the "cause" of profits instead of whatever vibrancy it once possessed or the human potential that is forever squelched by this demented society. Natural habitats of animals are also forever being menaced by this unrelenting paving of farmland and the introduction of diesel and gas-spewing vehicles into beforehand peaceful, pastoral productive farmland. Everything, alive or dead - even inorganic - has a price on it and is subject to the danger the system clumsily causes!

Any way you look at it, it's a horrific abomination and never-ending crisis situation. So, I would suggest that people take this huge inter-connected subject of the viability of our Earth very seriously, think of your children and all the other kids (much less the next seven generations - like the Indians take into consideration.) Dn't be afraid to develop your loving contributions and good-heartedness to yourselves, your families and all the other creatures on this good, blue, green, yellow and brown earth! Long live *life* and growth! In other words, live your life as you *deserve!*

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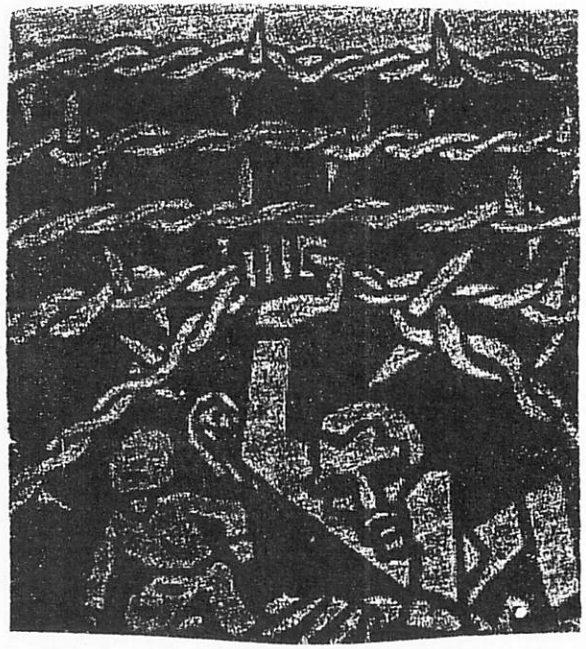

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Capitalism can only provide the "freedom" of the charnel pit and the "democracy" of the mass grave! Driven by slavery of all sorts - prison, chattel, contract, wage, sexual - you name it, the "market" is vicious and fights over the meat. Animals are treated ghastly, Mengele-esque! Their species are altered genetically and in general, a gruesome life of many kinds of suffering are punished upon these innocent victims. The only check on this monstrous behavior is retribution because anything goes in capitalism and you can literally choke the life out of your prey and sell them to be devoured or have their skins be smarmily worn as adornments, in the never-ending quest to maximum profits! It's the "miracle of the free marketplace!"

Of course, it doesn't stop at the torturing and murdering of other animals. People are animals too, subjected to the horrors of forced imprisonment, slavery, starvation, all manner of unnecessary suffering, experimentation, commodification - as are *all the rest of life* - plants, fungi, bacteria and viruses. It's really an amazing reality that the people of the present Earth must deal with. It's very complex and the technology of brainwash and behavior modification are highly refined. It thus takes a response of equal intensity and clarity. For, life itself - a very orgiastic panorama of options, *is* based on "mutual aid" - not the "survival of the fittest" like we've (lyingly) been led to bogusly, believe! Evolution couldn't happen without cooperation! But, extinction - especially nowadays in the age of the electron microscope - *is* a distinct possibility, as a lying, dying, murdering system goes through their disgusting death throes. Yo, Folks! "All hands on deck!"

We're *all* gravely threatened by the otherworldly murderous intent and "star wars" capabilities of the U.S. system of neo-con warlord wannabes. These evil entities are most notably, the state - politicians, lawyers, judges, cops, prosecutors, wardens, jailers, capitalist string pullers and so, sickening on. *Every last one of them* is a fascist enemy! Large corporations predominate and set their agenda in their mahogany boardrooms for their sycophantic media and the other means they use to instill compliance and acceptance. Academia, even "radical" nests are centers for the intellectualization of genocidal policy! Vulgarity of reality is supposed to be calmly, unthinkingly accepted by those watching their family members die in front of their faces, because of this! After all, we have all, they need "democracy" genocided into them! Iran has 55 million people - over *three times* that of Iraq. These religious cultist crusaders (I'm talking about the *Christians!*) are embarking on a *homo sapien sapien* species extinction campaign! And like the jungles of Southeast Asia, forever poisoned by the U.S. or the Danube River or throughout Iraq, (which were nuked,) all others species of animals and plants are also facing an ongoing, ever more deadly holocaust, as well! It's a life and death struggle.

