

I - The more things change the more they remain the same.
Each Generation - New Tactics - Same Goals

4) Stunningly comprehensive and well designed system of racialized SOCIAL CONTROL

6) In 30 years - from 300,000 to over 2 million incarcerated
mostly for "drug" crimes.

Germany - 93 per 100,000 - USA 750 per 100,000

7) A Color of People use & sell drugs at a similar rate

7) Lack of Correlation between crime and punishment.

Govts use Punishment primarily as a means of social control

1960 - 1990 - Germany Finland and US had similar levels of Crime.

Now US crime rate below the international norm.

No Country on Earth that incarcerates such a huge %age of its minority population.

8) Prisons should fade away
1) People with opportunity don't usually commit crime

2) People who go to jail go on to commit crime

- Big Commission - Jails create crime rather than prevent it

9) Civil Rights community is oddly quiet
1/3 of young Afro-Am men is under the control of the criminal justice system. Still Not seen as racial justice or civil rights issue

10) Criminal Justice Reform Not a Priority - even for Blacks

11) No Broad Based Movement to end mass incarceration?

All who care for Social Justice to Dismantle racial caste system.

Mass incarceration - Backlash

12 - we have a racial caste system

System is a Gateway to a much

larger (largely invisible) system of racial stigmatization and permanent marginalization

Those labeled criminal face a

lifetime of control.

14 - The Web-System of mass incarceration is based on the prison label - not amount of time spent.

15 - The Change - Will have to have a social movement behind it

Activists about Racism must act on this or history will judge us harshly - A human rights nightmare is occurring on our watch Must have Dialogue
Communicate NOT with the choir.

Chapt 2 Enormous Financial Incentives

16 Few Rules, meaning fully constrain the police in the drug war.

Enormous Financial Incentives granted to L.E. to engage in mass drug arrests.

17 Demonization of Black Men has turned the black community against itself.

Best way to control/Destroy
him resources. esp to them

ONLY WAY. Power structure could implement egregious racism

18) Must be sure that this caste system will be the last way
Civil Rights Advocates - OR we implement racism.

racialized system of social control will emerge.

29 - DuBois - The Slave went Free - Stood in the light - Then went back to slavery. "Returned to a status akin to slavery"

Racism is highly adaptable - it can take different forms.

22) They do next system by triggering a collapse of opposition across the political spectrum / Dennis

2) Each new system is less total - less of a % of the whole
But this is Not linear progress
1) Like life in prison for drugs
2) System more deeply institutionalized - Resilient - Hard to Expunge

24) Bacon's Rebellion - Against the planter class
unified mixing of slaves And white indentured people.
Planters go on to split workers by establishing white
privileges and African Black Slavery

25) Federalism - The device for preserving slaveholders rights.

26) Constitution Built on Racism - Blacks $\frac{3}{5}$ of a man.

On this Racist Fiction Rests Am Democracy

The Courts have long before colluded with this caste system

Jim Crow - Bad Laws - Black men Busted - Convict pool sold

Sold off to Private companies, hi death rates just like now!

Now the Masters don't even care about their long term health

Slavery deemed appropriate still as punishment for crime.

