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Communism is Socialism with an Army

CHINA'S COMMUNIST PARTY WANTS TO KILL YOU

by Steven Schaerer, author of *Surviving Chinese Communist Detention*

Don't just take my word; read the words of the Chinese Communists for yourself. Evil does exist in the modern era on a global stage:

"It is indeed brutal to kill one or two hundred million Americans. But that is the only path that will secure a Chinese century, a century in which the CCP leads the world. We, as revolutionary humanitarians, do not want deaths, but if history confronts us with a choice between deaths of Chinese and those of Americans, we'd have to pick the latter, as, for us, it is more important to safeguard the lives of the Chinese people and the life of our Party."
Speech by Chi Haotian, ex-Vice-Chairman of China's Military Commission.

Ranking Chinese Communist Party members routinely validate the grave risk they pose to the world.

I have direct knowledge of their murderous intent. I lived and worked in Beijing, China for five years. I learned to speak Mandarin, traveled extensively throughout the Mainland, and co-founded a profitable consulting business.

In my fifth year in China, CCP authorities appeared at my Beijing

office one day and rounded up my colleagues and me. After hours of interrogation, we were forced to sign and fingerprint documents in Chinese that we were not given time to read. Without access to any due process, we were arbitrarily charged with "illegal employment", and thrown into a holding cell.

Despite providing my legal alien employment license, a Beijing employment visa, registration documents with local authorities, Beijing incorporation papers, proof of taxed income, and every other imaginable document certifying my legal status in China; no one seemed to care.

With two colleagues from Germany and Spain, I was hauled to a processing center where we were falsely accused of breaking the law and given a fourteen-day sentence in Chinese detention.

I was locked in a Chinese prison transport vehicle surrounded by a swarm of armed CCP police officers. En-route to wherever we were heading, I managed to call the U.S. embassy in Beijing. "Help", was the only word that I could think to say to the U.S. Consular Officer who picked up my frantic midnight phone call. I was being abducted by China's

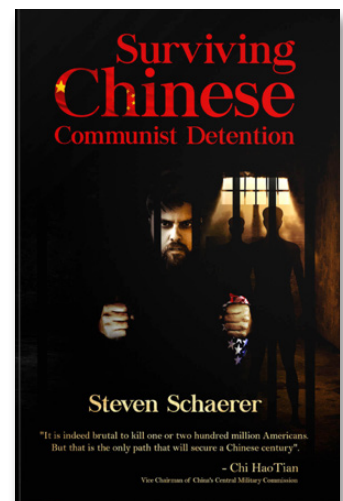
communist regime and taken somewhere to the outskirts of Beijing in the dead of night.

My final destination was a black-site prison compound that does not exist on domestic or international map services.

I had already spent a full day in a holding cell without access to any information. I was hungry and thirsty. They drew blood samples from me and forced my face into an iris scanner. They stripped me naked and marched me through a metal detector. All my belongings were taken and I was ultimately provided blood-stained blankets to accompany my stay in CCP detention.

"Contacting your embassy is illegal", CCP guards often said.

"Revolutionary [CCP] soldiers in the new era must carry forward the great spirit of resistance, consolidate their efforts to



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prepare for war...resolutely complete the mission and tasks assigned by the Party and the people...and march forward courageously toward the glorious side of the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation.” Speech by Xi Jinping, President of the People’s Republic of China

My colleagues and I were separated and I was thrown into a prison cell with sixteen unknown inmates. We were locked up in a cramped prison cell, 24-hours a day, sharing a single squatter toilet, and eating re-boiled yellow slop out of a communal bucket. We slept on wooden planks that were designed to hold maybe eight or ten inmates.

The walls of our cell were plastered with “suicide” warning signs.

The conditions were so bad that some inmates refused to eat and became malnourished. Others were so far gone from anything approaching sanity that they sat alone in a corner, rocking back and forth. Some inmates were emotionally and violently unstable.

I’m still not entirely sure how I survived a number of very close calls in CCP detention, which is designed to kill through violence, sleep deprivation, disease, and malnutrition.

Somehow, I got lucky. Maybe it’s because I speak Mandarin and could communicate with my Chinese cellmates and guards. Maybe it’s because the U.S. government got involved and petitioned for my release. Maybe God had other plans for me than having me die alone in a Communist nightmare.

“U.S. forces were losing more quickly in recent simulations after taking into consideration the Chinese regime’s new military capabilities. I distinctly remember one of our gurus of war gaming standing in front of

the Air Force secretary and chief of staff, and telling them that we should never play this war game scenario [of a Chinese attack on Taiwan] again, because we know what is going to happen. The definitive answer if the U.S. military doesn’t change course is that we’re going to lose fast.” Said Air Force Lt. Gen. S. Clinton Hinote.

