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Today the sad realization for millions of people around the world is the brutal fact that thousands of young innocent men, women and children are dying daily as martyrs in today's "War On Terrorism." This scandalous reality is being played out graphically twenty-four hours a day on television networks around the world and is sure to leave a long lasting impression of horror and fear in the hearts and minds of both the young and the old of the world. A multitude of reasons are officially "spoken of " by military and governmental officials in their effort to justify the invasion of Iraq by the American Government - oil, hidden nuclear and chemical weapons, inept and faulty intelligence, democracy, freedom, liberty, etcetera. These and other nebulous reasons have nothing to do with America's unilateral decision to bomb, invade and occupy Iraq. The rationale for this and other recent military interventions was born in post war 1945 when the total victory of the Allied Military Forces in Europe and Asia provided the basis needed for the birth and establishment of an terrible order of International Political Dominators who plan to introduce a new order of political, economic and social programs on the world: a policy of madness that will rob much of the world of its solid moral basis. They learned the various skills of political deception and fabrication required for the creation of an unnecessary but nevertheless desired war from their political progenitor's bitter brew of propaganda used in the 1930s in order create a believable list of reasons and justifications for their military carnage in the Second World War.

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They do all this with the consent and the approval of their very own citizens by the means of our modern process of periodic public democratic elections: the dynamics of which they fully understand and have learned to control. This "popular" vote is often only a prelude to a complete and "numerically mandated" dictatorship by the executive branch of a modern democratic government. The early noble Greek philosophical idea of a Democracy often ends as soon as the last ballot is counted.

An ever increasing tempo of "State Sponsored Terrorism" is a modern day problem of immense proportions that has a profound social and cultural effect in every corner of our planet. Recent years have become a labyrinth of fire and brimstone suffering for those people unlucky enough to stand in the path of the military fireworks of predatory nations intent on the fulfillment of their programs of domination in order to establish new political, social, and economic arrangements for the nations of the world.. It is not important how many innocent people have to die: who will remember those tens of thousands of unidentified martyrs who must suffer an early death as a result of these policies four years from now when free and democratic elections are held once again?

The author's 2002 essay that follows is largely based on his own observations and conclusions as to the events and international actions which have left their mark on the world he has lived in, but these worldwide themes themselves and their histories are universal and vitally important to all humanity.