pretty damned imp't they don't just make up crime

- By 1900 New Caste System had emerged across the south - Laws

Crow - like now - You say you know it is against the law but

You know the laws Wrong

As in Drug War Politicians Compeded with Them selves to

offer even more ridiculous legislation No Playing Chess

Together

42 After Civil Rights Act - Public Debate Shifted to Crime
45 How to get poor & working class No fear to join
in voting alliance with the rich? Culture - Racism
1968 81% Believe "Law & Order had broken
thesis down - Blamed 1) Blacks who start riots
2) communists
49 (1982) Reagan Declared his war on Drugs - when 2%
of Americans thought Drugs were "most imp. issue"
Drug War - Reagan brings the massive funding increase.
52 1986 - 1990 media frenzy & New Bad Laws -
Crack - great gift to the Right
1988 - Mandatory Minimums Really Took hold - until
then the Federal Maximum for any substance was ^{one} yr.
53 W.O.D. War on Drugs - offered whites a unique
opportunity to express their hostility towards blacks
1989/1990 - 64% of Americans thought illegal drugs
were the most important problem.
Not decaying cities or unequal education? - me
Carefully orchestrated - NOT in response to any great
change in drug activity.
Democrats opposed the Republicans Repression.
54 - Across the political Spectrum (Dems.) resistance
collapsed to the New Jim Crow based on crime.
55 1994 - Dems took control of issue. Dozens of New
Capital Crimes - & mandatory Minimums.
Clinton - largest increase in prison pop. of any
president. Pledged New to be out of ^{current} plank
56. Mostly Clinton responsible for racial undercaste
90% of drug prisoners in many states Black or Chic
59 - 1/2 million in jail tonight for "drugs" a more
than 100% increase since 1980.
80% of the Growth in the 90's (Clinton) in drug prisoners
was for POT
in 2 decades - went from 300,000 to over 2mil
Greatest Prison Building Boom in History
7million probation, Prison or Parole

60 WOD. few legalities constrain police -
Supreme Court (4th Amendment) has Jumped to
Destroy the constitution in the WOD. Search/Seizure
Marshall - is there a "Drug Exception" written into the
constitution?

61 Motive of U.S. Revolution Search
Supreme Court - a foot soldier in the WOD Forget
Also Nearly All Civil Liberties undermined Constitution
by the drug war.

62 List of monster crimes - from Drug Testing to
Forfeiture - Supreme Court
The New Jim Crow

P961 The Destruction of Individual Rights

63 100 Busses searched in Sweep - only 7 arrests.
Can't Ride a Bus in America

64 Great Judges Quote. This is Not Hitler-Stalin
Country

66 Consent "Searches and Pretext Searches used to
Violate constitution.

67 Supreme court - Nobody needs to be informed of their right to
leave - Can be stopped - on a pretext

71 Profiling - Everything fits - Tool to stop & harass
people for no reason. - Luggage - No Luggage - Okey

71 Why Do they do all these arrests - Drug use was on the
decline - not rise - when D.W. began (what year?)

72 Federalization of Drug Crime violated conservative tenets of
states rights and local control.

72 Huge amounts of Cash are supplied by feds to keep states
local governments involved in drug war.

72 Massive Bribe - Byrne Grant Program

Pentagon - Military Equipment transferred to police
1977 - 1.2 million pieces of Military Equipment transferred
militarization. - Police Chief - I was offered Tanks, Bazookas

74 SWAT Teams - huge increase - Smash down door raids
1989-2001 - 12 yrs 780 cases of flawed paramilitary
raids reached the appellate level. BYRNE

76 - Federal incentives poured in to incentivise Drug War
- so it was prioritized and "closures" for serious crimes dropped
Continually as prison populations grew.

77 - Size of Payments - tried to # of "drug arrests"

* No Payment to solve violent crime *

Forfeiture - of cash & assets - to keep for their own use
L.E. an enormous stake in the drug war
NOT in the solution of the problem but in perpetual D.W.
existence

1970 Forfeiture Began - Comprehensive Drug Prevention and Control Act

1984 - True Revolution in Forfeiture - They could keep all of the stuff that they stole. on the basis of

78 Nobody Needs to be charged with a crime. hence say, inuendo
paid informant.

those targeted were typically poor or of moderate means

WOW IF you try to get your property back they can file criminal charges against you. IOTAH 1981 Kafka etc
Drug Warriors and their prey

Highly lucrative. Plenty of Incentive to turn to looting and
Decrease Public Safety or otherwise job less well.

Data on Crime Clearance or Closure 1960 ^{90%} 2006 ^{60%}

Billions Are forfeited - just to the Byrne Grant Funded Forces Task

79 WOW - If you get enough money to them you get less
jail time or none at all

They can fine the ones who had minor roles.
Pressure To get Grants - Must keep arrest numbers up

(Not to solve crimes - catch criminals so they can't do it again.)

