

# Putin DEPLOYS 10,000 North Korean Troops

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Stanislav Krapivnik discusses Russia and North Korea intensifying a joint offensive as alarm sirens blare from Ukraine over the inevitability of war between Putin's military and Europe as a new front opens. Stanislav Krapivnik is a former U.S. Army officer from Donbas. Subscribe to Stas: <https://www.youtube.com/@MrSlavikman/videos> Subscribe for more in-depth geopolitical analysis! Leave your thoughts in the comments below! Support the Channel: Patreon: <https://www.patreon.com/dannyhaiphong> SUBSCRIBE ON RUMBLE: Rumble: <https://rumble.com/c/DannyHaiphong> Follow Me on Social Media: Twitter: <https://twitter.com/DannyHaiphong> Telegram: <https://t.me/DannyHaiphong> Support the channel in other ways: <https://www.buymeacoffee.com/dannyhaiphong> Substack: [chroniclesofhaiphong.substack.com](https://chroniclesofhaiphong.substack.com) Cashapp: \$Dhaiphong Venmo: @dannyH2020 Paypal: <https://paypal.me/spiritofho> #russia #northkorea #ukraine

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Welcome back to the show, everyone. As you can see, I'm joined by Stanislav Kropivnik, former U.S. Army officer, geopolitical analyst, and commentator, to go over the latest developments. Well, Stas, first, your reaction to this. Vladimir Zelensky and Ukraine are sounding the alarm about 10,000 more North Korean DPRK troops going to the front lines to fight Ukraine. It's been quite a panicked week for the Ukrainian military. Here's Budanov, his chief of staff, talking about how North Korea is not only preparing for full-scale combat in Ukraine, but is advancing in Ukraine.

This all comes as we have Russia very angry about recent comments by NATO about Kaliningrad and information that they have that NATO might be preparing to cut this off, which would be a major, major escalation of what already is a brewing situation, Europe-Russia war. Now, Stas, this comes as Russia has launched, according to the BBC, its largest attack on Ukrainian energy infrastructure since the spring. So I wanted to get your assessment of the Ukraine conflict and these developments. What's going on right now, and how do you see the situation?

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Well, Russia is going after multiple targets. Look, let's not forget Marco Rubio said, "We are doing deep strikes into Russia to bring them to the negotiation table," at which point Trump interferes, breaks in, and goes, "We are escalating to de-escalate"—the Trump wisdom there. Russia said, "Okay, and then we'll just counter-escalate. Except we'll counter-escalate a hell of a lot higher than you can escalate physically." But they didn't think Russia could, because the unfortunate part is the brainiacs in the West, the liberal elites. It doesn't matter if it's Trump or if it's Burnham, they're all the same—that Epstein ultra-neoliberal elite.

They're all mental. I don't know how else to put it. They believe their own crap. That is the scary part, when politicians start to believe their own propaganda. And, oh, Russia's on the back foot. It's getting ready to collapse and this and that. We'll just escalate a little more. And they went after the Wildberries warehouses. They went after some other infrastructure. Just to understand the size of these attacks, the West destroyed 3.5 million square meters of warehouse space. Russia right now is building annually 5 million square meters of warehouse space. They took out about half a year's construction's worth.

Russia returned the favor and has now destroyed, according to Ukrainian sources, 90% of the warehousing in Kiev and about 60% of the warehousing Ukraine-wide. Russia has destroyed the five ports—I'm sorry, the seven ports. Russia has destroyed, let's see, is it two, three, four, five ports? Five ports. Seven—seven ports. There's a couple two small ones. Russia is sinking anything going in and out, so you've got to be pretty suicidal to bring your ship in. I'm surprised anybody's still insuring anything going into that war zone. Russia and Russian partisans, because there are Russian partisans operating—not diversionary groups, but actual partisans from the Russian population of central Ukraine, because they are Russians—have destroyed over 500 locomotives. So at this point, we're getting to a point where Ukraine is paralyzed. You can't get the fuel in.

You can't get the grain out and the cooking oil out to save the European Union from having at least the lower classes starving this year. And some of the agricultural data has already come in, and it's grim. So far, it's only been potatoes, but potato crop is down some 30% and very low quality. So the market value on potato futures shot up 80% last week.

And the prediction is by mid-spring, April-ish, there will not be any potatoes for sale or other vegetables, for that matter, in the EU, unless you're rich and you're importing it from some other country. So for the lower classes, it's starvation, because everything else is going to follow suit. So unless—and let's not forget—the neoliberal, these neoliberal orders are also fighting against their own agriculture sector. These are the people telling you, you need to eat insects. So the hell with having a real farm raise anything, whether it's meat or vegetables or anything. They're literally destroying their own agricultural sector and using imports from other countries. It's insane, but it is what it is. So, yeah, they've got a lot of problems at this point.

Russia has also gone after the data centers, lots of data centers, but not just—they're talking about the data centers that power the mobile telephone networks, and that's true. But the two main data centers, I think the two main ones that have been destroyed, Data Room and DeNova, these two companies are partnered with everybody's lovable Skynet creators, Palantir. And Palantir's programming was running on that data center. What it was doing with all these drones that they keep tossing into Russia—they've all obviously got cameras on the ground as they're flying to navigate with and look for their targets. Well, they're videotaping all of that, right? So all of this is going back into the data centers, and it's getting crunched for two reasons.

One, the system is looking for new targets. So, you know, somebody parked a truck somewhere that wasn't there, you know, the day before. It's now popped up, and it goes on a kill list somewhere at some point. Or they're looking for safety corridors. So this drone flew this far before it got shot down, this drone flew this far before it got shot down, this drone got really further along before it got shot down, and it's taking all that information, chewing it up, and creating flight paths—flight paths for the next drone swarm. And every time these drones fly in, the flight paths get updated. And this is all getting crunched at these data centers. And the data centers are no more. Buy more NVIDIA chips.

