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Romneymania!

(posted by Steven W. Baker / SteveB, Jan. 26, 2012)

As amazing as this article sounds, I guess I have to believe it, because it's in *The Onion*. What can I say? I'm hooked too! **Mittmania!!! Catch it!**

"Romneymania Sweeps America" *The Onion*

Jan. 25, 2012, (<http://www.theonion.com/articles/romneymania-sweeps-america,27155/>)

(TAMPA FI) From coast to coast, town to town, and in nearly every public meeting place and private residence across America, millions have been captivated, inspired, and in some cases moved to tears by presidential candidate Mitt Romney, the former Massachusetts governor who now finds himself campaigning before a nation in the throes of full-scale Romneymania.

"The raw energy and enthusiasm Mitt Romney stirs inside people is like nothing I've ever seen," Youngstown, OH auto mechanic Chris Ritenour said Wednesday. "Everything he says resonates with Americans. His moving story of growing up privileged, his inspiring rise from moderate wealth to overwhelming riches, his thrilling work in the highest echelons of corporate finance—he really speaks to the heart and mind of the common man."

"I don't think there's been a presidential candidate this exciting and magnetic in generations, if ever." Ritenour continued. "I am a Romneymaniac."

Young or old, rich or poor, Americans have been united by Romneymania.

As Romneymania has grown, the Republican candidate has crossed over from political figure to cultural phenomenon. Countless reverent portraits of Romney have appeared in storefront windows and on building facades throughout the country, often accompanied by one of the candidate's signature inspirational phrases, like "Let Detroit go bankrupt" or "Corporations are people, my friend."

Internet sources confirmed "Mitt" has become the top search term of 2012, while the blogosphere and social media sites have been dominated by discussions of the star candidate's endearing personality quirks, gossip about the relationship statuses of his five sons, and continual chatter over which designers his wife, Ann, wears.

In addition, commemorative plates and various other trinkets featuring Romney's likeness have reportedly been sold out for weeks.

"Mitt's firm belief in unlimited corporate campaign donations is what first got me really excited," said 48-year-old pipe fitter David Flores, adding that another reason he joined "Romney Nation" was because he found it "pretty cool" that Romney pays a lower income tax rate than he does. "Money is speech—that's what the First Amendment is all about. Finally, there's a candidate who speaks directly to me."

As primary season continues, Americans from all walks of life tune in loyally to Romney's stump speeches, with those in attendance so overwhelmed by the candidate's rousing oratory skills that many pass out from the excitement.

While surveys show Romneymania has swept across almost every demographic, Romney's appeal among the nation's youth, in particular, is nearly unanimous. Many young Americans acknowledged they had felt disillusioned by politics until hearing Romney's explanation of how his coordination of corporate funding for the 2002 Salt Lake City Winter Olympics renders him uniquely qualified to be president, an assertion they said immediately revived their faith in American democracy.

"Simply put, when Mitt Romney speaks, he inspires people to be better," said political scientist Deborah Klein of Brown University, adding that given his effusive charisma, people are likely to follow the Republican candidate anywhere. "Anytime he meets factory workers on the campaign trail or stands at the podium in a debate, his reputation as a highly relatable man of the people is indisputable."

"It's easy to see why Americans can't get enough Mitt," Klein added.