Louisiana Police - massive Pre text Stops - To fund ski trip.

79) Florida - Simply take money from motorists - No
evidence of wrong doing.

LA Deputies regularly planted drugs to make cash seizure

80 - Officers were taking whatever cash the "suspect" had
on them - even 93 cents

82 - if they took \$500. - or 5000 - Would you be willing to
Risk - 1) Huge Attorney fees 2) Poss. Criminal Charges

The Reform Act of 2000 Did Not address Biggest
Problem - They can still steal peoples property and take
the money for their own use.

As long as L.E. can take assets & put them to their own use
without charging you with a crime they have a line at \$
interest in the continuation of the DW - Not Crime

Obama - supports Byrne Grant Thugs

D.W. is institutionalized - Just the way things are
84) - 80% of criminal defendants are
indigent - not able to hire lawyer

5 Almost No one ever goes to trial.

Prosecutor - most powerful crim. justice official
6 - People will plead ~~guilty~~ guilty, unprecedented - even if innocent.

7 - Feds - Typical Sentence for first time offender - 5 or 10
Forced Guilty Plea - and force them to snitch on others.
Forced Snitch testimony is unreliable.

8 - Innocent people will plead guilty

9 - House-Car-Roundup - Based on Hunch

USA Minor Drug crime gets mandatory That is more
than sentence for murder in many countries.
Judges are stripped of their role.

10 40 yrs for Mass Incarceration in the

102. of pot. Age of Color blindness
Supreme Court repeatedly upheld outrageous
cruel and unusual sentences.

11 Judges - Revolted & Quit Reagan Appointees.
"cant continue to do this"

12 Once labelled a felon - enter a parallel universe where
discrimination, stigma, exclusion are perfectly legal
13 They get you on parole or probation then put you away
for parole or probation violations

It is all about SOCIAL CONTROL A TOTAL
Huge Increase in (going back to 1980) because of
1980 parole - This is DRUG WAR Probation and
This is the Social Control system - New Slavery
Still growing

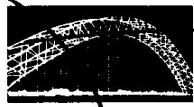
14 - Huge Numbers in a "Closed Circuit of perpetual Marginality"

This is an enormous undercaste

15 - Pick up guy at Daughters funeral Destroy him / then let him go.
It is in poor neighborhoods of color - That get this treatment

See the Numbers - is the enemy a thing or a group of people.

Differential Enforcement 80% to 90% of prisoners
7 States - African Americans rate of white men.
20 to 57 times the



16 - Imprisoned are black or latino - more violent drug users are white. And
white youth - have 3 times the emergency room visits - white
overall rate 13 times The rate of white men.
17 Violent Crime rates are at historically low levels (youth)
but incarceration continues to climb

94 up to 1/3 of State Prison Offenders are Violent offenders
Drug Offenders NOT Violent Crime led to prison Boom.

100 The Solution to the 60s Fear Blacks, Hippies/Druggies

GENIUS of system of mass incarceration, stunning effort
to sweep people of color off the streets, imprison → second class

101 - one of the most extraordinary systems of racialized social control the world has ever seen.

102 Financial Incentives made drug war popular with Law Enforcement
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Nietzsche There is no immaculate perception - Piles of Cognitive Bias Research
to show crime means Black.

