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ERIK VON KUEHNELT-LEDDIHN: LEFTISM: FROM DE SADE AND MARX TO HITLER AND MARCUSE
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Dedication: To the Noble Memory of Armand Tuffin, Marquis de la Rouérie

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   a. No place for Adam Smith
   b. Lack of a coherent system of thought
      1) Eliseo Vivas

7. Anglo-Saxon Empiricism

8. Need for a Rational Program
   a. Charity
   b. Lack of a concise philosophy
      1) Dangers to American conservatism
      2) Roots of this state of affairs

9. Will the American Constitution Fill the Bill?
   a. Probably not

10. Preparing for the Demise of Democracy
    a. Conservative lacks program
    b. Aftermath of total atomic war
    c. Use of experts
        1) It is unavoidable
        2) Importance of a first class administration
           a) Hartmann

11. The Current Stand-Off
    a. Increasing leftist expertise
        1) Reasons
           a) Conservative anti-intellectualism
        2) Need to get good men into government positions
    b. Entrenchment of leftists
        1) Tactics
           a) Silent treatment
           b) Defamation
12. Conservative Must Use the Scholastic Distinguo
a. *e.g.* Japanese internment
b. Poor record on racial tolerance
   1) Multiplying laws
      a) Lesson of prohibition
c. Need for delight in diversity
d. Internationalism
   1) Not necessarily identitarian
   2) Possibility of a global federation
e. Federalist principle
   1) Deteriorating effects of the centralized state
      a) Italian Risorgimento
      b) Second Reich

13. Prerequisites of a Global Federation
a. Common religious denominator
b. Question of timing
   1) Kairos

14. Task of the American Conservative

**CHAPTER 21: THE OUTLOOK**

Outline

A. UNITED NATIONS (413-14)
   1. Impaired Effectiveness
   2. Lack of a Common Denominator
      a. What about “man”?
      b. Proliferation of states and „nations”
      c. Inequality of their integrity
   3. Lasting Values of the Globe Are Not Reflected in It
      a. Many crucial failures
      b. Timetable error

B. COCKSURENESS OF THE MODERATE LEFTISTS (414-17)
   1. Misery and Ruin
      a. Its pervasiveness
      b. Crimes of non-leftists are pecadillos by comparison
   2. Are We Better Off Than 40-60 Years Ago?
      a. The frightening menaces hanging over us
      b. Decisions have been made by the left
   3. Reasons for Their Mischief
      a. Ideological close-mindedness
      b. Intellectual arrogance
      1) Unchallenged Monopolies
      2) Ignorance of Western traditions
         a) Conservative must also come to grips with tradition
      c. Roussellian heritage and inferiority complex
      d. The “halfway” man (double-mindedness)

C. THE COLOSSAL HAVOC THE LEFTISTS HAVE WROUGHT (417-19)
   1. Recant of the Horrors
   2. The Sheer Magnitude of Horror

D. BRINK OF THE ABYSS (419-21)
   1. Current Situation
      a. Legitimacy of religious pessimism
   2. The Future
a. Repeating of basic patterns
b. Leftism will be a permanent factor
c. Democracy is drawing to a close
   1) Its union with the liberal impulse is headed toward divorce
d. We should look upon this development with fear and trembling
   1) Gap between Scita and Scientia makes change inevitable
   2) Rule from above could be an Augustan age or its opposite
   3) Quality of the top is of crucial importance
      a) Left's effort to monopolize the top
      b) Max Horkheimer's observation
   4) Need to create domains of freedom
      a) Where democratic institutions make sense
      b) Need to secure local autonomy

E. PRACTICAL UNDERTAKING (421-
1. Spain's Constitutional Development
2. Peter Drucker's Observation
3. Thirst for Monarchy
   a. Inordinate fascination with royalty
      1) Familistic principle
   b. Lost sense of authority
      1) Crisis of masculinity
         a) Father State or Provider State is a faceless father substitute:
            “The failure of man as a warrior and as a father is now being
            followed by his resignation as a lover”
4. Leftist Monism
   a. Clemenceau, et al.: Everything belongs to Caesar, nothing to God
5. Task of Christianity to Fight the Leftist Temptation
   a. Its crisis
   b. Theology of the beaten dog
   c. Total immersion in social thought and social action
      1) Changing faith in a changing world
   d. Responsibility to defend freedom
6. Old Left Proposes a False Order
   a. New Left proposes chaos that is the flip side of the same coin

APPENDIX: THE TRAGIC LIFE OF CHARLES-ARMAND TUFFIN, MARQUIS DE LA ROUËRIE

Outline

A. A MAN LAMENTABLE OVERLOOKED ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC (435-36)
   1. Temperamental But Generous and High-Minded Young Man
B. YEARS IN AMERICA, 1777-83 (436)
   1. Colonel Armand
   2. Battle of Camden
   3. Siege of Yorktown
C. RETURN TO FRANCE (437)
   1. Failure to Secure a Commission
   2. Marriage and Loss of His Wife
   3. Dr. Chévetel
   3. Breton Delegation, 1788, and Imprisonment in the Bastille
D. REVOLUTION AND RESISTANCE (438-43)
   1. Armand’s Apprehensions
2. Count Ranconnet de Noyan  
3. Plans for a Counterrevolution  
4. Jacobinism  
5. Thérèse de Moélien  
6. Monsieur Millet  
7. Chévetel’s Deception  
8. Castle of La Fosse-Hingant  
9. Castle of La Guyomarais  
10. Armand’s Illness and Death  
11. Aftermath  
12. Great Rebellion Crushed  
13. Noyades  
14. The Revolution’s Evil Aftermath Is Still with Us