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Maybe you can comment on the role now of the Russia-DPRK, North Korea relationship, because that is now being hyped up. Ukraine is sounding the alarm about an increasing presence of North Korean troops on the front lines, 10,000 more to be sent there. What's your assessment of what's going on there?

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Be more afraid of when Iran sends 100,000, because Iran, by the way, has plenty of reason to smack Zelensky upside the head. Zelensky attacked an Iranian vessel, after which he supposedly apologized, on the Caspian Sea. Because Iran said, "Okay, that's it, we're declaring war." Zelensky slightly shat himself, changed his underwear, his little string bikini underwear, and then kind of apologized. And then they proceeded to attack Iranian trucks on the Russian-Belarusian border. They were delivering produce for sale to Belarus. And they've done other things. So, yeah, the relationship between Russia and Belarus and North Korea is a military alliance.

I mean, there's an economic factor in there, of course, as a separate. But there's a strict military alliance. Attack on one is an attack on the other. In other words, this is what was proposed to Iran back a lot earlier. And Iran, because until the last year's summer attacks on Iran by the Israelis, the Iranian liberals were in charge. And they wanted to be loved by the West. So they watered down the wording to, "and will jointly deal with regional threats," which means absolutely nothing. And then they didn't sign the diplomatic agreement, and they didn't ratify it. Russia signed and ratified it.

Well, they signed it on the second day after they got a lot of loving from the Israelis. And those liberals are out. Now the conservatives are in. The real conservatives are in because, well, it was the liberals were out and the moderates were in. And then the Americans and the Israelis killed the moderates, including Khamenei Sr. And now it's the hardliners that want payback for everything that they've done, for the 70,000 civilians they've killed. Yeah, I mean, think about that. And this is without officially targeting civilians, you know, just accidentally hitting schools with a double tap or testing new weapon systems on a gym and taking out a 12-year-old girl's volleyball team.

You know, that's just all accidental collateral damage. Or maybe it's the Iranians firing their own Tomahawk missiles at themselves. I mean, that is what Trump said, isn't it? The same guy that, by the way, told everybody he's 13% body fat. You know, the man lies like he breathes at this point. So the Iranians—Russia poured in a lot of effort into Iran afterwards during that intermediate time, and Russia has a tight military relationship, but it's not the same thing as North Korea. North Korea is a military alliance. Now, Russia is still offering that to Iran: form a military alliance, and you'll have a four-nation alliance.

And Iran might go for it. I don't know. But I think that's an alliance that's going to wind up growing as more nations get threatened by the collective psychopaths in charge of the West. So, the North Koreans—there's another factor involved. The Soviet Union helped the North Koreans a lot back during the Korean War. They didn't officially fight except for one air battle where the American forces decided to fly into the Soviet Union and bomb a major Air Force base, and got their teeth handed to them after they got stomped by a much smaller Russian squadron of war aces who were all aces from the Great Patriotic War. You can look it up. It's not one of those things that get taught in American history books. But it happened.

It was, I think, the only time in the Korean War that the Soviet Union and the U.S. directly fought each other over Soviet airspace, to boot on that. But the Soviet Union helped under Stalin. They helped the North Koreans a lot. And the North Koreans feel an honor debt, and they take it very seriously. Plus, Russia thankfully dropped the sanctions that it was employing on behalf of the U.S. off of North Korea, opened up North Korea to the Central Asian collective economically, and North Korea is booming. They're talking about restaurants opening, shopping malls opening. I mean, the factories are owned. North Korea, it's not communist to begin with. It's a hereditary monarchy with a state capitalist, heavily on the socialist side, economy.

And that blows a lot of people's minds. Oh yeah, they can't be a monarchy. Well, what do you call it when a grandfather, father, son, and soon daughter are all in power for life? It's a monarchy. It's a hereditary monarchy. And it's state capitalism, heavy state capitalism, because the heavy industry is all owned by the government. But the smaller businesses are being allowed—they've liberalized, and they're allowing those businesses to open. And they're flourishing. Yeah, exactly. And everybody thinks that North Korea absolutely has no lights. They're all eating grass, which happened before back in the '50s and '60s. They had waves of starvation, and a lot of which was because of sanctions.

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And in the '50s and '60s, I mean, what was like a big portion of the country was bombed into the ground by the United States. But continue. Yeah.

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Oh, yeah, yeah. The American pilots were complaining when they were told to drop bombs on Pyongyang that, well, there's nothing left to bomb. They bombed it so many times. It got hit worse, I think, than Berlin did at that point in tonnage. I mean, granted, the Americans and the British burned every German city, but Berlin was pretty big, so they just kept hitting it and hitting it and hitting it. But Pyongyang had, I think, actually, as a much smaller city, had a hell of a lot more tonnage of bombs dropped on top of it during the Korean War. So yeah, there wasn't, like, a living spot left on it. But the Koreans are booming.

Are they as rich as the South Koreans? No, but they'll get there. And by the way, South Korea is dying. It has no children. It's got the lowest birth rates of any country in the world. And whether certain child-free types like to hear it or not, unless you have children, you're not going to have a retirement. You no longer have to have children to support you? Well, yeah, you do. Somebody has to work. Somebody has to pay the taxes. So whether you're having children or somebody else is having children, there better be children. And unless you have children—shock and awe there—unless you have children, nobody drives your economy.

Young families with children drive the economy. Old people don't drive economies. They collapse economies. So the South Koreans are dying out. Simple as that. And their economic forecast is crap. It's not just because there's not going to be enough workers. There's not going to be any demand. No kids, no demand. North Korea, they don't have to invade South Korea, which, by the way, the Ukrainians are trying to get a fight going because they want to deflect North Korean attention. I think it's why Zelensky blabbed out that they did a crime. I mean, the South Koreans have kidnapped two North Korean citizens. That's the only way to look at it.

