in the massive spraying campaigns of Agent Orange, Agent Purple, and Agent Pink and resulted in untold thousands of birth defects and genetic damage. Up to 2.4 million people were exposed to Agent Orange and its various genetic damaging side effects.19

- **The Tuskegee Syphilis Study 1932-1972**: the secret infamous and heinous syphilis experiments of the disease’s painful progression (including many deaths) left untreated on 399 unwitting and uninformed poor blacks in Tuskegee, AL.20 President Clinton said in a public government apology to the surviving victims said:

  “The United States government did something that was wrong - deeply, profoundly, and morally wrong. It was an outrage to our commitment to integrity and equality for all our citizens. . . clearly racist.” ~ President Clinton's apology for the Tuskegee Syphilis Experiment to the eight remaining survivors, May 16, 1997

- **Biological Experiments**: The U.S. Government and military has conducted hundreds of biological experiments upon the unknowing public.21 In 1966, the U.S. Army secretly released a limited biological attack of a live Anthrax simulant organism *bacillus* into the New York subway system to measure its effectiveness and dispersal patterns.22 The government also released *bacillus globigii* secretly in May 1965 Washington National Airport and its Greyhound Bus terminal.
In *Project Whitecoat*, from 1954 to 1973 the U.S. Army (USARMIID, Ft. Detrick, Maryland) conducted experiments with live biological agents and vaccine testing on approximately 2300 religious conscientious objectors, exposing them to agents such as Q-fever and tularemia for weapons and countermeasures development. In 1950, San Francisco was the target of tests of an aerosol cocktail of biological agents dispensed by ship-based foggers. These secret experiments resulted in an outbreak in pneumonia and flu-like deaths and hospitalizations. Bubonic Plague was released in the 1950’s near Scotland. Over 239 open-air tests of live biological agents were performed near U.S cities. "Release in and near cities, in real-world circumstances, were considered essential to the program, because the effect of a built-up area on a biological agent cloud was unknown," Edward A. Miller, the Army’s secretary for research and development testified before a Senate sub-committee in 1977.

These types of air releases are still being conducted today, with the stated goals of determining drift patterns of chemicals or pathogens in U.S. cities in a mock attack. On August 8th, 2005 New York City was the site of a drill testing several chemicals in a gas overseen by the Dept. of Homeland security under the name Urban Dispersion Project.

- **Chemical Weapons Experiments**: The U.S. Government and military conducted numerous and extensive nerve gas and chemical weapons tests on thousands of human subjects, for example: *Project 112*, a series of tests named *Devils Hole 1-3*, *Big Tom*, *Rapid Tan 1-3*, and *Project Shad* (Shipboard Hazard and Defense). The experiments under *Project Shad* were performed covertly on uninformed and unprotected troops and sailors in the U.S. and also in the United Kingdom. In other secret experiments, the chemical agent BZ, a strong and long-term hallucinogenic, was sprayed onto U.S. troops in Vietnam, Hawaii, and other locations. This caused several instances of friendly-fire. LSD, VX, and Sarin nerve gases have also been used on troops to measure effects and exposure levels. These tests were often done without full disclosure and
informed consent, and even outright deception. To certain uncaring and unsympathetic elements within the government, U.S. troops are nothing more than cannon-fodder, lab-monkeys, and guinea pigs.

- **Secret Nuclear Experiments and Air Releases:** The U.S. government conducted numerous secret experiments ranging from individual human testing (injecting uranium and plutonium\(^{36}\) - Dr. Harold Hodge and Rochester, NY University) on unwitting subjects, to intentional atmospheric (beyond above ground atomic blasts) releases near or over cities and populated areas.\(^{37}\) A recent report from U.S. scientists indicated that over 11,000 citizens were killed as a result of radioactive fallout from U.S. atmospheric nuclear testing. Another hidden source of radioactive releases is the admitted 32 “broken arrows\(^{38}\)” of the U.S. military and also the several fires and accidents in atomic bomb manufacturing plants located around the U.S., such as the fire that broke out at the Rocky Flats plutonium trigger facility in 1957, near Denver and 600,000 people, that resulted in a massive release of highly toxic plutonium into the area.\(^{39}\) In the words of Sue Roff, a radiation researcher, “It is a horrific legacy.”

- **Project Sunshine** was a program where 1000’s of dead children and stillborn were used in top-secret atomic and radiological experiments, unknown to their parents. This is horrible betrayal is nothing but government sanctioned infant grave-robbing.\(^{40}\)

- **MKULTRA Mind Control:** Even more disturbing is the admittedly extensive and Mengele-esque CIA-operated MKULTRA, MKSEARCH, *Project Monarch*\(^{41}\), and *Project Bluebird* experiments for human mind-control and brain-washing, several involving child research subjects.\(^{42}\) The scope of the project was outlined in a memorandum dated January 1952 that ominously asked: "Can we get control of an individual to the point where he will do our bidding against his will and even against fundamental laws of nature such as self preservation?"\(^{43}\) The
horrific experiments actually resulted in Congressional Hearings upon disclosure of secret documents that survived an ordered destruction from agency leaders. Such despicable experiments form the basis of the “Manchurian Candidate.” It is naïve to assume that these types of experiments ended with Congressional disclosure.

- **Iraq Gulf War 1 and 2 and Depleted Uranium:** The misnamed 'depleted' uranium is left after enriched uranium is separated from natural uranium in order to produce fuel for nuclear reactors. During this process, the fissionable isotope Uranium 235 is separated from uranium. The remaining uranium, which is 99.8% uranium-238, is misleadingly called 'depleted uranium'. While the term 'depleted' implies it isn't particularly dangerous, in fact, this waste product of the nuclear industry is 'conveniently' disposed of by producing deadly weapons.

Depleted uranium is chemically toxic. It is an extremely dense, hard metal, and can cause chemical poisoning to the body in the same way as can lead or any other heavy metal. However, depleted uranium is also radiologically hazardous, as it spontaneously burns on impact, creating tiny aerosolised glass particles which are small enough to be inhaled. These uranium oxide particles emit all types of radiation, alpha, beta and gamma, and can be carried in the air over long distances. Depleted uranium has a half life of 4.5 billion years, and the presence of depleted uranium ceramic aerosols can pose a long term threat to human health and the environment.

Tens of thousands U.S. soldiers and hundreds of thousands of innocent Iraqi’s are being exposed continually to heavy metal and depleted uranium waste radiation and its residual DNA damage. This radiation exposure is resulting in massive rates of truly horrifying birth defects in Iraqi newborn
children, Gulf War Syndrome\textsuperscript{47} symptomology, cancers, leukemia’s, and other future side-effects yet to be seen in both soldiers and civilians.\textsuperscript{48} The birth defects and deformities are particularly horrifying and for reasons of reader sensitivity I have not included images of them here, but they are widely available online. The infants suffering from this genetic damage scarcely resemble human beings and they will disturb and haunt you.

During Gulf War 1, U.S. troops were exposed to downwind chemical and biological weapons debris from coalition air attacks. Experimental vaccines were also administered, many without prior human testing. Munitions with depleted uranium are turned into a fine dust after impacting their targets, or the ground.\textsuperscript{49} This radioactive dust then contaminates all is persistent with all that it comes into contact with. Clothing, personal equipment, living quarters, contaminated air is breathed into the lungs, food ingested. Protective clothing or gear is not the norm. In Gulf War 2, these depleted uranium munitions were used directly in the Iraqi cities, amidst civilian populations, and eventually, U.S. troops occupied and slept in the same areas they previously bombed. Military vehicles returning from Iraq to the U.S. are subjected to a thorough decontamination process, and higher ranking officers are rotated out of Iraq on a more frequent basis than the average soldier. Currently, the U.S. is fielding troops for second and third tours of duty in these radioactive zones.

According to the 2005 documentary of \textit{DU: Beyond Treason}\textsuperscript{50}, between the time of Gulf Wars 1 and 2, over 2700 tons of DU was used in Iraq. For comparison, 800 tons is equivalent to the atomicity of 41,000 Nagasaki bombs. In Iraq, three (3) times that amount has been used to create a nuclear wasteland. There is nothing “depleted” about U-238 waste at all. It is creating a nuclear waste-land and “dead-zone” on par with the Chernobyl accident.\textsuperscript{51} The background radiation in Baghdad is roughly 5 times the normal level – the equivalent of 3 chest X-rays per hour. Also
distressing, our soldiers aren’t being properly and fully informed of, and protected against, the dangers of DU. After Gulf War 1, and estimated 425,000 veterans have reported multiple illnesses and medical problems related to Gulf War Syndrome, and over 11,000 U.S. troops have died from mysteriously-caused illnesses and cancers since returning home from Gulf War 1. The U.S. Veteran’s Administration continues to deny a linkage.

- **Secret Sterilizations of 65,000 Women in the U.S.:** Recently revealed in 2005, from the early 1900s to the 1970s, some 65,000 poor, uneducated (primarily black men and women), were sterilized in this country, many without their knowledge, as part of a government eugenics program to keep so-called “undesirables” from reproducing.\(^{52}\)

- **U.S. FDA Promoting Pesticide Studies on Humans and on Prisoners:** Manufacturers would be allowed to test some pesticides on human volunteers when seeking government approval with-out applying all the ethical safeguards recommended last year by an advisory panel, under proposed rules soon to be issued by the Environmental Protection Agency.\(^{53}\) The rules would omit some provisions urged by the National Academy of Sciences last year that would have imposed more stringent limits on such studies. The agency would allow testing pesticides on humans to determine at what level they become toxic. This could include tests on prisoners even though they might be vulnerable to coercion.

Are you beginning to get the picture now? There is so much history that has been purposefully and intentionally withheld, and concealed from you. This is your loving, protecting government. It operates on the Machiavellian principle that the “ends justify the means.”\(^{54}\) It has your best interests at heart. Sure they do, why
wouldn’t they? Keep brushing with toothpaste laced with sodium fluoride, drinking chlorinated and fluoridated water. Enjoy the tasty aspartame, MSG, hydrolyzed proteins, and mercury-laden vaccines, genetically modified foods, terminator-hybridized crop seeds, cloned meats, rBGH hormone-affected milk, antibody and Mad-Cow disease tainted beef. There is nothing to see, we’re here to help, everything is alright, nothing whatsoever to worry about, now move along please, be a good citizen and don’t complain or question. Keep having blind, unquestioning faith in the government.

“Who controls the past, controls the future. Who controls the present, controls the past.” ~George Orwell
Historical Precedents for Staged Terror Attacks

All truth passes through three stages. First, it is ridiculed. Second, it is violently opposed. Third, it is accepted as being self-evident. ~ Arthur Schopenhauer

**Operation Northwoods:** in the 1962, the US military, with the authorization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and under the command of Army General Lyman L. Lemnitzer, insanely devised top-secret plans, among them included plans to:

- stage terror attacks in major US cities such as Washington, D.C., perform assassinations of Cuban émigrés, sink refugee ships, stage hijackings and/or aircraft destruction through remote detonation or shoot-downs;
- to stage attacks upon U.S. military assets like sinking a US warship, similar to what was done to the USS Maine in Havana Harbor before the Spanish American War;
- to make use of a possible disaster with Mercury Astronaut John Glenn’s orbital mission launch by faking or manufacturing the evidence to implicate Cuba, and to publish lists of fatalities in national newspapers to spark a wave of public indignation and anger – all to trick the US public into a war with Cuba. This is another classic example of the Hegelian Dialectic being attempted to bring the U.S. into military conflict and to deceive the American public into supporting a war they previously opposed.

James Bamford, a highly respected investigative historian, disclosed the long-lost documents of Operation Northwoods in his book *Body of Secrets: Anatomy of the Ultra-Secret National Security Agency*, also wrote for ABC News that:

“The Joint Chiefs of Staff drew up and approved plans for what may be the most corrupt plan ever created by the U.S. government. Although no one in Congress could have known at the time, Lemnitzer and the Joint Chiefs had quietly slipped over the edge. There really was a worry at the time about the military going off crazy and they did, but they never succeeded, but it wasn’t for lack of trying.”

**Operation Gladio:** was a decades long terror campaign orchestrated by the CIA, British MI6 Intelligence, and other NATO forces, later organized as P2OG (Proactive, Preemptive Operations Group), moved beyond just the planning stages and were actually implemented by “Left Behind” forces to stage assassinations, electoral sabotage, political repression, and bombing terror-attacks.
located in France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, Spain, and across Eastern Europe. Many operations were conducted that targeted innocent women and children civilians to raise public furor over the falsely blamed parties and to demonize the designated enemies. Many of these operatives were former German Nazi SS troops and officers. The U.S. field Manual FM-30 31B details methods for conducting a terror campaign in states that do not respond to possible “communist subversion.” The P2OG agitation and provocateur teams are sent in to stir up the hornets nest, create anger and violent reactions among local populations. They intentionally provoke the terrorist cells into committing a responding attack. Then, when the populations react, the governments that sent the P2OG can point to them and label them terrorists and take even harsher and repressive public actions against them. Gladio Operative Vincenzo Vinciguerra gave the sworn testimony in trial regarding the methods of persuasion:

“You had to attack civilians, the people, women, children, innocent people, unknown people far removed from any political game. The reason was quite simple: to force ... the public to turn to the state to ask for greater security.”