After nearly a month of indefinite detention and several near-death encounters, Chinese immigration authorities decided to deport my colleagues and me to our respective countries and banned us from re-entry into China.

My entire experience is published in a 330-page book, *Surviving Chinese Communist Detention*, due to be released in the summer of 2021.

What has concerned me far more than the horrific nature of communist detention and torture is the encroaching influence of the CCP in the United States.

The top threat to communism is Christianity. CCP makes the threat of Christianity abundantly clear by tearing down Christian churches, banning access to the Bible, and detaining and executing Christians in China. The CCP fears God, above all else, and particularly the notion that any entity could ever supersede the supreme authority of China’s Communist Party.

“We must by no means allow materials that spread Western values into our classrooms. We must never allow various attacks to defame the party’s leadership and discredit socialism in university classrooms.” Said Yuan Guiren, China’s Minister of Education, 2009 – 2016

The uncomfortable truth is that

this relentless war on Christianity and literal fear of God does not stop at China’s borders. CCP has infiltrated American universities, social media platforms, media outlets, and of course, Hollywood. China’s unmitigated encroachment into American society coincides with rampant societal instability, the erosion of Christian principles, and the widespread censorship of conservative voices.

CCP is not just engaging a simple propaganda campaign, but military and psychological warfare. The communist regime’s “Three Warfares” concept uses psychological warfare, media warfare, and legal warfare, according to a 2015 report from the U.S. Special Operations Command. Under the CCP, “media warfare seeks to influence domestic and international public opinion to build support for military actions and dissuade adversaries from actions contrary to China’s interests,” while legal warfare “uses international and domestic law to claim the legal high ground or assert Chinese interests.”

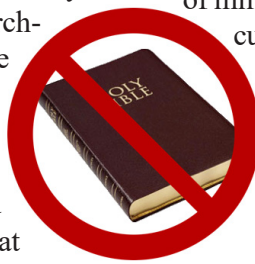
The CCP has emphatically stated that it has no problem killing hundreds of millions of American citizens to secure a Chinese-led century.

The CCP has categorically stated that you, Christian America, are its top military, educational, and religious threat.

Finally, the CCP has readily acknowledged that it intends to use its “Three Warfares” doctrine of psychological, media, and legal warfare to assert its global interests.

I can shout about the imminent dangers of communism. I can huff and puff and wave red flags. I can write a book designed for Western audiences to understand that communist China is at war with America.

But don’t take my word for it. China’s Communist Party is more than happy to tell you yourselves.



AMERICA NEEDS A RESTORATION

by Pastor Rafael Cruz

Sitting in the Senate chambers, my eyes filled with tears watching my son take the oath of office, nearly caused my heart to burst. Was I dreaming?

Only in America could the son of a Cuban immigrant who came to this great country with practically nothing and unable to speak the language be elected to the U.S. Senate and be an ex-candidate for the presidency of the United States. Six decades before, I had fought against oppression in my homeland to win the freedoms that Americans enjoy.

But our freedoms are eroding. Americans are trading liberty for the oppression and control I once knew in Cuba.

We desperately need true patriots who love America — uncommon men and women committed to rescuing this nation from economic, moral, and spiritual collapse. Men and women with the resolve to abide by the Constitution without hesitation. Our country yearns for leaders who will awaken the sleeping giant and call us to the greatness of our founding fathers.

We need God's help. Without it, our nation and our way of life will no longer exist. As president John Adams said: "Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other."

In the summer of 1957, I arrived in America. After being imprisoned and tortured in my native Cuba for my involvement in the revolution against the Batista government, I knew that if I didn't escape, I would be killed. With very little money and unable to speak English, I paid my way through school at the University of Texas by working first as a dishwasher and

later as a cook.

In 1959, after Castro came to power, I returned to Cuba, but the Communist/Marxist policies that Castro had instituted shocked me. Disillusioned, I left Cuba three weeks later, never to return again, but thankful to live in the land of the free and the home of the brave.

Stories about the American patriots fighting for independence from England came to mind. They had sacrificed their lives for the cause of freedom — and now I was about to freely enjoy the liberties they had bestowed upon future generations. What a remarkable legacy!

The U.S. government was duped. The American people were duped. I was duped. When people ask me why I supported Castro in overthrowing the Cuban government, I readily admit that I did not realize he was a Communist. His true colors were only revealed when he came to power.

Castro accused the wealthy of oppressing the people, so he confiscated their businesses, factories, and farms, eliminating the ownership of private property. All in the name of redistributing the wealth. The government then became the de-facto owner of all confiscated businesses.

