APPENDIX: THE TEN RULES OF CRIME GUN-ONOMICS

A Gun On The Black Market Goes For About Two To Six Times The Price It Costs In A Shop, Depending On Location And Circumstances.

When It Is A Ghost Gun, With No Serial Number, It Increases The Value Of The Weapon.

A Gun That Is "Burned" (Used In A Murder) Is A Devalued Product And Will Sell Much Cheaper.

If A Buyer Is Beefing (i.e., Somebody Wants To Hurt Them), They Are A *Distressed Buyer* And The Price Shoots Up Dramatically.

Guns Can Be Bartered, Especially For Drugs.

Guns And Bullets Can Be Used As Currency.

A Big Criminal Organization Can Utilize Its Manpower To Acquire Guns More Cheaply Than Buying From Gunrunners.

Having A Cause That A Government Agency Wants To Sponsor Is A Way To Get Cheap Or Free Guns.

It's Cheaper To Steal A Gun Than To Buy A Gun.

Having Lots Of Guns Allows You To Seize More Guns.

BLOOD GUN MONEY: How America Arms Gangs And Cartels Ioan Grillo Bloomsbury Publishing (2021)

P9, "And She Reminded Jurors Of A Witness Who Had Described El Chapo Personally Shooting Dead Two Captives As He Shouted "a chingar a su madre" OR "FUCK YOUR MOTHER."

[Ed. Note: I Have Adopted a chingar a su madre As My Preferred PFUCK YOU Parting Shot. Werks For Me, It Does.]

LORD OF WAR

LORD OF WAR Is A 2005 Film Starring Nicholas Cage, Ethan Hawke, Jared Leto; Written And Directed By Andrew Niccol. This Story Is A Fictional Account Of Russian Arms Dealer Yuri Orlov Which Is Primarily Based On The Prolific *Real Life* Russian Arms Dealer, Viktor Bout, aka "The Merchant Of Death." In 2022, Bout Returned To Russia As Part Of A Swap/Release With WNBA Player Brittney Griner. Mr Bout's Unique Skill Set Is Said To Now Be Deployed In The Russian-Occupied Areas Of Eastern Ukraine. Courtesy Of imdb.com, Set Forth Below Is Dialogue Which I Found To Be Notable.

Early Scene Between Andre Baptiste, Sr (Warlord) And Yuri Orlov:

ABS: They Say That I Am The Lord Of War, But Perhaps It Is You. YO: I Believe It's "Warlord." ABS: Thank You, But I Prefer It My Way.

Where There's A Will, There's A War On.

There Are Over 550 Million Firearms In Worldwide Circulation. That's One Firearm For Every Twelve People On The Planet. The Only Question Is: How Do We Arm The Other 11? arf! arf! arf!

The First And Most Important Rule Of Gunrunning Is:

Never Get Shot With Your Own Merchandise.

[Ed. Note: Right On, Mon. Right-The-Pfuck-On.]

There Are Two Tragedies In Life. One Is Not Getting What You Want, The Other Is Getting It.

I'm Not Saying I Didn't Have Setbacks. It's Not Called "Gunrunning" For Nothing. You've Gotta Be Fast On Your Feet. Some Revolutions Blow Over Before The Guns Even Get There. There's Nothing More Expensive For An Arms Dealer Than Peace.

On The 2016 Campaign Trail...*

"I Think That Her Bodyguards Should Drop All Weapons.

They Should Disarm. Right? Right.

They Should Disarm Immediately. What Do You Think?

Yes? Yes. Yeah. Take Their Guns Away.

She Doesn't Want Guns. Take Their...

Let's See What Happens To Her."

^{*} McCandidate Trump At A Miami, Fl Campaign Rally On 16 September 2016.