104 Criminal Blackness inevitable after media image was formed
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105 Whren Decision This book was set in Fairfield LH Light
drugs And reasonable It is ok to use pretext traffic stops and go for
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McCluskey decision to be racist.

be challenged under the 14th amendment
clear statistical evidence could not
- Said - Courts will tolerate discrimination in the criminal justice system as a whole.
Closed court house doors to claims of racial bias in sentencing

114 - Laws fair on their face and impartial in their appearance, but selectively enforced

115 - Armstrong Decision. Courts immunized from claims of

The Genius of this New System of Social Control.
is Many Studies to Prove Prosecutorial Bias

15 Impact of Biased Treatment is Magnified with each additional
step into Crim. Justice System.

16 Supreme Court set up the system where Racial bias
can be given free reign - unchecked - Perfect Catch 22

17 All white juries OK

Complete abnegation of responsibility to provide equal
treatment under the law to minorities
For Nicole, Jonathan, and Corinne

18 Attaining All White Jury - easy in most jurisdictions.

19 31 States and the federal govt. subscribe to the Practice
of lifetime felon exclusion for felons

30% of Black men Banned from jury service for life.

20 US Supreme Court Said Any Black can be struck from any
Jury if you give a reason - even if "silly or superstitious"
- or not persuasive - or even plausible.

21 Prosecutors have greatest power, Police have most discretion

Supreme Court has Authorized race discrimination in
policing

Race Based Police Discretion is reason / is Key to Race Under
caste

Again - Drug Warriors target who? where? They decode.

22 - Police - want to avoid area of politically powerful
people - stated.

Unique isolation of the ghetto poor makes them uniquely vulnerable
No body powerful cares what happens.

22 Black youth - in ghetto - stop, interrogate, frisk - several
times a month Automatically Place hands on cars and

spread legs.

23 - Black People are searched automatically

White people are not perceived as drug offenders.

24 Supreme Court has granted license to discriminate.

25 Amazing Supreme Court Nazi Dogs

31 15% - 73% 17/70 21/80 Discrim. Yet Whites more likely
to be carrying contraband - 131 - in N Jersey Whites much more
likely

33 WOW - N.Y.C. - Law Enforcement - To Tally Racist
Database.

WOW - LA, Denver, Most Blacks in Possible Gang member Database,
consistent. Discretionary Stops mostly
minorities

Radar - consistent. Discretionary Stops mostly
minorities

Racial bias 80% of people of color in database.

136 System Depend on Prison Label, not prison Time

135 Whole mass incarceration system thoroughly immunized by Supreme Court against any Claim of Race Bias

1853 - as By Law Every black was still a slave and could NOT testify. Only a white could testify that you weren't a slave

139 Convicted? you enter a "parallel universe" of internal exile. civic death. Permanent Second Class Status

144 - Can be Tossed from Public Housing for a relative doing something off premises - blocks away.

147 Kids Tracked as future prisoners - from rundown school to new prison.

151 - Constant fees are imposed these days / $\frac{2}{3}$ of people in jail made under \$12,000.

Then - if - by miracle - get a job - 100% of wages may be taken for different payments. Back to Criminal

152-153 - Released - mountain of debt, No Shelter, No Food

154 No other Country - takes vote from former prisoners like the

USA
156 - Poor ex prisoners afraid to vote - call attention to themselves

158 - It is a New System of Control - get caught for a crime - your debt to society "NEVER paid - permanent caste

159 - Washington D.C. - $\frac{3}{4}$ of young black men have been to jail

159 - 60-61 - The Division of the Black Community.

~~EVEN in the Black Church - (connected w/ civil rights)~~
There was NO Forgiveness.

163 - Division - There is a great silence about the Imprisoned

164 - In Atmosphere of Prison - Silence - Division - Community Building

MAKES Resistance - Community healing a Political Action possible

Community healing a Political Action possible

165 - we establish criminogenic environments - rituals of punishment - in a form of racist "human sacrifice"

168 Rap - A for profit display of the worst racial stereotypes and images.

170 When the P.I.C. collapses - history will marvel at the huge racialized system of social control.

174 - Now - Not Black Riots - but division, depopulation of Black Men "Where have all the Black Men gone"

176 Discrimination is legal - based on criminal record.

Racial Progress - has gone backward
No one seems to notice
Brex/OP/24

more black men in prison today than were slaves in 1850
in the social control of the P.I.C. than were slaves in 1850
A black child born today is less likely to be raised by
two parents than a black child born into slavery
in the interest of the world - Here Mass incarceration
is normalized - this is how excess "people are moped up & turned
into a resource."

