

Traitorous Ignorance Must Be Banished

I dedicated a huge chunk of my life to teaching. I thought I gave it my all. Everything I had. I believed I could make a difference, now that is perhaps questionable. I still believe I have something important to do, just not in Canada right now. I still believe if I dedicate what's left of my life to something, anything I truly believe in I can help make a difference.

If and when I do come back to Canada, I hope to take and perhaps retake some more political science and related courses, even at the junior college level, for that I believe is where the true minds lie. Something has to be done about what has happened to Canada, and there are too few who see it or who have any revolutionary spirit at all. They cocoon with head in sand or perhaps up arse, blind to it all hoping if they ignore our planetary problems and those in the street, life will go on peachy keen.

Conservative and Liberals alike do not offer democracy at the National or Provincial level. Those who are for the status quo of our current governments support those who induce terrorism, degradation of the environment and destruction of the only living planet we know of. They support corporately owned right wing media who control Canada. Those, the majority who follow along and do not question the status quo in Canada are truly traitors to all she ever stood for. They are traitors to the democracy she was founded upon. Those who are not prepared to live and die to re-establish democracy in Canada are traitors. Those who are not prepared to abolish the current corporate controlled government, a non-democratic one, follow in the steps of the Bush dynasty and are traitors.

These are strong, carefully thought of and chosen words. I would hope any true Canadians whom are left- hear, heed and act upon them. The revolution must come. The revolution will come. Thee disenfranchised 99% must rise to the occasion and occupy their rightful place even if it means displacing the obscenely wealthy. Let us try to do it in the spirit of Canada with our hearts and minds and not bloodshed. The revolution must come. •

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