

I am Spartacus



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Are we all to become slaves to the fiat debt empire? Just as with the final days of the Roman Empire we have the elites debauching the currency to maintain their wealth and lifestyle. The slaves led by Spartacus revolted and I recall the movie with Kirk Douglas where when asked which one of the captured was Spartacus, they all stood up and proclaimed "I am Spartacus". There was a unity in the anonymity of the rebellion. Unfortunately, Spartacus and many of his followers died but their actions have inspired many; no doubt Anglo Saxon desires for liberty of the commoner starting with the Magna Carta over 800 years ago are still worth fighting for.

How long before we have our own Spartacus that starts the revolution against the global banking cabal? We already have the protests against banker occupation, the gilets jaunes, AfD fur Deutschland, La Ligue and 5 star in Italy, Podemos in Spain, the 'deplorables' in the USA. It may be that the current pandemic triggers the collapse of fiat currency and a reset to sound money without a revolution. However, if the elites steal the vast majority of the wealth in the final printing frenzy the general population will be left with very little and in effect remain slaves to a rent seeking class.

As we de-globalize power blocks are going to jostle for control of resources and this could result in conflict (<http://www.money-liberty.com/gallery/debtconflict.pdf>). There will also be conflict within nations as groups fight to maintain their share of the national cake. Meanwhile the elites will strive to maintain their wealth in tax havens or tax friendly jurisdictions. Those nations that can maintain the democratic power of the people could introduce capital controls to trap wealth and provide a better structure for aspirational wealth creation. Others may end up with social breakdown and authoritarian control.

None of us should assume that it will all sort itself out and that our democratic institutions and economies will remain. "Your comfort Zone Will Kill You" was the graffiti I saw written on a wall. How much discomfort following the covid-19 pandemic must we go through before enough people rise up and proclaim "I am Spartacus"? How can we be motivated through civil disobedience and other non-violent actions to bring this rotten system down (<http://www.money-liberty.com/gallery/normalcy-fear-panic-anger-change.pdf>)?

As the cost of living rises and evermore get dragged down to the lower common denominator there will be sufficient numbers of educated and informed people to drive for change. We can disrupt payment systems. We can save with physical gold, silver or digital currency like Bitcoin. We could avoid banks and use credit unions, crowd funding and other community options including barter.

The Elites and their Establishment cohorts will fight to preserve the status quo and the concentration of wealth in the hands of the few. There may be very draconian laws introduced to maintain their control of all money. It may come to the point where conflict erupts to preserve our liberty and freedom to prosper without debt servitude. It could be a Spartacus moment.

Let us hope that our political class understand the seriousness of the problem and are prepared to return to sound money with banks serving the interests of the people. A return to sound values, sound judgements and fair reward for true entrepreneurs, honest work and thrift. If not we must all be prepared for the fight that lies ahead.

Fear is the enemy of democracy!

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