Neoconservative Empire-Building Motives – The Project for a New American Century, a Neoconservative think tank, prepared a policy document – a blueprint for a bloody Pax Americana - that outlined the desire for the U.S. to exploit its sole super-power status and to secure oil and mineral resources in the Middle East and Central Asia while denying opposing or rising world powers the ability to interfere. They specifically addressed a need for a new Pearl Harbor to create a desire in the public and the Congress as a focusing event:

“A transformation strategy that solely pursued capabilities for projecting force from the United States, for example, and sacrificed forward basing and presence, would be at odds with larger American policy goals and would trouble American allies. Further, the process of transformation, even if it brings revolutionary change, is likely to be a long one, absent some catastrophic and catalyzing event – like a new Pearl Harbor.”

Zbigniew Brzezinski, (former National Security Advisor to President Carter and Council of Foreign Relations member) also wrote in his book, The Grand Chessboard (1997) that only another Pearl Harbor could con the U.S. public into accepting an invasion of Central Asia:
"...as America becomes an increasingly multicultural society, it may find it more difficult to fashion a consensus on foreign policy issues, except in the circumstances of a truly massive and widely perceived direct external threat. Such a consensus generally existed during World War II and even during the Cold War...In the absence of a comparable external challenge, American society may find it much more difficult to reach agreement regarding foreign policies that cannot be directly related to central beliefs and widely shared cultural-ethnic sympathies and that still require an enduring and some times costly imperial engagement."64

The Neoconservatives warhawks include among their influential and current government members: Dick Cheney, Donald Rumsfeld, Jeanne Kirkpatrick, Paul Wolfowitz, Jeb Bush, Steve Forbes, Elliot Abrams, Richard Perle, and John Negroponte. They got their Pearl Harbor didn’t they? Within only one year of formulating and publishing their desires and their plans for Imperial American hegemony, the WTC towers, and the Pentagon were attacked – almost as if on cue.65 How incredibly fortuitous for the neocon’s that Osama bin Laden provided their needed and pined for pretext– or did he?

In light of these revelations, it is time to question whether the officially attributed sources of many of the terrorist attacks that were inflicted upon the nations of the world nations were actually done by those blamed, or were in fact, government state-sponsored terrorism.
Inconsistencies of 9/11 to the Official Story

Among the many significant and highly credible arguments contesting the government’s official story, I will mention just six to highlight my disbelief of the government and mainstream media’s version and proffer a more credible alternative to the official 9/11 storyline – controlled demolition.

Prior Knowledge of Attacks

The CIA is Wall Street. Wall Street is the CIA. ~ Michael Ruppert, Crossing the Rubicon

Chicago Board Options Exchange, Wall Street, and Put Options:

Immediately prior to the attacks of 9/11, there was an unusually heavy spike of 600% of 1575 put options on United Airlines, and 2,258 on United Airlines (compared to normal orders of 390 and 220 respectively), as well as on several stocks of the major insurance and financial tenants, such as Merrill-Lynch and Morgan Stanley in the WTC complex. Put options are highly leveraged bets that predict that the stock of the company will drop in value at a future date, and are considered as very risky. Investors could have made up to 30 times the investment, given the huge drop in values these stocks suffered.

These high volume, put options are statistically too precisely targeted on affected 9/11 businesses to account for random chance and luck. Only insider information can allow for such successful and strategic market bets. In fact, due to their success, the options were never claimed by the investors because they raised so many troubling red flags after the attack. Many of those put options were managed by the Wall Street firm Deutschebank/AB Brown, a firm managed until 1998 by the current Executive Director of the CIA, A.B. "Buzzy” Krongard. Lynne Howard, a spokeswoman for the Chicago Board Options Exchange (CBOE), stated that information about who made the trades was available immediately:
"We would have been aware of any unusual activity right away. It would have been triggered by any unusual volume. There is an automated system called 'blue sheeting,' or the CBOE Market Surveillance System, that everyone in the business knows about. It provides information on the trades - the name and even the Social Security number on an account - and these surveillance systems are set up specifically to look into insider trading. The system would look at the volume, and then a real person would take over and review it, going back in time and looking at other unusual activity."  

**Real-Time Monitoring of Financial Markets:** Additionally, these types of unusual stock market trans-actions are capable of being, and as a matter of procedure are, monitored in real-time by the CIA with a combination of technologies and AI (Artificial Intelligence) wrapped under the umbrella term of PROMIS software. Michael Ruppert, in *Crossing the Rubicon: The Decline of the American Empire at the End of the Age of Oil*, describes some of PROMIS data tracking and predicting abilities as follows:

> “PROMIS stands for Prosecutor’s Management Information System. The PROMIS-managed data could be anything from financial records of banking institutions to compilations of various records used to track the movement of terrorists. This is but the barest glimpse of what PROMIS can do. Mated with artificial intelligence it is capable of analyzing not only an individual’s, but also a community’s entire life, in real time. It is also capable of issuing warnings when irregularities appear and of predicting future movements based upon past behavior. PROMIS holds unique abilities to track terrorists.

> The software has also, according to numerous sources including Hamilton, been modified with artificial intelligence and developed in parallel for the world’s banking systems to track money movements, stock trades and other financial dealings. In the financial arena PROMIS is even more formidable. Not only is it capable of predicting movements in financial markets and tracking trades in real time. It has been reported, on a number of occasions, to have been used, via the "back door" to enter secret bank accounts, including accounts in Switzerland and then remove the money in those accounts without being traced.”

These unusual spikes in the stock markets should have immediately set off red-flags, heightened the alert status of, and scrambled into action, the intelligence community of this country measurably. Instead, they were ignored, or blocked, and with gross negligence. The FBI, CIA, Treasury, Secret Service, and the SEC can easily identify who placed those put options within minutes. Why haven’t they? Someone or a group of people with an insiders knowledge of the pending events profited off this tragedy, profited off the blood spilt on the sidewalks of New York, and from the mangled wreckage and bodies of the 3000 victims slaughtered. Why is this unique group of investors being protected and their
activities prior to 9/11 covered up? Compare this to the legal treatment and imprisonment Martha Stewart received for her inside information tip and sale of the stock ImClone Systems to avoid a stock loss of only $45,673.\textsuperscript{72}

**Tips to Privileged Individuals and Companies:** Several unbelievably fortunate individuals and tower tenants received extraordinarily and timely warnings prior to 9/11, changed their plans, and survived.\textsuperscript{73} Did Al-qaida take the extra time to call these lucky individuals to warn them? Does that sound plausible? The warnings included:

- Ariel Sharon was scheduled to give a presentation to Israeli support groups, cancelled his appearance one day before 9/11.\textsuperscript{74}
- San Francisco Mayor Willie Brown received a low-key warning 8 hours prior to his flight to avoid flights to New York the morning of 9/11.\textsuperscript{75}
- Odigo, a start-up Instant Messaging Company (with close ties to Israel), two hours before the attacks, workers received an anonymous text instant message warning. All company workers in the building were evacuated and survived the attacks and the building collapses.\textsuperscript{76}
- Salmon Rushdie, under constant Scotland Yard protection, was prevented from flying internally in the country beginning Sept 3\textsuperscript{rd}.\textsuperscript{77}
- Zim American Israeli Shipping Co. broke a tenant lease WTC in the days leading up to 9/11 and evacuated their offices on the 16\textsuperscript{th} and 17\textsuperscript{th} floors of the North Tower, owing nearly $50,000 in penalties to Silverstein Properties, WTC leaseholder.\textsuperscript{78}
- Senior Pentagon officials cancelled travel plans for 9/11 the night before the attacks after receiving a particularly urgent.\textsuperscript{79}

**Crimestop**

"The faculty of stopping short, as though by instinct, at the threshold of any dangerous thought. It includes the power of not grasping analogies, of failing to perceive logical errors, of misunderstanding the simplest arguments if they are inimical to Ingsoc, and of being bored or repelled by any train of thought which is capable of leading in a heretical direction. In short,...protective stupidity." - George Orwell (Nineteen Eighty Four)
The World Trade Center Attacks

“It’s easy to imagine an infinite number of situations where the government might legitimately give out false information. It’s an unfortunate reality that the issuance of incomplete information and even misinformation by government may sometimes be perceived as necessary to protect vital interests.” ~ U.S. Solicitor General Theodore Olson, wife Barbara was killed on 9/11

Unique Precedent: In over 100 years of steel frame architecture, fire has never brought down, before or after 9/11, a steel high rise building. On 9/11, the government supposes for you to believe that an unprecedented three happened on the very same day (two each within an hour of being hit), and with fires that were considered by firefighters as manageable and by building engineers to be very short in duration and of low intensity – cool fires, compared to other more serious high-rise fires, such as the 1991 One Meridian Plaza in Philadelphia, or the 2005 Windsor Building in Madrid Spain that were substantially longer in duration and with higher intensity heat that did not lead to collapse.80

The Official Theory for the Collapses: The official government theory for the two World Trade Center collapses is centered on the premise that: 1) the aircraft collisions damaged and weakened each structure, 2) that the jet fuel fed an raging inferno that created intensely high temperatures that further thermally weakened the already damaged steel columns (which may have also suffered damage to their fireproofing materials) and steel floor joists which, in turn, 3) caused the structure, the columns and steel trusses to collapse upon each other, in a massive and hyper-rapid chain reaction, known as the progressive or “pancake” theory.”81
**Introductory Physics and the WTC Fires:** To understand the absurdity of the government theory that the steel framed construction of the towers was weakened by a raging jet-fuel hydrocarbon fire, it is necessary to have a few basic scientific facts in hand. For a much more in-depth analysis of the shortcomings of the progressive theory, truss failure, and zipper theory collapses, I direct your attention to the invaluable resources online, which I draw heavily on here: [http://911research.wtc7.net/wtc/analysis/fires/index.html](http://911research.wtc7.net/wtc/analysis/fires/index.html).

Hydrocarbon based fires, which include kerosene-based aviation jet-fuel, do not burn at temperatures sufficient to weaken the grade of steel used in the WTC structures. The melting point of iron is 1538°C (2800°F), as structural steel is usually a composition of various metals and different carbon levels; the melting point of steel commonly used in building construction is 1510 degree C (2750°F). The maximum temperature of hydrocarbon fires burning in the atmosphere without pressurization or pre-heating (premixed fuel and air with blue flame) is about 800°C. Diffuse flames, such as those observed in WTC-1 and WTC-2, tend to be much cooler.

Another critical factor is the length of time for steel to be continuously heated to reach failure and load bearing capacity. Steel framed construction, even uninsulated framing radiates heat away through its columns and framing. The steel frame is essentially a thermal sink, and disperses the heat throughout the structure, and avoids concentrations that would allow the heat to build up to dangerous levels. A short duration of intense heat will not cause a steel frame to reach red-hot glowing temperatures, which would be visible even in daylight. As the jet fuel burned off, quite rapidly in fact, the heat would have diminished rapidly as well.

Another common factor in high rise fires is window breakage due to heat build-up. In typical fires the temperatures needed to be reached to cause this damage is usually around 600°C. In the World Trade Center fires, this type of damage was not observed (excluding the impact areas.)
Minimal and Short Duration Fires: On 9/11, most of the volatile jet fuel (essentially kerosene) from the 767 aircraft was burned off quickly, or consumed immediately by the impact fireballs, one of which primarily and spectacularly erupted on the outside of the building. Dr. Shyam Sunder, Lead Investigator of the Nations Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) said: "The jet fuel probably burned out in less than 10 minutes. And what did burn over the next hour, or hour and a half, was much of the contents of the buildings." Additionally, just minutes after the initial airliner impacts, dozens of still-doomed survivors were witnessed clinging to the openings of the impact areas, pleading for rescue, or planning to leap to their horrible deaths below. How hot could it have been if people were able to be in the open areas of the impact holes? Certainly not hot enough for them to grasp hold of the steel and aluminum beams, not hot enough or smoke-filled enough to cause them to succumb to heat related injuries or smoke inhalation. Certainly not hot enough to be melting the soles of their shoes on the same flooring that was supposedly heating to structural failure, and amid an alleged 10,000 gallons of burning aviation jet-fuel.

Most of the fuel that was feeding the smothered fire was burning was office materials and those materials tend to burn cool, and inefficient; the dark black
smoke color and venting patterns proves it. Kevin Ryan, a scientist for Underwriter Laboratory’s said that the WTC fires only reached a maximum of 250°C (500°F):

“Your comments suggest that the steel was probably exposed to temperatures of only about 500°F (250°C), which is what one might expect from a thermodynamic analysis of the situation. The buildings should have easily withstood the thermal stress caused by the burning jet fuel”, he said. “If steel did soften or melt, this was certainly not due to jet fuel fires of any kind, let alone the briefly burning fires in those towers. That fact should be of great concern to all Americans.

We know that the steel components were certified to ASTM E119. The time temperature curves for this standard require the samples to be exposed to temperatures around 2000°F for several hours. And as we all agree, the steel applied met those specifications. Additionally, I think we can all agree that even un-fireproofed steel will not melt until reaching red-hot temperatures of nearly 3000°F (2). Why Dr. Brown would imply that 2000°F would melt the high-grade steel used in those buildings makes no sense at all.”85

Kevin Ryan was fired immediately after filing that report. The fires were initially intense from the fireball, but then became very low intensity or smothered. This is demonstrated by the numerous images of survivors from the impact and burn-off that huddled near the gaping entry wounds of the aircraft, hoping and praying for rescue. Many leapt to their horrible deaths from those same openings.

