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-and a little bit of Truth**

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This essay is **not** suitable-reading for American Presidents and their Generals.

It **will** spoil their day.

A simplified background to the American and Australian invasion of Vietnam.

It was in the year 1887, that **the French** 'colonized' Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, giving them the name '**Indochine Francais**'.

The French ruled their colony in true, cruel, colonial fashion.

In the years between 1941 and 1945, -during World War Two, the Japanese occupied Vietnam.

With the defeat of the Japanese, the French returned,

and they returned to their old colonial ways of cruel domination, and exploitation

but, -in Vietnam, something had changed.

A fifty-five-year-old man named **Ho Chi Minh** had something to say about it.

Ho Chi Minh did not like to see his country being raped by the French, so he led a revolution.

By 1954, he and his fellow revolutionaries had driven the French from their country,

-but liberty and freedom was not to be, because

America had massive vested-interests in the exploitation of the Vietnamese people,

and the **American Multi-Nationals** said- "**If the Vietnamese are allowed to get away with it,**

it will encourage the other exploited nations to do the same."

'That' was 'the real reason' behind America's unprovoked and unjustified invasion of defenceless Vietnam in November 1955.

Sadly, Ho Chi Minh did not survive to see the Americans driven from his country.

He died on the 2nd September 1969, aged Seventy-Nine.

When a nation declares war upon, and invades another nation, and when the fighting, the killing, and the dying, are all done, it is the nation that is still standing who is the victor, 'the winner'.

The one that runs away is 'the loser'.

On 25 June 1950, the then American President, Harry S. Truman, -the then commander-in-chief of **the mighty American War Machine**, said to **his British-Puppet-Army**, and to **his Australian-Puppet-Army**,

"Come on boys, were off to war",

and together, **-and without justification**, they 'invaded' little Korea.

It was on 27 July 1953 that the invaders, **-facing certain defeat, 'begged'** for a cease-fire.

Under cover of the cease-fire 'they hastily escaped from Korea', -they 'fled'.

The war still rages on, but the defeated invaders refuse to admit that **'they ran away'**, yet only the Koreans remain. No American Army, no Puppet Army anywhere to be seen.

The defeated invaders, **-'the losers'**, -together with their puppet-armies, ran away but, -as with **a cowardly bully** who shouts abuse from behind the safety of a high wall, **the mighty American War Machine** constantly cruises, -threateningly, up and down the Korean coast, unnecessarily employing tormenting war-strategies, and practicing for **another** invasion, causing the Korean people to have to arm themselves, in readiness for **'the return of the losers'**.

To make life even harder, and more difficult for the unfortunate Korean people, **the cowardly bully** uses its economic power to force **'its grovelling-sycophantic-puppets'** (that's us.) to impose stringent sanctions against the Korean people.

It next happened, -on **02 August 1954**, -or so we are led to believe, that in the Gulf of Tonkin, **inside** Vietnamese territorial waters, a little Vietnamese boy, on a tiny fishing boat, fired his pea-shooter at the mighty USS Maddox. This, -they claimed, was reason-enough for America to declare war upon defenceless Vietnam, -or at least, that was the excuse that the Americans used.

On **01 November 1955**, the then American President, Lyndon B. Johnson, -the then commander-in-chief of **the mighty American War Machine**, said to **his British-Puppet-Army**, and to **his Australian-Puppet-Army**,
“Come on boys, you’re off to war.”

The British however, -still sorely smarting after their humiliating defeat in Korea, ‘gave him the finger’, and told him to do his own invading, but America’s Australian-Puppet-Government, ‘terrified of invasion by the surrounding Asian horde’, -and anxious to not displease its American master and protector, quickly initiated military conscription and, with **the brave Americans**, the Australian puppet-army **invaded defenceless little Vietnam**, where together **they bravely slaughtered** innocent and defenceless villagers, -where **they purposely poisoned** the vegetation, the waters, and the soils with the chemical ‘**Dioxin**’, -where they again, **bravely**, planted thousands of **American-made land-mines**, and where they, **very-bravely**, dropped thousands of **American-made bombs, -disguised as ‘toys’, to blind the eyes, and to blow the limbs off innocent, unsuspecting, little Vietnamese children** and then, -as if that wasn’t enough, **they dropped ‘burning napalm’ onto other little children.**

In the major cities and towns, Australians, -in unison with caring people around the world, protested against **this vile, cowardly, criminal, and inhuman American - Australian behaviour.**

We chanted incessantly: *"Hey, hey, L.B.J. How many kids have you killed today?"*

'L.B.J' being that big hero U.S President, Lyndon Bain Johnson.