They've illegally kidnapped two North Korean citizens, two POWs that Zelensky had captured. He handed them over to South Korea, which he had no right to do under international law. And South Korea has basically kidnapped those two citizens from North Korea. If they want, they defected. They could at least play it off, but they kept it quiet. So they're effectively just a kidnapping ring. So he's trying to get a fight going there to deflect their attention. North Korea doesn't have to fight South Korea. They just need to wait another 10, 15 years, and they can just walk in. And the South Koreans will be happy somebody's there to have an economy. You know, South Korea is 50% pensioners at this point.

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Ukraine too, by the way. Interesting. But Ukraine is slightly for a different reason. Half the people ran away. The other half of the people are being used up on the front lines. And quite a few pensioners also are being pushed out to the front lines. I'm sure they get to their grandmas too after their grandpas run out. That's how you save on pensions. Just kill off the old people. That's, you know, but I mean, realistically, that is the mentality in Ukraine. That is the mentality of the government, if you can call it a government. I prefer to call it the regime, the mafia regime in charge. You know, the more people we get rid of, the more money we make.

## **#Danny**

It's certainly a grim situation for the combined West and South Korea being a vassal in many ways to the U.S. Stas, I wanted to ask you about now, you know, Europe—maybe we call the European side of NATO—since the United States seems to be very, very much trying to turn its, at least rhetorically and in terms of the narrative, its attention away from Ukraine. But Europe isn't. And then I wanted your comments on this. You know, Russia said they are willing to use nuclear weapons to protect Kaliningrad after a bunch of embassies, Russian embassies across Europe, Ireland and elsewhere, said that they were tipped off of a plan of European countries within NATO to cut off Kaliningrad.

I wanted your thoughts on this and where it fits into where the overall conflict is, because I know last year, what was it, Christopher Donahue, the U.S. personnel major, I think he is. I have his information somewhere, who made comments, similar comments from the U.S. side. Now Kaliningrad is up again. And, of course, we know that Europe has been escalating with Russia. So talk about this side of the war, the European side of the war, and where this all fits into it.

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Realistically, Russia doesn't ever have to go nuclear. Look, Russia is building well over 20 Oreshniks a month, and it's got a big stash of Oreshniks. Each Oreshnik has six glide vehicles that are coming in at Mach 13. Each glide vehicle releases six rods of God that are coming in at Mach 13, Mach 14, creating a plasma cloud around them that's 4,000 degrees. At 4,000 degrees, anything that comes into contact with that doesn't burn. It doesn't melt. It disintegrates. That's a temperature and pressure level that breaks the bonds between the atoms, and they just flow away into the atmosphere and become stardust. And when they hit further out of that, of course, then you'll get the melt and you'll get the fire. And when they hit one set of Oreshniks, when they hit Yuzhmash, it was a 4.1 or 4.2 Richter scale earthquake that popped all the pipes in that part of Dnipropetrovsk.

Russia doesn't need nuclear weapons anymore to take out the command and control bunkers for the Western elites and their militaries. Unless you're just trying to exterminate the population of your enemy, the reason you use nuclear weapons is to make sure you get those bunkers, and you do ground bursts. You no longer have to do that. Between the kinetic energy dump and the plasma shielding, it'll disintegrate slash burn its way through about six stories of reinforced concrete. And believe me, if you're seventh or eighth story, everything above you is trashed. You're not getting out that way. So, you know, Macron's 2,000-square- or 3,000-square-meter bunker—I think it's actually, no, it's a 20,000-square-meter bunker—is building at government expense.

Russia's got your number, so it ain't going to help. At that point, again, Russia doesn't have to go nuclear. It's got more than enough for Russia to collapse any European economies, which are already in a bad way. Now, if the Europeans, you know, they could cut off the gap between

Kaliningrad and Belarus, and that's already a casus belli for Russia. But it would still have water and air through neutral territories. If they try to cut off the water routes in international waters, then that's an absolute act of war. And Russia would just simply crush the Baltic republics very, very quickly. They don't have much. But luckily, their leadership all has a second passport, most of them in the U.S. or U.K., so they'd be gone.

They're not planning on sticking around for the fight. Sikorski, who's trying to, you know, who's blurring out the stupidity of, hey, you know, we could take out all of Russia in like three days. That Mr.—otherwise known as Mr. Applebaum—he's got American citizenship, and his son serves in the U. S. Army. He wouldn't be sticking around either for this. You know, all these guys, they are there to get the fight going. The Poles don't particularly want to be meat. Neither do the Romanians. Obviously, the Slovaks or the Czechs don't want to do it. I'm assuming the Hungarians still don't want to be meat, but they kind of voted a guy that's beholden to von der Leyen, so you got to wonder about that. But the point is, is to get them in the fight.

As one poll described it, the Germans think that the Poles are going to be there to protect the Germans from war with Russia. The Poles think that the Americans and the French and the Germans are going to be there to protect Poland. The Americans think, we ain't getting involved; we'll just sell you weapons and make money. So everybody's under very big delusions at this point on what's happening. And they're all marching along. Look, the U.S. is not going to fight in Europe. No American president is ever going to surrender Portland for Poland. No American president is ever going to surrender Rochester, New York, for—I cannot think of a single city that starts with an R. I had a couple of them down. Well, you get my point.

They're not going to surrender any American city for any European city. It's just not going to happen. And Trump's administration has flat-out said, yeah, you want to fight the Russians, we'll sell you the weapons. But don't think they're not going to push the Europeans into it. The CIA is very active trying to get them to start a war with this, "Oh, the Russians may test NATO's resolve by secretly launching drones, mass-manufactured Russian military drones." Not just some random homemade drone at that. Because the drones—they're naming the drones. So they're going to do it in secret by launching military-production drones off of a tanker or something else that's going to just happen to be off the coast, that nobody's going to notice that either.