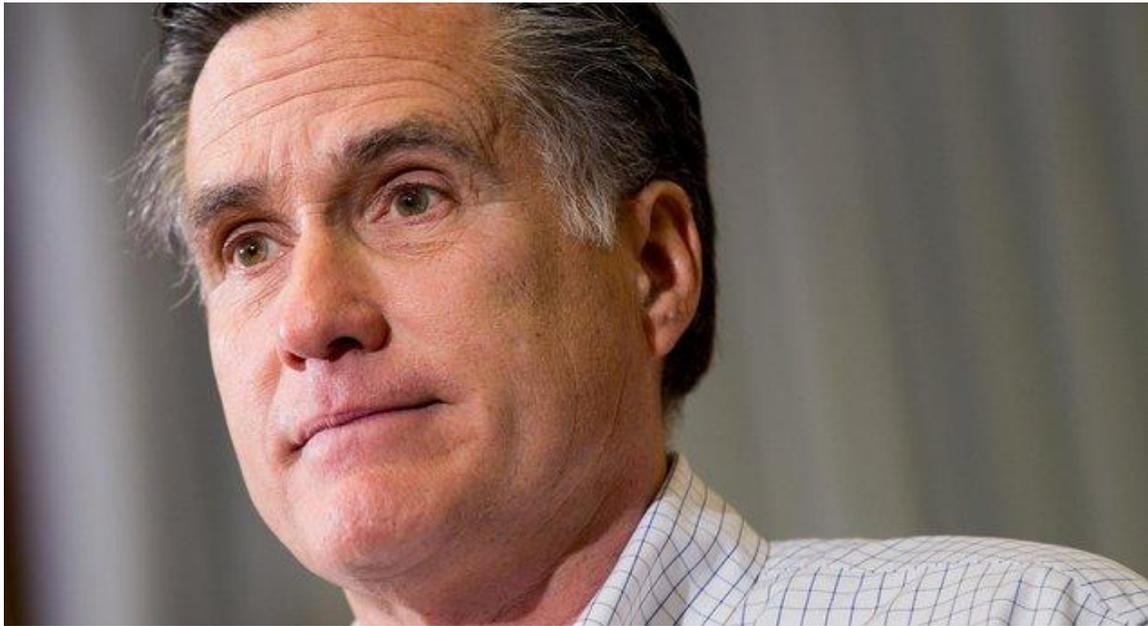
During a stop in Tampa, FL earlier this week, Romney was seen whipping a crowd of thousands into a delirious frenzy with his beloved, decade-old talking points about how he is not a career politician. The candidate reportedly inspired optimism and confidence by explaining he "never actually supported an individual mandate for health insurance at the federal level," a battle cry that prompted the audience to chant his name for five straight minutes.

In a moment his supporters called "genuine" and "down-to-earth," Romney then told the crowd that he, too, is currently unemployed and truly understands the fear of being laid off.

"It's amazing to hear your deepest convictions articulated so poignantly by a politician," said out-of-work Denver resident Austin Matthews, 36, admitting he had never before encountered a candidate—or any human being, for that matter—who had connected with him on such a basic emotional level. "He comes right out and says that any acknowledgment of income inequality in the United States is driven solely by bitterness and envy from the lower classes and shouldn't even be discussed publicly. It's like he's tapped directly into the soul of everyday Americans."

"Mitt Romney is the voice of our generation," Matthews added.

At press time, Romney's latest Twitter post, reading, "Had a surprise guest at today's event—my grandson Miles," had been retweeted more than 150 million times.



The most electrifying candidate in the history of American politics.

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I'm attaching a PDF copy of today's Newsletter. You might find it nicer to read than the email version. It is also a smaller file.

PDF versions of all the Newsletters are available for reading or download on the website:

<http://www.friendsofthemiddle.org>.

The Blog is off to a slow start, but traffic is picking-up on the website. We're starting to show-up on Google and getting new subscribers almost every day.

Anyway, enjoy. And thank you one and all for your help, your writing, and most importantly, your reading!

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| 20120125-02 | 10:51 | Marci | Re: FotM Newsletter (reply to SteveB, above) |
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"Mitch Daniels: Bombast From The Past" by Joe Conason, The National Memo

Jan. 25, 2012, (<http://www.nationalmemo.com/article/mitch-daniels-bombast-past>)

Why the Republicans chose Mitch Daniels -- the former Indiana governor who once thrilled right-wing pundits as a 2012 hopeful -- to deliver a rebuttal to President Obama's State of the Union address is puzzling. His uninspiring remarks surely killed the Daniels fad, revived lately as Republicans fret over the unappetizing choices available in their primary.

By shining the spotlight on Daniels, the Republicans risked losing much more than a political rescue fantasy. He isn't merely a politician who looks like an accountant; he actually was an accountant -- or at least he played one during the Bush years, when he served as director of the Office of Management and Budget. Listening to him drone on about fiscal rectitude just might have reminded voters of the true source of our national problems.

"Mitch Daniels...Isn't he the former Bush budget director who said the Iraq war would cost \$50 billion when it ended up costing \$3 trillion? The bureaucrat who promoted the Bush tax cuts when we were fighting two wars? The one whose budget projections were so fraudulent that he predicted federal surpluses in 2004 and 2005? Why the hell should we listen to him criticize Obama?"

That last is a highly pertinent question, although whether most viewers could watch Daniels long enough to ask it may be doubtful. Honest economic analysis shows that the great bulk of the deficits going forward stem from spending and taxation decisions made during the Bush era, which Obama is now doing his best to remedy, by bringing troops home from Iraq and ending the Bush tax cuts.