Anyways, I'd like to get back to Hopkin's Park. Despite the fact that these folks vehemently rejected this project, poor though they continue to be, it was started anyway. Initially, it was planned to happen directly across from an organic farm. Due to agitation, it became known that this piece of land - the first piece actually sold to a state government for a prison by any state in decades (all other land had been "gratefully" ceded by municipalities) - was actually a sweetheart land deal between the crooked Governor, George Ryan and billionaire Kankakee developer, Tony Perry. They're waist deep in the mega-sprawl project of the "Peotone Airport" as well. These two projects were linked, both in the principles pushing for it and the collaboration of those fighting against one or the other, or both! Both were assaults on the environment, the flora and fauna and communities of citizens. They're all connected in the ultra capitalism practiced in the U.S. They literally "get away with murder" - mass murder and never get called to account. The animal breeding farms and torture centers and slaughterhouses are run with the approval and regulation of the government. *Money* is what they care about, not lives.

With the poor soil these black farmers were shunted off to, as they are surrounded by farms - white farms - with better soil, they developed a feel for organic farms, sort of like what Cuba was necessarily forced to learn how to do, as the never-ending embargo dried up supplies of fertilizer and equipment. In fact, they've hosted farm groups *from* Cuba!

A prison always has its glaring lights on twenty-fours hours a day. Most have guard towers, with shotgun toting guards. This would ruin the natural lifecycle of these organically grown vegetables. Plus, the dumping of sewage, added to the excessive pollution caused by this dreadful economic system of mass incarceration, and your area will become flooded with *problems,* not "solutions! " Your "prison town" environment has been degraded in the most depressing of ways. Your area will henceforth be known for human suffering and misery for

opportunities for round-ups for a million and one "violations" of their pro-slavery laws, abound. Rural areas have been besieged by corporate farms and the governments they pretty much have where they want them. Prisons come and the promises turn into nightmares. The politicians, gutless wonders as ever, crow for this greased wheel deal. The whoring-out of these hyenas gets shriller and ever more hoarse, so naturally, we must all acquiesce, as our conservative press tries to - disdainfully - explain to us. Put your "bring them home" ribbons on the back of your SUV and don't think anything of it. Condolezza Rice and George W. Bush and Paul Wolfowitz will "take care of things." Kissinger is always there for "advice!" thank, G-O-D!

They bully the whole country (and less convincingly, the world) with an unhealthy, deliberately ruinous, wasteful, oblivious and punishing mindset. They also pollute pitilessly and "legally" cut local deals so they can maraud over all areas, economically and culturally. I'm talking about all the industries, factories, prisons, animal farms, military centers - all of it! Our hard work is exploited for profits, then taxes, so industry and government can ruin our communities, force us into being their jailors and soldiers and wreak devastation on our brothers and sisters all across the globe! Democracy!

Recently, the state of Illinois was going to grace a poor black farming community in Kankakee County, with a women's prison. This was in Hopkin's Park. They thought that they could use this to balm over centuries of slavery and institutional racism by bestowing a beautiful prison in their face. Well, guess what! The citizens responded with some seriously militant and conscious direct action! They formed a group called P.A.T. - *Pembroke Advocates for Truth.* Pembroke is the township they live in. Their newsletter, *Insight,* was the joyous rarity in activism - funny as hell and dead right on! They didn't cotton to the idea that they should welcome a prison, so that they could live next to their city (of Chicago, mainly) sisters! They saw it, rightfully so, as ludicrous and another example of the oppressive nature of this settler, cracker Empire! Do you begin to see the poisoning of the thinking of so-called "white people" that lays the decades-long foundation for the acceptability of not just racism and slavery (even of themselves!) but even species extinction and the accelerating suffocation of our planet? Check the facts!

It's madness beyond belief! It's like 1984 twenty years later! But, we're only supposed to "go along" with Iraq? After

the "freedom" to intellectualize about it! Ugh! "How do you make those car bombs, again?" They develop the "research" that enables worldwide "efficient" capitalism! Let's not forget! NAFTA and the World Bank are there to "solve" the problem of third world "poverty!" Hitler! No wonder you were so damned jealous! Your dream of a "Master Race" has been realized!

All aspects of coercive social life, such as the schools, the military, - even culturally, such as at sports events, or the radio, T.V., movies, etc. show us the constant, repletion-hammered, re-enforcement of the "goodness" of their lied about cause - the Washington-run, global international terrorist campaign of pillage, theft, extermination and lies. Those allowed to be left alive, should wear our McDonald's beanie and bleat when prompted, as specified.

Of course, the authorities call their bombs, jails, guns and factories "counter-terrorism." Don't forget that we're wedded to this frenzy, this lust for murder, by being forced into "feeling" the friendly fire! We're supposed to be so proud when dead bodies of U.S GI's trickle back to the states, (under orders not to be photographed!) as the severely injured melt into the shadows of suffering. Talk about "animal abuse!" And just think of the "cradle of civilization" - modern day, Iraq! Bombed and poisoned and forced with infanticide, more invasion, occupation, degradation and constant bloodshed and suffering - yet they live on! All the animals there no doubt are suffering terribly, too, unless under the care of normal people. The whole system of for-profit torture must end! It's worldwide slavery! How can we *not* resolve to join the struggle???

