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SEGREGATION (UNTOUCHABILITY): The Chicago region's deeply entrenched patterns of segregation extract a steep price in lost lives and unrealized economic growth, according to a study. The seven-county area's murder rate could be cut by 30 percent, its economy could churn out an additional $8 billion in goods and services and its African-American residents could earn $3,000 more a year if it could reduce racial and economic segregation to the median level for the nation's largest metro areas. And 83,000 more residents could have earned bachelor's degrees, spurring an additional $90 billion in collective lifetime earnings. Those were the findings of a study by the Metropolitan Planning Council, a Chicago-based public policy research group, and the Urban Institute, a Washington think tank.

While the seven-county region has seen a slow reduction in racial and economic segregation from 1990 to 2010, it remained fifth-worst among the nation's 100 most populous metro areas in 2010, the most recent full census year, the study found. The region includes Cook, DuPage, Lake, Kane, Kendall, McHenry and Will counties. The nation's four most segregated regions were Philadelphia; Bridgeport, Conn.; New York; and Milwaukee, in that order. The study comes as the region experienced a population loss in 2016, the second year in a row. Many of those leaving the area are African-Americans moving to warmer climates in search of stable jobs and safe neighborhoods as gun violence continues to scar Chicago's South and West sides. The study assessed segregation in three ways: African-American/white, Latino/white and by economic status for the 100 most populous regions in 1990, 2000 and 2010, measuring progress over that period. The researchers then analyzed how Chicago fared on income measures, life expectancy, college attainment and homicides relative to the other regions.

Allegedly, the city of Chicago has taken steps since 2010 aimed at easing segregation and strengthening affordable housing requirements for new developments, and Cook County made it illegal for landlords to discriminate against prospective tenants who have rent-subsidy vouchers. But unless metro Chicago cranks up the pace of desegregation efforts, it will lag on African-American/white segregation until 2060 to and 2070, the study predicted.
THE AMERICAN KAFALA OF 11.5 MILLION SLAVES

Kafala Is A System Of Control. In The Migration Context, It Is A Way For Governments To Delegate Oversight And Responsibility For Migrants To Private Citizens Or Companies.

The word Kafala means sponsorship in Arabic. The migration management system of America enables exploitation and forced labor under the threat of penalty of deportation and imprisonment akin to modern-day slavery. This system has different names in different regions: In the Arab land it is called Kafala and in America it is called illegal alien or criminal alien. The majority of the migrants are low-wage construction or service-industry workers, or domestic workers who toil under even harsher restrictions with far fewer protections. But even highly-paid and professional workers have suffered due to sponsorship regulations. All foreign residents are subject to the American kafala system. Rigid sponsorship laws and regulations continue to define the choices and conditions of the millions of migrant workers in the US. The American system allows Coyotes to traffic workers. Workers cannot change jobs, quit jobs, or seek help, because they are the so-called illegals in America. Workers with proper and legal documentation have limited rights in the US, as they are the so-called aliens. If a worker leaves a job without permission from the USCIA, the cancel his or her temporary visa, automatically turning the worker into an illegal resident in the country. Workers whose employers cancel their residency visas often have to leave the country through deportation proceedings, and many have to spend time behind bars.

The terms human smuggler or coyote are used for people who smuggle people illegally across borders. Coyote fees, which are the fees charged by coyotes for their services, are a measure of the extent of people’s desire to migrate. Coyote fees may include the costs paid for document forgery and other costs needed to avoid being caught by immigration enforcement authorities. Mexicans who enter the United States illegally by crossing the southern border pay coyote fees of about $3000-4000 (data from the Mexican Migration Project). Illegal Asian immigrants to the United States pay considerably larger sums of money to get inside, probably in the tens of thousands of dollars. Some estimates suggest fees of $75,000 for some illegal Chinese immigrants.

In The Conservative Case for Immigration Tariffs, Alex Nowrasteh, the immigration policy analyst at the Cato Institute’s Center for Global Liberty and Prosperity, writes the following: Costs vary widely based on the mode of transport, distance travelled, the number and characteristics of those being moved, price discrimination, and local conditions like the cost of avoiding detection by immigration authorities. Unauthorized Mexican immigrants usually pay $4,000 to cross the border on foot or $9,000 by boat and there are an
estimated 6.6 million of them living in the U.S. as of 2010. The smuggling fee for unauthorized Central American immigrants is currently between $7,000 and $10,000. In 2010, there were an estimated 1.5 million unauthorized immigrants from El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras residing in the U.S. The smuggling fee for an unauthorized Chinese immigrant is about $75,000 and thereabout 130,000 unauthorized Chinese immigrants in the U.S. as of 2010. The most recently compiled averages in 2005 show that Asian unauthorized immigrants pay $26,041 to come to America, Europeans pay $6,389, and Africans pay $2,200. Unauthorized smuggled migrants from Central and South America pay a lower price than Asians because the distance is shorter, but the chance of detection is very high for Hispanic immigrants. Many smuggled Chinese are brought directly to American port cities like San Francisco or New York, but large numbers are also dropped off in Mexico and guided across the southern border. The smuggled migrants do not have a green card, work permit, or other legal work authorization waiting for them in the U.S. when they arrive, but they still pay enormous sums of money.

President Kennedy:
"A Nation of Immigrants."

George H. Bush, 1980:
“These are good people, strong people, and part of my family is Mexican."