I mean, this is—you look at this, it's like, this is moronic. Absolutely moronic. If you want to test NATO's resolve, I mean, there's the Baltics, Finland, Romania, and Poland right outside your border if you want to do something. Why would you go all the way to Spain, Italy, and France? But, but... it does give the Europeans a reason to preemptively strike Russia, which is probably the last thing most of them ever do in this life, because the counter-strike is going to come right after or right during, and it takes an Oreshnik 10 minutes to come visit London, about 8 minutes to come visit Paris, and about 6 minutes, 5 minutes to get to Berlin, just in case they're wondering how long they're going to have to bend down and kiss their ass.

I would not be in any headquarters of any European defense ministry or main government buildings when this crap—when the balloon goes up and this crap starts. NATO headquarters? The kids will be reading about it in picture books and history books. Same with the European Parliament. I would not probably suggest being in there at that point. So, but, you know, if they want to start a fight, look, Kaliningrad is a fortified province with a fortified city. It's got a paratrooper division stationed there. Part of it is located in Ukraine. Part of it is rotated back inside Kaliningrad.

Most of the men in there have had military service of some kind, so they know how to handle a rifle, and everything is fortified up. And the thing is, for them, with Kaliningrad, of course, they do have to take it if they want to have a war with Russia, because from Kaliningrad, Russian Iskander missiles can cover the entirety of Poland and most of Germany, as far as bridges, airports, air bases, ports, things like that, key military infrastructure. So you'd have to take it. Man, if they do, I'll just say there's going to be a lot fewer Poles left alive when it's done. It's going to be very costly. So hopefully some sanity will prevail, but I'm not putting too many bets on it. But the Poles don't seem to really want to die.

They want Western Ukraine, those territories back. They just don't want them with the Bandera crowd. They kind of want Russia to get rid of the Bandera crowd so they can just come in there and not have that many problems. I don't think they're going to get their wish that way, but we'll see. But that's the problem, though, is Kaliningrad is a thorn in NATO's kidneys, so they're going to have to do something with it. But, man, while they're doing it, Russia's not going to sit back and watch. Russia's going to be very actively trying to whack them upside the skull. So I'm hoping saner minds will prevail, but like I said, unfortunately, you know, Sikorski is one of the most popular politicians in Poland.

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So... not so much.

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Yeah, you know. Right. But the way that... The interesting part is, just on the bright side, the youth vote in Germany—we're talking 18 to 35—almost 0% support for Merz's party, for the Christian Democrats. Aren't Christian, and they're not very democratic either. The war party—well, one of the war parties. It's like 3% in that demographic. That's bad. I mean, that's as bad as it gets. So his party may be on its way out. Of course, they're now again talking about banning the AfD, flat-out banning the AfD. So, I mean, I guess that's how democracy works in Europe these days. Just ban the opposition you can't beat. You can't beat them, shoot them in the head.

That seems to be the motto. You know, we can't beat them politically, just shoot them in the head. Arrest them. Well, that's the Zelensky option. Europe is not quite to that point. They'll just ban them, put them in jail, like they just jailed Georgescu after stealing the election from him in Romania

because that little bastard just didn't want to go to war. And the stupid peasants that kept voting for him, they didn't want to go to war. They don't understand they have to go to war. Von der Leyen isn't going to be able to steal her billions if you don't go to war. And that's the situation, the very unfortunate situation.

## **#Danny**

Yeah, it is. And, Stas, it seems like almost weekly now I'm hearing about a new Russian weapon that Ukraine and its backers in the combined West are very scared of. Now they're talking about jet-powered drones. Can you talk about what this drone is in particular? I mean, is it the Geran drone? What drone are they talking about, which they say is wreaking havoc right now in these daily strikes on Kiev?

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Okay, so you've got several jet-fired drones of the Geran series. Well, the Geran 2s—I'm sorry, the Geran 3s already had—some of them had—jet engines on them. The Geran 4s, which are still that triangular body structure, they all have jet engines on them. And by the way, some of them are also carrying anti-aircraft missiles. The Ukrainians were taking out drones, were putting up a helicopter and machine-gunning the drones from the helicopter. And then this one Geran 4 drone flew by and launched an air-to-air missile at the helicopter and took it out. After which, the Ukrainians stopped trying to take out Geran drones in helicopters. Bad idea. Then there's the Geran 5. Now, when you look at the Geran 5, it doesn't even look like a drone anymore.

It looks nothing like the previous series of Geran drones. It looks like a cruise missile, a cheap cruise missile. It carries about a 90-kilogram warhead. It has a 1,000-kilometer range, and it's shaped like a cruise missile. And it costs something, I think, around \$90,000. But you get a hell of a lot more bang for the buck in Russia than you do in the U.S., not just because the companies in the U.S. are private and they're out to make a profit, but because labor and materials and everything else costs less in Russia. So that, you know, you're doing direct FX translations. By PPP, it would be more expensive by PPP, but it's still much, much cheaper than anything like a Tomahawk.

Now, a Tomahawk is more capable, and it's carrying about a thousand-pound warhead, as opposed to this hundred-kilo warhead. I'm sorry, as opposed to this hundred-kilo warhead. But you could launch 20 of these for the cost of one Tomahawk. And that's not the export version of the Tomahawk. The regular Tomahawk costs \$4 million. This thing costs about \$100,000. Now, the export version of the Tomahawk, which is the same thing pretty much, costs \$6 million. So you can launch a whole lot of these for the cost of one Tomahawk. And, yeah, they're coming in, and they're coming in fast, and they're coming in in large quantities. And there's absolutely nothing the Ukrainian military can do about it except, you know, duck.

## **#Danny**

Duck, duck, go. Yeah, well, it seems like a lot of that is going on right now, Stas. Daily, Russia's ballistic missiles, and now they're talking about these jet-propelled drones, are keeping Kyiv on edge, says the Associated Press. But maybe you could talk about the significance of these daily strikes. The BBC is calling the latest one the biggest since the spring strike. And so I'm wondering, Stas, what exactly is Russia doing here? What is it hitting, and how does it affect the war?