F.D.N.Y Battalion Chief Brian Dixon gave a statement after the attacks confirming the lack of flames and raging fire in WTC-1:

“I’m looking at the tower, at one (WTC-1), and two (WTC-2) is set back. Obviously the south one is set back farther. I don’t recall a lot of flame from that vantage point, from looking up from the west side of West Street. People were standing out there. A lot of smoke drifting up, a lot of dark black smoke drifting up on tower one from the lowest floor of fire, obscuring the top somewhat. I didn’t see a lot of flame coming out of windows or anything.”86

How can they have been survived a government alleged 800°C-2000°C inferno that would have weakened code-certified steel, yet spared human flesh? The fires were suffocating themselves out, and dark black, sooty smoke was being vented, typical of a choking and inefficient fire. The images of the gaping wounds inflicted by the aircraft did not show any red or white hot steel glowing from raging fires. Firefighter radio communications just prior to the collapse also indicated that there was only minimal fires remaining, and that they believed they were
controllable. Seven minutes before the collapse, battalion Chief Palmer is heard to say over the radio: "Ladder 15, we've got two isolated pockets of fire. We should be able to knock it down with two lines. Radio that, 78th floor numerous 10-45 Code Ones. I'm still in boy stair 74th floor. No smoke or fire problems, walls are breached, so be careful." Chief Palmer called for a pair of engine companies to fight the fires. The fact that veteran firefighters, among the worlds most experienced in fighting skyscraper fires, and showed no signs of fear or panic, and they had a coherent plan for fighting the fires, contradicts the official explanation of the collapses that the fires were so hot and extensive that they weakened the steel structure. These are not the words some technician running simulations after the fact, this is direct eyewitness testimony, from the grave. It is not credible that the alleged “high heat” fire was ever widespread enough or ever approached temperatures capable of weakening the steel frames and support beams in the very short of time from the impacts to the collapses, each in less than 60 minutes.  

Additionally, the heat did not just concentrate in a few locations, it was wicked, or radiated away through the remaining steel columns, and the duration of the exposure of the steel columns, even the columns damaged and lacking protective coatings to high fire, was grossly insufficient to allow for a collapse according to the government excuse. Let’s look at some historical examples of truly intense fires in modern steel framed high-rises that did not lead to building collapses, even fires that led to complete burn through.

**Fire Comparison #1:** Windsor Building, Madrid Spain. The dramatic and towering 2005 fire that consumed the 32-story Windsor Building in Madrid, Spain is a very compelling counter-example. It burned for much longer, at much higher temperatures, and with more extensively distributed heat than the 9/11 World Trade Center fires did, and yet amazingly,
it did not collapse. The Windsor Building steel frame was still intact after being exposed to red to bright yellow hot flame for a long and intense burn for over 18+ hours. Fire color charts\textsuperscript{90} for steel heating indicate that the temperatures ranged from $745^\circ$C - $1080^\circ$C. It is also notable that the Madrid fire did not include jet fuel or other hydrocarbons as an accelerant or fuel source, yet produced a much hotter, intense, and longer duration fire than what was observed in WTC-1 and WTC-2. Examine the photos of the Windsor Building Madrid blaze, especially the burned out, and still standing, skeleton of the steel frame at the end of the blaze.
• **Fire Comparison #2:** Parque Central, Caracas, Venezuela. On Oct. 17, 2004 the 56-story, 730-foot office tower was struck by fire. The intense blaze began burned for more 17 hours and spread over 26 floors, reaching the roof. It did not collapse.\(^91\)

• **Fire Comparison #3:** One Meridian Plaza, Philadelphia, PA. On February 23, 1991 fire gutted eight floors of the 38-story modern steel framed skyscraper.\(^92\) The fire burned for 18 hours. The extreme heat caused window glass and frames to melt and concrete floor slabs and steel beams to buckle and sag dramatically. Large shards of window glass fell from the facade, cutting through fire hoses on the ground around the building. The fire would not yield and there were increasing concerns about the stability of the structure. Fire officials called off the attack and allowed the fire to "free burn," concentrating their efforts on containing the fire to this building. The building did not collapse and was eventually repaired.

• **Fire Comparison #4:** On May 4\(^{th}\), 1988 a fire broke out in the First Interstate Bank building that was called the worst high-rise fire in Los Angeles history.\(^93\) The building has a structural steel frame, applied thermal insulation and heat retardants. Steel floor plans with lightweight concrete were also in the design. The aggressive fire raged for 3 ½ hours and gutted and burned
through 4 floors of the 64 floor tower. There was massive glass breakage, with flames lapping 30’ up the outside faces, and there was nearly complete destruction of external curtain walls, spandrel panels, and mullions. After extinguishing the fire and several month of inspection, the First Interstate fire was described as “producing no damage to the main structural members.” The building construction was similar to the WTC complex, open-plan office space. The building was repaired and reoccupied months later.

**The South Tower:** The South Tower was the second of the WTC buildings hit in the attacks, yet it was the first one to fall, which is remarkable in itself. The South Tower was hit at 9:03 AM and collapsed at 9:59 AM, a total of 56 minutes. According to NIST scientific analysis, the fuel of the Boeing 767 burned off after at most 5-10 minutes. The aircraft hit off-center to the tower and most of the fuel load was ignited exterior of the building at impact in a dramatic fireball. If you notice from the photo, the floors were only damaged on one-half of the entire structure. The WTC building hit the last, with the least amount of fuel, and with less structural damage, fell first within 55 minutes. That is amazing in of itself. If the buildings were going to collapse according to the visible damage, the obvious weakest areas of the structure, you would have had the disastrous leaning collapse of the towers, not a perfect symmetrical vertical collapse into its own foot-print. But in fact, there was a leaning of the top 20 floors of the tower, of about 20 degrees
over the vertical axis of the building. As this section is now over open air, it should have come down independently from the remaining tower and left a gigantic cube-shaped pile of wreckage on the street below. But none was found; it broke apart and disintegrated in mid-air from unexplained forces. Explain to me the mechanism that can accomplish that feat that does not include high explosives in the scenario.

To illustrate this, consider an example of how a large tree is felled. The notch is cut in the tree and it tips and falls in the direction of least resistance. For the South Tower, the weakest area would have been the off-center impact area of the stricken super-structure. The weight of the upper floors, according to the official theory, should have caused a leaning collapse, not the vertical telescoping that was observed. The leaning collapse would have been event more destructive as debris would have rained down on a wider area and struck more buildings. The only known mechanism that allows for a near perfect vertical and symmetrical collapse is computer controlled demolition. Even earthquake damage is not as precise as what happened on 9/11 with the buildings.

**Free Fall Collapse and Demolition Squibs:** In condemning video footage, high velocity jets of firing demolition squibs can be seen erupting on the right side, and also from the direct front view of the camera. The falling of the building’s WTC 1-2 are nearly at vacuum free-fall speed, collapsing at 8.4 to 10 seconds, with nothing impeding the fall of thousands of tons of steel and concrete other than air. That scenario is impossible unless high explosive demolition and cutting of the supporting steel frame and columns simultaneously is allowed for in
the equation. Dr. Morgan Reynolds, Ph.D., a chief economist in the Department of Labor during President George W. Bush’s first term, says:

“There is special import in the fact of free-fall collapse...if only because everyone agrees that the towers fell at free-fall speed. This makes pancake collapse with one floor progressively falling onto the floor below an unattractive explanation. Progressive pancaking cannot happen at free-fall speed ("g" or 9.8 m/s²). Free-fall would require “pulling” or removing obstacles below before they could impede (slow) the acceleration of falling objects from above. Sequenced explosions, on the other hand, explain why the lower floors did not interfere with the progress of the falling objects above. The pancake theory fails this test.¹⁰³

Notice the high velocity jets appearing on the images. **Those are explosives, not energy from gravity.**

Even if you allow for the upper floor trusses to have collapsed from the heat damage, the remaining lower (and cool floors) would not have collapsed in the same manner at free-fall speed or with the massive conversion of concrete to dust-sized debris. The lower steel columns were unaffected by fire and should have given more resistance to the mechanical collapse, certainly greater than 10-15 seconds. The only method known for such a complete collapse that fits the time frame of free-fall speed of the top to bottom collapse, and the massive dust cloud dispersal pattern, is from high powered commercial demolition or military charges¹⁰⁴. In condemning video footage, demolition squibs can be seen erupting on the right side, and also from the front view of the camera.

Several NYFD firefighters also described the rapid-fire series of explosions they viewed and experienced as: “floor by floor it started popping out...it was almost as if it had detonators, as if they were planted to take down a building...boom, boom, boom, boom, boom ...all the way down”¹⁰⁵ as the cascade of charges were detonated. F.D.N.Y. firefighter and 9/11 hero Lou Cacchiloi stated:

“I somehow got into the stairwell and there were more people there. When I began to try and direct down, another huge explosion like the first one hits. This one hits about two minutes later, although it’s hard to tell, but I’m
Another firefighter repeated the claims of explosives detonating in a rhythmic series. Firefight Edward Cachia reported to his superiors after the attacks in the recently released interviews:

“As I’m standing with my officer, the people are continuing to jump. Ganci is still on the radio trying desperately to get some information concerning, this third plane in the air. As my officer and I were looking at the south tower, it just gave. It actually gave at a lower floor, not the floor where the plane hit, because we originally had thought there was like an internal detonation explosives because it went in succession, boom, boom, boom, boom, and then the tower came down. With that everybody was just stunned for a second or two, looking at the tower coming down. Then everybody started to turn towards the garage. That was it. We were just kind of blown into the garage with all the dust and the debris and material from the building. It came up rapidly right up the street.”

Numerous firefighters and F.D.N.Y. command officers reported in statements after the attacks that they witnessed explosive flashes, or heard sequenced and rhythmic detonations, or bombs. For a compilation of their statements released by the F.D.N.Y after court order to the 9/11 firefighter families on August 15th, 2005, see the addendum, with hyperlinks to their full statements. Whose version of events will you give more credence and weight to? Hero F.D.N.Y firefighters who endured and witnessed horrors we should pray we never witness, hero’s who risked their lives to climb the steps of the doomed buildings to rescue fleeing or trapped people, hero’s who lost their own that day? Hero’s who have nothing to gain or to lie or coverup for. Or, will you believe the professional politicians? The one’s who gave you the Downing Street Memo, the Niger uranium yellowcake lies, the Iraqi WMD lies. Will you believe the trained and experienced professional liars over the working class, blue-collar honesty of the F.D.N.Y firefighters?
Pancake Collapse and Material Ejection:
The official theories totally defy the known physics and engineering of how buildings collapse according to the “pancake theory.” Numerous demolition cutting squibs are seen discharging below the main thrusts of the collapse in the in video footage as the buildings are imploded. Massive amounts of heavy tonnage materials, and evenly sized steel columns are seen being violently discharged along a horizontal axis which can only be accomplished by high explosives because the latent potential mechanical/gravity energy of a building collapse is grossly insufficient to propel heavy steel support beams laterally or sideways hundreds of feet. New York Fire Department (F.D.N.Y.) Chief Frank Cruthers of Citywide Tour Command said in statements given after 9/11:

“There were some units there, along with a Battalion Chief and I gave them some instructions as to what to try to do. And while I was still in that immediate area, the south tower, 2 World Trade Center, there was what appeared to be at first an explosion. It appeared at the very top, simultaneously from all four sides, materials shot out horizontally. And then there seemed to be a momentary delay before you could see the beginning of the collapse. Some more debris came down, a little heavier but it didn’t seem to me at that particular point there was anything really heavy stuff.”

Concrete Powder Anomalies: In the process of the collapses, the concrete that was poured into floor pans was rendered to sub-100 micron sized dust (the consistency of talcum powder) before it reached the ground. Numerous published photos of the debris taken after the collapses on the ground show the dust coating every-thing for many square blocks, but very little large blocks of concrete. It is impossible for concrete to be reduced to dust of this size before impacting the ground and from mechanical collapse energy release alone. The concrete was rendered to dust...
while it was **still in the air**, even at the beginning of the collapse, where there was only a small amount of initial speed (maximum of 15-25 mph) and energy to contribute to the progressive collapse. Only the application of commercial or military-grade high explosives can explain this effect and result. No amount of mechanical or gravity energy will create powdered dust.\(^{110}\) Concrete only powders when exposed to a high energy compression wave from commercial high explosive demolitions or military explosives, not from free fall or “pancake collapse.” A concrete block dropped from 1300’ (the height of WTC-1 and WTC-2) would be broken, crushed, and fractured, and in many small pieces, but it would not be powdered. Brigadier General Benton K. Partin USAF (Ret.), a qualified expert of unparalleled credentials\(^{111}\) on high explosives with 31 active duty years in the Air Force and 25 years supervising research and development in virtually every non-nuclear Air Force weapons system speaking on high explosives and compression wave effects on building concrete indicates that only high explosives can reduce concrete to fine dust:

> “The detonation wave pressure (1,000,000 to 1,500,000 pounds per square inch) from a high detonation velocity contact explosive sweeps into the column as a wave of compressive deformation. Since the pressure in the wave of deformation far exceeds the yield strength of the concrete (about 3,500 pounds per square inch) by a factor of approximately 300, the concrete is turned into granular sand and dust until the wave dissipates to below the yield strength of the concrete.”\(^{112}\)

**WTC Basement Explosions:**

Multiple and simultaneous explosions were witnessed and felt in the sub-basements of the WTC 1 and 2 buildings by numerous credible people including WTC maintenance employees (9/11 hero William Rodriguez and also Jose Sanchez) when the aircraft hit the buildings, strongly contradicting the official story.\(^{113}\) Rodriguez says he felt explosions below him before he felt the impact vibration of the aircraft collision. He was located on sub-basement 1 of the North Tower. Rodriguez says:
“When I heard the sound of the explosion, the floor beneath my feet vibrated, the walls started cracking and it everything started shaking. Seconds after the first massive explosion below in the basement still rattled the floor, I hear another explosion from way above,” said Rodriguez. "Although I was unaware at the time, this was the airplane hitting the tower, it occurred moments after the first explosion. I know there were explosives placed below the trade center. I helped a man to safety who is living proof, living proof the government story is a lie and a cover-up.”

