

Cleaning Out the Gore-House

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Since the November mid-term elections, politics in the United States has been increasingly driven by an insurgent youth generation. What drives young people is the bleak dystopia pronounced by the Baby Boomers to be the only permissible future, since any more effort on the part of the “Golden Generation” might discomfort them in the remaining years of narcissistic torpor they claim to have earned, as recompense perhaps, for having ruined the world economy, and for leaving the world in a much worse state than that which they inherited.

It is in this time of systemic financial crisis, as millions of people are faced with eviction, and as Bush and Cheney march ever closer to a disastrous conflict with Iran, that the LaRouche Youth Movement (LYM) finds itself assuming that very leadership which the Boomers have failed to provide.

As outlined by Lyndon LaRouche, there are two clear initiatives which must be immediately adopted by the Congress and the American people: Prince Charles’ pet, Al Gore, must be run out of this country for being the villain and traitor he is; and secondly, the United States must form an alliance with Russia, China, and India to reorganize a bankrupt financial system and rebuild the world economy, measures which require the immediate removal of Vice President Dick Cheney from office. These are the initiatives for which the LYM organizes the population every day, conversing with thousands across the nation and around the world, some highlights of which are herein presented.

U.S. Operations

In **Boston**, four members of the LYM attended a meeting of the Gore-affiliated Climate Project. Little did the LYM realize that the meeting (held in a church) was a genuine ceremony for a Gaia cult! About 15 Baby Boomers were present in the church, which was illuminated only by candlelight. One attendee began walking slowly around the room, burning marijuana as if it were incense, to “cleanse the space”; then the congregation sang a hymn, “For the Earth Forever

Turning.” One LYM organizer asked to light a candle at the front of the church, proceeding to make the following declaration: “I want to light this candle for the friends of Al Gore, like Britain’s Prince Philip, who said that he wished to be reincarnated as a deadly virus to solve overpopulation; also for the racist FBI agents whom Al Gore sucked up to by slandering black elected officials to stop African Americans from organizing politically; and also, to those orphans in Africa whose parents died of AIDS because Al Gore tried to stop them from having access to cheap AIDS drugs.” The stupefied worshippers did not know how to respond. The LYM then burst into a lovely four-part canon, the first line of which was “Al Gore kills more than Cheney’s war.” Some people became extremely agitated; one woman began banging on a piano in a vain attempt to silence the LYM’s polyphony, while others started singing one of their pagan hymns, again to no avail. Eventually the worshippers aggressively demanded that the youth leave, but not before the pagan ritual had been thoroughly disrupted.

In **San Francisco**, the LYM intervened on an audience of almost 3,000 slaving Gore-groupies. A chorus was present while people entered the event, with signs such as “An Inconvenient Truth: Al Gore is a Racist” and “The Real Threat of Global Warming,” with a picture of Cheney in front of a mushroom cloud. When Gore’s presentation commenced, he was immediately challenged by one of the LYM, asserting that 17,000 scientists have signed a petition denouncing global warming as a fraud; but Gore dodged the statement, continuing with his banal monologue, miserably failing to appear even remotely sincere.

During the question and answer period, another member of the LYM attacked Gore’s genocidal policies, when the former VP tried to answer a question about carbon swaps. Later, when Gore spoke about moral reasoning, an organizer asked if Gore’s moral reasoning had led him to campaign against generic anti-AIDS drugs for Africa, then challenged



The LaRouche Youth Movement organizes at the University of Washington in Seattle on March 29. Al Gore and Queen Elizabeth are not amused.

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the audience to look up Gore's record for themselves. Each was immediately thrown out. The audience was highly polarized by the LYM, and shocked by Gore's blatant disrespect for dissenting opinions. The organizers were overwhelmed by hordes of people after the event, wanting literature, asking questions, or demanding explanations.

In **Seattle**, the LYM confronted Sen. John Kerry (D-Mass.) and his wife Teresa Heinz Kerry at an event promoting their new book, *This Moment on Earth*, another hackneyed argument for global warming. Kerry slavishly followed the party line with his baseless contention of scientific consensus. The event was enlivened only when a LYM organizer broached both the declaration signed by 17,000 scientists, and the "Great Global Warming Swindle" TV documentary shown on Britain's Channel 4; then asserting that global warming was a proven fraud. The horrified crowd gasped: An unbeliever! Kerry's wife denounced the two references because they were not peer-reviewed (which really means they were not approved by the corrupt and dictatorial fanatics at the University of East Anglia in London, who dominate the peer-review process in this field, as well as the International Panel on Climate Change, IPCC). The organizer replied: "But the premise behind this is genocidal and racist!" Kerry stepped forward and, discovering he was speaking with a member of the LYM, lost his temper, shouting, "I've known these people for 25 years. LaRouche is nuts, LaRouche is nuts!" (Apparently he forgot who helped salvage his election campaign in the Fall of 2004.) The organizer replied, "Mr. Kerry, are you willing to let the Democratic Party and this nation go to Hell, far worse than 1929?" At which Kerry lost it

