

Mark R. Levin's book, Ameritopia - The Unmaking of America is a must read. The following was transcribed from page 5. Read it see the danger in what Obama and top union leaders are doing to our country.

Utopianism substitutes glorious predictions and unachievable promises for knowledge, science and reason while laying claim to them all. Yet there is nothing new in deception disguised as hope and nothing original in abstraction framed as progress. A heavenly society is said to be within reach if only the individual surrenders more of his liberty and being for the general good, meaning the good as prescribed by the state. If he refuses he will be tormented and ultimately coerced into compliance, for conformity is essential. Indeed, nothing good can come of self interest, which is condemned as morally indefensible and empty. Through persuasion, deceit, and coercion, the individual must be stripped of his identity and subordinated to the state. He must abandon his own ambitions for the ambitions of the state. He must become reliant on and be fearful of the state. His first duty must be to the state not the family, community, faith, all of which challenge the authority of the state. Once dispirited, the individual can be molded by the state with endless social experiments and lifestyle calibrations.

Especially threatening therefore, are the industrious, independent, and successful. For they demonstrate what is actually possible under current societal conditions, achievements, happiness and fulfillment, there by contradicting and endangering the utopian campaign against what was or is.