A great misconception about Communism (or Socialism) is that everyone is "equal" under that system. Nothing could be farther from the truth.

Students in many American universities have heard this definition from their Marxist professors: "Socialism is the control of the means of production by the people." But that is a lie! Socialism is the control of the means of production by the almighty government. The people

have no power.

Anyone who has tasted Communism firsthand can readily identify the misery, which is unimaginable to those who live in freedom and democracy. After seeing how it ravaged my homeland, I decided to do everything within my power to prevent Communism in America.

The key obstacle that stands in the way of the government enforcing



godlike power over its people is the family. Socialist governments systematically sabotage the allegiance of their children and youth to their families through the public-school system.

The people are influenced by secular humanism, and if they don't believe in God, they cannot rely on God. Individual responsibility is destroyed by the collectivistic concept of social justice, so they no longer feel a sense of self-reliance. If they cannot rely on God and lack self-reliance, the only option left is to rely upon the "almighty government."

Reverse this destruction by re-awakening the American dream. The greatness of America has always been based on the proposition that with hard work and perseverance, anyone can achieve his or her dreams, even in the face of adversity.

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Proverbs 24:16 tells us: *“A righteous man may fall seven times and rise again.”* We all stumble and fall. But when you fall, you have two options: you can either stay down on the ground, feeling sorry for yourself, or you can get up with twice the determination and continue moving forward.

The gospel of Socialism tells us, “Government is your god.” Note the contrast with the U.S. Declaration of Independence:

“We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.”

If your rights come from government, and not from God, then it follows that government can take them away.

The only way we can dig out of our political hole is by involving ourselves in the civic society and restoring the Judeo-Christian principles that have undergirded America, the driving force behind American exceptionalism.

I feel compelled to “shout it from the housetops,” as Jesus exhorts us to do in Matthew 10:27. I tirelessly share the message of restoration for America. The future of America is at stake, the future of our children and our children’s children. It is for them that we must fight with all our might. Remember President Ronald Reagan’s words:

“Freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction. We didn’t pass it on to our children in the bloodstream. It must be fought for, protected, and handed on for them to do the same, or one day we will spend our sunset years telling our children and our children’s children what it was once like in the United States when men were free.”

I hope that you will say with me “I am not willing to have that conversation with my children and grandchildren. I will fight now, while we still have time.”

In Deuteronomy 30:19, God says: *“I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore, choose life, that both you*

and your descendants may live.”

It is our choice! We can either be passive and allow the forces of evil to encroach our lives and steal our freedom, or we can stand in the gap in prayer and in action, letting our voices be heard and doing all we can to restore America to that “shining city on a hill” to the glory of God! 

WHAT ABOUT TAIWAN?

by Anne Schlafly Cori, Chairman, Eagle Forum

The People’s Republic of China is aggressively pursuing world domination. The Communist leaders have boldly crushed the 2020 demonstrations in Hong Kong, criminalized speech, and arrested the pro-democracy leaders. Although the West has complained about the internment and religious persecution of Uyghurs in Xinjiang, the CCP has responded by expanding its repression and “re-education” of Uyghurs. Of course, China continues its sovereignty over Tibet. China has built islands in the South China Sea in order to control vital shipping lanes. The “Belt and Road Initiative” has gained access for China to other continents, including Africa, to build and control infrastructure in Africa. Even the tiny European country of Montenegro is in hock to CCP for a \$1 billion highway project.

What about Taiwan, the Republic of China? The Communists are unable to “live and let live.” The mere existence of an island where Chinese live in freedom and democracy cannot be tolerated by the Communist Chinese Party. Thanks to Henry Kissinger and Richard Nixon, the United States recognizes only “one China”, but the U.S. does provide some military and economic aid to Taiwan in a policy known as “strategic ambiguity”.

Will the Biden Administration reverse the Trump challenge of China and instead coddle the Chinese Com-

munists as President Obama did? So far, the current administration has quietly continued many of Trump’s policies on China.

In 1982, I toured Quemoy, a small island that is part of Taiwan, as it was the first line of military defense against an invasion from the Mainland. It was a memorable visit as I met firsthand soldiers who were willing to fight Communism and defend freedom with their lives. For more than 70 years, Taiwan has faced an existential threat from the Communists who seek to “reunify” Taiwan with the Mainland.

Just ask the Hong Kongese what “reunification” with Communist China actually means. China’s 1997 pledge of “one country, two systems” seems hollow now.

If the CCP leaders think that Taiwan is available, they will take it. If the CCP thinks that America is weak and not interested in Taiwan, then Taiwan will cease to exist as an independent, democratic country. 

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