completely, and ripped the microphone out of the organizer's hands. Outside the event, the LYM distributed literature and organized the population, demonstrating real leadership and a passion for ideas, something John Kerry never could summon up.

International Operations

In **Australia**, the Citizens Electoral Council and the Australian LYM are distributing 500,000 copies of the CEC's newspaper *The New Citizen*, which contains a wide assortment of material from Lyndon LaRouche and Laurence Hecht, editor of *21st Century Science & Technology*, refuting global warming and laying out the path of development and progress humanity must take through the coming decades. The ALYM has been causing a sensation on the campuses, and most recently at Australian National University (ANU).

The ALYM managed to place the fraud of global warming squarely in the face of Kevin Rudd, the leader of the Australian Labor Party (the official Opposition party in the Australian Parliament), who was at ANU for the National Climate Change Summit, to declare that global warming is the primary issue on his party's agenda, as well as "the great moral challenge of our generation." Gore himself addressed the conference by video hook-up. Various members of the ALYM confronted Rudd, giving him literature and challenging him on the fraud of climate change. A chorus also sang canons attacking and ridiculing Gore as a fat liar with a fried brain, amongst other less than savory things. Meanwhile, the campus was saturated with thousands of newspapers. The student body was marvelously provoked, and all sorts of conversations re-

sulted, from curious to hostile, which seems to be the effect of the LYM on any campus they visit!

The activities of the CEC and ALYM have also transformed nuclear power development from a marginal political issue into a national debate. One parliamentary staffer stressed that every debate in both houses seems to be defined by global warming, and that the implications of the policies being pushed by the environmentalist faction would destroy Australian industry. In fact, the Parliament itself is fracturing over the global warming debate, with a pro-development faction reaching out to the ALYM because it represents the only competent leadership in the country. No other organization has any idea of how to build up Australia's industry and infrastructure, so the ALYM is educating the Parliament on LaRouche's capital budget proposal, in addition to the historical and scientific implications of the global warming hoax.

In the **Philippines**, the PLYM intervened at a Greenpeace event promoting climate change. The panel attempted to terrify the audience with pictures of natural disasters and horrifying images of the Philippines disappearing beneath the Pacific Ocean due to rising sea levels. Massive CO₂ reductions were mandated, and the audience was hectoring about stabilizing their country's CO₂ emissions—i.e., don't even contemplate industrialization! One of the PLYM members, during the question-and-answer period, denounced global warming and pointed out that the insignificant portion of total CO₂ that humans actually contribute is 0.05%; then declared that the real issue was population reduction and deindustrialization, asking the panel, what do you say about that? Are you against development? Dr. Leoncio Amadore, the leading Filipino meteorologist of the Department of Science and Technology, evaded the question by claiming that since such statistics were not in the IPCC report, they were irrelevant. Another panelist tried to defend herself: "We're not saying that humans should go back to being cavemen!" Of course not! Mud huts will more than suffice.

Another PLYM organizer mentioned the fraud of sustainable development, referencing "The Great Global Warming Swindle," then continued: "Now, I have not heard anyone mention the nuclear option. Nuclear would provide cheap electricity for all the people, I'm not saying at the start, but in the long run it will provide cheap electricity—." At the mention of nuclear power, a murmur rippled through the audience and the moderator immediately barked at the organizer to ask his question, so he went on: Why hasn't anyone mentioned nuclear, when you want a win-win solution? The question



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The LYM in Lansing, Michigan on March 28, singing political canons in Classical polyphony.

was passed over in silence, apart from several vague contentions that nuclear power is bad and that can be proven.

After the event, the organizers distributed literature and had a number of conversations with people from the media and even the moderator, who had been thrown off guard by the presence of the PLYM. One part of their exchange was telling: The organizer said, "If you're against nuclear power, you only want Solar and wind power, you're against humanity, against development." "Well," the moderator sarcastically replied, "how many [nuclear plants] do we need?" "We need 2,000 or more nuclear plants to support a growing population worldwide!" "You can't convince me and I can't convince you." "I'm not looking for a convert here," the youth said. "I'm telling you the truth."