Daniels came close to admitting that embarrassing truth when he said that the president faced problems not of his making. And during the ex-governor's speech there were other brief moments when he sounded as if he might want to return to the hustings as his party's voice of reason. (That won't happen, not only because nobody in his party wants to remember George W. Bush, but because his personal life is too peculiar to withstand media exposure.) He made a few bipartisan noises, separating himself from the most extreme anti-Obama rhetoric heard in his party.

On the whole, however, Daniels chose to assault Obama using the familiar language of the Republicans in Congress -- and with equal dishonesty. There is no need to dwell at length on what he said when a few examples will suffice.

When he said that the president "cannot claim that the last three years have made matters anything but worse" -- and attacked the administration for spending "borrowed money" to counter the recession -- he must have known that every reputable economist believes the Obama stimulus saved the country from depression. Having written Indiana's budget when the stimulus money arrived in his state capital, he certainly knows that without the Recovery Act, unemployment, deficits, and suffering on the state and national levels would have been far worse. He took

nearly \$2 billion that Obama sent to Indiana -- the money he said the president "borrowed and blew" -- because it saved his state's budgets and jobs, and made him look good. And he also knows that the Bush administration's squandering of the Clinton surplus left Obama with little choice except to borrow when the recession struck.

Daniels promised that Republicans would "level" with us about the hard fiscal facts -- but he lacked the courage to admit that raising taxes will eventually be part of any realistic solution. It was certainly part of his own solution to difficulties in Indiana, where he balanced state budgets not only by using federal stimulus money, but by raising the sales tax.

He is far from the worst in his party, but he is no political savior. With nothing to lose, he could have served a real purpose by challenging his own party to confront basic facts about spending and taxes that he could not avoid as governor. He is fortunate that this political moment -- and his choice of pander over candor -- will be instantly forgotten.

20120125-05 12:33 Art Re: "Mitch Daniels: Bombast from the Past" (reply to SteveG, above)

Do ya think some of these guys may have a little trouble sleeping at night? I mean they all can't be completely stupid and I have yet to see any discussion that stands any shred of logic to support their positions. They must know this. How would you feel standing up in front of millions of Americans knowing you were telling lies?

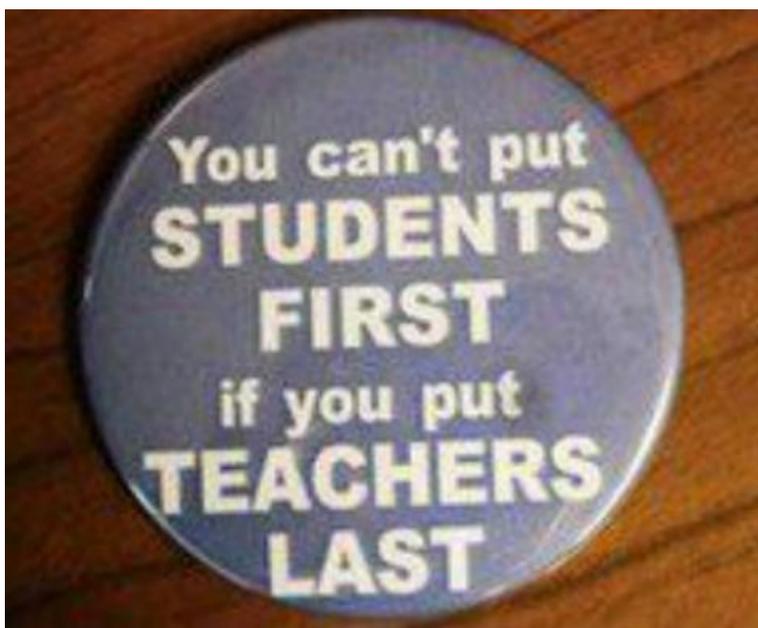
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Complete history re-write. George, Cheney, Rumsfeld went down that road in their books. Daniels is a real piece of work and has really done Indiana in. He will leave the state with a surplus somewhere in the \$1.12 billion area -- found an account they didn't know about with \$320 million. Has really cut services for people with disabilities, Medicaid, education. But, he has money left and that is the measure the Republicans seem to cherish.