In the documentary video 9/11 Loose Change, many news reports and credible eyewitness testimony indicated several follow-up explosions that occurred within the towers after the impacts and just prior to the building collapses. Many New York firefighters also gave testimony in video and in radio broadcasts that they also felt secondary explosions occurring while they were conducting rescue operations. In recently released and redacted transcripts of radio communications, New York Firefighter Kirk Long, of Engine 1 reported in that he heard the North Tower shake and “thought a bomb had gone off in the lower basement.” MSNBC originally had that statement posted on its website, but later quietly removed the bombing reference. F.D.N.Y. deputy-Chief, Division 1 responded to the North Tower lobby and discovered:

“When we entered the lobby, there was a lot of damage in the lobby, broken glass, tiles dislodged and laying on the floor, you know, the decorative panels all around the walls. But it was rather calm in the lobby. Chief Pfeifer was in control. We responded in. We tried to gain control of the building systems, meaning the communications systems, the elevators. None of the building systems were working. The elevators were all out of service. The communication lines were not working.”

Michael Pecoraro, a World Trade Center Stationary Engineer, a hero who rescued and saved several hundred people from death or injury, was working on 9/11 on the 6th sub-basement floor when the first plane hit the tower. He recounted how multiple explosions rocked the floors underneath street level. He noticed the room he was working in was filling with white smoke that
smelled of kerosene. He and a co-worker ascended the stairs to a small machine shop, and found the room in ruins, with heavy tonnage equipment destroyed.

From an article in Chief Engineer, he offered this recollection:

“There was nothing but rubble. We’re talking about a 50 ton hydraulic press – gone! You could stand here,” he said, “and two inches over you couldn’t breathe. We couldn’t see through the smoke so we started screaming.” But there was still no answer. The two made their way to the parking garage, but found that it, too, was gone. “There were no walls, there was rubble on the floor, and you can’t see anything” he said. They decided to ascend two more levels to the building’s lobby.

As they ascended to the B Level, one floor above, they were astonished to see a steel and concrete fire door that weighed about 300 pounds, wrinkled up “like a piece of aluminum foil” and lying on the floor. “They got us again,” Mike told his co-worker, referring to the terrorist attack at the center in 1993.

Having been through that bombing, Mike recalled seeing similar things happen to the building’s structure. He was convinced a bomb had gone off in the building. “When I walked out into the lobby, it was incredible,” he recalled. “The whole lobby was soot and black, elevator doors were missing. The marble was missing off some of the walls. 20-foot section of marble, 20 by 10 foot sections of marble, gone from the walls”. The west windows were all gone. They were missing. These are tremendous windows. They were just gone. Broken glass everywhere, the revolving doors were all broken and their glass was gone. Every sprinkler head was going off. I am thinking to myself, how are these sprinkler heads going off? It takes a lot of heat to set off a sprinkler head. It never dawned on me that there was a giant fireball that came through the air of the lobby.”

Note that he was underground, below street level, when these explosions were felt. He later explains that he thought jet-fuel leaked down from the impacts, ignited to explosive combustion and caused the damage in the lobby. However, this last statement poses some problems.

Many responding F.D.N.Y. firefighters also reported hearing and feeling explosives detonating in the lower levels of the WTC. Fireman Richard Banaciski gave testimony in recently released reports about the explosions. He said:

“We were there, I don't know, maybe 10, 15 minutes and then I just remember there was just an explosion. It seemed like on television when they blow up these buildings. It seemed like it was going all the way around like a belt, all these explosions. Everybody just said run and we all turned around and we ran into the parking garage because that's basically where we were. Running forward would be running towards it. Not thinking that this building is coming down. We just thought there was going to be a big explosion; stuff was going to come down.”
**Logical Implications:** It is highly improbable that the initial aircraft collisions would cause an instantaneous cascade of massive explosions to reach down to the sub-basement floors hundreds of feet away, separated by millions of tons of steel and concrete floors. It is also unlikely that the alleged massive runoff of jet-fuel drained instantly and ignited in a perfect air-fuel mixture down the elevator shafts as was given as a possible explanation. Liquid fuel would still have taken 15-20 seconds reach the basement levels at freefall speed in an empty elevator shaft. But elevator shafts are not empty; they contain passenger or utility cars and would have slowed the fall of fuel to the lower levels. As was indicated earlier, most of the jet-fuel was consumed upon impact in the widely witnessed and filmed exterior fireballs. Experts have indicated that the jet-fuel only lasted 10-15 minutes of burn time due to its low flash point. If significantly less jet-fuel was available on the damaged impact floors to feed the fires because of a drainage of an unknown volume of liquid fuel to the sub-basements, it is thereby unlikely that the remaining jet-fuel on the upper floors could have ever caused high temperatures to build in such a very short period of time (less than 1 hour for each tower) or that those modest fires could weaken or melt steel, or drain to the lower floors and sub-basement floors, as the government contends. Burning fuel cannot be at two places at the same time.

Furthermore, since the towers were anchored at the base to the bedrock, the shaking caused by the crash would have been greatest close to the crash site, getting progressively weaker as it approached the rigid attachment at the bottom. Yet the underground damage he describes can not have been the result of a mere shaking - nothing short of an explosion could reduce the contents of a machine shop to rubble, prior to the building collapses.

Mr. Pecoraro said that he "later learned" that there had been an explosion caused by fuel pouring down an elevator shaft, but the lobby shows none of the soot or fuel residue we would expect from such an explosion. Instead we see blown-out
windows and a fine dry dust covering the entire lobby, very much the signature of high order explosives, especially composition C-4. Similar damage to the parking garages and sub-basements, which is also borne out by other witness statements, can only be explained by pre-placed explosive charges that were detonated at the moment of the plane's impact.

The only plausible explanation to reconcile both the credible witness testimony and also the physical evidence is pre-positioned high-explosive devices. This is very similar to the attack strategy on the WTC on Feb. 26, 1993 when truck bombs were placed in the parking garages of the buildings. In response to this attack, William Rodriguez has filed a civil RICO action lawsuit against President Bush and other high level members of his administration based upon prior knowledge of 9/11; knowingly failing to act, prevent or warn of 9/11; and the ongoing obstruction of justice by covering up the truth of 9/11; all in violation of the laws of the United States. In a candid statement, the President of Controlled Demolition, Inc., Mark Loizeaux says: “If I were to bring the towers down, I would put explosives in the basement to get the weight of the building to help collapse the structure.”

"The world is a dangerous place to live; not because of the people who are evil, but because of the people who don’t do anything about it." ~ Albert Einstein

![Computer Firing Controls for Demolition Charges](https://example.com/image)
The Pentagon Attack – the Stand-Down


The Pentagon is the headquarters for the entire U.S. military, and is among the most heavily defended military installations in the world with: multiple on-site ground-to-air missile defense batteries with “Friend or Foe” identification, several layers of civilian and military radar coverage, and a nearby Air Force base with 2 fighter squadrons. The Pentagon and those in command allowed a known air threat to attack it and hit it, just coincidentally on its recently blast reinforced and least populated side. There are several arguments to contradict the official story and they raise several important and disturbing questions.

- **The Incompetent Pilot**: The alleged pilots, among them a Saudi named Hani Hanjour, had never before flown a jet aircraft, lacked an instrument rating, barely spoke the English language, was considered so incompetent by his flight trainers that he was denied the ability to rent a simple single engine propeller aircraft, and lastly, flight instructors refused to train or fly with him. He could barely drive an automobile.

This poorly-rated, inexperienced and basic pilot trainee, according to the official version, allegedly performed a high G-Force maneuver of such extreme difficulty that most experienced and professional commercial airline pilots and military pilots would have
had difficulty executing. The maneuver Hanjour miraculously performed was a 270° spiral turn at 600 mph while also executing a descent of 7000 feet in 2 minutes performed in a multi-engine commercial 100 ton Boeing 757-200 jet aircraft flying in final approach to impact the Pentagon just inches off the ground.\(^\text{122}\) This poorly educated Saudi, barely speaking English, and barely capable of driving a car, pulled off the flight of a Top Gun pilot? It is not even remotely credible that this person was the pilot for the Pentagon attack. Could a medical student gain experience and perform a flawless open heart surgery just by playing a PC simulator? Could someone barely able to make coherent sand-castles build the Golden Gate Bridge?

- **Suppressed Video Evidence:** Video footage of the attack is being totally suppressed except for cherry-picked and edited snippets consisting of 5-6 frames from a single poorly positioned camera that are very blurry and inconclusive as to the content. None of the frames of film released show definitively a 100-ton Boeing 757 in the view. There were multiple camera positions on the roof of the Pentagon in the area that survived the attack, but that footage is being tightly suppressed.

Furthermore, it is well known that the FBI has in its toolbox, highly sophisticated image enhancement programs, but it failed to apply them to the released footage. Lastly, among it’s first actions in response to the attack on the Pentagon, the FBI immediately reacted by seizing all area video footage from nearby businesses such as the nearby Sheraton hotel, the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) highway cameras, and
the Pentagon’s on-property Citgo gasoline station. The U.S. government is determined to withhold these videos for what purpose? It is not acting like a party with nothing to hide.

If the video captured by the camera seized by the FBI supported the U.S. position then the footage would be more fully released and with more detail and clarity. The government is fully aware that many people doubt the official version of the story and could easily put those concerns to rest by releasing more film, or the films of the local Sheraton Hotel, Virginia DOT highway camera videos, or the gasoline station close to the Pentagon. Apparently, from the suspicious manner of the government’s actions, the video does not tend to support the official story, and hence is suppressed. The world desperately awaits the leak of the equivalent of the JFK Zapruder film for 9/11.

- **Andrews Air Force Base (AFB):** Finally, the home base of Air Force One, the President’s pair of nuclear hardened Boeing 747-200B’s, has two squadrons of fighters that were not used to defend Washington D.C. until it was too late. Why? Andrews AFB is only about 10 miles away from the Pentagon and Washington, D.C. Instead of scrambling directly from Andrews AFB, fighters were scrambled from Langley, VA which is 129 miles away. Furthermore, the attack and collision was allowed nearly 40 minutes **AFTER** it was widely known that hijacked aircraft were being used as weapons and after both WTC-1 & 2 collisions.

1. **Official Denial of Fighter Squadrons:** It was originally claimed that there weren’t fighter aircraft assigned to Andrews AFB. At the same time, media sources were also claiming that fighters were assigned to Andrews AFB, but that no intercepts were scrambled because the fighters were not on alert. NORAD commander Major General Larry Arnold has said, "We [didn't] have any aircraft on alert at Andrews."
2. **Truth Exposed:** Andrews AFB, home of Air Force One, hosts two 'combat-ready' squadrons: the 121st Fighter Squadron (F-16 Falcons) of the 113th Fighter wing (D.C. Air National Guard), and the 321st Marine Fighter Attack Squadron (FA-18 Hornets) of the 49th Marine Air Group.\(^{127}\)

3. **Fastest Response:** Scramble times for the fighter aircraft on the deck to takeoff is approximately 2-5 minutes. The flight time to Washington from Andrews AFB is <1 minute. The Pentagon was hit 1:29 hours into the crisis.\(^{128}\) There is no excuse for this incompetence or criminally gross negligence.

4. **The Shameful Cover-up:** Just before 9/11 the Andrews AFB Website *used* to directly link to the official US Air Force webpage devoted to the 113th Fighter Wing of the DC Air National Guard. The existence of those pages contradicted media and military official claims that there were no combat-ready fighter jets at Andrews. The Andrews AFB Website was taken offline sometime around 9/11, and when it came back online in November 2001, the link to these pages was broken. The pre-9/11 mission statement of the D.C. ANG had been removed, which had a statement of its mission: "To provide combat units in the highest possible state of readiness."\(^{129}\)

The military command left capable and ready fighters sitting on the Andrews AFB tarmac. The military consciously and willfully withheld locally based fighter aircraft from patrols over Washington D.C when it would have been painfully obvious that the Nation’s capitol was an active target. On its face, this smells like a cover-up! Then, Andrews AFB redesigned its website to obscure, hide, and downplay its local fighter wings.\(^{130}\)

Think about it. Would the home airfield of Air Force One, which is the Airborne Command Headquarters and Control Aircraft of the U.S. military and primary
Presidential emergency aircraft in the event of a nuclear attack, be left utterly defenseless except for transport and heavy lift aircraft escorts? Absolutely not. That argument by the U.S. is not in the least credible.

**The Lack of Punishment or Disciplinary Action:** At least after the December 7, 1941 Japanese "sneak" attack at Pearl Harbor, Admirals and other officers were punished, stripped of command, reassigned, or demoted. In a stunning contrast, after 9/11, Richard Myers, then the senior Air Force General, and only empowered as the acting Chairman of the Joint Chiefs at the time, and on-duty during the crisis, was fully promoted to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff of the United States Armed Forces in October 2001. 131 This is how incompetence is rewarded?

