

EDITORIAL

Einstein and the New Paradigm

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Aug. 9—Do you realize the truly historical significance of the present moment? It is beyond what most people have experienced in their lifetimes.

People have to realize, no matter what these fools do—Wall Street, London, Hillary, Obama—their system is going down. They're not going to be able to save it. And the idea of continuing to run their proxy wars and bluffs and intimidation against the emerging, rising system of China and Russia,— that literally means the extinction of mankind.

Look at this moment in historical perspective: For centuries these kinds of things happened—catastrophic and destructive collapses of empires—but the societies re-emerged. Now they're playing the same game, the same old geopolitical imperial game: Who is going to be the dominant force in the world—will London and Wall Street allow their perceived dominance to collapse? Will they try to hold on and attempt to destroy any “threatening” power? What does that mean *today*, at this stage in the development of mankind? *It means annihilation!* We're talking about thermonuclear weapons;

we're talking about a level of destruction that has never occurred, something that would wipe out global civilization. It is not inevitable; but it *is* the consequence of the delusion that they can somehow prop up the current system and keep it going.

The *new* paradigm that Lyndon and Helga LaRouche are working to create, centers around the fundamental question: What is the nature of mankind? If you're talking about creating something new—forget trying to fix *this* system—where do you look? You look to science, you look to our understanding about what mankind is. What is mankind's mission? What is mankind's potential? What is mankind's nature as a species?

China's win-win policy is a very strong expression in resonance with that principle. We don't need geopolitics! We don't need this crap any more. There's not a finite supply of wealth on this planet! If you want to act like an imperial fool, of a relic of man that should have been gone centuries ago, that's going to lead to the destruction of mankind in the thermonuclear age. Mankind can continually



Nagasaki, August 9, 1945, after the dropping of the 21-kiloton plutonium bomb. A Japanese doctor wrote, “It seemed like the end of the world.”

create orders-of-magnitude leaps in the total wealth available for society, the creation of economic value—but only when we act human. This is what China is doing with its lunar program, going to the back side of the Moon. This is what we could do with the creation of a fusion economy.

People have to put themselves on that level; the present crisis represents the potential for that kind of historic shift. But we need to make that shift, or we're not going to continue to exist. Despite what they teach Americans in so-called education today, there's no steady state in the Universe; there is no principle of equilibrium, only a principle of progress. The Universe is telling mankind, "All right, you've reached this critical point. Are you going to progress and take the next step, or are you going to go the way of the dinosaur, choosing the destiny to which Obama and Hillary are committed?"

No Possible Incremental Rescue

That is the level of qualitative challenge before us, and this perspective is critical to lift people out of the mental gutter created by the media today, the gutter of the elections, the endless propaganda war against Russia and China—it's all insanity. You need an outside—or higher—perspective to grasp the actual historic moment before us. This system is done. This system was done in 2008. This system was known to be doomed when LaRouche presented his Triple Curve in the 1990s. It took a little while to play out, but you didn't think it ended with the 2008 blowout, did you? If you thought the bail-out fixed anything—my God! It's just insanity.

People have got to realize this game is over, and it's up to us to act, in conformity with the reality of this historic moment, and act for the creation of the new orientation.

The needed new paradigm centers around the true nature and destiny of mankind, *which means science*. As Mr. LaRouche has recently emphasized, it means true scientific creativity, of the quality that died with Albert Einstein. Einstein came out of a current of science going back to Cusa and the Renaissance: Cusa's work, then Kepler's, Leibniz's subsequent discoveries,

and on through Gauss and Riemann. Einstein came out of this revolutionary Renaissance scientific thinking that was centered on the discovery that the human mind is not just something that objectively figures things out about the Universe: It is the highest expression of a creative Universe—it is true *creativity*, nothing less.

That creativity is not deduction; it is not a combination of pre-existing components. It's a human capability for the generation of something fundamentally new which does not derive its existence from lower predicates. That's what the human mind does, that's how the Universe is organized, that's what Einstein understood. He was the last to wage a fight against a fraudulent opposing trend that was taking over science, typified by Bertrand Russell. That insight into what true science is, has been largely lost, except for the activity of Mr. LaRouche and some people he has provoked around these ideas.

True science has to come to the fore again, if we're going to talk about a future for mankind; we uniquely recreate our existence on successively higher levels, something no animal does. But how do we do that? We don't just go find resources. We don't just find things; it's what the human mind does. It's what Einstein did. Einstein shows how mankind completely recreates his existence on higher levels, in more a fundamental resonance with the organization of the Universe. Einstein typifies the true source of human progress.

If we don't consciously have that understanding before us, we are not going to be able to continue this critical process. That is the benchmark for what is needed for society today. In the United States, the relative few of us who are still sane are fighting for the future and collaborating with like-minded elements worldwide.

It is a unifying mission before our entire species right now, to come up to the level of understanding that we are responsible for defending the very existence of humanity, the creative species. It means casting aside the failed leading institutions as a sad relic of history that in the future, we will look back on without regret.