20120125-04 12:29 SteveG Button: Education

from MoveOn's Daily Share (Jan. 25, 2012):

A Message For All Those Education-Budget Cutters — <http://front.moveon.org/a-message-for-all-those-education-budget-cutters/?rc=daily.share&id=35088-18997482-xnH3Tcx>.



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from: "Drink Alcohol, Live Longer? Works for Worms" by Lee Dye, "Good Morning America"

Jan. 25, 2012, (<http://news.yahoo.com/drink-alcohol-live-longer-193615870--abc-news.html>)

Scientists have surprisingly discovered that a mere trace of alcohol doubles the lifespan of a tiny worm...

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Disclosure: I own stock in a Canadian tar sands oil company....and I oppose the boondoggle Keystone XL Pipeline. No wonder I'm not rich enough to be in Congress.

"Demand That John Boehner Be Expelled or Resign for Keystone XL Scandal" by Rmuse, PoliticusUSA

Jan. 15, 2012, (<http://www.politicususa.com/en/john-boehner-keystone-scandal>)

A good job with benefits and a pension are hard to find and if any American is fortunate enough to have a job, it is unlikely they would resign unless circumstances made remaining on the job intolerable. There are, however, occasions when a compassionate employer finds it necessary to force an employee to resign for bad behavior instead of terminating their employment. Members of Congress are unlikely to ever resign unless there is an impending ethics investigation or morality issues that are egregious enough to spark an investigation and subsequent trial to expel the offender from the House or Senate. Newt Gingrich was forced to resign his position as Speaker of the House in 1999 after being fined and reprimanded for ethics violations, but it was pressure from Republicans that forced his eventual resignation.

The current House Speaker, John Boehner, has demonstrated that he, like Gingrich, is averse to ethical behavior and it is time for him to resign his position or face an ethics investigation and eventual expulsion from Congress. There is precedent in calling for Boehner's resignation or expulsion, and ironically, it involved another representative from Ohio. James A. Traficant Jr. of Ohio was expelled in July 2002 after he was convicted of receiving favors, gifts and money in return for performing official acts on behalf of the donors. John Boehner's case is similar to Traficant's in that he is performing official acts on behalf of the oil industry and seven Canadian tar sands companies that stand to benefit if the Keystone XL pipeline is built between Canada and the Gulf Coast. Boehner's official acts on behalf of Canada's tar sands industry are scandalous because he owns stock in the aforementioned seven companies, and he is using his financial gain as impetus to hold 160 million Americans' tax cuts hostage in return for immediate approval of the Keystone pipeline.

On Sunday, Boehner told "Fox News Sunday" that Republicans may tie approval of the Keystone XL pipeline to the next payroll tax cut extension to force President Obama to give his backing to the project. Boehner said, "*We're going to do everything we can to make sure this Keystone pipeline project is approved,*" and as Republicans have shown with the debt ceiling, holding the payroll tax cut hostage is not out of the realm of possibilities. The only beneficiaries of the Keystone pipeline are Canada's tar sands companies, the oil industry, and John Boehner.

Boehner's 2010 financial disclosure form reveals his investment of \$15,001 to \$50,000 in Canadian Natural Resources Ltd, and they are in the business of tar sands oil and are just one of seven companies Boehner bought stocks in. His 2009 disclosure shows no stocks in Canadian Natural Resources Ltd leading any semi-intelligent

American to believe Boehner bought stock in Canada's tar sands just in time to reap financial benefits if and when the pipeline was completed and carrying Canadian oil to Texas for refinement and sale on the foreign market. Boehner's push, as Speaker of the House, to build the pipeline is beyond simple conflict of interest; he is performing official acts for favors (campaign contributions) and money in the form of dividends from his oil sands stocks. Boehner's gifts in exchange for performing official acts for the oil industry are \$144,150 in the form of campaign contributions in 2010 alone. Boehner must resign or face an ethics investigation that may result in his expulsion from the House.

Boehner makes his unethical activity worse by lying to the American people about the number of jobs the pipeline will create and his assertions have been disproven time and time again. The fact that Boehner lies to the American people for pure personal financial gain and future oil industry campaign contributions is a matter for a House Ethics panel investigation. If Boehner wants to avoid a campaign to remove him from office, he must resign voluntarily to save himself and his family the embarrassment of a protracted ethics investigation.

