

#NewEvolution

The world is changing. Books like Naomi Klein's *No Is Not Enough*, Paul Hawken's *Drawdown*, Michelle Alexander's *The New Jim Crow* and Heimans and Timms' *New Power* are giving us new tools and perspectives, uncovering massive iniquities hidden in plain view and helping us realize that things won't change unless we change them ourselves. Movements like #MeToo, #MarchForOurLives, Our Revolution, The Leap, Project Drawdown and Wolf-PAC are beginning to provide ways in which we can. Donald Trump and our ever more surreal media-government complex are pushing us beyond incredulity to the desire to act. New, potentially stunning avenues of endeavor are emerging through which we small individuals can begin to turn our nation and world around and set things right.

The human race is evolving.

For five thousand years, we have been living one main mode of existence. World power and growth have been driven by greed and dominance. It is they that have held sway.

There is an esoteric though very real infrastructure that has been causing this—our inner, evolutionary energy edifice known through the popularization of Eastern wisdom as the chakra system.

You may laugh, but don't tune out yet.

This is important.

We have evolved through three major ages, the hunter-gatherer, ruled by the more masculine first chakra of tribe, survival and magic; the agriculture-husbandry, ruled by the more feminine second chakra of community, cultivation and myth; and the conquest-commerce, ruled by the most masculine third chakra of nation, top-down rule, war, industry and religion.

We are now moving beyond these into an age which incorporates the fourth and fifth chakras, the heart and the throat, which will combine, mature and balance the masculine-feminine and material-spiritual, give us a larger world/universal perspective and make foremost the higher virtues of sanctity, decency, integrity and truth. Fairness, justice, collaboration and freedom could supplant greed, dominance, belligerence and control. Scandinavia is modeling this for us.

But let's return to our own harsh reality, which, if anything, looks as if things are getting worse because, at the end of an age, its long-held tendencies spin completely out of control.

What could we possibly do that might be big enough to bring about the change we so desperately need? (For yes, our business as usual greed machine is destroying our environment and herding us toward extinction.)

We must heal and evolve within and without.

In the outer realm, we have one very large, magnificent, potentially effective stick at our disposal, not a first or third chakra cudgel, lance or missile, but what could be a finely nuanced smart scalpel to cut away the rot and tip the balance in one fell swoop—the Constitutional Convention.

There has only been one in our history at the inception of our nation.

When the populace has risen up to move towards another, the powers that were have buckled and acceded to their demands before it might come about.

These same powers have sown the great fear in us of the Runaway Convention from their own fear that the weak would rise up and overcome their grip.

It is time we proved them right.

Their time is up.

Their age has brought us to the final throes of its extreme endings.

In order to ameliorate their wealth and power, their death grip on the purse strings and policies of our nation, we must rise together and bring about a peaceful, constitutional Evolution and begin to set things right.

The mob needn't be mindless. We could become brilliant.

Wolf-PAC has begun the process. But they need our help and we must go far beyond what they envision. If you don't know of them, go to wolf-pac.com and see what they've accomplished and how far they have to go.

But, forgive me, more importantly, share this opinion piece, go to mark-landau.com and purchase, *A New American Evolution: To Save Our World*. It contains some vital, hardly known, practical information for our inner and outer transformation.

We really could do something magnificent in a short period of time.

Our wise forefathers foresaw our possible need and wrote this tool into our Constitution.

Let us use it.

Truly, we must.

Our politicians, courts and President are ignorant, incapable and corrupt.

They hide behind their denial and do nothing to set things right.

We can bypass them all.

America is the juggernaut driving our world to destruction.

Let's save it from ourselves.

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