In fact, nobody in the U.S. military, or in the FAA, was punished or received any disciplinary action for their catastrophic failures, massive incompetence, and gross negligence in leaving Washington, D.C. and the Pentagon, without air cover and for allowing multiple attacks to succeed in hitting their targets. Not one case of criminal negligence, termination, demotion, reprimand, or administrative action. Not even a slap on the wrist. Senator Mark Dayton (D-MN) publicly rebuked and excoriated NORAD for lying to Congress, and to the American people during the 9/11 Commission hearings. Dayton said that NORAD officials:

"[NORAD] lied to the American people, they lied to Congress and they lied to your 9/11 commission to create a false impression of competence, communication and protection of the American people. And we can set up all the oversight possible at great additional cost to the American taxpayers and it won’t be worth an Enron pension if the people responsible lie to us; if they take the records and doctor them into falsehoods, and if they get away with it. For almost three years now NORAD officials and FAA officials have been able to hide their critical failures that left this country defenseless during two of the worst hours in our history."

He further told Kean and Hamilton that if the commission's report is correct, President Bush "should fire whoever at FAA, at NORAD ... betrayed their public
trust by not telling us the truth." This lack of proper meting of discipline, even within the ranks of the military, utterly shocks the conscience.

The Military Stand-down and Simultaneous Exercises: The military was effectively neutralized from reacting by the numerous exercises being conducted simultaneously on 9/11 at the SAME TIME as the attacks, one of which actually included the scenarios of hijackings and aircraft attacking the WTC and the Pentagon – what are the odds of that being unrelated? The drills also involved inserting numerous false radar signatures into the systems. As a result, the intercepting pilots couldn’t distinguish the real targets from the exercise ghosts, unless they made visual contact. That wasted critically valuable time as the fighter pilots chased radar ghosts and effectively hobbled the air response.

The exercises that effectively "stood down" the military by the Air Force and other agencies such as FEMA were called: Vigilant Guardian (Joint Chiefs), Vigilant Warrior (NORAD), Northern Vigilance, Northern Guardian, and Tripod 2 (FEMA and New York Port Authority). Air Traffic Controller conversations were heard that indicated they were confused if the attacks were real or as part of the scheduled drills and exercises. Only one exercise, Vigilant Guardian, was discussed in the 9/11 Commission report, the others were omitted.

The multiple simultaneous and matching scenario exercises provide excellent operational cover: if something goes wrong in the operation of the real attack, it can be cancelled, and any discovery of it from electronic chatter, radar displays, or other attributes, can be explained away to inquiries or investigations as part of the simulation drills and exercises. The overlapping exercises created the operational plausible deniability, or the “fog of war.”

Doublethink:

*His mind slid away into the labyrinthine world of doublethink. To know and not to know, to be conscious of complete truthfulness while telling carefully constructed lies, to hold simultaneously two opinions which canceled out, knowing them to be contradictory and believing in both of them, to use logic against logic, to repudiate morality while laying claim to it, to believe that democracy was impossible and that the Party was the guardian of democracy, to forget, whatever it was necessary to forget, then to draw it back into memory again at the moment when it was needed, and then promptly to forget it again,*
and above all, to apply the same process to the process itself -- that was the ultimate subtlety: consciously to induce unconsciousness, and then, once again, to become unconscious of the act of hypnosis you had just performed. Even to understand the word "doublethink" involved the use of doublethink. - George Orwell (Nineteen Eighty Four)
WTC Building 7: The Achilles Heel

"The greatest trick the devil ever played was convincing us that he didn't exist."
~ Keyser Soze, The Usual Suspects

"For the third time today, it’s reminiscent of those pictures we’ve all seen too much on television before when a building was deliberately destroyed by well placed dynamite to knock it down." - Dan Rather, CBS News (09/11/01)

If it looks like a duck, quacks like a duck, walks like a duck...it must be a duck.

The Controlled Demolition of WTC-7 is the Smoking Gun for exposing the government’s complicity and criminality on 9/11. You only have to go as far as looking at the collapse of WTC-7 to demonstrate conclusively that the WTC complex was intentionally and criminally brought down by a pre-planned operation that had nothing to do with Al-qaida. The 9/11 Commission Report (as well as mainstream media and news agencies) virtually ignored and purposefully avoided and minimized discussing this building’s collapse in its “Official Report.” Out of 585 pages, the words and terms “WTC-7” or “Building 7” are mentioned not even once. It is like the collapse of a 47 story building never even happened. This omission screams for WHY? The mainstream media has also avoided the controversy of the collapse of WTC-7. Why? Their deafening silence is evidence of a post event cover-up.

Accidental Confession of Demolition: In the 2002 PBS documentary titled “America Rebuilds,” the WTC leaseholder Larry Silverstein made a Freudian slip and said that he ordered the building "pulled,” which is an industry term for a controlled demolition with explosives. Larry Silverstein, the WTC Leaseholder stated:

“I remember getting a call from the, er, fire department commander, telling me that they were not sure they were gonna be able to contain the fire, and I said, "We've had such terrible loss of life, maybe the smartest thing to do is pull it. And they made that decision to pull and we watched the building collapse."

Moments later in the film, a demolition worker uses the same term “pull,” when he, in the same context, discusses triggering the implosion of the damaged building WTC-6. Evidence of the customary usage of “pull” as an industry used term comes from the very same company that managed the clean-up of the WTC attacks, as well as the cleanup of the Oklahoma City
Murrah Federal Building attacks, Controlled Demolition, Inc. From their website, the term “pull” refers to controlled demolition.\textsuperscript{139}

An experienced demolition team cannot place charges in a burning and smoke-filled building of 47 stories, let alone in an unfamiliar structure in a few hours notice, and then have it collapse in a textbook implosion into its own footprint...it’s impossible. It’s utterly unbelievable. The charges had to be placed before hand.\textsuperscript{140}

Silverstein’s shocking (and profoundly stupid) admission was never the subject of any proper inquiry during the 9/11 Commission’s investigation, and he has not given any follow-up comment regarding it. Silverstein’s name, as the principle leaseholder for the World Trade Center Complex, appears only twice in the entire 9/11 Commission Report, and not in any reference to the admission in the documentary.\textsuperscript{141} His admission of ordering the controlled demolition of WTC-7 should have been immediately followed up by law enforcement or by the 9/11 Commission if there truly was a thorough, “leave no stone unturned” investigation, and is by itself, solely sufficient for indictment. Why has there not been any official inquiry to this strange statement? Why haven’t the insurance companies that paid out his claim raised any questions or done their own independent investigations? At the least, this is prima facie indicative of criminal insurance fraud, in the worst-case scenario; it is evidence of a massive huge and evil conspiracy.

**The WTC-7 Collapse Defies Logical Explanation:**

- **Not Hit by an Aircraft:** The WTC-7 building was **NOT** hit by an aircraft and the debris impact from WTC-1 and WTC-2 collapses was relatively minimal, especially when compared to other buildings that were closer to WTC-1 and WTC-2, yet we are expected to believe that such light damage and limited fires would be sufficient enough to bring down the 47-story steel high-rise, where none have ever collapsed before or since 9/11, let alone in the visible case of a perfect textbook implosion.
• **Location Problems:** The WTC-7 building was not even on the same city block as the main WTC complex and not as close to the WTC-1 and WTC-2 as other structures (that did not collapse) were. Building 7 was approximately 300’ away from the nearest tower.\(^{142}\) Other buildings closer to the WTC buildings 1 and 2, such as Bankers Trust Building, the Verizon Building, and WTC-6 received much more extensive damage, yet they did not fall. The only connection to the collapses of all 3 buildings is that they all were owned by Silverstein Properties and were over-insured for billions of dollars, despite having low tenancy rates, just prior to the attacks.\(^ {143}\)

• **Minimal Fires:** Compare the intensity of the fires from WTC-7 to the photos previously shown of the Madrid Windsor Building Fire or the other high-rise fires. The measly fires of WTC-7, while obviously problematic, were not strong enough to bring down a 47-story steel high rise, in a perfect symmetrical and vertical collapse. There is little to no fire caused broken glass, or other external façade damage, which is always characteristic of high intensity fires, the color of the smoke is light gray, to almost dark black, further indicative of weak and inefficient fires.
**Video Evidence of Demolition Charges:** In the televised video footage of the collapse of WTC-7 you can observe the classic “pinch” in the top and center of the building as the center support structure is demolished, followed by a near perfect vertical drop of the building straight down. It is a textbook example of controlled demolition. Furthermore, condemning video footage of WTC-7, taken immediately prior to its collapse, solidly reveal squib charges firing in a sequence of detonations traveling up the edge of WTC-7. Click the image to view the video. The cutting charges rapidly travel upwards and then smoke is seen at the top of building near an upraised area just before the building collapses. This is not a random collapse from a fire; this is classic textbook demolition work. Click the image to view online the firing sequence.

Thomas McCarthy, a Chief in F.D.N.Y, gave a statement regarding hearing repeated and steady blasts while he was at the WTC-7. He said to an interviewer for the F.D.N.Y:

A. “So at that point we were a little leery about how the bridge was tied in, so no one was really going onto it, and then they were also saying 7 was going to come down. They chased everyone off the block.

Q. You said before, Chief. That you heard bullets going off. Approximately how many did you hear?

A. Oh, it was like it was just constant. Constant. Whatever, I guess there were packages or something, and as they heated up, they were just pop, pop, pop, pop, pop, pop. They were going off like at a steady rate.”

**Comparisons to other Demolition Events:** There are several common factors for determining if a building collapse is the result of a controlled demolition event. Dr. David Ray Griffin Ph.D., writing in the 9/11 Commission Report: Omissions and Distortions, p.26 indicates these identifying criteria:

- Each WTC building collapsed at near free fall speed.
- Each building collapsed symmetrically straight down, into its own footprint.
• Virtually all of the building concrete was reduced to a fine dust.
• In the case of the Twin Towers, dust was blown horizontally outward for 200 feet or more.  
• The collapses were total, leaving no steel columns sticking up hundreds of feet into the air.
• Videos of the collapses reveal “demolition waves” or “confluent rows of small explosions.”
• Most of the steel beams and supports came down in sections that were no larger than 30 feet long.  
• Witnesses on the ground and in the buildings reported explosions occurring within the buildings. Each collapse was associated with seismic vibrations detected on Richter scales suggestive of underground explosions.
• Each collapse produced underground areas of molten steel – up to 1400 degrees (much hotter than a smothered, oxygen-deprived hydrocarbon-based fire could produce), the temperature aluminum melts, commonly produced by explosives – resulting in intense hotspots (despite massive efforts at extinguishing the fires with water and high-tech chemical methods) that remained for months, despite constant water and coolant application by clean-up teams. Such hot temperatures are not characteristic of non-explosive collapses, only high-explosives like C-4 or thermite account for such high residual heat. Thermite doesn’t explode rapidly like C-4 or other demolition explosives. The mixture of aluminum powder and iron oxide burns only moderately fast, giving off heat well in excess of that required to melt steel. What’s more, it creates its own oxygen supply by consuming the
iron oxide and thus is the only thing that can account for the immense heat that was being generated for days in the aftermath of the fall of both towers.\textsuperscript{151}

- Traditional Demolition with Explosives often produces a noticeable kink in the building structure as the central core is demolished with cutting charges, and the outer walls fall inwards to the center, preventing or minimizing the damage to surrounding buildings. Additionally, eruptions of smoke and debris from the base of the building and streams of smoke from cutting charges are often seen in classic demolition video footage.
Critical Decision Time: For a moment, imagine that you are seated on a U.S. Federal Grand Jury panel. The mountain of evidence is overwhelming, persuasive, and very compelling. You are presented with three choices, one being the official theory promulgated by the government, that the building fell due to a combination of fire damage and structural damage from WTC-1 and WTC-2 collapses. The first scenario is dismissed due to the characteristics of minimal fires observed, minimal collateral impact damage compared to other affected buildings, extremely credible direct witness statements of explosives detonating, and the blundering confession of the primary leaseholder of ordering the “pulling” of the building.

Another second scenario is presented by Larry Silverstein’s PBS documentary admission about “pulling” the building. The theory is that the F.D.N.Y. has a crack team of elite building demolition experts that can wire an unfamiliar building, currently on fire and smoke filled, in the midst of a national emergency and military crisis, in the midst of hundreds of thousands of tons of debris from WTC-1 and WTC-2 scattered around. The theory also presumes that this team would also giving up pursuing search and rescue operations, including searching for their own brother firefighters, and then, surrounded with all the chaos of the debris, broken bodies and parts strewn around, unrecognizable remains from panic stricken building jumpers, power outages, and ruined firefighting support gear, and physically affected by exhaustion, shock, and also by thick clouds of choking smoke, soot, and hazardous dust, they would carefully and quickly implode the building to the highest degree of precision to fit perfectly into its own footprint...all within a few minutes or hours notice, and all at the request of some civilian building landlord. Both of these scenarios are ludicrous and fully disingenuous.

Under normal conditions, demolishing a building with explosives is a very hazardous, technical, and highly precise process which takes veteran industry professionals, at a minimum, several weeks, and up to a few months to plan, seek government approval, wire and position charges, and then execute the demolition
for a large steel framed building – *in an already gutted and prepared building*. It is completely unconscionable to believe that this crack team of the F.D.N.Y. would immediately stop all their rescue efforts with thousands of victims and casualties, crushed, dismembered, and torn bodies, including their own brother firefighters; or you must accept that the building was *pre-planned* to be destroyed and wired with high-explosives PRIOR to the 9/11 attack. Any other theory but the latter is absurd to the most extreme.