As Speaker of the House, Boehner could have bought stock in Canada's tar sands oil companies and let the State Department and Environmental Protection Agency conduct studies to grant a permit for the Keystone pipeline without pushing the project by lying and now, potentially holding 160 million Americans' payroll tax cut extension hostage. However, the lure of personal financial gain was too enticing to Boehner and he took the only path available to an unethical congressman who stands to profit from performing official acts for money and gifts. Boehner must resign.

Boehner has obstructed, lied, and cheated the American people long enough. He is a hypocrite for calling for Anthony Weiner's resignation for sending sexually charged pictures over his phone at the same time Boehner bought stocks in Canadian tar sands companies. Pushing the pipeline that only benefits the Canadian companies Boehner invested in, foreign oil markets, and the oil industry while jeopardizing prime agricultural land and critical aquifer is unethical at least and inherently despicable. John Boehner can resign and go to work as a lobbyist for Canada's tar sands industry, but he cannot be their lobbyist and Speaker of the House at the same time. When Boehner was caught handing out payments for the tobacco industry, he promised he would desist from any act that appeared unethical, but his arrogance and love of oil money proved too tempting and drove him to perform official acts for gifts and money, and if it was enough to expel another Ohio congressman, then it is good enough for Speaker Boehner. Mr. Speaker, it is time for you to go.

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| 20120125-10 | 18:05 | Pam | Re: "Demand That John Boehner Be Expelled or Resign for Keystone XL Scandal" (reply to Dennis, above) |
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Good grief! I've got a personal issue of my own that I'm working on or I'd mount a campaign against this doofus. What can ordinary folks do to address things like this? I write letters and sign petitions all the time. That doesn't seem enough.--Pam

p.s. Retirement has found me with new energy for tackling social injustices. I always thought I was just too apathetic or lazy to get involved in causes. Now I realize I was just too busy. Grey power unite!

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I'm already against the next war—Iran!

"Contrary to Widespread Claims, There Is NO EVIDENCE That Iran Is Building a Nuclear Weapon" by George Washington, Zero Hedge

Jan. 25, 2012, (<http://www.zerohedge.com/contributed/contrary-widespread-claims-there-no-evidence-iran-building-nuclear-weapon>)

(Even Israel admits that Iran has not decided to build a nuclear bomb.)

Earlier this month, Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta said:

Are they [the Iranians] trying to develop a nuclear weapon? No. But we know that they're trying to develop a nuclear capability. And that's what concerns us.

Director of National Intelligence James Clapper confirmed in a Senate hearing – following the release of the classified National Intelligence Estimate in 2011 – that he has a “high level of confidence” that Iran “has not made a decision as of this point to restart its nuclear weapons program.”

Mohamed El Baradei – who spent more than a decade as the director of the IAEA – said that he had not “seen a shred of evidence” that Iran was pursuing the bomb.

Six former ambassadors to Iran within the last decade say that there is no evidence that Iran is building nuclear weapons, and that Iran is complying with international law.

The International Atomic Energy Agency states:

All nuclear material in the facility remains under the Agency's containment and surveillance.

In other words, all nuclear fuel is accounted for and is being controlled and monitored by the international agency tasked with nuclear non-proliferation.

What about Iran's enriching uranium to 20%? The IAEA considers 20 percent enriched uranium to be low-enriched uranium and “a fully adequate isotopic barrier” to weaponization. In other words, 20% is well within the legal guidelines for developing a program of nuclear energy.

Indeed, under the Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT), Iran is acting in a wholly legal fashion. As the six former ambassadors cited above note:

In terms of international law, the position of Europe and the United States may be less assured than is generally believed.

Most experts, even in Israel, view Iran as striving to become a “threshold country”, technically able to produce a nuclear weapon but abstaining from doing so for now. Again, nothing in international law forbids this ambition. Several other countries are close to, or have already reached, such a threshold, with a commitment not to acquire nuclear weapons. Nobody seems to bother them.

Nuclear physicist Yousaf Butt – former fellow in the Committee on International Security and Arms Control at the National Academy of Sciences, scientific consultant for the Federation of American Scientists, and frequent contributor to the Bulletin of Atomic Scientists – points out:

Iran is not doing anything that violates its legal right to develop nuclear technology. Under the NPT, it is not illegal for a member state to have a nuclear weapons *capability*— or a “nuclear option.” If a nation has a fully developed civilian nuclear sector — which the NPT actually encourages — it, by default, already has a fairly solid nuclear weapons capability. For example, like Iran, Argentina, Brazil, and Japan also maintain a “nuclear option” — they, too, could break out of the NPT and make a nuclear device in a few months, if not less. And like Iran, Argentina and Brazil also do not permit full “Additional Protocol” IAEA inspections.

