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The Immigration 'Crisis'

Recently, sentiment of a immigration crisis has swept through the Amerikkkan 'masses'. Let's examine the issue more closely.

1] The United States of Amerikkka is a settler nation. While crypto-fascists will claim that Mexican migrants are stealing Amerikkkan jobs and subverting tradition Amerikkkan culture, the reality of the situation is that Amerikkkan culture is based on oppression (first Native Americans, then Africans, now the third world) and European settlers committed genocide and literally stole all of the land that is now called AmeriKKKa and KKKanada. White-Supremacists cannot see their own hypocrisy.

2] Southwestern Amerikkka was Northern Mexico until it was seized by Amerikkkan aggressors through the Mexican-Amerikkkan war. This was during a period of 'Manifest Destiny' when Amerikkkans determined that it was God's plan for their nation to stretch across the North American continent: another case of land theft. The culture of the people who rightfully occupied this area was stripped from them as children were taken from their villages and placed into YanKKKee-ran schools, where they were forced to learn English and were punished for practicing their native religions. Talk about subverting one's culture and heritage.

3] Today, because of free trade, national borders have only one purpose: to contain people. Capital (money) and commodities (products of labor) know no national boundaries while those who provide the labor that creates commodities, and in turn capital, are restrained by borders. This creates situations whereby, the people of a given nation are worked to the bone for pennies, while the value that is created by their labour is exported to other countries such as AmeriKKKa. This is called imperialism and results in poverty for the subjugated nation while driving the population to follow their stolen wealth and emigrate to the very nations that keep them in poverty.

4] Imperialist borders hold people in their oppressed nations where their labor is exploited by foreign capitalists. If they do make it across the illegitimate U.\$./Mexico border, they are deemed 'illegal' and forced to work for slightly better wages, but nonetheless are held to a lower standard of living and receive no protection under the 'law'. Racism and white-supremacy are behind the recent wave of anti-immigrant sentiment. Exploitation of oppressed nations is behind the massive migration we are seeing today.

In conclusion: the border is a means to retain and emphasize the status quo whereby the masses of a given nation are exploited for enormous profits by international capitalists while those profits are transferred and protected within the dominant bordering nation. As the two nations become poorer and richer respectively, the drive of migration becomes understandably greater. In many ways, the 'crisis' at the border is caused by the fact that there is a border along with the conditions of imperialism.

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