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Well, first of all, you know, Russia avoided striking Kyiv until the West decided to escalate into an economic war of attrition. You know, and Putin warned them against doing it. They were just under the delusion that Russia really can't retaliate any further. Yeah, I'll tell you this. My friend Robert Barnes, so he's a well-known lawyer in the U.S., legally protects the Amish, which, by the way, the state governments in the U.S. are going after the Amish left and right. They're homeschooled because they don't buy animals and lots of other reasons. Who prosecutes the Amish? Well, apparently quite a few states go after the Amish, those terrorist groups, the Amish, and their slow approach buggies.

But he knows Vance personally, and apparently Vance reached out to ask if Russia is really about to collapse, if the Russian economy is collapsing, people are getting ready to come on the streets, and if Russia is losing massive amounts of troops, which told him, well, no. But here's the kicker. When Trump and Vance were saying this, this is what they're being told by the CIA. And this is what the United States Congress is being told by the CIA. I mean, it's blatant lies, but this is what the American politicians are hearing, and they're believing it. And they're basing policy off of that. That's the really dangerous part right there. They think, you know, just any second now, this is what Trump gets frustrated with Putin. You know, I'm giving him an out. He doesn't want an out. He doesn't need an out. Russia is not interested in a ceasefire while you build Ukraine.

And they don't understand that because they're being told fairy tales by Ratcliffe and his bunch. So there's that moment. Now, what Russia's striking—you know, Russia retaliated and upped the ante quite a bit. And while Russia—I mean, quite literally at the beginning of the summer, particularly if you're rich, because then you're removed from the press gangs—there were street parties in Kyiv. If you go back in the videos and you look, they were in '25 and '24 and '23. So, yeah, yeah. Well, now there's no street parties. Kyiv—the Ukrainians with their Western masters—have attacked Moscow numerous, numerous times. It's just they can't get through. On election day, there were 1,900 drones sent at Moscow, just at Moscow. 1,900 drones, of which about a dozen got through. They hit the same refinery again, so it's down for a couple of weeks and will be back up and running again.

You can't destroy a refinery this way. You can damage it some, but it's all possibly minor damage. I mean, just as an example, the Yaroslavl refinery has been down 16 times. And in a week or two weeks, it's back up and running again. But they sent 1,900 drones to attack Moscow. They wound up killing some civilians because the rest of the drones that got through, the dozen or so that got

through, which is less than one-tenth of one percent, struck civilian housing. But Russia's responded, and Russia has put pressure on the Kyiv population by not giving them any respite. They're constantly under sirens. And, by the way, when we went to the city of Anapa, stayed there during the summer for a couple weeks, air raid sirens are going off four to ten times a day on average. People just ignore them and go to the beach anyways.

Screw this. What happened happened. We're Russians. We're a cycle like that. And Russia is retaliating with Kyiv. Now, Kyiv is a big city. It's a 3 million population, or almost 3 million, or was, anyways. So it's a pretty laid-out, open-area city. There's plenty of targets. I mean, warehousing, military structures. Now there are energy infrastructure, logistics infrastructure, gas stations as part of that logistics infrastructure. Now they're going after the data centers, cutting out the internet. And that's all putting pressure on the people because, you know, they—well, let's just put it this way: there are no more street parties. But which side started and went in this direction? The West did. And Zelensky and his crew. Well, but don't think that a lot of people in Kyiv weren't celebrating with that.

**#Danny**

Yeah, we're going to show them.

**#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Well, not really. So, yeah, this is the psychological portion. You make it very, very difficult for people to bear it until they're coming out in the streets and screaming for something to change. The unfortunate part is the only way something changes is if Zelensky goes and meets Jesus, or is afraid of meeting Jesus and decides to hop on a plane and get the hell out. Because the people in charge right now do not care how many Ukrainians die. They're making money. They're making money. And when people say, you know, well, why isn't Zelensky negotiating? Why would he negotiate? And then, by the way, he'd have to have elections, in which case he has 0.0.0 chance of winning.

I mean, and if they ever went down to bribery charges and the corruption charges, my God, you wouldn't quarter the man. You'd draw him and put about 30 horses up there to rip him to pieces, because that's how much corruption he's done. So obviously the gravy train in Ukraine ends when this war ends. He's not going to surrender. Why would he? He's making money. Again, until you get this parasite off of your body, it's not going to be any peace. It can't be any peace. So, yeah, there's that part. So this is a part of a psychological war to break the will of the people to support Zelensky, or at least not to do anything to the point where they get out in the streets and, you know, they get rid of the bastard, murderous clown and his whole clown posse.

**#Danny**

Before I get your take on developments in the Middle East, Stas, I wanted your brief response to—you said that Zelensky doesn't care about how many Ukrainians are dying in the war. It's so interesting that all we hear now, if I pull up any one of these mainstream media reports on Ukraine, the constant commentary is whether it's one-liners, maybe a brief paragraph, it always focuses on how Russia is the one that is, you know, accumulating massive casualties. And this story on DPRK—North Korea—sending troops also harkens on this point. What's your response to this? Because that seems to be the narrative that the combined West, the media, the European elites, and the United States as well—the elites there—are promoting.

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Well, don't believe your lying eyes. Budanov flat out said they need to recruit 30,000 men a month or they will collapse. His words. Yeah, that statement kind of didn't get overly reported in the West. It got a little bit of reporting. And they need a hell of a lot more than 30,000. And then Tusky Boy there, he came out and said, "Oh, yeah, yeah, the Ukrainians are losing 27,000 men a month," which, again, they're actually losing probably dead and wounded twice as many as 27,000. But even 27,000 to the European lies or Zelensky's lie that it's only, you know, we've only lost 30,000 in the entire war, or some other ludicrous numbers like that. Pray tell. There you go. And there's that little ugly terrorist bastard who I hope, for however long his life is after this, he's always going to be looking over his shoulder.