The real legal red line, specified in the IAEA's “Comprehensive Safeguards Agreements,” is the diversion of nuclear materials to a weapons program. However, multiple experts and official reports have affirmed over the years that they have no evidence that any such program exists.

But didn't the latest IAEA report say that Iran was trying to build a bomb?

Not really. The latest IAEA report states that Iran's research program into nuclear weapons:

Was stopped rather abruptly pursuant to a 'halt order' instruction issued in late 2003.

While there are some allegations about documents found on a laptop, those documents apparently came from a terrorist group with zero credibility.

In any event, the current accusations against Iran by hawks pushing for an attack cannot be taken in a vacuum:

- The people pushing for war against Iran are the same neocons who pushed for war against Iraq based on false statements that Iraq had weapons of mass destruction.
- The U.S. has been claiming for more than 30 years that Iran was on the verge of nuclear capability (and the U.S. apparently helped fund the Iranian nuclear program).
- War against Iran was planned at least 20 years ago.
- Other recent claims against Iran have largely been debunked.
- The CIA admits that it hired Iranians in the 1950's to pose as Communists and stage bombings in Iran in order to turn the country against its democratically-elected prime minister.
- Pulitzer-prize winning investigative reporter Seymour Hersh says that the Bush administration (and especially Dick Cheney) helped to fund terrorist groups within Iran.
- *The New York Times*, *Washington Post* and others are reporting, former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani, former Homeland Security Secretary Tom Ridge, former national security adviser Fran Townsend and former Attorney General Michael Mukasey – who all said that the terrorists were going to get us if we didn't jettison the liberties granted under the Bill of Rights – are now supporting terrorists in Iran.
- The war against Iran has already begun.

BUT DIDN'T IRAN THREATEN TO WIPE ISRAEL OFF THE MAP?

It has been widely report that Iran's president threatened to "wipe Israel off the map". However, numerous experts in Iranian language and culture say that this was a mistranslation.

I speak no Farsi, know nothing about Iranian culture or idioms, and don't like Iran's president or hard-line Mullahs. So I can't weigh in one way or the other.

However, Iran has not attacked another country in hundreds of years. (In the Iran-Iraq war, Iraq was the initial aggressor.) As such, it is unlikely to start one now.

THERE'S A SIMPLE SOLUTION TO THE ESCALATING TENSIONS

There is a simple solution to the escalating rumors of war. Specifically, a fuel swap would end the tensions. As Butt writes:

[A commentator] proposes a fuel swap to resolve the nuclear standoff: Iran would curtail its enrichment in exchange for foreign-supplied 20 percent enriched uranium fuel plates for its research reactor. In fact, in 2010, just such a deal was brokered by Turkey and Brazil but the United States could not take "yes" for an answer. Though Iran has just accepted an offer of new talks brokered by Turkey, new sanctions passed by Congress and signed into law by President Barack Obama have made it even more unlikely that the two sides can reach an agreement.

EVEN IF IRAN WERE TRYING TO BUILD A BOMB, AN ATTACK WOULD ONLY ACCELERATE THE PROCESS

Even if Iran were trying to build a bomb, American military and intelligence chiefs say that attacking Iran would only speed up its development of nuclear weapons, empower its hardliners, and undermine the chance for democratic reform.

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But Rick Santorum is ready to declare war on Iran just as soon as he takes office—fortunately an improbable event. I suppose he says this because AIPAC or an allied PAC had contributed to his campaign or because supporting Israel is required of evangelicals--or whatever he is.

If the idiot G. W. Bush had just stayed out of Iraq and let Iran and Iraq focus their hostility on each other, there would be little reason for all the saber rattling. Bush wanted, of course, to save us from the weapons of mass destruction sprinkled all over Iraq.

My knowledge, however, is that Iran continues to operate and to add to the number of its centrifuges that are intended to produce fissile material, whether weapons grade or for reactor fuel. One problem with this is that Iraq, the hereditary enemy, despite now being controlled by Shiites, construes this as Preparation imbalance. (The Israelis bombed the Osirak reactor into shards in, I think, 1984,)

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Come on, Dennis, give it a chance! We haven't even gotten to see the "shock and awe" part yet.

