Will the United States Survive Its 250th Year? Why I Declare My Candidacy for President of the United States of America Now

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January 3—In the wee hours of January 3, 2026, my government, the Government of the United States of America, launched an invasion of a sovereign nation to forcibly kidnap its leader. The President of Venezuela, Nicolás Maduro, and his wife, were captured by American soldiers in an early morning raid and placed on board a ship that is ostensibly headed to the Southern District of New York, where, according to U.S. Attorney General Pam Bondi, the couple has "been charged with Narco-Terrorism Conspiracy, Cocaine Importation Conspiracy, Possession of Machineguns [sic] and Destructive Devices, and Conspiracy to Possess Machineguns [sic] and Destructive Devices against the United States."

Let me state unequivocally that everything about this action stands in violation of international law, the UN Charter, and, crucially for the American people, in violation of our own U.S. Constitution. It also violates the principles expressed in the American Declaration of Independence, which itemizes a "long train of abuses" perpetrated against the American colonies by the British Empire—abuses that we ourselves have now just committed with this illegal action against the people and the nation of Venezuela.

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Diane Sare presents Lyndon LaRouche's Triple Curve.

Unless our nation dramatically changes course and returns to the principles expressed by John Quincy Adams in his July 4, 1821, Address to the Congress, we and our republic shall cease to exist in recognizable form well before the July 4, 2026, 250th anniversary of our Declaration of Independence. The United States is a powerful nation. If that power is deployed under the lawless doctrine expressed in the recently released U.S. National Security Strategy, our nation will not merely harm itself, but like the suicidal killer on the rooftop, our nation can become a threat to billions of innocent people across the planet as a whole.

Why I Am Qualified

Before stating what I believe is behind this mad "Security Strategy" and what we must do about it, I will address the question many of you are probably asking: "What makes you any more qualified to lead this nation than the terrible presidents and candidates we have had in the last decades, and why should anyone trust you?"

My qualification to hold the highest office in the land doesn't come from a worthless piece of paper

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from an "Ivory Tower" institution, but from my own morality and courage, as evidenced by my decades-long association with America's greatest statesman and presidential figure, Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr.

It was LaRouche's profound understanding of the significance of the defeat of the British Empire by the United States of America, and his brilliant success as an economic forecaster, based on his understanding of the principles of American System economics, that compelled me to support his policies, and to study the seminal writings of our Founding Fathers, especially including the policy statements of our first Treasury Secretary, Alexander Hamilton, that dealt with topics of public credit, national banking, and manufactures.

When LaRouche was railroaded into prison as a result of a decades-long political witch hunt coordinated by Wall Street and the City of London, who colluded with rogue elements of American intelligence agencies, the news media, and subversive organizations like the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith, I refused to be cowed into submission. I chose to dedicate my life to defeating the last vestiges of the colonial empire and restoring my nation, the United States, to its intended role as a defender of the sovereign rights of people and nations across the globe, not through military force, but through economic partnership and mutually beneficial economic development.

I will never sell you out.

The Problem We Face

The unmentionable crisis behind the military agenda of the West is that the trans-Atlantic financial and monetary system is hopelessly doomed. It is not merely that the United States government is approximately $40 trillion in debt and the American people are carrying unsustainable loads of personal debt, but that London and Wall Street are the owners of a multi-quadrillion-dollar bubble of derivatives obligations that cannot be sustained. In just the last weeks of 2025, the Federal Reserve pumped over $74 billion into the financial system. NATO countries are selling weapons to Ukraine and Israel that will not even be produced until five or more years from now, necessitating the continuation of genocidal conflicts from the standpoint of the stakeholders and the speculators.

On top of this, the current occupant of the White House, President Donald Trump, has been ill-served by ambitious, lying Cabinet members like Secretary of State "Narco" Rubio and Soros-man Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent, among others, and appears to be unwilling or unable to uphold his stated commitment to end forever wars.

While President Trump is failing, his politicized "Russia-Russia-Russia" Democratic and Republican Party neocon and neoliberal opponents may seize upon the illegal Venezuela actions to initiate impeachment proceedings, which in a sane Congress might bring relief, but in the hands of the current Congress would more likely serve to plunge us into devastating war with Russia or China or both.

Therefore, I appeal to you, the American people, to join my campaign in forging a pathway out of this potential disaster.

We Have Nothing To Fear But Fear Itself

On the 250th anniversary of our Declaration of Independence, we must demand that every officeholder uphold the principles enshrined in our Declaration of Independence and Constitution: namely that all human beings are created equal—and all means all, not just those born within our borders or born into a particular faith or language culture; that *all* human beings are endowed with "unalienable rights"; and that governments are instituted to "secure these rights," including our own government.

Securing the rights of "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness" does not occur in the abstract but must exist in the physical domain as well. Children living under constant bombing, threats of violence, starvation, disease, and political oppression are being deprived of their God-given rights. Freedom is not freedom if it is imposed by force. John Quincy Adams said that the founding of the United States of America, based upon the principles expressed in our Declaration of Independence, "demolished at a stroke the lawfulness of all governments founded upon conquest." Let that sink in. Governments based on conquest (force) are unlawful.

Then-Secretary of State John Quincy Adams stated, in that same July 4 address, that if America were to engage in foreign conquests, "She might become the dictatress of the world. She would be no longer the ruler of her own spirit."

Let us take back our spirit, not by going "abroad, in

search of monsters to destroy," but by destroying the monsters within, starting with the bankrupt financial system.

If we want to secure the "blessings of liberty" for ourselves and everyone else, we must declare that the trans-Atlantic system is bankrupt! No more bailouts with blood and treasure. Put the whole mess through an orderly bankruptcy reorganization, including the unconstitutional Federal Reserve, and create a Third National Bank of the United States.

No more floating exchange rates! Peg the dollar to gold or a market basket of real commodities in collaboration with the most powerful nations on the planet, namely Russia, China, and India. Enact a global "Glass-Steagall" bank separation, with an impenetrable wall between speculation and commercial savings and loan activities.

The United States, under these conditions, will be able to write off large amounts of debt and instead issue credit to build national infrastructure projects in transportation, water management, and energy (especially nuclear fusion), which will dramatically increase the productive power of the American workforce and raise the standard of living for the American people.

Rather than declaring prosperous nations to be our competitors or even our adversaries, let us work with them for the benefit of mankind as a whole, which includes the American people, who are burdened rather than benefited by our futile attempts to prevent the progress of other nations.

It is to this end that I declare my independent candidacy for President of the United States, not to provide leadership in some distant era in January of 2029, but to give the American people a voice and a pathway to secure the policies that are urgently needed now.

I invite you to join me.