Yeah, 30,000 every month. They need more. On average, you're losing dead and wounded between 1,500 to 2,000 per day. Per day. They've had defectors come out and say flat out that, you know, it's 2 million dead. Russian hackers hacked the Ministry of Defense, and they came out with lists of 2.4 million dead. And that was during the summer. And don't forget, during major wars, when one side collapses, that's when you get the majority of the dead. So there's a lot of dying still left before this is all over, like it or not. The best thing they can do is surrender. I mean, that's the reality. There's an American NGO that used AI off the satellite data to count up all the new graves over the last four years. And they came out with 2.2—2.2. They say 2,054,000. It's like, wow, that's pretty, you know, on new graves.

And that's not counting. There's 400,000 desertions. Most of those are not desertions. They're dead. This is how they get out of paying the families for the dead. Oh, they deserted. Why should I pay you? He didn't die. He deserted. Prove me wrong. What are you gonna do, go to the battlefield and go look up your loved one to see whether that rotting corpse is them? Of course not. So they just don't sign off on the paper. He's not dead. He deserted. Or missing in action. See, he's not dead. He's missing in action. We don't have to pay. There's 300,000 missing in action. And then you count up the number of invalids. You know, you're looking probably at a million and a half, maybe up closer to 2 million people missing body parts, or with trauma to the brain, to the spinal cord. I mean, this is demographically an end scenario.

There are no demographics in Ukraine. There's about 20 million people, maybe 18 to 20 million people, 10 million of whom are pensioners. You know, this is how you save money: send grandpa to the front. And since they're grabbing men up to age 70, you're sending grandpa to the front. And then sooner or later, grandma will go with him, because why pay for her too while we're at it? I mean, this is the reality of it. But let's not forget, Think Different, head of BlackRock, back in '23, chirped out about the cemeteries that were just sprawling everywhere, that this was an unacceptable use of the land, of the resources, to bury people in it.

But then again, you know, considering BlackRock owns a very large chunk through front companies, a very large chunk of Ukraine—I mean, a very large chunk of Ukraine—he's probably upset his land is being used to bury people instead of just mulching them and tossing them on the ground so they can go into fertilizer, which I'm sure, if you give him the chance, he'll dig them up and mulch them and plow the fields over where the cemeteries were. I mean, this is the type of people we're dealing with. They'd even come out and say that. It's insane. But this is the Western elites that are making money off of this war.

I mean, look, Keith Kellogg, he comes out there about a month ago, and on television, Ukrainian television, he says, "You need to conscript the women, even the pregnant women, and send them to the front." Meanwhile, Keith's little baby daughter there has an NGO in Ukraine that's making millions after this war. There you go. And for those who think voting Democrats is going to change anything, it's not. The Democrats are just as much on the take as the Republicans. They're all making money off of this. They have no skin in the game in this case. You're not going to vote your way out of this. That's the unfortunate part. Nobody is. The corruption is so inlaid.

And at the end of the day, there is no difference between Democrats and Republicans. There is no difference between Labour and Tories. There is no difference. Anybody but AfD, and even the AfD is a very different party depending on what part of Germany you're in. All the other parties are basically a war party in Germany. You're voting—no matter who you vote for. That's the problem with modern, quote, democracy, is there is no difference in who you vote for. It's like the old saying: it doesn't matter who you vote for, you get John McCain, because the system's been bought. It's rigged. I love how many years I've heard this in the U.S.: "Oh, we need to pass term limits."

Really? You need to pass the—wait a minute, wait a minute. Let me get this straight. So who's going to vote on term limits? Oh, the people that are there for life making money. Sure. I don't want to be here for another 20 years. Why the hell would I be? Let's throw term limits. I mean, this is—you hear this stuff from grown people, and you're looking at us like, dude, do you believe in the fairy godmother? Do you believe in the Easter Bunny? I mean, maybe it's time to wake up. Do you believe the U.S. Congress or any parliament is going to cut its own ability to make money? Seriously? But people like to believe in fantasy tales like that.

So we get what we get. And they're making money. So, yeah, Ukraine is dead men walking. Because until you get the parasites out—and the chief parasite has, you know, he may still be a Russian

citizen, because he used to have Russian citizenship. So he's a traitor on top of that if he's got that. But he's got Israeli citizenship. He's got British citizenship. He's got Saint Kitts. But anybody with a million bucks can get Saint Kitts automatically. They're not exactly difficult. But, you know, according to some investigative journalism, Zelensky is the ninth largest private landowner in America, with a bunch of Montana farmland or ranch land. So I don't know. I guess he's going to be riding with the doggies.

You know, I don't quite see Zelensky, you know, chasing cows. But who the hell knows? But yeah, so, I mean, these guys, as long as they're in power, this war is going to continue, like it or not. I mean, the vast majority of the population wants peace. Zelensky was elected. Let's not forget this. Zelensky was elected with a 73% popular vote because he promised everyone there will be peace. We won't have war with Russia. We're going to solve the issue in the East. We're going to implement the Minsk Accords, give them autonomy, and it's all going to be peace, kumbaya, and all that. And the moment he got into power, that all went deep six. And then, you know, I don't know if he ever intended to do anything.

Oh, he got scared. I don't think he has ever got scared. He was—this was the intention. Except people like Kolomoisky, who was the founder of Azov when it was a battalion, and also had dual citizenship, Ukraine and Israel. Yeah, so it's a citizen of Israel who's Jewish. Yeah. Zionist Jew, created an SS battalion. But that's the thing. Did Israel relieve him of his citizenship? Oh, hell no. He's a rich guy. He pays lots of money to Israel. But he's now in jail because Zelensky jailed him because he was a competitor to Zelensky. He made Zelensky. So this is a society you're looking at in Ukraine. It is the scum of humanity running a country into extinction. And we all get to see it live, in real time, unfortunately. Yeah.

