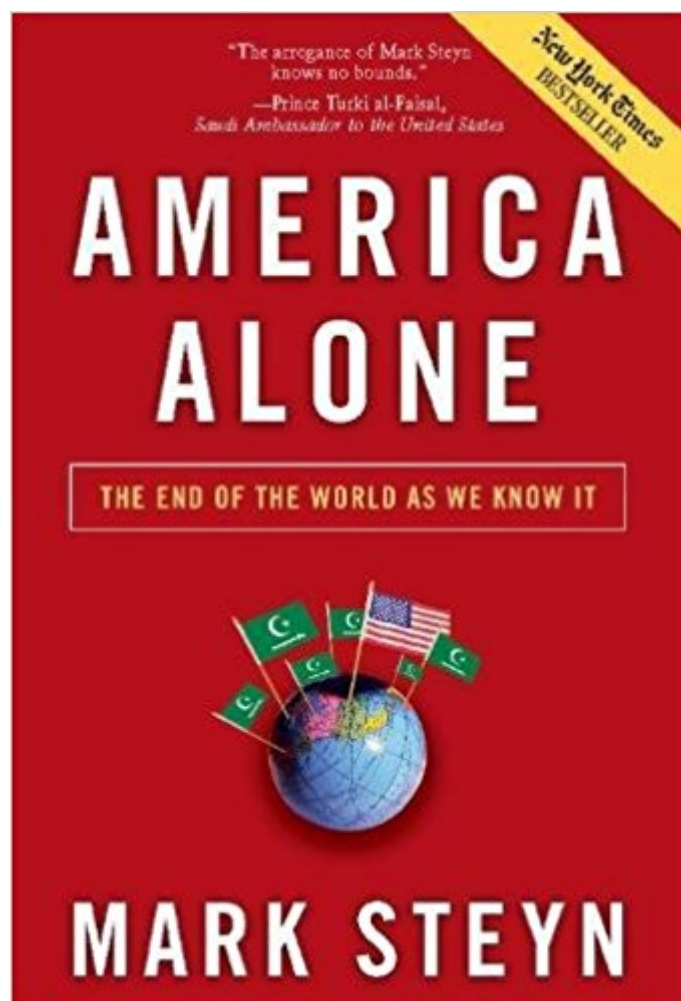


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AMERICA ALONE: The End Of The World As We Know It



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Praise for *America Alone* "Mark Steyn is a human sandblaster. This book provides a powerful, abrasive, high-velocity assault on encrusted layers of sugarcoating and whitewash over the threat of Islamic imperialism. Do we in the West have the will to prevail?" --Michelle Malkin, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Unhinged* "Mark Steyn is the funniest writer now living. But don't be distracted by the brilliance of his jokes. They are the neon lights advertising a profound and sad insight: America is almost alone in resisting both the suicide of the West and the suicide bombing of radical Islamism." --John O'Sullivan, editor at large, *National Review*, and author of *The President, the Pope, and the Prime Minister*

An important and very insightful book, written in Mr. Steyn's customary style, a mixture of humor and exasperation. Unfortunately it's already a little dated, and things have gotten MUCH worse. How much worse do they have to get before we wake up ?

Finally after many years, events brought me to read and consider the outlier positions of 'America Alone', as discussed in the usual tongue-in-check of social provocateur, Mark Steyn. Our political class has not progressed in its understanding of Jihad one iota in the last 12 years. To my chagrin, this book seems to be only dated when referring to our gadgets. The themes are bang on, as relevant today as ever before. It's also the stuff we do not want to hear. We want to believe that all of us are wrapped in the same silken covers. We will protect each other from the cold, and the wind and freezing rain. But with our Muslim brothers, that's not how they see it. We are not going to be co-survivors on a futuristic Noah's Ark. Steyn does provide a roadmap on how to reform Islam from the inside. Most points are realistic, but not a single reform has occurred anywhere in the Islamic