Ronald Reagan, 1980:
“Instead of putting up a fence why don’t we work out some recognition of our mutual problems, make it possible for them to come here legally. . . open the borders both ways…”

Barak Obama, 2014
First, we’ll build on our progress at the border with additional resources for our law enforcement personnel so that they can stem the flow of illegal crossings and speed the return of those who do cross over. Second, I’ll make it easier and faster for high-skilled immigrants, graduates and entrepreneurs to stay and contribute to our economy, as so many business leaders proposed. Third, we’ll take steps to deal responsibly with the millions of undocumented immigrants who already had live in our country. I want to say more about this third issue, because it generates the most passion and controversy. Even as we are a nation of immigrants, we’re also a nation of laws. Undocumented workers
broke our immigration laws, and I believe that they must be held accountable, especially those who may be dangerous."

"Unless you're Native American, you came from someplace else."

President George W. Bush, May 15, 2006

“The issue of immigration stirs intense emotions and in recent weeks, Americans have seen those emotions on display. On the streets of major cities, crowds have rallied in support of those in our country illegally. At our southern border, others have organized to stop illegal immigrants from coming in. Across the country, Americans are trying to reconcile these contrasting images. And in Washington, the debate over immigration reform has reached a time of decision. Tonight, I will make it clear where I stand, and where I want to lead our country on this vital issue.

Once here, illegal immigrants live in the shadows of our society. Many use forged documents to get jobs, and that makes it difficult for employers to verify that the workers they hire are legal. Illegal immigration puts pressure on public schools and hospitals, ... it strains state and local budgets ... and brings crime to our communities. These are real problems, yet we must remember that the vast majority of illegal immigrants are decent people who work hard, support their families, practice their faith, and lead responsible lives. They are a part of American life but they are beyond the reach and protection of American law.”

We Are All Immigrants.
A TRAFFIC TICKET

*Tax Paying Aliens Can Become Criminal Aliens For A Traffic Ticket*

A nonresident alien's income that is effectively connected with a trade or business in the United States, and US source income that is Fixed, Determinable, Annual, or Periodical (FDAP) effectively connected income, after allowable deductions, is taxed at graduated rates.

These are the same rates that apply to US citizens and residents. Effectively Connected Income should be reported on page one of Form 1040NR, US Nonresident Alien Income Tax Return. FDAP income generally consists of passive investment income; however, in theory, it could consist of almost any sort of income. FDAP income is taxed at a flat 30 percent (or lower treaty rate, if qualify) and no deductions are allowed against such income. FDAP income should be reported on page four of Form 1040NR.

**Aliens in the tax paying temporary (Nonimmigrant) worker classification**

**CW-1**: CNMI-Only transitional worker  
**CW-2**: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

**E-1**: Treaty traders and qualified employees  
**E-13**: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

**E-2**: Treaty investors and qualified employees  
**E-23**: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

**E-2C**: Long-term foreign investors in the CNMI  
**E-2C**: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

**E-3**: Certain "specialty occupation" professionals from Australia  
**E-33**: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

**H-1B**: Workers in a specialty occupation and the following sub-classifications:  
**H-1B1**: Free Trade Agreement workers in a specialty occupation from Chile and Singapore.  
**H-1B2**: Specialty occupations related to Department of Defense Cooperative Research and Development projects or Co-production projects.

**H-1B3**: Fashion models of distinguished merit and ability.

**H-1C2**: Registered nurses working in a health professional shortage area as determined by the US Department of Labor.

**H-2A**: Temporary or seasonal agricultural workers
H-2B: Temporary non-agricultural workers.

H-3: Trainees other than medical or academic. This classification also applies to practical training in the education of handicapped children

(H-4: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

I: Representatives of foreign press, radio, film or other foreign information media (I: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

L-1A: Intracompany transferees in managerial or executive positions

L-1B: Intracompany transferees in positions utilizing specialized knowledge (L-2: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

O-1: Persons with extraordinary ability in sciences, arts, education, business, or athletics and motion picture or TV production.

O-3: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

O-2: Persons accompanying solely to assist an O-1 nonimmigrant (O-3: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

P-1A: Internationally recognized athletes.

P-4: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker

P-1B: Internationally recognized entertainers or members of internationally recognized entertainment groups).

P-2: Individual performer or part of a group entering to perform under a reciprocal exchange program.

P-3: Artists or entertainers, either an individual or group, to perform, teach, or coach under a program that is culturally unique (P-4: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

Q-1: Persons participating in an international cultural exchange program for the purpose of providing practical training, employment, and to share the history, culture, and traditions of the alien's home country.

R-1: Religious workers. (R-2: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)

TN: North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) temporary professionals from Mexico and Canada (TD: Nonimmigrant Classification for Dependent Spouses and Children of a Temporary Worker)
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“Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high, Where knowledge is free, Where the world has not been broken up into fragments, By narrow domestic walls.” -- Rabindranath Tagore (1861-1941), Gitanjali, 1912.

One World One Family
AUM! SWASTI!
Om! Asatoma Sadgamaya, Tamasoma Jyotiramaya, Mrityorma Amritamgamaya, Om Shanthih, Shanthih, Shanthih! (Aum! Lead the world from wrong path to the right path, from ignorance to knowledge, from mortality to immortality, and peace!)
SWASTI! AUM!