

NAKED AGGRESSION

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE IT IF YOUR COUNTRY WAS RUN BY A POWER MAD, GENOCIDAL MANIAC? Within the last year, this genocidal maniac invaded a small country, killing over 2,000 civilians, destroying residential neighborhoods with areal bombing, leaving 1000's homeless and leaving an occupying military force, which remains there today! This action was unanimously denounced by the U.N. as a violation of international law! SURPRISE! We are not talking about Saddam's invasion of Kuwait, we are talking about Mr. Bush's invasion of Panama on 12/20/89! First hand accounts of the current situation in Panama reveal horrifying facts:

Arbitrary and illegal searches are conducted by U.S. soldiers; Panama has been brought to an era of common graves, disappeared people, refugees, and the ransaking of homes. This first hand account paints an evil picture: "Dawn found many dead in the hallways, buried under the rubble or dismembered and totally unrecognizable, because their bodies were charred or incinerated by U.S. troops and thrown into plastic bags. The soldiers threw some of these bodies into the sea, others were thrown into common graves. The Red Cross was not permitted to recover bodies of either the wounded or the dead to transport them to the hospital or the morgue. U.S. troops also opened fire on the ambulances."

FURTHERMORE, this invasion was not to rid Latin America of the Norriega regime, but to clear room for more U.S. corporations & for the military to test its new toys. From the Panimainian Center for Research & Social Action: "The U.S. Army made use of this opportunity to try out the supersecret stealth bomber (\$500 million a piece), the Apache attack helicopter (\$14 million a piece), and other army weapons. U.S. soldiers paid \$6 for each dead body recovered.

IT is obvious that the U.S. Army is more oppressive than the prior regime.

NOW Mr. Bush is using international law against Iraq when he did the exact same thing 1 year ago



Bulldozer covering up the mass grave at Jardin de Paz, December 31, 1989. According to AP captain, "no further information regarding the victims was available."

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FACTS ON PANAMA

- 1) 3,000-4,000 civilian deaths during the invasion. Some esti
7,000 according to human rights groups. Many people were
buried in mass graves. wounded were not treated.
- 2) 450 bombs were dropped in 12 hours, from Stealth Fighter
planes being used in war for the 1st time.
- 3) Current Pres. Endara, VP Ford, and Attorney Gen. Rogelio
Cruz have connections to banks heavily involved in drug mo
laundering.
- 4) U.S. aid money will be used to help businesses set up shop
(26 have already done so) in Panama and to pay off Panaman
debts to international banks.
- 5) U.S. military and State Dept. controllers have been assign
to 22 Panamanian government ministries and agencies.
- 6) U.S. troops continue to hold in jail hundreds of political
prisoners, including journalists, legislators, in an attem
to crush any democratic opposition.
- 7) 3,000 refugees still living in an airplane hanger at U.S.
Albrook AFB.
- 8) Panamanians are resisting the repression, by blocking the
Bridge of the Americas, occupying a building under constuct

WHAT YOU CAN DO: call or write Paul Henry and Mr. Bush

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