



# Christian Anti-Communism Crusade

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Dear Friend,

I am still living in the afterglow of our Silver Jubilee Banquet. Testimonials to the quality and effectiveness of the work of the Crusade and its president caused my heart to overflow. I was assured and reassured that we have numerous friends who share our concern over the progress of communism towards its objective of world conquest and our compassion for the children, who will be the primary victims of communist classicide and tyranny, and that these friends will stand with us through every trial and difficulty.

I wish I could remain in the realm of ecstasy, but this cannot be. The glorious experiences of Jesus and his disciples on the Mount of Transfiguration were a prelude to the battle with demons. We must fight the battle for survival against the demons of ignorance, indifference, deception, slander and greed which serve the communist cause so well. At present I am battling the demon of frustration who appears when our income is inadequate to sustain our work.

For some unknown reason, there is always a grievous fall in the Crusade income during the months of March and April which forces me to make a special plea for special gifts. We have a special need for \$60,000 which must be found or the consequences will be dire. The Crusade has accepted responsibilities to support fighters against communism all over the world and some of our colleagues are laying their lives on the line. Their cries for help are tinged with desperation.

We need \$60,000. This is an enormous sum if one individual must pay it, but it is not such a large sum if the burden of raising it is adequately shared. The Worldwide Church of God, founded by Herbert W. Armstrong, does not have a large membership when compared to other churches, but it has an income of \$80 million per year. The Crusade could meet all its present responsibilities and expand its ministry with an income less than one percent of this sum.

Please share this burden. If you can give \$10,000, that will be wonderful. If you can give only \$10, that will also be grand. Any sum is most welcome.

It is so easy to design a program of gifts that would raise the \$60,000. The difficulty is to persuade people to execute the program. Optimistically, I submit this schedule.

1 gift of \$10,000 .....	\$10,000
2 gifts of 5,000 .....	10,000
10 gifts of 1,000 .....	10,000
20 gifts of 500 .....	10,000
100 gifts of 100 .....	10,000
1000 smaller gifts .....	10,000
Total	<u>\$60,000</u>

Ideally, I should sit down with each one of you personally and detail the situation which has created the need. I would enjoy such a visit immensely, but I cast a glance over my desk where 50 periodicals

(many of them communist) are spread out and tauntingly cry, "study me;" I look at the desk of my secretary, Ella Doorn, and it is loaded with files containing 1,000 letters which must be answered. Many of these letters contain requests for me to speak at important meetings and other requests come constantly by phone.

I am confident that each of you would prefer me to spend my time giving attention to these urgent tasks, and will forgive me for failing to visit you. May I be equally confident that you will give as generously and promptly as you would do if I visited you personally, presented the need, and asked for your help. Your gift will be life-saving.

### MARXISM IN EVANGELICAL CIRCLES

We face a remarkable paradox. The appeal of Marxist ideology is at its lowest ebb in communist countries while it is much stronger in evangelical circles than it has ever been.

We are constantly informed that Marxist ideology is moribund, if not already dead, in the Soviet Union. Authorities such as Solzhenitsyn assure us that the young people, as well as mature adults are totally disillusioned with Marxism-Leninism and that they scorn the propaganda which is heaped upon them. The young idealist, inspired by a vision of a warless world in which perfect people live in a perfect society, is now an historic memory. The idealism has been shattered by the grim reality of pampered and selfish leaders creating States dominated by national chauvinism and societies characterized by gross inequality, material scarcity and minimum personal liberty. The youth, cynical and pragmatic, adapt to the reality by striving to carve out a niche of privilege and material well-being for themselves. Many quench their yearnings for freedom with alcohol.

Other professed Socialist societies have a similar record. According to its present rulers, the communists of China imposed a fascist dictatorship in that country for many years. The Cambodian Communists created a human slaughterhouse. Cuba has the highest percentage of its population incarcerated as political prisoners of any nation in the world. Many communists in the U.S.A., such as those in the Progressive Labor Party and the Revolutionary Communist Party, cannot find a single socialist society anywhere in the world of which they approve.

Despite this, Marxist ideology is successfully infiltrating evangelical circles. This is usually achieved in the form of a total condemnation of the capitalistic system. The leaders of missionary societies that are sustained by the unselfish gifts of individuals, which are available through the operation of the free enterprise system, condemn "The System" and demand its overthrow.

The compassion of sacrificial givers is classified as guilt. This tendency is illustrated by the article written by Stanley Mooneyham, President of World Vision, which I published and answered in the April 15 newsletter. Responses to this article will be printed in the June 1 newsletter.

Today it is fashionable to condemn "The System," meaning the Capitalist System. It is easy to do this because poverty and suffering are rife in so many parts of the world. However, as Christians, we know that human nature is sinful and no system constructed by sinful men is or could be perfect. Of the systems that exist, Capitalism has proved to be the best. As Michael Novak writes in the March 22 edition of the Santa Ana Register:

"No cultural system in the history of the world has done more--and is now doing more-- than democratic capitalism to raise both the average age of death and the standard of living throughout the world. Without democratic capitalism, the enormous leap forward taken by the world during the last 200 years is not even conceivable."