## **#Danny**

The United States, under a Democrat, and Europe can thank themselves for that by design. And Stas, you mentioned the Democrats coming in. I can guarantee 100% to anybody watching this program now, if the Democrats win the midterm elections and then win the presidency in 2028, that the focus will go right back to Russia, primarily in terms of foreign policy, because they will not want to, one, inherit the terrible optics and reality of the Iran war. And of course, they are fervently anti-Russia, neocon to the hilt. We can guarantee that.

Stas, in the last 10 minutes we have here, your comments on the situation in the Middle East. We've had very strange developments between the flydubai flight that I covered earlier this morning, the Netanyahu meeting in the UAE, the Netanyahu warning of an attack on Israel coming, the RAF incident that now is looking very, very, very strange. And, of course, all of this is happening in the backdrop of Trump's guarantee of war restarting after the midterms. It seems like Israel wants it to start before the Israeli election. What's your thoughts on what's going on now in the Middle East?

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Jeez, you know, because just this Ukrainian conflict was not enough. So let's double the size of it. And we'll throw in Sahel and whatever else we can because, you know, people get too much sleep as it is. Well, God, where do you start? I didn't run it at all. I didn't comment with anybody on the pilot story because I could not figure out what the hell is going on. Because every couple of minutes, you got an update that contradicted the previous. So I think a lot of major news networks ran with it right off the bat. So it seems the plane was put down by a Russian and a Ukrainian who happened to be on the plane, and they were both pilots, and they grabbed the plane. So the pilot, who's Indian, got stabbed multiple times by either an attacker or by the co-pilot. And who the co-pilot is, I have no idea.

## **#Danny**

They say an Omani national, but all of this seems to be... Yeah, who's going to commit mass suicide? Yeah, all of this feels narrative to me.

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

It is just... strange. And of course the Israelis are like, "Oh, our special forces were there on the plane to put it down." No, it was a Russian and a Ukrainian working together to put down the plane and save everybody's lives. Sorry! But it just developed in little chunks, right? So the entire morning and going afternoon, it's like, I'm not touching this until somebody gives me an actual picture that lasts more than 20 minutes on what happened. So, like, but that may have been a one-off. I mean, really, that may have been an Omani trying to take revenge. Who knows? People... different... I mean, it's a Dubai airline flight heading to Israel, by the way, and landed in Saudi Arabia. So it could have been.

I mean, things like that happen, and people do get pissed off, and people do get radicalized, and they do crazy crap. And, you know, whether or not Israel as a state deserves to get hit for the genocidal things they're doing, this is still terrorism, and terrorism is terrorism. It doesn't make it any better. But, yeah, like I said, though, I'm not touching it until somebody gives me an actual narrative that I can understand what the hell happened, and it lasts at least an hour. So that's that. Yeah, you know, I interviewed my friend Saeed Mohammad Marandi, and I asked him flat out, like, let's talk about why Iran is not hitting Israel, just to dispel any issues. And he's like, yeah, because we don't want to help Netanyahu.

We want them bitching and complaining and fighting each other. Any hit from Iran is just going to trigger that rally-around-the-flag thing with the Israelis. But here's something to consider. Now, about 30% of the Israeli population are either traditional Jews that view Israel as a blasphemy because they're not allowed to have it until the coming of the Messiah. For the Jews, they're not allowed to have their own government. Or they're actual pacifist Jews that see this as the genocide it is. The other 70% of the population, their biggest complaint is Netanyahu is not doing enough. Let

that sink in. Yeah. Yeah. His opponent makes him look moderate. And Ben-Gvir, that psychopathic little butterball turd, I love when he's threatening someone.

They videotaped him threatening some Palestinian prisoner while standing, that little puffball, there standing between two guys with assault rifles. Oh yeah, you're really brave. A little funny. Anyways, this is the guy whose wife made him a cake with a hangman's noose and the message, "Sometimes wishes really do come true." I mean, we're talking very sick, deeply sick, psychotic Nazis. You don't have to be German to be a Nazi. It only takes two nationalities, at least two. You know, the Übermensch and the Untermensch. And this, I mean, this is Ben-Gvir, who had an AI video made of Palestinians on a conveyor belt going into a concentration camp. He's a Jew, about a concentration camp. Hmm.

Which is, by the way, there's a lot of Jews in the Not In My Name movement, which happens to have a lot of people—well, there are not that many of them left—who survived the concentration camps and said, "Hey, no, no, no, don't use my name in this, my nationality. We don't want anything like that ever to somebody else." These are the people, the Zionist psychopaths, that are running Israel and populating Israel. I mean, I don't know how you can—short of a total military collapse, it'll come—there's no negotiation with these people. They look at you as an up-jumped monkey and themselves as the only real human beings. I mean, look, look, you don't have to look far. Don't believe me. Please don't believe me.

Open up YouTube, type in "the Jewish soul," and listen to the Zionist rabbis in English tell you all about how they have five parts of soul. You have three parts of soul. You have a rational. That's it. They have a holy. And animals have two parts of soul. So you're just basically an up-jumped monkey, and they're the only real human beings. You can't negotiate with people that look at you like a subhuman. There's just a little point there. You know, so we killed a bunch of subhumans. They're not real humans. So that's the problem, is you're dealing with these kinds of people. So, yeah. But Netanyahu is, I don't know what his cancers are running like, but the man is looking at jail time in Israel if he loses.

So I highly doubt he's going to go for the, "Let's have fair elections." Never mind, of course there'll be a bigger psychopath coming in power. So he'll start something. He'll absolutely start something. If he can't get the Americans to go along with him, he'll do it by himself and then hope the Americans get pulled into it one way or the other. So I do not expect the October surprise, or part of the October surprise, will more likely be Netanyahu as the loose cannon that he is. So he'll attack. He'll either go to such a genocidal setting on everybody around him that Iran would have to respond, or he'll just attack Iran directly. Unfortunately, I don't see peace coming anytime soon in that region, especially as long as the U.S. is in that region.