If you conclude alternatively that WTC-7 was a controlled demolition, then you have to ask several painful questions:

- Why was demolition explosives placed throughout the building in the first place?
- Is it common for high rise buildings to be pre-wired to aid in their eventual destruction? If so, why weren’t the building tenants and employees informed that their workplace was wired for demolition? Are other New York buildings currently pre-wired for controlled demolition?
- Why did the building have to be hurriedly and needlessly demolished at Silverstein’s orders on the same day as WTC-1 and WTC-2 if they were truly unrelated events? WTC-7 tenants included at the time: Securities and Exchange Commission, the FBI, the CIA, the Secret Service, and the New York Crisis Response Command Center. The heavily damaged WTC-6 was not pulled the same day as the other building collapses? WTC-6 was officially demolished with explosives several months afterwards. Why couldn’t the demolition WTC-7 wait until search and rescue operations were complete? What was the urgency?
- Did the Twin Towers fall in a manner consistent with the collapse of WTC-7, and if they did, is it consistent with controlled demolition based on the evidence presented and also from the witness statements of many (heroic and beyond reproach) firefighters and also upon Silverstein’s own admission of “pulling” WTC-7?
• Could Osama bin Laden, a leading member of the bin Laden family, a leading Saudi family with long and close financial ties to the Bush family through Haliburton, the Carlyle Group, and others, direct an operation from a remote mountain cave in Afghanistan? Why were bin Laden family members secretly shepherded out of the country during the FAA no-flight period just after 9/11 without interrogating them about their brother or his possible whereabouts?

• Can an Al-qaida cell consisting of a rag-tag team of 19 members wire three high-rise buildings, a total of 267 floors, with enough high explosives without being detected and no prior experience or training? While also planning and training for aircraft hijackings?

• Would Al-qaida send out numerous warnings to people and companies (including two Israeli owned businesses), advising them not to fly that day or to evacuate the WTC buildings before the attacks?

• Could Al-qaida effectively cause the U.S. military to stand-down, be dumbfounded, or know of the five simultaneous military drills that were occurring that morning? Could Al—qaida prevent the Pentagon missile batteries from engaging the aircraft while over Washington D.C.? Could Al-qaida prevent the White House missile batteries from engaging the attacking aircraft?

• Could Al-qaida know that the ANG fighter wings from Andrews would not be used to defend Washington D.C.? Could Al-qaida keep the U.S. fighters from using their top speeds to intercept suspect aircraft?

• Could Al-qaida schedule a large scale FEMA drill in New York City conveniently to begin on 9/12?

• Why were all of the aircraft involved in the attacks only filled with 20% of capacity of passengers on flights that are normally filled at a minimum of 80% capacity?
• Why was Flight 93 shot down only after the passengers recovered control of the aircraft; was it likely that Flight 93 was headed towards and assigned to target the White House or the Capital Building (loaded with Congressmen and Senators); was Flight 93 shot down to prevent any official questioning of the hijackers who seized the aircraft after the passengers wrestled control away from them? Why was the wreckage of Flight 93 spread out over so large a distance, in some instances several miles from the impact site? Why was there so little aircraft debris; insufficient to account for the mass of a commercial jetliner?

• Did the government or military purposefully withhold fighter protection or willfully create the massive confusion caused by the exercises and drills to allow the aircraft to strike the buildings and then lie to the American people and coverup the real cause of the attacks and the collapses?

• Why has the mainstream media and news outlets been in full dereliction of their duty as watch-dogs on the government by not investigating the attacks deeper beyond the whitewash of the 9/11 Commission and in full mouthpiece mode for the government?

The answers are dreadfully and horrifically obvious. You now know in your heart, in your bones, and in your soul the evil and heinous truth. Criminal elements, entrenched within and occupying key positions of influence and power in the U.S. government and military, orchestrated the entire event for reasons of a pretext to deceive and shock the public into a state of fear. This mafia manipulated the visceral emotions of the trauma of 9/11 for malevolent political and economic gain, and also to railroad and buffalo the public through the false promise of security and protection into accepting the multitude of events and laws that have transpired since 9/11, such as the draconian Patriot Act, Homeland Security, Real ID Act, the Afghan and Iraq wars. There is also another possible reason for 9/11, an even uglier and treasonous possibility, a possible coup d’état and the decapitation of the Congress to lead directly to an imposition of martial law. You have to assume the very worst from this attack from within, for the stakes of failure and of being discovered were too big. If the elements were going to go as
far as this attack was planned for, then you have to assume that they were going for full seizure of the government.

If you accept the later, and more plausible explanation, then the ENTIRE government official theory of 9/11 turns on its head and collapses upon itself, and you have to point the inquiry inwards to U.S. complicity. It’s an all or nothing proposition. Do you now see why WTC-7 is the keystone to the argument? Do you see now why the 9/11 Commission didn’t even make mention of it in its 2004 report? If you have any doubts whatsoever about the real cause of the collapse of WTC-7, then it immediately casts doubt and suspicion upon the government explanation of the causes of the rest of the events of 9/11.
The 9/11 Omission Report – Follow the Money

“It leads everywhere. Get out your notebook. There’s more. Forget the myths the media’s created about the White House. The truth is, these are not very bright guys, and things got out of hand. In a conspiracy like this, you build from the outer edges and go step by step. You tell me what you know, and I’ll confirm. I’ll keep you in the right direction if I can, but that’s all. Just... follow the money”.
~ Deep Throat, All the President’s Men.

There are so many numerous and serious objections to the 9/11 Commission Report that I will not cover them in this paper, but if you are interested in a very thorough and scathing critique, I highly recommend the new book by Dr. David Ray Griffin, The 9/11 Commission Report: Omissions and Distortions. Griffin has further written a follow-up analysis that provides 115 harsh objections to the report.152

One key indicator how serious the 9/11 Commission was performing its duties is a cost comparison of the 9/11 Kean Commission to other large-scale disaster investigations and scandal inquiries and the amount spent in those inquiries. For example, consider these cost figures for other Congressional high-level investigations and the major event(s) that precipitated them:

- 1986 Challenger Shuttle Disaster – Rogers Commission final cost: $50 - $60 million – the Rogers Commission was organized the next day after disaster.
- Iran-Contra – Tower Commission: final cost $47.4 million.
- Oklahoma City Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building Investigation: $60 - $89 million.153
- 1996 TWA Flight 800 NTSB and FBI final cost of investigation and reports: $31.4 - $40 million.
• Ken Star & Clinton Whitewater and Lewinsky Investigations: $60-$70 Million.

• 2003 Columbia Space Shuttle Disaster: final cost $20 to $30 million.

• 9/11 World Trade Center & Pentagon Attacks: Originally given a budget of only $3 million and began almost 1½ years after the attack. The final estimated cost of commission and investigation research - $12 to $15 million.

The 9/11 Commission was initially budgeted $3-6 million for an investigation of the worst alleged foreign attack upon the U.S.? Does $3-6 million sound sufficient to conduct an investigation worthy of an event of the scope and magnitude of the 9/11 attacks? No, it does not.

Furthermore, the investigation was stonewalled by the Bush Administration and highly resisted. Key evidence from the crime scenes was destroyed, including the massive tonnage of steel framework of the WTC buildings that was hurriedly shipped (under armed guard and GPS tracking) to China and Korea for melting down without the benefit of a proper and professional forensic examination, evidence and alternative theories ignored, and hearings were often conducted in secret session. Bill Manning, in the prestigious magazine Fire Engineering said the investigation was a “half-baked face.” Regarding the destruction of crime scene evidence he said:

Such destruction of evidence shows the astounding ignorance of government officials to the value of a thorough, scientific investigation of the largest fire-induced collapse in world history...Fire Engineering has good reason to believe that the "official investigation" blessed by FEMA and run by the American Society of Civil Engineers is a half-baked farce that may already have been commandeered by political forces whose primary interests, to put it mildly, lie far afield of full disclosure. Except for the marginal benefit obtained from a three-day, visual walk-through of evidence sites conducted by ASCE investigation committee members-described by one close source as a "tourist trip"-no one's checking the evidence for anything.
The 9/11 Commission spent just enough and investigated just enough to give the appearance of doing something, without actually conducting a proper investigation. **It was nothing other than a whitewash.**

**Waking Up from the Deception:** Many other Americans are waking up to the government lies. The American public has little confidence in the results of the 9/11 Commission as well. A Zogby International Poll released in August 2004 indicated that only 36% believed the Commission has fulfilled its duty and 66% called for a new investigation into the 9/11 tragedy:

“Less than two in five (36%) believe that the 9/11 Commission had "answered all the important questions about what actually happened on September 11th," and two in three (66%) New Yorkers (and 56.2% overall) called for another full investigation of the "still unanswered questions" by Congress.”

Even more ominous for the Official Version, the same poll indicates that nearly 50% of New Yorkers polled believed the government had foreknowledge of the attacks and that it “consciously failed to act” to prevent the attacks. Zogby again says:

“On the eve of a Republican National Convention invoking 9/11 symbols, sound bytes and imagery, half (49.3%) of New York City residents and 41% of New York citizens overall say that some of our leaders "knew in advance that attacks were planned on or around September 11, 2001, and that they consciously failed to act.""

On November 11, 2004, CNN hosted an online poll during the Anderson Cooper Show and asked the question if there was a 9/11 coverup by the government: Out of 10,641 respondents, nearly 90% polled concluded that there was a coverup by the government.
Sobering Conclusions – The Pretext for Tyranny

“During times of universal deceit, telling the truth becomes a revolutionary act
~ George Orwell

“They who would give up an essential liberty for temporary security, deserve
neither liberty, nor security.” ~ Benjamin Franklin

“Fascism should more properly be called corporatism, since it is the merger of
state and corporate power.” ~ Benito Mussolini

In the movie, Three Days of the Condor, a 1975 spy thriller starring Robert
Redford, an unusually prophetic conversation takes place between Redford’s
character and a CIA analyst. It could just as well be a conversation about today’s
geopolitical reality and it is very descriptive of the ultimate Peak Oil\textsuperscript{161} motive for
the criminal plans and actions of our (s)elected leaders.

Higgins: It’s simple economics. Today it’s oil, right? In ten or fifteen years, food.
Plutonium. Maybe even sooner. Now, what do you think the people are gonna
want us to do then?

Joe Turner (Redford) Ask them?

Higgins: Not now - then! Ask ’em when they’re running out. Ask ’em when there’s
no heat in their homes and they’re cold. Ask ’em when their engines stop. Ask ’em
when people who have never known hunger start going hungry. You wanna know
something? They won’t want us to ask ’em. They’ll just want us to get it for ’em!\textsuperscript{162}

The truths as I have presented here are very ugly, but they must be faced lest we
continue living in denial. The implications of the data and analysis I have discuss-
ed here have very serious implications that threaten so shake the foundations of
the country, and even topple the government. The massive scale of corruption
and the nauseating stench of evil and impropriety coming from Washington, the
cover-up of the real reasons for 9/11 are cause for severe and drastic action. Have
you begun to realize what is ultimately at stake? Are you trembling to the core
yet? As an American you should be. This government has already committed
mass murder, and it claims that the “terrorists” are already planning more
attacks and on a larger scale. That possibly means plans are drawn for nuclear,
biological, or chemical attacks. CIA Director Porter Goss speaking before a Senate
Intelligence Hearing: “It may be only a matter of time before al-Qaida or another
group attempts to use chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear weapons.”\textsuperscript{163}
The same criminals who executed 9/11 already have nuclear weapons in their
arsenal and at their command. In order to preserve their stranglehold on the positions of power, they may yet resort to another self-inflicted 9/11 attack on an even larger scale.

The American public and the world, in front of the United Nations Security Council, has been repeatedly deceived and outright lied to concerning 9/11, Weapons of Mass Destruction in Iraq, fabricated Niger uranium yellowcake purchase evidence, the Oil for Food Scandals, the Downing Street Memo\textsuperscript{164}, to incompetent or cleverly crafted and cherry-picked CIA reports. Each new lie is more brazenly outrageous and delivered bolder than the last. In fact, in light of the accusations in this paper, all previous instances of terrorism are now suspect as to their actual sources and instigators. What else is the government lying about? How about finally getting to the truth of the JFK, Martin Luther King, Jr. assassinations, TWA-800 shoot-down, the Waco Branch Davidian Compound Assault and Massacre, the 1995 Oklahoma City Murrah Federal Bombing, and other so-called “conspiracy” theories? Were the recent London subway and transit attacks yet another precursor, a pretext, to the ratcheting up of methods to increase controls to diminish irretrievably our personal liberties and rights?

I apologize for the dramatic tone in these statements and for those yet to follow, but I believe that a secret, criminal, and deadly group exists within the government and it wields considerable political and military power. Indeed, with the ability to pull off an event of the scale of 9/11, there doesn’t seem to be a limit to their monstrous villainy, and they have in their possession the deadliest weapons of the American arsenal, and willing treasonous servants to use them. They have a plan for tyranny and a definite sense of urgency exists and events seem to reaching be speedily and desperately to reach a crescendo for a culminating event. The Government and the Military Industrial (Oil) and Intelligence Complex has already conspired and executed in dramatic fashion, murderous and treasonous plans that resulted in the deaths I described above. What else do they have planned, in what scale, and
what time-frame, to maintain their stranglehold on the political process and American society? It is very likely that various incarnations of this group have existed and operated since President Eisenhower warned the public in his farewell address to the nation:

“This conjunction of an immense military establishment and a large arms industry is new in the American experience. The total influence -- economic, political, even spiritual -- is felt in every city, every State house, every office of the Federal government. We recognize the imperative need for this development. Yet we must not fail to comprehend its grave implications. Our toil, resources and livelihood are all involved; so is the very structure of our society.

