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Truther, Birther, Deather, Part 3

"Only puny secrets need protection. Big discoveries are protected by public incredulity." – Marshall McLuhan (1911-1980), Canadian educator, philosopher, communication theorist

In Part 1, I suggested that an already-dead Osama bin Laden (OBL) was *not* recently killed (again), as was claimed by the White House in ever-changing, implausible film-noir details incredibly lacking in verifiable proof. In Part 2, I pointed to evidence that Obama's supposed birth certificate was a computer-generated fabrication, and that the Osamathon might have been rushed to distract us from "Birther-gate." Or, both events might be part of a larger psyops deception, of which U.S. history is replete.

Until the recent re-death of OBL, I agreed with W's 2002 comment: "I don't really think about him very much. I'm not that concerned." And, until the evidence mounted that Obama was likely lying about both OBL and the BC, I hadn't given much thought to the "Birther" claims, other than to laugh at them, as did most media-bobble-heads. Ironically, my own "Birther" suspicions only began because of the suspect nature of the certificate! Which made me wonder about various other mysteries re Obama's birth, childhood, education, employment, and associations, which, though not yet proving rank duplicity, now seemed at least plausible questions worthy of further investigation.

I think one of the main reasons for the "I killed bin Laden" ploy just now was to take the 9/11 Mantle away from Bush Jr. in order to garner the same benefits. Note the similar irrational boost in polls, the silencing of critics, the confounding of potential opponents, the macho warning to other tin-horns who don't play ball with us... all these suggest this was to be Obama's own WMD (Weapons of Mass Deception/Distraction) gambit. But, alas, in for a penny, in for a pound, and all the baggage and tar, to boot.

Obama has now rubber-stamped nearly all of Bush's lies about OBL, al Qaeda, terrorist threats, Iraq (except explicit WMD's), Afghanistan, and 9/11. He's extended the so-called PATRIOT Act, ignored promises to quickly extricate us from two quagmires (indeed, has increased troop and contractor deployments and opened *new* invasion theaters), hasn't gone after bankster thieves while cracking down on whistleblowers even harder than Bush. That's the "Change You Can Believe In!TM" most voters bought?)

Once you take credit for summarily offing the biggest, baddest, most evil arch-fiend on the planet, you have to maintain the original fable of his supreme evilness, or else you'd have a lot of 'splainin' to do to the World Court. Repeating his slam: "And I think that anyone who would question that the perpetrator of mass murder on American soil didn't deserve what he got needs to have their head examined." Well, sir, may I humbly suggest that anyone who *doesn't* question the absurd *official government conspiracy theory* about the events of 9/11 has already put his head so far up his own rectum that it would require a proctologist rather than a psychiatrist to examine it.

Here's the fairytale: Nineteen Arabs (maybe... the flight manifests, which haven't been released, didn't have Arab names on them, and at least six of the supposed hijackers turned up alive and elsewhere over the next weeks, or were shown to be connected to or paid by intelligence agencies, e.g., CIA, FBI, ISI, MI6) with only box cutters (according to only ONE source, Barbara Olson's supposed phone call to her husband Ted, who lied, because the FBI proved the call couldn't have been made), who conveniently left Qurans, flight manuals, and other

incriminating items in cars, after carousing too obviously in bars the night before, orchestrated by a guy on dialysis in a hospital (or cave), defeated the whole U.S. intelligence and defense forces; thin aluminum jets penetrated reinforced targets (built to withstand such crashes) like knives through butter, flown with a precision such poor pilots couldn't have had; they suspended the laws of physics when at least *three* tall steel-frame-and-core structures collapsed at near free-fall speeds from limited, oxygen-starved kerosene fires (fire has never, before or since, brought down that type of structure), mostly converting to micron-sized dust before hitting the ground, leaving craters rather than hundreds of thousands of tons of steel, concrete, office equipment, bodies, or parts of any actual planes. But further...

Ignore molten metal and radiation that remained in the basement for weeks. Ignore reports of multiple explosions throughout the building confirmed by multiple responders (while other witnesses saw explosions but *no* planes), and military-grade explosives residue found in the dust. Believe in cell phone calls that physically couldn't have been made. Though dozens of cameras are trained on the Pentagon, we only get to see three or so still frames, none of which shows a 757. Ignore initial pictures showing a single round hole much smaller than a 757, too low to the ground, continuing through *three* reinforced building rings, with no wall marks of engine, tail, or wings and no 757 engines or other parts found. Ignore that Dick Cheney was running multiple simulations of JUST SUCH an attack, and confirming the stand down order not to intercept, etc., etc.

So-called "Truthers" are ridiculed for merely asking such questions, or pointing to such holes in the official story, which is *all* they should have to do to make it suspect. Though some have put forth theories to explain things, to require any to prove theirs *is* the only true version is unfair and misses the point. Only an honest, objective subpoena-power inquiry could do that. The "9/11 Commission" didn't do that, nor did NIST, nor FEMA.

No involved official has been punished, demoted, or fired for this massive failure. Was there fore-knowledge? Complicity? Or, Heaven help us, a false-flag inside job?

Consider... who other than highly-placed officials in the government, *or* rogue covert elements in the shadows, had the ability to orchestrate *or* cover-up such a massive operation? Certainly not OBL and his ragtag band! Besides, Osama did NOT admit to the crime! On *four* occasions immediately after 9/11 he denied involvement, e.g., in a statement issued to Al Jazeera he said, "The U.S. government has consistently blamed me for being behind every occasion its enemies attack it. I would like to assure the world that I did not plan the recent attacks, which seems to have been planned by people for personal reasons."

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Any "admissions" you think you saw or heard were by actors who don't even look like OBL, with translations by the CIA! Experts who studied the tapes pointed out they are frauds, as the images and voices don't match known OBL tapes, the words are not in his style, they were conveniently "found" by the CIA or government-paid contractors. Same with "al Qaeda," which is a CIA-created entity, and, again, we don't know if any actual aQ people said anything; we just have the CIA's say so. The FBI's "Most Wanted" poster for OBL still doesn't include the 9/11 attacks! Their chief of investigative publicity explained in 2006: "The FBI has no hard evidence connecting bin Laden to 9/11."

Well, as in the movies, just when you thought it was all over, a hand reaches up from the grave and – SURPRISE! – a sequel looms! (We have to protect our franchises!)

Stay tuned for the thrilling Part 4 conclusion (honest), which includes my Hollywood-esque version of 9/11. It's a script worthy of Tom Clancy or Jerry Bruckheimer, which, as fantastic as it will seem, differs from the official story in that mine better conforms to the known facts and evidence!