- we are a society in denial / segregation - Know and don't know
- U.S. criminal justice system - A racialized system of social control

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- Most Concerning - The New Racial Caste system
could be more Durable than Slavery / Jim Crow
Never before in USA has criminal justice system functioned as
a comprehensive system of social control of few were involved.

Of a racially or culturally defined population
is the system of control Acknowledgments
has changed - Not prevent or punish crime. Now concerned

with the management and control of the dispossessed.
(Could be no "revolution" or "working class")

Stats in Chicago - Outrageous 90% of those sentenced to
prison for drugs are black. More in prison than college

1999 - 1000 Bachelor's Degrees
7000 Black men Released from prison
Chapter 1: The Rebirth of Caste

- Discrimination is Legal 20 if a felon
Majorities of urban black men - now legalized discrimination

Constitution - Right of citizens to vote cannot be denied
on account of "a previous condition of servitude."

Felony disenfranchisement has decimated the black
electorate. - New Poll Tax - Fees

James - Blacks still kept off.
Supreme Court firmly committed to the prevailing system of

control Slavery, Jim Crow, Drug War.
- Extreme Apartheid - Locked in cages more than 100 miles

from home hundreds of thousands - Extreme Apartheid
Chapter 6: The Fire This Time

Young Minority Men. Can't escape or transform - Trapped
mass incarceration creates & maintains racial segregation.

Conflation of Blackness and Crime did not happen organically
was constructed by political & media elites as part of the

drug war
No longer permissible to hate blacks, but we can hate
Criminals

Criminal Justice System Provides our vehicle for Racism

194 The New Untouchables - The ~~the~~ Stigma of Race has become the stigma of criminality. a caste

degrading - Constant Stop and Search

young + black + male = criminal reasonable suspicion

195 Slavery → Jim Crow → Drug War - great similarities (listed)

But also Differences - Each (3) Unique "well adapted to

The circumstances of its time.

196 - The Law Allows Discretion by enforcers + enforcers work in over

discriminatory manner. Jim Crow And Drug War

★ Big Difference - in the Role of Racial Stigma

Jim Crow - Against all - contained the seeds of revolt.

Drug War - stigma is criminalized - Divides Black community

★ against itself. ★ D.W. is succeeding.

Stigma Makes collective action extremely difficult

Violence of slave master or KKK now being done by the state.

199 - Inclusion of Some Whites Necessary to maintaining the lie that

policy is color blind.

203 - Real drug Kingpins Buy their way out of a long sentence

204 - Black Male → Crime - if you control for joblessness the

Black correlation disappears.

206 - Young Blacks Not provided a decent set of options!

USA - The Collapse of inner city economies coincided with

Backlash of Southern Whites against the civil rights

movement - Perfect Storm → DW → mass incarceration

No longer Needed in Factory or Field - No repeat of "Black Power"

should be allowed. - Build Police/military/Prisons

Slavery = Exploitation Jim Crow = Subordination

Mass Incarceration = Marginalization

210 Where are the Protestors when people are charged as adults with

"crimes" of no violence + sent away to prison.

Awkward silence of the civil Rights Community - Problem

Amazing Quiet - WOD should be at the top of the agenda of every

civil rights group

216 Clinton years greatest disaster for non college blacks - in

incarceration and unemployment.

Prisoners erased from society - Not included in unemployment

+ poverty statistics.

218 Prison - To Return to the (High) level of the 70's we

would have to release 4 out of 5 prisoners.

218 More than 700,000 Prison workers = powerful political

force. 2 1/2 million employed in whole "justice system"

Greatest Force for Expansion of system

220 Begin by ending the War on Drugs. There is no way

a round it.

221 Long List of Excellent Reforms - Must be done

Q Are we serious about ending this system of Control or NOT?

A Failure to care lies at the root of this system of control.
223. if you don't get at the core consensus the racialized social control will emerge in new forms.