Across **Europe**, the LaRouche Youth Movement is hitting hard against the Gore apparatus. One example of this occurred in France at an IPCC-affiliated event, hosted by the Atomic Energy Center. The LYM attacked the so-called CO₂-experts, even though the panel, which had been promoting climate change, refused to entertain their questions. The panel had made a no-future presentation, claiming that population collapse would happen inevitably by approximately 2050, and since population was doomed to collapse, nuclear power was not necessary or practical. Eventually, members of the LYM stood up and began shouting their disagreement so all the room could hear. An argument ensued, with the panel refusing to acknowledge any scientists who were "climate skeptics."

Later on, another youth argued that the IPCC was politically, not scientifically, motivated, at which point one panelist, Jean-Marc Jancovici, lost his temper. Shortly afterwards, a final LYM intervention occurred. The youth attacked the



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A LYM literature table in Hamburg, Germany on April 4. The sign reads, "The forests agree: 'We want more CO₂.'"

panel, saying "the word 'genocide' has been spoken, and that if we stay in the framework you have set up, we can wonder whether that won't happen. There is no solution if we listen to you any longer!" People began shouting at him to shut up but he continued: "As Mr. Jancovici said in a TV interview, the only thing we can do now is take a Beretta with two bullets inside and then we know what we have to do! You said it, Mr. Jancovici!" The panelist replied that he had in fact said that. The youth went on: "So, for whom is the first bullet, for you or me?" Jancovici made no reply. The effect of these interventions on the audience was powerful; scores of people took literature and engaged in conversations with the youth, while the panelists were left grinding their teeth.

A New Initiative

The most important development of the week of April 2 was the launching of a web-based news service at www.la.rouchepac.com. The site is being re-engineered to serve as a continuously updated source of the latest breaking stories of global strategic significance. Already, as of its first several days in operation, there has been incredible feedback from contacts delighted to have constant access to the fruits of our intelligence staff's activities. The objective of this new initiative is to reach out more broadly to the population, and in particular to the youth, and with the shift to electronic media we can finally put the compulsive liars at the *Washington Post* out of their misery! The potential now exists for the ideas and analysis of Lyndon LaRouche to immediately inform every quadrant of the planet, far beyond anything heretofore possible. The capability of reaching mass audiences with intelli-

gence of unparalleled quality, while doing so on a real-time basis with immediate exposés and interventions, has the potential to move entire nations. As the international financial system continues to disintegrate, this will become ever more vital to policy-shapers throughout the world.

The Crucial Role of the LYM

As the LYM continues the assault against Al Gore and the British networks behind him, the youth are discovering that the population has already begun to reject global warming. Moreover, people who would have silently accepted the dictates of the oligarchy, once elevated by our interventions, find their courage. This is the effect of mass organizing, putting hundreds of thousands of leaflets and pamphlets into circulation, engaging tens of thousands in dialogue, and presenting the necessary solutions to all sectors of the population. However, the littleness of the prevalent culture does frequently surface, when down-

trodden individuals are confronted with this great historical moment. Examples of this were frequent in **Michigan**, a region savaged by the collapse of the auto sector. One woman could not, for her anger and frustration, see past the violence and crime being committed in her community, recounting all manner of details and incidents; however, the LYM helped her rise above her littleness, and she departed with an elevated perspective, taking extra literature for others in her community, as well as an understanding of how to repair the nation. Another woman, who broke into tears at the hopelessness of her own situation, was given the book *Bridge Over Jordan*, by civil rights heroine and Schiller Institute leader Amelia Boynton Robinson, and was uplifted with a brief account of that remarkable lady's life, ultimately taking 50 pamphlets to distribute herself. Such encounters are common, and the remedy has ever been to prompt the person to think as a citizen about the great issues of the day, and their solutions.

The crucial role of the LYM is located in our ability to elevate not only our fellow young people, but also older generations—generations which have often lost that unique passion for discovery and beauty so central to our humanity. Through our revolutionary work on Johannes Kepler and J.S. Bach, and the ongoing mastery of the greatest minds of the human experience, we are creating a cultural and scientific renaissance, which will strengthen and lead humanity through the great tests of the imminent future. It is this impulse amongst today's youth that we alone have captured, in which all hopes reside; and it is to this impulsive optimism that the population is drawn.