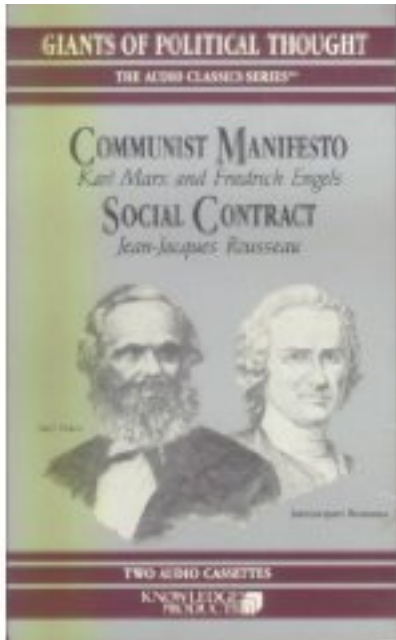


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We are driven away from the necessary and the difficult by our inadequacies and fears, and so rarely move ourselves any closer to fulfillment. In a perversity of justice, those who do achieve the things which we imagine would fulfill us (wealth, fame, beauty, genius) are no more fulfilled than the average man, and just as beset by inadequacy and fear. Often, more so.

Transhumanism represents a hope that we can escape this pattern of ignorance and self-destruction but only by escaping the human bodies and minds that cannot control themselves.

The Manifesto always seemed little more than a sad reminder of our failings, though it did motivate people and provided a test of the mettle of humanity. Beyond that, it does more to rile than to increase understanding of the economy and our role within it. It is sad that a work which is at least based on some worthwhile principles falls to the same simple fears and ideals that plague our everyday lives.

The manifesto tries to take all of the economic theory of its authors and create from it a story that will excite the common man. They did not expect that most of them would pick up Das Kapital and start really thinking about their role in things. It was enough to engage their greed and sense of injustice without intruding much on their understanding.

The average man does not want to understand, he would prefer to believe. It is unfortunate that the main effect proven by the Communist movement is that any and every political system simply shifts wealth and power from one group to another, and little aids the serf or the unlucky.

We Americans are in little position to stand over the 'failure of Communism', since democracy has not proven any kinder to mankind, nor can it deliver justice equally to the poor and the rich.

Jeanette "Astute Crabbist": Somehow it just seemed right and fitting that I should read The Communist Manifesto over Fourth of July weekend.

"WORKING MEN OF ALL COUNTRIES, UNITE!"

2.5 stars

Marx has some valid points, and some of his ideas are actually in use in the U.S.(gasp!). A prose stylist he was not. This is very convoluted and overwrought. The introduction of this version is very good and helped my understanding, hence the extra half star.

Xio: Its lousy enjoyable to develop up marxist within the US. You get to visit conferences the place you, as a kid, quickly observe there is no aspect in being attentive so off you elect the opposite rowdy little toddlers into the ghetto to make difficulty with no matter what you discover to hand.And you get to learn this novella and in case you are bored and underchallenged yet over stricken you can start to argue opposed to american capitalist imperialism and the expansion of consumerist doctrine utilizing your new stumbled on propaganda talents til you bait a instructor into telling you to maneuver to Russia for those who like that stuff loads (\*true story)

Ken: EH. You know. Marx. examining Marx is like fucking a microwaved squash -- everyone's

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obtained to do it eventually, yet you most likely cannot get so into it that you simply commence becoming a member of a club. as the subsequent factor you recognize you can be status at the again of a body of workers delivery humorlessly waving an immense flag and screaming via a bullhorn at a host of people that made the deadly mistake of now not agreeing with you, whereas your comrades herd them via barbed-wire-lined corrals with rifle butts and... wait, is that this analogy nonetheless holding?

Rachel: One notice review: disgusting. there's rather a lot i may say, and there's not the distance to claim it in a review... the place do I even begin? For starters, the ebook all started on a whining note. there have been primarily major thrusts: first that loose alternate was once so unfair to the bad proletariat; second, that the communistic circulate had basically the pursuits of the proletariat at heart. It used to be unhindered by means of nationality or the other pursuits and existed completely to make the operating type successful. What began as a whining tirade coming from a guy who evidently desired to abolish loose exchange since it didn't swimsuit him as he wished, ended with an abolition of family, domestic education, patriotism, and marriage. Little sins like self-centeredness, sloth, and greediness, if now not repented of can lead the guts to hunt justification on its own. the center attempts to justify itself sooner than the cries of sense of right and wrong by means of rationalizing and at last constructing a method in step with itself... and also you turn out with Sartre, Nietzsche, or Marx with principles to make you shudder. "The fees opposed to Communism made of a religious, a philosophical, and generally, from an ideological perspective usually are not deserving of a significant examination". That used to be actually the one factor acknowledged to these objections. Seriously!?! I got here away with loads of observations, yet 3 have been specially notable: Marx was hoping that social switch may swap man's center (environmental determinism). The country = the proletariat as an geared up ruling class The abolition of non-public estate was once #1 on Marx's hit list. The finishing notice is without doubt one of the purposes i believe Communism has such an appeal. It bargains purpose, hope, and excitement. this can be the single factor I sympathized with a bit of within the complete thing. i'm afraid that Christians have held out an impotent, limp, and emasculated truncation of Christianity for too long. The human middle longs for a better purpose, a kingdom, a cause. Christ Jesus, King of Kings and Lord of Lords is the answer, no longer communism. "The Communists disdain to hide their perspectives and aims. they freely claim that their ends could be attained merely through the forcible overthrow of all latest social conditions. allow the ruling sessions tremble at a Communistic revolution. The proletarians don't have anything to lose yet their chains. they've got an international to win. operating males OF ALL COUNTRIES, UNITE!" And so ends a despicable document.

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