Marxism does not deliver from poverty; it increases it.

## COOPERATION WITH ACCURACY IN MEDIA (AIM)

The Crusade is engaged in a cooperative operation with the splendid organization, Accuracy in Media (AIM). I am encouraging Crusade supporters to subscribe to AIM Report, while my longtime friend, Reed Irvine, Chairman of AIM, is encouraging AIM subscribers to accept and read the Crusade newsletter. Reed sent the following letter to AIM subscribers:

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# Accuracy In Media



REED J. IRVINE  
CHAIRMAN

Dear Friend:

You may recall that last November in the AIM Report's "Notes from the Editor's Cuff" I called attention to an item about Pete Seeger and Allied Chemical Corp. that had appeared in the Bulletin of the Christian Anti-Communism Crusade.

I added this comment:

"If you are not getting the Bulletin of the Christian Anti-Communism Crusade, I would recommend it to you. It is factual and informative in an area that the media ignore. Dr. Schwarz keeps up with numerous communist publications, and his newsletter zeroes in on what the communists of a variety of stripes are saying and doing. I find it valuable."

I went on to cite another item that I had found in Dr. Schwarz's newsletter that provided the basis for a question that I asked at the State Department's daily news briefing. This concerned the appointment of a prominent Australian Communist, Dr. Derek Roebuck, as head of the research department of Amnesty International.

As I lecture around the country, I am often asked what publications people can read to get reliable information about important topics that the regular media are not covering accurately or adequately.

The Christian Anti-Communism Crusade newsletter is high on that list.

There are three reasons for this.

1. It deals with an area that Big Media not only ignore, but are frequently simply ignorant of. I recall a discussion I had sometime ago with one of the top editors of The Washington Post. I discovered that he did not even know the correct name of the daily paper of the Communist Party--The Daily World. Those who are totally ignorant of what the far left is doing are vulnerable to manipulation by the left without even being aware of it.

2. The area is one of profound importance for all Americans. Free societies are under attack throughout the world, and the area of freedom has shrunk dramatically in my lifetime. If we are serious about defending our freedom, we must arm ourselves with information about the strategy, tactics and maneuvers of our enemies.

3. Dr. Fred Schwarz is a meticulous researcher, who gives facts, not wild charges. You can rely on what he says.

I recommend his newsletter without reservation.

Sincerely yours,

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I have sent this letter to AIM subscribers:

I hope I may be pardoned for feeling a sense of pride as I send you the accompanying letter from my longtime friend, Reed Irvine. You and I are aware of his devotion to accuracy, a devotion which I share.

With Reed's letter, I am sending the May 1 edition of the newsletter of the Christian Anti-Communism Crusade. This newsletter is published on the 1st and 15th of each month, and I am eager to send it to you regularly. I feel I cannot do this without your consent so I ask you to spare a minute to mail the enclosed envelope and thereby express your willingness to receive the newsletter. I am confident that we are in agreement on the following:

1. Communism presents a very real danger to the liberty of all.
2. Communism should be exposed and opposed, not ignored.
3. Accurate, up-to-date information about the current doctrinal emphases, organizational structures, projects, plans and purposes of the communists is necessary in order to expose and oppose them intelligently and effectively.

The Crusade newsletter contains accurate, up-to-date information about communism which is obtained from research into the voluminous communist press. Most people are busy and lack the time and resources to do such research for themselves. A trustworthy source of such information is of great value.

Maybe you believe your knowledge of communism and its activities is already adequate. May I test you with a simple questionnaire?

1. Name five Communist Parties in the U.S.A. that presently publish a newspaper once a week or more frequently.
2. Which Communist Party opposes forced busing for school integration?
3. Name the Communist Party which supports, and is supported by, Communist China.
4. Which U.S. Congressman is quoted and promoted most consistently in the Daily World, the daily newspaper of the U.S. Communist Party?
5. What is the most active "Front" of the U.S. Communist Party?
6. What is the attitude of the U.S. Communist Party towards nuclear power?

Answers to these questions will be given in the June 1 edition of the newsletter.

There is no subscription price for the newsletter as the Crusade work is supported by voluntary, tax-deductible contributions. Donations are accepted gratefully, but are not necessary in order to receive the newsletter. Again I ask you to grant me the privilege of sending the newsletter to you and to inform me by returning the enclosed envelope.

(Signed by Dr. Fred Schwarz)

In conclusion, I remind you of the special need for \$60,000 and await your response with happy hope and fervent faith. We will not fail.

With Christian love,

*Fred Schwarz*  
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P.S. To obtain the Crusade newsletter (free) or the taped program of the Silver Jubilee Banquet, (\$6.00), write to: Christian Anti-Communism Crusade, P.O. Box 890, Long Beach, Ca. 90801