A Semi Solution for Passive America

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As a woman, I find The Donald despicable. As an intellectual, I find Mr. Trump subpar. As an American, I find him divisive and impractical. As an adult, I find him child-like and a backyard bully. As a Republican, I find him crude and unwilling. As a Democrat, I find him fickle and perverse. As a Libertarian, I find him a global threat.

While all these things ring true, the one stance I have yet to argue is the point of susceptibility. In the world of 2016, where the media runs the world and good Samaritans go unnoticed, we live in a backwards world; where the unruly rule the innocent and the sheep are herded by wolves. Why is there no common ground to stand firm on? How can we put a man on the moon, but not shelter a refugee? How can we soar through the air, but not cure cancer? How can we call ourselves adherents of this Earth, and subconsciously pollute and wreak global havoc? We cannot have it both ways. We are either *for* or *against* this land we occupy, and we can either *oppress* it for ourselves, or *share* it amongst our fellow inhabitants; humans and animals, wildlife to countryside, all dwellers should live <u>harmoniously</u>.

In a world as beautiful as ours, we should be less focused on cheapening gas prices, are more in tune with the alternatives around us. Nature is a powerful resource, one we have hardly tapped into, especially in comparison to the inexcusable overuse of fossil fuel. Going *green* isn't just for pot smoking hippies anymore; it's a way of life and alternative option, one that should be encouraged, mirrored even. Because, in a planet as fruitfully opportunistic as ours, what our future predicts is an absolute shame. We cannot standby any longer; we cannot watch the world burn helplessly. Again, why can't we all live harmoniously? Are we too dogged to evolve alongside? No, we are not.

We *are* capable of change, we *are* willing to evolve, and we *are* ready for that spur-of-the-moment catalyst. War and bloodshed aside, we are ready for our leap of faith.

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Coming down from this metaphorical high, we must realize the true circumstance we live in; that the world does not live as one, and that sometimes the *wrong* way can be the *right*. The Middle East, in my opinion, is one of our least proud landmarks. We should be embarrassed by the reigning hostility and divisive radicalism imposed upon all forms of life within their bare desert land. The Western worlds have more than their fair share of issues and concern, but none share the same petty revulsion as those from the Middle East. A broad statement, clearly one that does not apply to all, but a statistically true statement nonetheless; we can no longer overlook the obvious deterrent of the Middle East. If we watch from afar, we merely standby in the face of danger; if we intervene, we contribute to the reckless endangerment of civilians. "Do or do not, there is no try." I say: Do or do not, we mustn't stay stagnant.

Many Americans disagree with Mr. Donald Trump; hell, *most* Americans disagree with him; I myself find him despicable and a poor excuse for a man/husband/father. That said, even the most arrogant of men and contribute an idea or two to a national cause, and even the most arrogant of audiences can adhere to certain ideas. What Mr. Trump lacks is courtesy, what Mr. Trump lacks is respect. What Mr. Trump lacks is subtlety and the right to do no wrong. What he does not lack is intelligence, for he has proven himself a very smart and successful man. Hate him or love him, he is the epitome of the American businessman's dream. A red-blooded American, Donald represents the men and women who pulled themselves up from their bootstraps. What he has to offer is his insight into the "Art of the Deal," or for lack of better words, what he has to offer is the stiff-arm tough love approach that America needs.

Donald is every father who ever spanked their child for misbehaving; every mother who grounded their kid for a bad report card, and every coach who sidelined their best player on account of poor sportsmanship or apathy. He is the man you love to hate, and frankly, when it comes to foreign affairs, we could use a coach like him. Is he worthy of the White House? Hell no, he's far too unpolished and archaically crude. He should be given certain power, but on a leash. He should be given room to run with the ball, but not free reign. He's a loose cannon, a firecracker, and certainly not someone we'd want to go up against in a fight. He's a fighter, (in his head) a dogooder, and the type of guy that needs restraint when tempers run loose. Donald Trump would make a hell of a General, or top Foreign Affairs Committee Chairman. He would make a great VP to a more levelheaded and balanced leader, adding that extra spark of fervor and intense charisma that most Americans see fit. He's old school in a new era, and while progressives may detest any notion of a time prior to civil rights (I mean, who wouldn't?) what he does signify is a red-blooded patriot with the heart of a lion and swinging fists of fury.

The time for negotiation is no longer, the time for diplomacy has run short, and the time for fire is now. ISIS is an evil that needs to be eradicated from this beautiful Earth of ours, not reasoned with or negotiated. The time for talk was fifteen years back in 2001, the time for now is action. And action is what Donald has to offer.

Hillary is not a fighter; she's a shark, a predator of mere self-interest. Donald is like a hawk; a keen eyed predator with a calculated pounce. What he lacks in precision, he compensates for in wrath. Hawks prey on the feeble, sharks prey when they're hungry, Americans prey when they're endangered, and ISIS pray for our mercy. Long live America.