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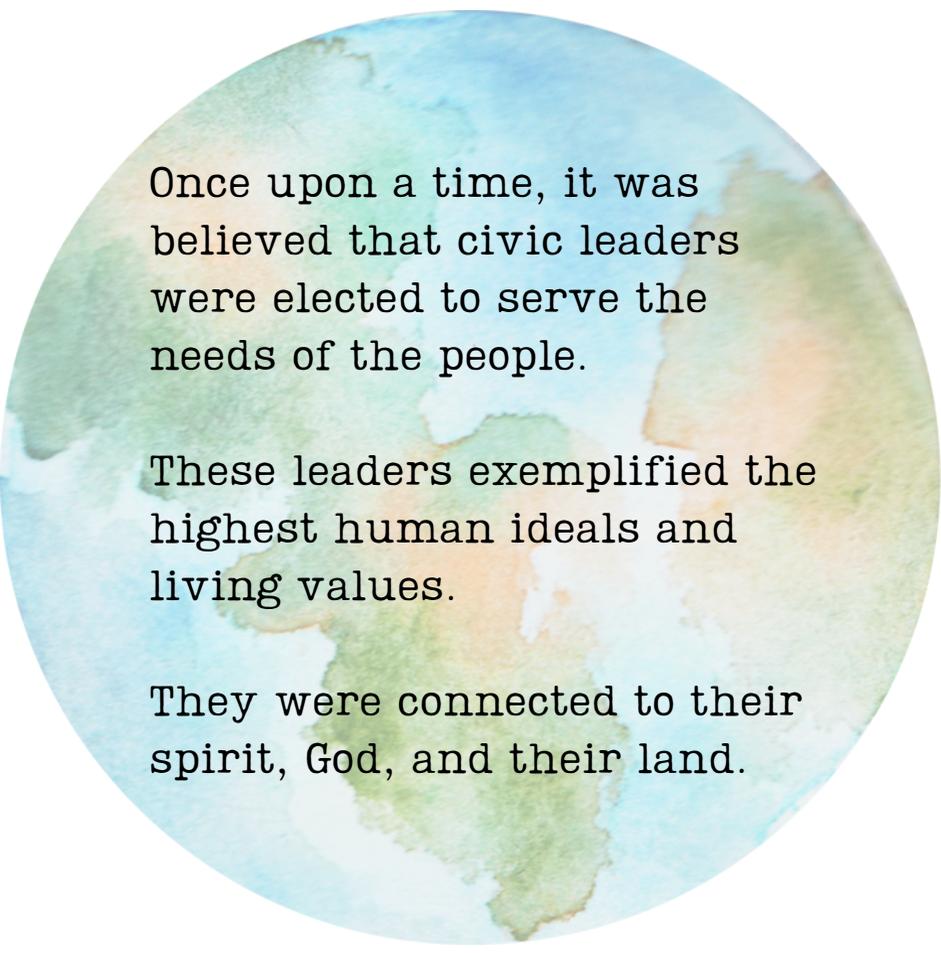
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Dedicated to all future leaders.



Once upon a time, it was
believed that civic leaders
were elected to serve the
needs of the people.

These leaders exemplified the
highest human ideals and
living values.

They were connected to their
spirit, God, and their land.

The new leaders of the land were different.

For every problem they created, they had a ready-made solution, a marketing strategy, and an iron-clad legal plan-- hardly an innovative or democratic plan.



“They have an incredible gift for creating the illusion of power, for convincing trusting citizens that their way is the best-- all the while mocking and undermining others, and enriching themselves.” – a former wise leader

“Sadly, theirs are not the talents that qualify anyone to lead a diverse population in practical or responsible ways. These are not the leaders we need today” – a concerned citizen

“They’re well positioned to use technology and leverage the law to override, override, override.”
– a government official



The newly elected leaders presented solutions that benefited their logic. In truth, their only goal was to take over the land.

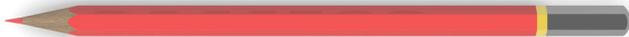
“We’re going to protect you and take good care of you” they said.

The new leaders believed they had the intelligence and might to take over people’s freedom, shared lands, and rights.

IDEAS

DEVELOPMENT

SUCCESS



The leaders behaved as if they were the greatest-- not once considering that others had already walked in their shoes.

“We have the best values-- we hope you’ll follow our example because you obviously don’t have a clue.”



They also seemed unaware of the dangers of undermining citizens and alienating fellow allies -- long-time friends. This was not of importance to them.

They acted as if they were living in their own self-made world.



When the fabric of society began to breakdown, the leaders simply doubled-down.

They restated their talking points and demanded that everyone just stop their nonsense and get inline.

“We need to traumatize everyone -- they don't have the bandwidth or loyalty to honor our needs, they need to fear for their jobs.” - a top strategist remarked.



Any time a microphone was near
the leaders would all say the same:

“We have the best values. We know
better than anyone. We say what goes.
We make the laws.”



Even though independent auditors already existed, the leaders assigned a special Terminator to audit all departments and ensure citizens were mesmerized and terrified.



The Terminator had no awareness (or interest) in how frightening they sounded. They had no heart. They could only use their words to get their self-serving points across.

There was no mercy or tolerance-- that was not their role.

To the people, it appeared as if the Terminator was engaging in a duel -- a very dangerous one with them.

COMPLY OR ELSE...



That's when the first cracks began to appear-- when things previously done in secret began to be done in plain sight.

“JUSTIFY YOUR EXISTENCE, NOW!!!”

The people of the land were indeed terrified.

