

An American Nazi Movement?

Donald Trump and his followers indignantly deny the charge of Fascism or Naziism, saying that they are the “opposite“ of Nazis.

But how else should we interpret Trump’s demand that all officials in his party, the Executive Branch, and even high-ranking officers in the armed forces, be loyal to Trump personally, rather than to the Constitution or the law? What else does their theory of the “Unitary Executive” mean?

In fact, this was exactly the basis of Adolph Hitler’s rule of Nazi Germany: “*Ein Fuhrer, Ein Volk, Ein Reich!*” that is, “One leader, one people, one nation!” Is this not just what Trump and his movement have demanded for the United States of America since the beginning of Trump’s involvement in politics?

During the Trump time in office, he was sometimes restrained by subordinates based on lawful authority. Most of these are now opposing him, and being denounced as traitors for doing so. What should we expect from a second Trump Presidency, once he has removed or silenced all dissenters in all branches of government?

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