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I. The Facts (Gleaned from Xfinity on 2/2/22)

1. On the Holocaust Remembrance Day 2022,
A Memorial event was held at the Berlin Bundestag.
2. The Upper Strata of German Politicians were in attendance.
Included were: The President of Germany
The German Chancellor
All Members of the Bundestag
Signifying real official and personal respect for the event.
3. The speaker of the Israeli Parliament, Mickey Levy, who delivered a prepared speech in Hebrew
4. A Holocaust survivor, Inge Auerbacher, one of a few remaining, delivered remarks at the event.
5. When the event concluded, the frail survivor was led to the exit by the President and Chancellor of Germany on either side of Inge.

II. The Writer Was Rightfully Impressed By:

1. Attendees and their remarks
2. The historic significance of the event. The writer was brimming with “The hard-to-believe” facts:
 - a. Imagine being told in 1945 of Israel’s existence
 - b. Imagine being told in 1945 that a speaker of the Israeli Parliament will be delivering his remarks in Hebrew.
 - c. The attitude and good manners of the two leaders of Germany escorting a frail Jewish lady, and the writer was all excited by what happened in 2022.

III. What is Not Right with This Particular Event?

1. Start with the Little Flaws:

- a. Mickey Levy, the Knesset's speaker, delivered his remarks in Hebrew. How many understood what he said? Maybe a priest or a nun, maybe two of each.

Simultaneous translation does not adequately provide what a message in German could have done.

In the next Memorial gathering, speak the native language. These kinds of events are broadcast and analyzed by television and papers. Make the listeners understand what you say.

- b. We don't know what Levy said, but it is not difficult to assume that he omitted Being Blunt.

There are three aspects to bluntness:

- The enormity of the crime (and the flimsy explanations re its causality).
- The very positive enormous effort by Germany as a country to atone for the enormous crime.
- The unclear positions often exhibited by the EU, and Germany as an economic engine of the EU, vis-à-vis the U.S. – the 20th Century sheriff that saved Germany and the Jews and everybody else.

2. Proceeding to the Big Flaws

It all has to do with “Weltanschauung” (“World View”)

- a. The Centennial Memorials in 2035 Better Not Resemble the above-described event.

PGC has presented practical suggestions for insightful events that attempt to balance pain/suffering with heroics of multiple true stories.

Important Memorials are no Ad Hoc concoctions mixing pain/suffering stories with VIPs exhorting to not forget.

- b. There is no way in Hell to explain the causality of the Holocaust without connecting it – umbilically to Totalitarian cults – all deterministic. Hence, Memorial events must contain:

- One big Mia Maxima Culpa segment (Don't forget the SS having “25%” of its members as Ph.Ds., I.G. Farben's joint effort with SS in the slave labor department).

We want to underline that the Ph.D.- load of Nazis grew:

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| | <u>1933</u> | <u>1940</u> | <u>1945</u> |
| Ph.D.'s | 5,000 | 60,000 | <u>250,000</u> |

The SS weren't just screaming nitwits, barking stupid orders.

- One big (Huge ...) heroic segment in all its manifestation
- One big worldwide anti-Totalitarian “Manhattan Project” to beat the psychiatric, eugenics and malignant education cartels.