- Only Mass Movement can end it. Civil War ended slavery (Not A Proclamation)
- Civil Rights Movement ended Jim Crow (Not "Brown v. Bd")

224 Must deal with the Racial Caste System. This is a system that creates crime and a permanent class of criminals.

39% to 25% only Acknowledgments
of the drop & low level of crime is attributable to mass incarceration

W.O.D. is a major cause of poverty, joblessness, broken families and crime.

Mass incarceration is a failure as a crime reduction strategy.

225 - IF W.O.D. is understood as a system of social/racial control the system is a fantastic success. Most

It is often said, "It takes a village to raise a child." In my case, it has taken a village to write this book. I gave birth to three children in four years, and in the middle of this burst of joyous activity in our home, I decided to write this book. It was written while feeding babies and during nap times. It was written at odd hours and often when I (and everyone else in the household) had little sleep. Quitting the endeavor was tempting, as writing the book proved far more challenging than I expected. But just when I felt it was too much or too hard, someone I loved would surprise me with generosity and unconditional support; and just when I started to believe the book was not worth the effort, I would receive—out of the blue—a letter from someone behind bars who would remind me of all the reasons that I could not possibly quit, and how fortunate I was to be sitting in the comfort of my home or my office, rather than in a prison cell. My colleagues and publisher supported this effort, too, in ways that far exceeded the call of duty. I want to begin, then, by acknowledging those people who made sure I did not give up—the people who made sure this important story got told.

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economic insecurity + racial resentment exploited for political gain. Because of RACE we were willing to believe every thing bad about "them".

228 Racial indifference - Not caring - that is the greatest support to creation + maintenance of racialized (culture) systems of control. Not Bad - Just Blind to the suffering a spiritual ignorance. - They know not what they do - ^{cause} suffering

MLK - indifference of whites that support slavery, Jim Crow + mass incarceration.

229 Indifference + Blindness are the enemies - often not overt hostility

235 - The majority of young black males in urban areas are or were under the control of the criminal justice system.

238 - The "Cosmetic Diversity" with blacks Both ① legitimizes the system ② diminishes the possibility that unfair rules will be challenged

239 - Obama said "Pot had helped" and "I inhaled", frequently, that was the point.

240 Clinton - Flew back to Arkansas to execute retarded Black

Obama wants MORE Byrne Grant Funding, + C.O.P.S. etc.

243 Goal of Ruling Class - A / ways to get the white poor

to think a long racial lines rather than Class Solidarity!

244 Power concedes nothing without a demand.

245 Unless we go after the racist nature of this, and develop an inclusive ethic of care for all even poor whites A new racialized caste system will emerge. This must be the last Racialized caste system.

1968 MLK had already switched to a Poor Peoples Movement (and anti-war)

- Switch from racial justice to Human Rights Paradigm

- Human Rights Paradigm includes Drug War & Especially S to P Chasing Plants!

246 MLK - moved from era of civil rights to the era of human rights - New Era - must be an era of Revolution. -

"We are called upon to raise certain basic questions about the whole society" D.W. - mass incarceration was answer to MLK & civil rights victories

MLK - The Arc of history is long, but it bends toward Justice.

Baldwin - The White People - It is their innocence that constitutes the crime - This innocent country set you down in a ghetto in which, in fact, it intended that you should perish.

Cease fleeing from Reality and begin to change it.

248 866 0864 Matt Abel

For the Purpose of perpetuating a ^{vindictive, brutal, controlling} virulent racism

(ending the black & "hippie" threats) we sacrificed
our bill of rights.

Americas Greatest Shame

How we, in the real world,

Massive "Existential" Problem/Fear in the
Hearts of the "Silent Majority"

Cities Burning

• Culture being undermined from within.

SOLVED with

7 times as many people incarcerated since
1970

Drug ~~War~~ War TOTALLY SUCCESSFUL
at wiping out any organized African American
community / or strength AND the "counter
culture" & LSD.