When thousands of individuals were removed from their jobs and thousands more were displaced, millions watched in horror as the leaders announced “they're all a huge waste!”

JUSTIFY YOUR EXISTENCE!!!





Everyone who understood realized this was an important moment -- a repetition of history that had finally reached its prime.

As more and more groups of people were thrust into grieving they became enraged and began unbelieving.

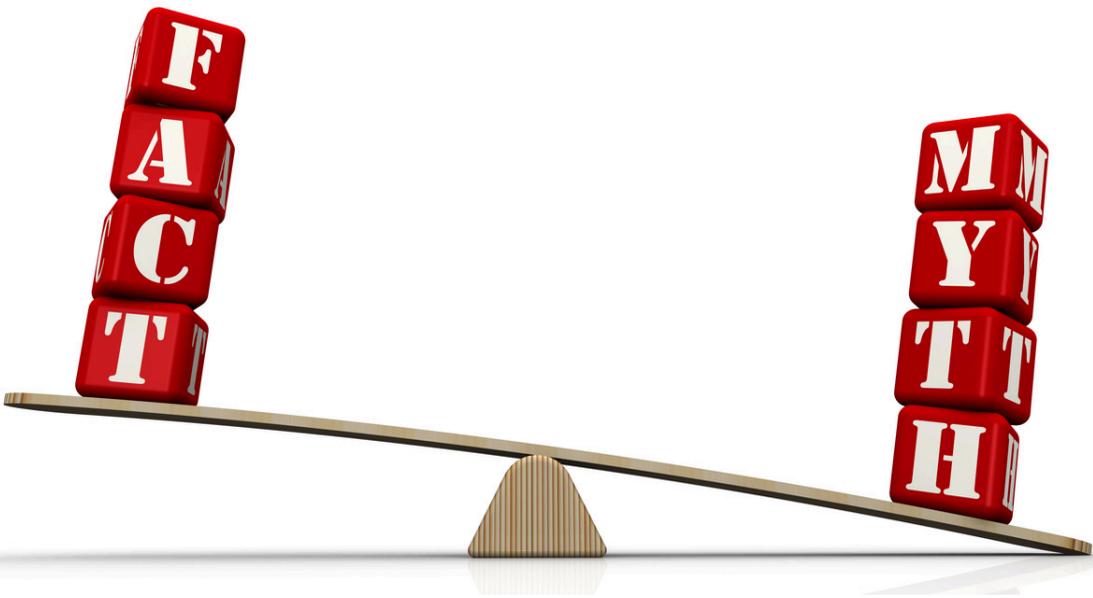


Little by little, the people of the land realized the new leaders were inhumane --- that their country had been handed over to fast-talking terminators who didn't care about others, only about themselves.



Any time anyone raised objections, the leaders used their self-appointed powers to intimidate, audit, and deny. They truly believed it was their God-given right

They were like heartless robots-- not a shred of humanity was evident in any of their words, actions, or plans.



Their lies grew so heavy, they could not be ignored. This was not what the people voted for.

The people had elected them because they had grown weary of governments funding wars and subsidizing industries -- the entire economy was built off their backs!

The people were looking for real solutions-- not baits, clever marketers, empty promises, and more fancy plans.

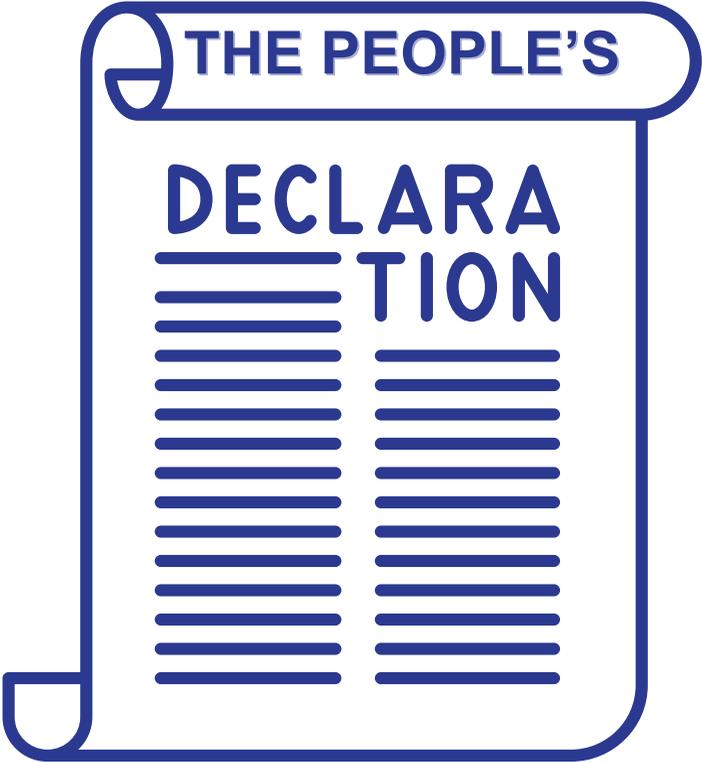


It was clear the people had a responsibility, for they were complicit -- they had elected leaders who didn't represent the highest values or good of the land.

The people had outsourced their dreams and aspirations to leaders governing from ancient ideas that most, except them, had outgrown.

The people had trusted smart-talking elites, who had forgotten that history repeats.

When the people realized they had outsourced their power, this truly became their most potent hour.



That's when the hearts and minds of
the people became fully activated.

They understood they were the leaders
who didn't know-- and that they were
the leaders they were waiting for.



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