

Receiving Transmissionsâ€™.More to Follow

Description

It started getting really clear when I woke at 0452 EDT today for some unknown reasonâ€™..

A few days ago, I had the opportunity to jump into a â€œdebateâ€• (in quotation marks for when one of the debators anchors a post in concrete labeled â€œBush is Menatly Illâ€• it is a difficult time indeed to have substantive dicussions), begun by a Milblogger and Army Recruiter, who made a post regarding the defeatist attitude on parade and mentioned a few bloggers by name.

I went to one of the sites and read her response, posted on her blog, and then proceeded to enter into the discussion.

The response, which helped me to understand her thinking more completely began to coagulate last night, but when my eyes popped open, it really became clear how she frames her argument. Iâ€™ll most likely speak to that here in the next few days.

It also happens to tie into much of what has been bouncing around in my thoughts the last few weeks, with the election results, the claims of mandates, the total lack of understanding of how you donâ€™t elect congressment to run the nation, the Iraq Study Group report and the players who have come out on both sides (while the ISG really kinda did the normal political thing and mealy mouthed the whole issue of Iraq (yet was very clear about hating Israel)) of the debate; The thoughts of how another â€œGreatest Generationâ€• is in the crucible right now, and to not lose hope, for these are the leaders of tomorrow; World population statistics; Wolrd history, both ot the Islamic culture/faith and also some of the analysis by Paul Kennedy in [The Rise and Fall of Great Powersâ€•](#) from the late 80â€™s; Dr. Spock, Timothy Leary, the rise of gangs on our streets, which have now migrated world wide; The War Against Drugs; The â€œMobâ€• and the now prolific â€œRussian Mafia;â€• Chaos theory and Complexity and a whole lotta other stuff. More ganglia twitching, and how much of it seems to come together, or at least help explain the human condition.

Iâ€™ll also be posting at [The Wide Awakes](#), along with ohters who write for that group blog (see blogroll on the sidebar). Iâ€™ll begin this afternoon with a few â€œretreadsâ€• of older work, but some of my prior work seems to be puzzle pieces in the â€œknowldege soupâ€• brewing on this end.

In the meantime, [I believe there is a snow globe that needs shaking](#) to show the true beauty of winterâ€™.

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