In the councils of government, we must guard against the acquisition of unwarranted influence, whether sought or unsought, by the military-industrial complex. The potential for the disastrous rise of misplaced power exists and will persist.

We must never let the weight of this combination endanger our liberties or democratic processes. We should take nothing for granted. Only an alert and knowledgeable citizenry can compel the proper meshing of the huge industrial and military machinery of defense with our peaceful methods and goals, so that security and liberty may prosper together.” ~ President Dwight D. Eisenhower, 1961. (General of the Army, Supreme Commander of Allied Forces in Europe in WW2)

This current administration (and unfortunately many of those before it – both Democratic and Republican, from the coup in 1963 with the installation of Lyndon B. Johnson on forward to George W. Bush), has formulated plans to attempt to secure the remaining Middle East oil resources – likely with your son’s and daughter’s blood. Will you sit there and let them unopposed? Will you delay resisting until the boot holds you down by the neck? How long do you suppose China and Russia idly standby and allow the U.S. to run unopposed in the region and deprive them of oil resources without running into a military conflict? Already the regional powers in Central Asia are their rattling sabers. Rumors of reinstituting the draft are circulating again and several attempts at introducing legislation have already occurred in 2003 and again in 2005.

“In the beginning of a change the patriot is a scarce man, and brave, and hated and scorned. When his cause succeeds, the timid join him, for then it costs nothing to be a patriot.” ~ Mark Twain, 1904
Are you going to let them conduct another attack and then declare martial law, suspend the Constitution, and institute a draft? You may not realize it, but a high tech police state is being erected all around you. The list of measures that can be characterized as a blending of Aldous Huxley’s *Brave New World* and George Orwell’s *1984*: anti-privacy laws, technological terrors, and other human control measures that is growing daily, for example: Continual wars, Private corporate owned-operated prison systems by Wackenhut, security cameras erected every-where\(^{167}\), National ID and biometric systems\(^{168}\), a Brave New World scenario of forced psychological testing and drugging of children under the New Freedom Initiative,\(^{169}\) mandatory national tattle-tale snitching laws,\(^{170}\) secret warrant-less home searches, genetically modified foods, GPS-transponder automobile tracking and toll collection systems, roving wiretaps, secret library record turnovers to the FBI and Homeland Security, digitized thumb-printing & computerized face scanning for non-criminals, mandatory government imposed Internet tracking and email scanning, nation-wide detailed databases of everything you do within the consumer market-place, business world, and including medical records, asset forfeiture & seizure, government funded and shilled propaganda masquerading as “news”, Verichip\(^{171}\) implanted electronic ID chips, terminator-type war robots, arrest on suspicion, indefinite imprisonment without trial, trials by rigged military tribunals, secret rendition for torturing in foreign countries, violations of Posse Comitatus, and other systems are being phased in. Doublethink and Newspeak, War is Peace, Freedom is Slavery, and Ignorance is Strength.\(^{172}\) WAKE UP!

Will you blindly and meekly surrender what few of your rights remaining with the Patriot Act and its extensions? Are you going to put up with this? Is this Freedom and Liberty? Will you allow this corrupt government to brazenly seize your
homes and private property under the color of law (as in the recent Supreme Court case of *Kelo vs. New London*) or to seize your guns, your lives with so much as a muted whimper? Are you going to allow them to continue to do these actions to terrorize your children into submission and steal their birthright of freedom? Are you going to live on your knees or are you going to stand up?

Unfortunately, we may not always be able to tell you why that agent or agents are knocking on your door...Is there a chance that some of your civil liberties may slip while we guarantee the security of this country? Maybe. Maybe. ~ FBI Special Agent Stephen Steinhauser

The courageous story of the passengers of Flight 93, that was shot down over Pennsylvania on 9/11, speak to the heroism and self-sacrifice common to most Americans. They wrestled control away from the hijackers knowing that they could die, or the aircraft crashed into the ground, yet they chose to risk, to be daring, and to not accept the fate that the hijackers had planned for them. You can choose such courage and heroism also. **Ask yourself one simple but very important question:**

**What is your line in the sand?**

**What Can You Do?** Become an informed, vigilant citizen and a defender of freedom and liberty, not a drone “serf” in fealty to the master elite oligarchs and plutocrats. Ask questions, investigate and research the material I presented, put it to the test. Confirm or rationally dispute what you have just read. Look beyond the mind-numbing, dumb-downed mind control programming of corporate owned mass-media, and consider the hidden agendas and the government motives. Our forefathers did not have the so-called limitations or disadvantages of being without corporate owned media conglomerates and news networks. Look at what they accomplished, and with so little.
Without the ability of citizens to nonviolently protest and engage in the rich history and time-honored practice of civil disobedience in this country, many of the rights we Americans enjoy today would not have been possible. Citizen and patriot movements protesting taxes, slavery, women’s suffrage, unionized labor and work-place gains, environmental movements, the Civil Rights movement, or the anti-war Vietnam protest marches would have never been successful without courageous individuals to stand up and do something. Rosa Parks showed incredible personal courage by not going to the back of the bus. Vivian Malone and James Hood marched through violent, hostile, and abusive crowds, including State Troopers of Alabama, at the University of Alabama to face Governor George Wallace at the front of the school-house door to fight against desegregation. Other non-violent examples of successful protest include: The Freedom Riders in May 1963, Lunch Counter Sit-ins at Greensboro, North Carolina, the Selma to Montgomery Marches and the Bloody Sunday protests. Even today, Cindy Sheehan, a mother of a slain U.S. soldier dares to speak out to the Emperor in Crawford, TX and tell him he has no clothes. The heroes of the past cannot fight this struggle for us now; it’s up to you and me. If you value freedom, it’s our obligation to the present and the future, as well as to the memory and legacy of those who came before you to speak up and protest. Your silence is tacit approval, your acquiescence, your surrender, to the destruction of all the ideals and victories gained for you by previous generations and their sacrifices.

If you are a soldier, you took an oath to “support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, and also to bear true faith and allegiance to the same.” The military oath requires primary allegiance to the Constitution, not to illegal orders given by either the President, or from your superiors, by virtue of its placement first in the oath. In fact, the command to follow the orders of the President comes third in the hierarchy of the oath, and allows for the exceptions provided for in the Uniform Code of Military Justice to
not follow unlawful orders. In other words, you are required to disobey unlawful orders, from any commander. You will have to make that determination, not your superiors. The often heard justification of “I was under orders,” or “I am just doing my job,” did not succeed in the legal defenses of Nazi’s for War Crimes at Nuremberg in 1946, or in the 1970-71 courts martial trial and conviction of U.S. Army Lt. William Calley for war crimes resulting from the My Lai Massacre. If you are active duty or reserve you can file conscientious objector claims or you may make the hardest decision and refuse to serve. If you are a veteran, your oath to defend the country, the nation, the Constitution, did not expire with your DD-214 issuance.

You can become involved in your community in many ways. Standup and inform yourself, wake others up, but expect resistance. Register to vote. Forward and/or email this document or write your own to help expose the horror, the evil, and the corruption, become politically active, educate and inform your local police and safety personnel, pick up a pen and write, email, or call your Congressman and Senators weekly, support or originate freedom-based resolutions and petitions, write your newspaper editors and public opinion columns, purchase advertising space and spread a message, create banner signs and protest, buy a bullhorn to increase protest range – use a video camera to document any reaction, and attend and vocalize at local government meetings (all politics is local), support 9/11 truth events and causes, support opposition to the Patriot Act both locally and nationally, build a website, utilize public access TV, copy and distribute Alex Jones’s videos on DVDs or on the internet (torrent-seeding), listen daily to the Alex Jones’ radio and other freedom-based internet broadcasts, create your own freedom webcast or podcast, leaflet and pass out flyers, participate in merchandise or store boycotts (such as against Slave-Mart), vote with your wallet, and finally and ultimately, prepare to defend yourself and your family for what may already be an inevitable conflict. Become engaged in the opposition, for tyranny does not mercifully pass over those who lay down before it; rather, it destroys them and then feeds on their carcass.
Remember the biblical parable of the mustard seed (Mt. 13: 31-32.) It is among the tiniest of seeds in the garden, yet when given time, water, and sunlight to grow, it becomes a massive bush that overtakes and dominates other plants and provides shelter for many birds and animals. The largest avalanches begin with just the smallest movement of a rock or even a snowflake. Start your own avalanche!

*Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty, or give me death!* ~ Patrick Henry

*I regret that I have but one life to lose for my country.* ~ Nathan Hale

*If ye love wealth greater than liberty, the tranquility of servitude greater than the animating contest for freedom, go home from us in peace. We seek not your counsel, nor your arms. Crouch down and lick the hand that feeds you; and may posterity forget that ye were our countrymen.* ~ Samuel Adams

"No man escapes when freedom fails, the best men rot in filthy jails, and those that cried appease, appease, are hanged by those they tried to please." ~ Horace Mann

"The hottest places in hell are reserved for those who, in times of moral crisis, remain neutral." ~President John F. Kennedy misquoting Dante Alighieri in Dante's Inferno

*No man is entitled to the blessings of freedom unless he be vigilant in its preservation.* ~ General Douglas MacArthur

*"If this were a dictatorship, it'd be a heck of a lot easier, just so long as I'm the dictator."

Howard Beale: I don't have to tell you things are bad. Everybody knows things are bad. It's a depression. Everybody's out of work or scared of losing their job. The dollar buys a nickel's work, banks are going bust, shopkeepers keep a gun under the counter. Punks are running wild in the street and there's nobody anywhere who seems to know what to do, and there's no end to it. We know the air is unfit to breathe and our food is unfit to eat, and we sit watching our TV's while some local newscaster tells us that today we had fifteen homicides and sixty-three violent crimes, as if that's the way it's supposed to be. We know things are bad - worse than bad. They're crazy. It's like everything everywhere is going crazy, so we don't go out anymore. We sit in the house, and slowly the world we are living in is getting smaller, and all we say is, 'Please, at least leave us alone in our living rooms. Let me have my toaster and my TV and my steel-belted radials and I won't say anything. Just leave us alone.' Well, I'm not gonna leave you alone. I want you to get mad! I don't want you to protest. I don't want you to riot - I don't want you to write to your congressman because I wouldn't know what to tell you to write. I don't know what to do about the depression and the inflation and the Russians and the crime in the street. All I know is that first you've got to get mad. You've got to say, 'I'm a HUMAN BEING, Goddammit! My life has VALUE!' So I want you to get up now. I want all of you to get up out of your chairs. I want you to get up right now and go to the window. Open it, and stick
your head out, and yell,

[shouting] **Howard Beale**: 'I'M AS MAD AS HELL, AND I'M NOT GOING TO TAKE THIS ANYMORE!' I want you to get up right now, sit up, go to your windows, open them and stick your head out and yell - 'I'm as mad as hell and I'm not going to take this anymore!' Things have got to change. But first, you've gotta get mad! You've got to say, 'I'm as mad as hell, and I'm not going to take this anymore!' Then we'll figure out what to do about the depression and the inflation and the oil crisis. But first get up out of your chairs, open the window, stick your head out, and yell, and say it:

**Howard Beale**: [screaming at the top of his lungs] "I'M AS MAD AS HELL, AND I'M NOT GOING TO TAKE THIS ANYMORE!" ~ Network, 1975
**ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:**

**Please Note:** Some of the sites I list below favor a popular (but highly contestable) theory that it was not a AA-75 757 that hit the Pentagon; that instead some other type of aircraft, or even a missile that hit the building. Others mentioned also include discussion of whether or not there were external fuel or missile pods on the aircraft that hit the World Trade Center buildings. I do not subscribe to those theories. I cannot disprove a negative so I don’t hold my hat on that peg for the sake of the overall theory, but you should still be informed of them. Nonetheless, they are still valuable learning resources for the general 9/11 Truth Movement.