The labs where monkeys (and mice and all kinds of animals - dogs, you name it,) are forced to have gruesome experiments done on them which will destroy their life, is was and always has been, duplicated by people, *on* prisoners! Mengele learned his techniques from his august mentors and colleagues - in places like Indiana and California, who came to Germany to teach him their techniques. After the massive slaughter of animals, (most gruesomely humans,) the victors of World War II (the U.S.) snatched up the best and the brightest German "scientists" to learn the latest techniques in everything from developing hydrogen bombs to the latest in sensory deprivation in the clinical prisons and madhouses. Restraint techniques, subduing people in crowds, - many of these evil police tactics - are developed after experimentation on prisoners!

The modern technology of sadism, brainwash, control, atomization and obfuscation is an ever-expanding and all-

encompassing field of "research!" The monstrousness of this government knows no bounds and the tens of millions of murdered human bodies vaporized in Nagasaki or left to be eaten by starving dogs in Fallujah, bear grim testament to this constantly being reinforced fact! The U.S. *is* fascistic!

Like everybody else, I feel the pressure and bear witness to the carnage and suffering experienced throughout our world, *because* of this extreme aggressor nation. Personally, I gravitated to dealing almost exclusively with the prisons, because it became more and more clear to me, that this was "ground zero" on the assault on Americans by the system. It's the "black hole" of society, and the government gives for itself constitutionally sanctioned slavery, - to this day - so anything goes in these dungeons! Court cases brought forth by prisoners enslaved at their gulags have been dismissed by no less than the U.S. Supreme Court citing this clause in the Constitution that sanctifies human slavery for prisoners. So, if you make basically any anti-capitalist activity "illegal" (and many ones that are capitalist!) you've an unlimited source (or potential source) of slaves to work with! Top it off with the knowledge that there is no accountability, nor economic responsibility for this slave industry (human incarceration.) For, all expenses have been, are and will be *paid for* by the longtime governmental extortion racket, known as "taxes."

The folks with the brightest minds and who therefore are the most giving to their communities' citizens are often singled out for particular torment, as *physical prisoners!*

Torture and murder animals - torture and murder humans, after you've *slaved them to death!* It's an abomination upon the very soul of humanity! If you want to abolish slavery, torture and murder of animals, you want to abolish thy nation's *dungeons! Down* with the lock down!

These are serious times and we are greatly in need of careful, lucid, well-written, deliberately crafted to be empowering, instruction and guidance, which is most clearly articulated by the warriors suffering in these gulags. We can rise above our fears develop effective working habits and a (deserved) *driven* determination! Humans must learn and sort of "train their brain" to usefully apply their energies to the greater good of their community. Animals do this instinctively. People need to learn how to be themselves (anarchists.) Animals, if left unmolested, always are already. People would be too, if given half a chance!

The marvelous brainpower human animals possess gives us the *possibility* to transcend this predatory social environment. But the baser instincts of power and greed are holding our minds and bodies hostage, just like the animals they exploit. We must cross the fear line and develop ourselves. Work your brain and decide where your greatest talents and interests lie and weave your gift into the social struggle! Mutual aid will see us all through!

It's all part of the struggle for liberation - be it human, animal or Earth herself! People, wrenched from poor, often black neighborhoods, are a fundamentally necessary part of that slaughterhouse environment this system requires to keep creaking along. Take away a third of our young black men in their twenties - in some areas the percentage kidnapped is well over 50%! - and then warehouse them in countless prisons, and your "environment" - the 'hood - has been effectively decimated! Family members have no brothers, sons or husbands to deal with the virtual occupation and forced immiseration of their "expendable" communities of people! Increasingly, it's the young women, mostly mothers of young children, who are wrenched from the embrace of their families and forced to languish in a cage! The government is a menace to life itself!

Black folks face the extreme, but all of us are likewise being menaced and targeted, as this system devours everything in its path. So, we need to look to the most oppressed in this nation (Blacks, natives, women, undesirables of every stripe) and assimilate their analysis of their experiences, so we can thoroughly build a conscious counterforce of life, love, liberation and giving humanity!

Where is the Panther-like strength going to come from, if all our young black men are targeted as "gangstas?" Increasingly, huge percentages of young black women are also being dragooned into these cages. What are their children going to do??? What *more* can the grandmothers do? It's Warsaw Ghetto treatment in the US! "Jobs" are a cruel joke, as these insatiably greedy bastard mega-corporations have skipped town, to Mexico and now on to China for super-exploitation. State of the art factories are now sophisticated sweatshops. But, the horrendous working conditions are often "animal-like." Alienation is pandemic!

These stalags are everywhere nowadays, particularly in rural areas, the really expansive ones, and affect everybody! They kidnap their young bounty usually in urban areas, as