

PRESIDENT BARACK H. OBAMA  
DIPLOMACY OR MILITARY ACTION  
PBS.ORG WASHINGTON WEEK. HOST  
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OSTENSIBLY OUR PRESIDENT ~~IS~~ PLAYING A  
GRAND MASTERFUL HAND WITH REGARD TO SYRIA,  
THE ENVY OF DON CARLONE! BY THE WAY HIS  
MIDDLE NAME TRANSLATE AS "BLESSED!!!"

THE WRONGHEADED PUNDITS ARE SINCE  
2008 STILL STUCK DEEP IN THE OLD WORLD  
PLAYGROUND. EXAMPLES: OUR FRIENDS  
DAVID BROOKS AND MARK SHIELDS. PBS.ORG  
Newshour [SEPT. 13, 2013].

THE PRESIDENT ALLOWED HIS HARSH RIVAL  
CRITICS SENS. JOHN MCCAIN (R. AZ) AND  
LINDSEY GRAHAM (R. N. C.) TO COME TO THE  
WHITE HOUSE AND PULL HIS SYRIA STRIKE  
POLICY MORE TO THEIR AGGRESSIVE STANCE.  
SO, THEY THOUGHT!!

THEN FOR THOSE CRITICS WHO DEMAND-  
ED HE SUBMIT HIS SYRIAN STRIKE POLICY,  
-ZD- BEFORE CONGRESS; HE CALLED THEIR  
BLUFF! AND IN DOING SO CHANGED THEIR  
TUNE AND DYNAMICS.



NOW THE CRITICS ARGUE HE COULD NOT WIN THE HOUSE VOTE. HE HAD NO PUBLIC POLLING SUPPORT.

RUSSIA MR. V. PUTIN - CHANGED HIS TUNE - RAN TO COMPROMISE TO SAVE FACE [IF THE US STRUCK SYRIA, WHICH UNDER HIS PROTECTION - IT WOULD SHOW RUSSIA'S PROTECTION AS MEANINGLESS! AND MR. PUTIN IS A PAPER TIGER AT HOME AND ABROAD!] AND OFFERED A SWEET-HEART DEAL TO THE PRESIDENT.

SYRIA ALSO CHANGED ITS TUNE TO ADMITTING IT HAD CHEMICALS WEAPONS; AGREEING TO DESTROY THEM; OPENING UP TO INTERNATIONAL MONITORING. AND AGREEING TO JOIN THE INTERNATIONAL TREATY BANNING CHEMICAL WEAPONS.

WOULD BOMBING HAD ACCOMPLISHED THIS COMMENDABLE DEAL?

THE PRESIDENT WON WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT THAT "WAR GAME" !!!  
✓ "MISSION ACCOMPLISHED" !!!

PLUS, THIS STRENGTHEN THE PRESIDENT'S HAND. OUR ALLY FRANCE IS STILL ON BOARD.

THEREFORE, IF THE PRESENT NEGOTIATIONS WITH RUSSIAN AND SYRIA FAILS



THE PRESIDENT, AS COMMANDER IN CHIEF, WILL GO BEFORE THE NATION [NOT THE POLLS] TO ELOQUENTLY ENUNCIATE OUR NATIONAL SECURITY INTEREST, THEN ACT, WITH OR WITHOUT THAT CONGRESSIONAL VOTE, TO EXECUTE HIS DUTY. THE MILITARY AND NATION AND HISTORY WILL FOLLOW HIM AND HIS VP JOE BIDEN.

SEE CHARLIE ROSE THE WEEK PBS.ORG.

WITH GUEST FORMER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE LEON PANETTA. [SEPT. 15, 2013].

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