**9/11 Truth Websites:**
WTC-1 and WTC-2 analyses:
WTC-7 Controlled Implosion:
Rebuttal to the 3/05 Popular Mechanics 9/11 Hit Piece article:

[http://www.wtc7.net](http://www.wtc7.net)
[http://www.physics911.net](http://www.physics911.net)
[http://911review.com](http://911review.com)
[http://www.fromthewilderness.com](http://www.fromthewilderness.com)
[http://www.infowars.com](http://www.infowars.com)
[http://www.infowars.com/resources.html](http://www.infowars.com/resources.html)
[http://www.prisonplanet.com](http://www.prisonplanet.com)
[http://www.martiallaw911.info](http://www.martiallaw911.info)
[http://www.oldamericancentury.org/index.htm](http://www.oldamericancentury.org/index.htm)
[http://www.geocities.com/killtown](http://www.geocities.com/killtown)
[http://www.reopen911.org](http://www.reopen911.org)
[http://www.911forthetruth.com](http://www.911forthetruth.com)
[http://www.whatreallyhappened.com](http://www.whatreallyhappened.com)
[http://www.911wasalie.com/phpwebsite](http://www.911wasalie.com/phpwebsite)
[http://www.globaloutlook.ca](http://www.globaloutlook.ca)

**Activism Sites:**
[http://www.eff.org](http://www.eff.org)
[http://www.democracynow.org](http://www.democracynow.org)
[http://www.impeachbush.org](http://www.impeachbush.org)
http://www.downsizedc.org  A very convenient way to contact legislators and Senators. A highly recommended site.
http://www.prisonplanet.com/Pages/activist_main.html
http://www.congress.org/congressorg/home
http://thomas.loc.gov  Track Legislation in Congress

**Web Radio and Broadcasts:**

Alex Jones Show – GCN Radio: 12-3pm Eastern, M-F
http://66.160.133.226:8020/listen.pls
Jeff Rense Show:  http://66.160.133.226:8020/listen.pls 10PM-1AM Eastern M-Sat
Coast to Coast: http://66.250.84.31/crci_fl_westpalmbeach_wjno_am.asf
Revere Internet Radio:  http://rs4.radiostreamer.com:8380
First Amendment Radio: http://firstamendmentradio.com:8040/listen.pls

**Books:**


http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/1566565529/ref=pd_sim_b_1/102-4549243-74313267%5FEncoding=UTF8&v=glance

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/1566565847/ref=pd_sim_b_2/102-4986880-28009562%5FEncoding=UTF8&v=glance


The Big Lie: 9/11 and Government Complicity

Alex Jones, *9/11: Descent into Tyranny.*
http://www.store.yahoo.com/infowars-shop/preornowaljo.html

George Orwell, *Nineteen Eighty Four,* Everyman’s Library,

Don Paul and Jim Hoffman, *Waking up from Our Nightmare: The 9/11/01 Crimes in New York City,*
http://www.wtc7.net/store/books/wakingup

Michael Ruppert, *Crossing the Rubicon: The Decline of the American Empire at the End of the Age of Oil.*
http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/0865715408/qid=1121266662/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&s=books

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/047173876X/qid=1124673033/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&s=books

http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/0743201299/qid=1122749826/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&s=books

Webster Griffin Tarpley, *9/11 Synthetic Terror: Made in the USA:*
http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/0930852311/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&s=books

Webster Griffin Tarpley, *George Bush: The Unauthorized Biography*
http://www.amazon.com/exec/obidos/tg/detail/-/0930852923/qid=1121363834/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&s=books

Paul Joseph Watson, *Order out of Chaos: Elite Sponsored Terrorism & the New World Order,* Alex Jones Productions, 2003
http://www.store.yahoo.com/infowars-shop/pauljoswat.html

**RECOMMENDED VIDEOS TO WATCH:**

Alex Jones: Martial Law 9/11: The Rise of the Police State
9/11: The Road to Tyranny; Dark Secrets of Bohemian Grove
http://www.infowars.com/martial_law_911.htm
http://www.infowars.com/tyranny.htm
http://www.infowars.com/videos.html
http://www.infowars.com/bg1.html

Dr. David Ray Griffin CSPAN Video at Madison WI:
http://www.911busters.com/911_new_video_productions/WMV/DR_Griffin_Madison.wmv

9/11 Painful Deceptions video:
http://www.911busters.com/911_new_video_productions/WMV/Painful_Deceptions.wmv

9/11 Perspectives video:
http://www.911busters.com/911_new_video_productions/WMV/9/11_Perspectives.wmv
http://www.lonelantern.org/911truths.html

What Happened at the Pentagon – Flash Presentation:
http://www.freedomunderground.org/memoryhole/pentagon.php#Main

Bittorrent Filesharing: Free Downloads of Videos
Addendum – F.D.N.Y Firefighter and Officer Statements –
Discussions of Explosives in WTC 1, 2, and 7

I remember asking Ray Downey was it the jet fuel that blew up. He said at that point he thought there were bombs up there because it was too even. As we’ve since learned, it was the jet fuel that was dropping down that caused all this. But he said it was too even.

Q. Symmetrical?
A. So his original thought was that he thought it was a bomb up there as well... We didn’t know the building came down. We just knew the top of the building exploded and didn’t know what happened to the rest of the building. You just couldn’t see anything.

Father John Delendick, Firefighter, F.D.N.Y.

After that, I still thought it was an explosion. I thought it was some kind of thermal explosion where I’m either going to get burnt -- and I had kind of ideas that it was going to be something like Hiroshima where all this heat was coming at me and we were going to get burnt or if the heat didn’t burn me, I thought that all the parts coming out of this building, the windows, metal, all the things like that, that I might be severed in half. It turned completely black. F.D.N.Y.

Firefighter George DeSimone

After that it was kind of pandemonium. The U.S. marshals were saying a third plane was coming in. They said there were bombs in all the buildings around there.

Timothy Hoppey, Firefighter, Engine 91 F.D.N.Y

Tower one now comes down. Same thing but this time some of us take off straight down West Street, because we realized later on, subconsciously we wanted to be near buildings. We all thought it was secondary explosives or more planes or whatever.

Chief Art Lakiotes of the Safety Command

I made it down Vesey Street to just in front of the overpass of 7 World Trade. People were saying don’t stand under there, it’s going to come down. And then by the time I made it back around, I went to the front on Church Street and came back around. The area we took that civilian out of had all collapsed. That wasn’t there anymore.

So at that point we were a little leery about how the bridge was tied in, so no one was really going onto it, and then they were also saying 7 was going to come down. They chased everyone off the block.

Q. You said before, Chief, that you heard bullets going off. Approximately how many did you hear?
A. Oh, it was like it was just constant. Constant. Whatever, I guess there were packages or something, and as they heated up, they were just pop, pop, pop, pop, pop, pop, pop. They were going off like at a steady rate.

Thomas McCarthy, Chief, FNDY

At that point I don’t know exactly when the Commissioner and Mayor had left. It was pretty soon after they had left that Richie Zarillo, who works with EMS -- I believe he’s an OEM liaison -- came running up to me. I was not on the ramp at this time. I was like almost at the sidewalk location.
He said Steve, where's the Chief? I have to tell him, you know I said tell him what, Richie? These buildings are in imminent danger of collapse. I said how do you know that, you know? So he ran with me. I ran over and grabbed Chief Ganci and said Chief, these buildings are in imminent danger of collapse. He looked up at me.

Q. Had the second plane hit at this point?
A. Yes, yes, the second plane hit. We saw the second plane hit -- if you want me to go back to when the second plane hit. I was told by Chief Ingram, who was a terrorist and hazmat-type guy, that we have got to be careful of secondary explosions or secondary devices. Who knew that the secondary device would be another plane.

People actually saw the plane. You heard it, the closer it got. It just got louder and louder. I say that he throttled up as fast as he could. That's what it sounded like, but I think he became more in earshot of us. And he just came in and put the plane into the building.

As I’m looking up at this stuff that is going on up there now, I just like I’m saying to myself I’ve seen this in a movie. My whole recollection is going back to a movie or something I saw. I just saw this before. It’s like before my eyes. I don’t know if I ever did or didn’t, you know, in a dream.

Then at that point within a few minutes, Richie Zarillo came up to me. I go back to that. He said that these buildings are in imminent danger of collapse. T went right up to the Chief because I was a few steps away. I said Chief; these buildings are in imminent danger of collapse. And he said to me who would tell you something like that?

And he looked at me and he had that determined --have to say probably scared look on his face, I said Richie, come over here and tell the Chief what you just told me. He got the words out of his mouth. I think it was maybe 25, 30 seconds later, maybe, the building came down.

Q. Did Zarillo ever say what he based that opinion on?
A. Get that from? He said from OEM. We were trying to determine exactly how he got it. In retrospect, how did he get it? He was walking towards us. Was he coming towards us anyway and he got it over his radio? I think he told me he got it from Peruggia. There was like a relay type of thing, which maybe we should have and didn’t have our OEM radios on at the location. There was a lot of havoc going on.


I had heard right before the lights went out, I had heard a distant boom, boom, boom, sounded like three explosions. I don't know what it was. At the time, I would have said they sounded like bombs, but it was boom, boom, boom, and then the lights all go out. I hear someone say oh, shit, that was just for the lights out. I would say about 3, 4 seconds, all of a sudden this tremendous roar. It sounded like being in a tunnel with the train coming at you.


If I can back up, as we went down the street after the initial explosion of the plane hitting, we saw [that] there was somewhat of a hole, from our position, certainly, maybe three or four of the stories, three stories I think I said. Again, there was no fire coming out. So, when we got there, there was no fire and on the west side there was no smoke. But there was an obvious hole in the building.

Actually, I was laying over him because he had no helmet or anything. Then we got up and we couldn’t see, but it started to clear to like a brown, cloudy smoke, and I hear pop, pop, pop, which
sounded like gunfire to me. Then right after that I hear people screaming get down, get down. It’s
not normal. I worked in the ghetto long enough that you get down.
Q. Of course.
A. Because it sounded like gunfire and I’ve heard gunfire before. It could have been
something totally different. I have no idea. I grabbed the guy I was with and told him, hey, we
have to get down; we have to get some cover. **Joseph Pfeifer, Battalion Chief, first highest
ranking office on scene of attack on WTC-1**
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So we were there a few minutes, and we started to walk, make our way through the lobby to the
other side. I’d say we got maybe ten steps. We didn’t go very far. I heard sort of like a rumbling
sound. We stopped, looked at each other, and took off. We just took off away from the doors.
Instead of running out, we ran to our right, which would be toward the walls. It just happened
really quick. I just remember running. Stack was in front of me. Henry went to my left with the
other guys. In about a second or two, you just heard like a ba-ba-ba-boom, and everything just
came down and everything was pitch-black. **John Picarello, F.D.N.Y. Firefighter, 40
Battalion.**
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The ground was shaking. I fell to the floor. My camera bag opened up. The cameras went skidding
across the floor. The windows started exploding in. I just rolled into the corner to protect myself
from the glass.

The next thing I knew, it was pitch-black. You couldn’t see in front of you. You couldn’t breathe.
Every time you took a breath, you were just swallowing, you were gasping. I took my shirt off and
wrapped it around my head so I could breathe.

It felt like an eternity getting out of that building. I was disoriented. I knew the general idea of
where I was. I was actually thinking about going out the windows where the glass was broke, but I
figured people were still jumping and I didn’t know exactly what was going on outside. I’m
thinking maybe the building snapped in half. I’m thinking maybe a bomb blew up. I’m thinking it
could have been a nuclear. **Richard Smiouskas, Lieutenant, F.D.N.Y.**
hard.txt

At that point I looked back and most of the people who were triaged in that area with the triage
tags on them got up and ran. I took a quick glance at the building and while I didn’t see it falling, I
saw a large section of it blasting out, which led me to believe it was just an explosion. I thought it
was a secondary device, but I knew that we had to go. **Captain Jay Swithers, Bureau of
Health Services of the Fire Department F.D.N.Y.**
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“The next thing I heard was Pete say what the fuck is this? And as my eyes traveled up the
building, and I was looking at the south tower, somewhere about halfway up, my initial reaction
was there was a secondary explosion, and the entire floor area, a ring right around the building
blew out. I later realized that the building had started to collapse already and this was the air
being compressed and that is the floor that let go. And as my eyes traveled further up the building,
I realized that this building was collapsing and I turned around and most everybody was ahead of
me running for the garage...” **Albert Turi, Deputy Assistant Chief of Safety, F.D.N.Y.**

I was watching the fire, watching the people jump and hearing a noise and looking up and seeing -
- it actually looked -- the lowest floor of fire in the south tower actually looked like someone had
planted explosives around it because the whole bottom I could see (redacted portion) I could see two sides of it and the other side, it just looked like that floor blew out.

I looked up and you could actually see everything blew out on the one floor. I thought, geez, this looks like an explosion up there, it blew out. Then I guess in some sense of time we looked at it and realized, no, actually it just collapsed. That’s what blew out the windows, not that there was an explosion there but that windows blew out. The realization hit that it’s going to fall down, the top’s coming off. I was still thinking -- there was never a thought that this whole thing is coming down. I thought that that blew out and stuff is starting to fly down. The top is going to topple off there.

F.D.N.Y. Battalion Chief Brian Dixon

We looked up at the building straight up, we were that close. All we saw was a puff of smoke coming from about 2 thirds of the way up. Some people thought it was an explosion. I don’t think I remember that. I remember seeing, it looked like sparkling around one specific layer of the building. I assume now that that was either windows starting to collapse like tinsel or something. Then the building started to come down. My initial reaction was that this was exactly the way it looks when they show you those implosions on TV.

Tom Fitzpatrick, Deputy Commissioner for Administration, F.D.N.Y.,

Just as I go out of the building, one of my guys says hey Captain, the building is coming down. I looked over my shoulder and you could see the whole top of the south tower leaning towards us. It looked like it was coming over. You could see the windows pop out just like in the picture, looked like a movie. I saw one floor of windows pop out, like poof, poof. I saw one and a half floors pop out. It looked almost like an explosion. The whole top was teetering, and I really thought just the top of the building was falling off. I didn’t think there was any way we were going to make it out because just being this close; it looked like it’s leaning right on top of us.

Steve Grabher, Battalion Chief, F.D.N.Y.,

We both for whatever reason -- again, I don’t know how valid this is with everything that was going on at that particular point in time, but for some reason I thought that when I looked in the direction of the Trade Center before it came down, before No. 2 came down, that I saw low-level flashes. In my conversation with Lieutenant Evangelista, never mentioning this to him, he questioned me and asked me if I saw low-level flashes in front of the building, and I agreed with him because I thought -- at that time I didn't know what it was. I mean, it could have been as a result of the building collapsing, things exploding, but I saw a flash, flash, flash, and then it looked like the building came down. You know like when they demolish a building, how when they blow up a building, when it falls down? That's what I thought I saw. And I didn't broach the topic to him, but he asked me. He said I don't know if I'm crazy, but I just wanted to ask you because you were standing right next to me. He said did you see anything by the building? And I said what do you mean by see anything? He said did you see any flashes? I said, yes, well, I thought it was just me. He said no, I saw them, too.

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