The up-to-then, 'worst-ever Yankee War Criminal',
-equalled only by Australia's own 'Parliamentary War Criminals'.

Well in 1972, Australians elected a man who, -of the likes of Paul Keating, was undoubtedly, the only decent, honest Prime Minister that Australia had ever had.

'Gough Whitlam'.

About two years later, Prime Minister Whitlam defied the Americans
and pulled Australian troops out of Vietnam,
-declaring the invasion to be **'criminal, and completely without justification'**.

It was not long after that, -on 30 April 1975, -almost twenty years after first invading,
-and now without Australian help,
that **the mighty American War Machine** was driven-back to Saigon, **-by Vietnamese peasants,**
from where **'the mighty American War Machine very hastily escaped from Vietnam'**,
or as many would, -more truthfully say, **'once again fled defeated'**,
treacherously abandoning their South Vietnamese Army allies as they fled.

Once again defeated by poorly fed, poorly clothed, poorly trained, and poorly equipped peasants.

It was a copy of Korea, and a practice run for Afghanistan, Iraq, Syria, and Iran.

This page was added on 18 November 2020.

Speaking on the Senate floor, -on the afternoon of Monday 16 November 2020,
Kentucky Republican **Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell** said,
-in respect of Donald Trump's plans to flee from Afghanistan.

**"Pulling US troops out of Afghanistan
'would be as humiliating for America' as was the Vietnam War defeat in 1975".**

This was reported by each of-
David Choi. dchoi@businessinsider.com
and by Steven Nelson of the New York Post on the same date

The reader may also care to refer to-
<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/world/pulling-us-troops-out-of-afghanistan-would-be-as-humiliating-as-vietnam-war-defeat-top-republican-says/ar-BB1b4a65?li=BBnb7Kz>

**Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell was then the second most powerful politician in the U.S.A.
Second only to the President of the United States of America.**

What more-reliable-confirmation of the truth could the reader possibly need?

If the reader would care to learn more of the truth,
John Bowman's book, titled- "**The Vietnam War: An Almanac**"
may be of interest.

Amongst lots of other things, it tells of how up to

'One-point-six Million Vietnamese men, women and little children'
out of a population of only 'Eighteen Million'
were **'Butchered', 'Slaughtered', or 'Murdered',***
in a joint 'American-Australian adventure'.

* use whichever word you choose, the meaning is the same, **'War Crimes'**.

The writer has never had any contact with Mr. Bowman, nor with any of his representatives.

Australian and American War Crimes in Afghanistan were nothing new.

It was to protect their 'criminal, exploitive, commercial interests' in Vietnam that was the reason why America invaded a harmless, unarmed, and exploited nation and, -as is the way of the Americans, they lacked the courage to do it alone, so they dragged the mug Australian puppets into it.

Australia had no justification whatsoever for declaring war on the Vietnamese.

Today, 'the Australian Puppets' proudly speak of 'the Korean War' and 'the Vietnam War', and of 'War Heroes', and 'they celebrate their defeat and their retreat from each of them'.

But the Korean and Vietnamese adventures were never 'a War', they were each 'an Invasion', -an unjustified and unjustifiable Invasion of a defenceless, harmless, exploited nation, where innocent Korean and Vietnamese little children, defenceless unarmed women, and old men, who were merely trying to defend their own country were ruthlessly slaughtered.

-there is nothing 'Heroic' about that!

-and be under no illusion. In respect of America's behaviour,
NOTHING HAS CHANGED,

and the gut-less, brain-dead Australian politicians continue to grovel at their master's feet.

End of Story.