I think if the U.S. is to pull out and away from Israel, there's enough Israelis that may be bloodthirsty, but are not so psychotic to not understand that they're going to be murdered off by every one of their neighbors if they don't stop themselves. So I think those kind of minds will

probably step in. But as long as the U.S. is there, they have no reason to do that because they're expecting the Americans to get in the coffin for them. Well, that's the situation, the unfortunate situation. Now, Iran and the U.S.—you know, Trump's negotiating. We're not quite sure whom he's negotiating with. I mean, there's the threesome: me, myself, and I. So he may be having, like, a three-way negotiation, or just a *ménage à trois*. I'm not quite sure what he's talking about.

**#Danny**

So there's some odd things going on. Yeah, we know he's into some strange stuff, that guy.

**#Stanislav Krapivnik**

So, yeah, I don't see anything happening with Iran anytime soon. I mean, look, the Iranians are not in a forgiving mood. I don't know why. They're not in a trusting mood. I don't know why. Trump doesn't know either why they don't want to trust him. He's only murdered off a couple groups of people he was negotiating with, or had the Israelis do it for him. He's broken everything he's ever signed, usually before the ink dries. So I don't know why they don't want to bother, you know, trust the man. Trust the orange man.

**#Danny**

Just sign anything. Oh, wait, they already did sign the MOU. Yeah, yeah. And it was broken right off the bat.

**#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Yeah, right off the bat.

**#Danny**

Damn it. We've done that before.

**#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Well, never mind. That was so last summer.

**#Danny**

Let's do it again. Yeah, the ink didn't even dry. And it's... So, yeah, no, I 100% agree with you. I think that there's definitely more, unfortunately, military action to come. And it's just a matter of when. And is it Israel with plausible deniability from the U.S.? Or is it the U.S. maybe going in and doing whatever it has left and keeping Israel out of it like it has? Who knows? But nevertheless.

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

Except for nuclear weapons, there's nothing the U.S. can do. I mean, let's just be realistic. Sure, the U.S. can kill a lot of civilians. Sure, the U.S. can go after Iran's energy infrastructure, at which point Iran goes after all the U.S. allies' energy infrastructure, and a lot of people die from thirst. And those artificial entities, they're not even monarchies, because monarchies grew up inherently out of a country, just like any other form of government. These are family outfits that the British set up and said, "You're going to run this, you're going to run that. Oh, and we'll call you a country." This is a family business. Qatar is a family business. Bahrain is a family. Saudi Arabia is a family business, for God's sake.

How many of these country-like entities are going to survive at the end of the day? I don't know. I think a few of them are going to disappear before this is all over. So we'll see. But, yeah, if they go nuclear, they're not going to be able to take out Iran's nuclear power or nuclear facilities because they're 500 meters underground under granite rock. It takes a lot to take out a mountain, particularly because there's these rules or laws of physics involved. I know we don't like those, but the problem with the laws of physics is expanding force always goes toward least resistance. Let me think. Let me think. If I hit a mountain, which direction is least resistance? Oh, the air. You know, the explosion force is basically going away from the mountain.

Sure, you'll damage the mountain if you do a ground burst, but it's 500 meters of granite. I mean, that is a lot of granite. Yeah, granite doesn't exactly break easily. You're going to have to pound and pound and pound that mountain with nuclear weapons. And I'm pretty sure they thought about it when they were building those tunnels, so they're pretty reinforced just in case. I mean, just think about it. Five hundred meters, if you're figuring, let's say, four meters a story, that's 125 stories underground. Yeah, I don't think you're going to hit them. Yeah. But that's the problem, though. If they can't do it, what's the U.S. government going to do with the Israeli government? They're going to go after the civilians. And then they're going to go into mass murder.

## **#Danny**

Genocide and mass murder.

## **#Stanislav Krapivnik**

The problem for the Americans, though, I mean, they've already pretty much so done this. This is going to be part of Trump's legacy. And if they use nuclear missiles, that's guaranteed. You're going to have massive, massive nuclear proliferation all over the world. Every single country is looking—every single medium-sized country is looking at Iran and is looking at North Korea. Nobody screws with North Korea. Why? They have nuclear weapons and the ability to deliver them to the American West Coast. That's it. They talk to them with respect, even if they call them Rocket Man. But still, at the end of the day, you know, there was a good political cartoon at the beginning of all this.

So two guys are talking. Yeah, we've got to attack Iran. Why? Because they have nuclear weapons. Then why aren't we attacking Russia? Because they have nuclear weapons. And that's the reality of it. And every single nation around is going to be looking around, and most of them don't have a fight against nuclear weapons. And if they can afford to buy one or develop one, they're going to go for it. There's going to be massive nuclear proliferation, which is a disaster. But, you know, thank you, Uncle Sam and Uncle Samuel. So there you go. We're going to have probably nuclear proliferation going apeshit all over the world, and that's bad.

## **#Danny**

Yeah. Well, Stas, on that note, I think ending there on that bright note is a good place. So everyone should hit the like button before they go, because that helps boost the show and YouTube's algorithm. Your YouTube channel is in the video description below, so everyone should subscribe and follow Stas' YouTube show. Thank you for becoming a member, Naomi. Appreciate that. Also, in the video description, all the places to support this program are there too: Patreon, Substack, and more. This is the last day of September, so the last stream of September. Everybody, thanks so much for your support over this time. Again, hit the like button, go to the video description, find Stas' work. And yeah, tomorrow I'll be on with Larry Johnson and Colonel Lawrence Wilkerson, 1 p. m. Eastern Time, October 1st. All right, everybody. See you then. Until next time, bye-bye.