World. The probabilities of reform did look good during the period of the 'Arab Spring', but Syria, ISIS & the weakness of the leaders of the USA and Europe towards the daily terror threats, have turned parts of the West into Police States. Rather than hearing stark responses from EU leaders on the nature of the problem, a million refugees have entered its porous borders, with the EU providing succor to the next generation of jihadists from within their ranks. We in the West seek to understand the meaning of life in an enlightened way, valuing all cultures as relevant to the human experience. Perhaps the continual dripping of innocents' blood, intrusions into our civilized, sane World, by callous and crippled savages, will lead us to reconsider our premises. If our argument on understanding the role of jihad can't stand the test of reason, then we are following the wrong premise.

Mark Steyn is simply a treasure. He says what I am thinking in my head and puts it all down in words that make sense. Buy every book he writes and read them for honest content. He always ruffles some feathers and that's the point. Someone needs to counter the BS that passes for Main Stream Media.

Author Mark Steyn's "America Alone" provides a global construct in which the world is dependent on America for a future that honors human dignity and basic liberties. The rise in global Islamism represents a critical global threat. At issue is whether we have the will to get the job done. Other major powers do not. They have committed demographic suicide, created unsustainable welfare state models, and are too exhausted to be counted on. Steyn says September 11, 2001, was not "the day everything changed," but the day that revealed how much had already changed. Islamic extremists are not fighting so that we can provide them with something. They are fighting to eliminate America and the West. We need to be shaken from our pre-occupation with elevating the secondary impulses (self-gratification) over the primary ones: national defense, self-reliance, family, and, most basic of all, reproductive activity. Steyn offers a series of alternative responses to this global threat and rules all but "reforming Islam" unrealistic. His plan for reform places an emphasis on creating conditions which will increase the likelihood of Muslim reform including: 1. Supporting women's rights in the Muslim world. 2. Roll back ideological exports like Wahhabi, that radicalize Muslims. 3. Support economic and political liberty in the Muslim world. 4. End the Iranian Regime. 5. Strike militarily as needed. "America Alone" will change the way you look at the world. Steyn argues we don't know who we are, we don't know the issues, and we still do not understand the nature of the enemy. We are the ones who are nuts. We have the better government, religion, and culture but

our ideological insecurity is a weakness that becomes this particular enemy's strength. We must turn away from a culture that is suicidal. A suicide bomber is not a weak weapon against a culture intent on killing itself.

Mark Steyn is certainly one of the most worldly commentators of our time. If you weren't worried that the Muslims might actually WIN and impose Sharia law in the U.S., Mr. Steyn explains why you should be with blow-by-blow accounts of how the Muslims take over countries simply by immigrating and having children. Mr. Steyn shows how France and England are already tittering on the brink of Sharia calamity and outlines what life in the U.S. might be like under Sharia law a hundred years from now. The military battles are just a distraction. If you don't want your grandchildren forced to give up their music, burn their books, and pay a tax for being non-believers, start by reading this book.

"Demographics" was a word I hadn't heard it a long time, but I'm certainly familiar with now, thanks to Mark Steyn's "America Alone." Yes, author Steyn's sarcastic humor is very funny in spots but, overall, this book was very sobering to me, very chilling. I had no idea the Muslim influence was so prevalent in Europe, and a large part of that due to the declining birth rate of the Europeans. Some of his statistics in this 2006 book are downright shocking, and I'm very curious to see what's in his new book, due out in August. Steyn's extensive vocabulary doesn't make for a quick read, but his content is powerful stuff and really makes you think.

EVERY American should read this book!

Great book, written awhile ago but still holds through today Simple theme, will to fight for what you believe not, western relativist multicultural values will lead to its collapse... Low population, low will versus higher birth rate of Muslims in Europe can lead to losing those values by Democratic vote and institutional accommodation.. Leading to loss of freedom slowly

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