Boy, Iraq and Afghanistan sure must be in a state of "shock and awe." I always wondered what that meant.

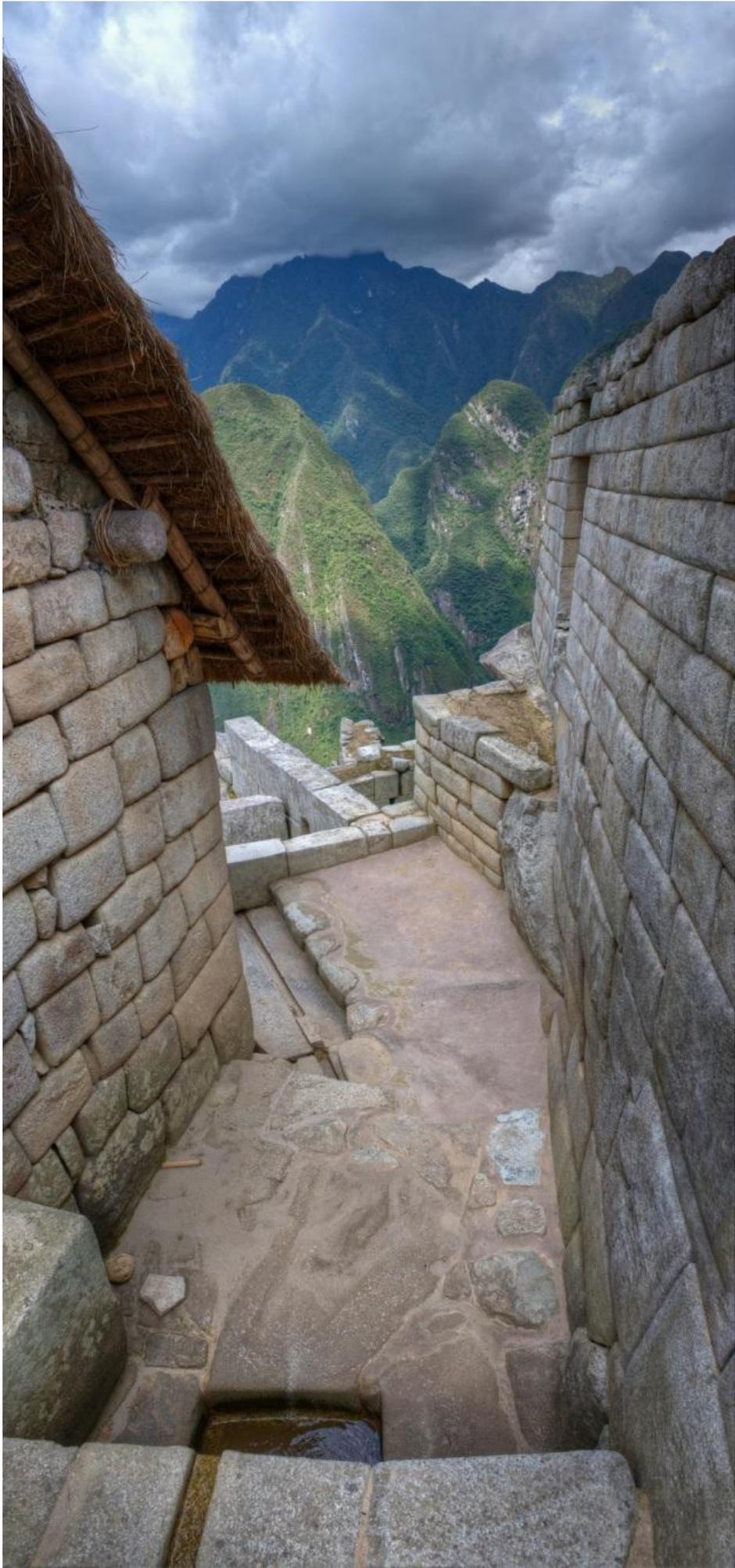
Now I know that if you're in "shock and awe" it means you're incredibly pi*sed and full of hatred for your American enemy!

There's an attitude we need to see spread further around the world! Very helpful to our national interest.

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<http://ridingaround.wordpress.com/2011/11/26/a-day-at-machu-picchu/>

Inca stonework looking out onto even more impressive stonework...



—Friends of the Middle,
Steven W. Baker (SteveB), Editor/Moderator

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