## **Democrats Don't Know Weapons**

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Let's face it, Biden and the Democrats in Congress have no idea of how a war is fought. Do you remember what Biden said with regard to fighting the war on crime? He made two statements that are essentially the same: "[If] you want to keep someone away from your house, just fire the *shotgun* through the door," and ". . . if there's ever a problem just walk out on the balcony here, walk out, put that double-barreled shotgun and fire two blasts outside the house." With either of these statements it is clear that Biden has no idea of how to handle a firearm. I would love to see him go out on a porch, point the 12 gauge to the air and pull the trigger. Better yet, make that a double barrel 12 gauge. He fall flat on his ass when talking, it will be good to see him also fall when the shotgun goes off. Shooting a 12 gauge is NOT the same as shooting a 410 shotgun! Or even a 22 caliber rifle.

For all his talk on guns, Biden has little real knowledge about firearms. So, Joe let's make it simple and perhaps you will be able to understand more about firearms and weapons of war.

With exceptions of firearms and weapons that have been re-engineered (a fancy word for tinkered with") or ones poorly engineered, they all require some sort of trigger to be pulled, pushed, or tripped. They just do not go off by themselves. If they apparently do, it is because something was wrong with either the weapon or the ammunition in the weapon. Some outside force is needed to set off all weapons. They simply cannot set themselves off. Now if you need more explanation about this, let me know.

Point #2. All firearms and weapons of war require some kind of "force" to set them off. A general term for this is the word "igniter." Igniters are used to set off a more powerful explosive that propels a projective forward. Igniters are more clearly seen in guns, cannons, howitzers, and tanks. They are less obvious to the lay person in bombs, mines, missiles, and torpedoes, which also use igniters.

Fighter jets and helicopters are nothing more than planes equipped with machine guns, cannons, and/or missiles. Likewise bombers are planes with the ability to drop bombs or fire missiles. In a sense, bombers are like a cannon, howitzer or tank. When bombs are released the plane's forward momentum provides the energy that propels the bombs forward. This is the reason why bombers use bombsights to hit their targets.

Point #3. Collectively called weapons, all firearms and weapons of war, serve multiple purposes. The primary purpose in a civilized world is for self-protection whether it is protection for a nation or protection of people. A secondary purpose is to keep the enemy at bay, regardless of whether that enemy is a criminal, gang, or hostile nation intent on invading and taking over an individual, home, community, or country.

Point #4. To hold an enemy at bay, it is necessary to have weapons and the willingness to protect what is dear. However, keeping an enemy at bay also requires the defender to remove

access or prohibit reinforcements and supplies to the enemy. This requires going "behind the enemy's back" and disrupting supply and reinforcement lines.

Point #5. Throughout American history, whenever we have been attacked, the government has taken the fight to the enemy. The intent is to preserve our nation's resources. A major aspect of all military strategy is to take the war behind enemy lines both covertly and overtly. Overt fighting involves using long-range weapons such as missiles and aircraft.

Point #6. Biden and democrats have two claims with regard to giving Ukraine fighter jets. The first claim is that doing so could exacerbate Putin's war on Ukraine and draw the US and NATO into WW-3. The fallacy of this claim is that the US and NATO are already at war with Russia and its allies. Our idiotic political leadership has not yet recognized and accepted this fact.

The second claim is that Ukraine can use the fighter jets to "invade" Russia. This is pure nonsense. If Ukraine were to receive the jets, they definitely could use them to hit military targets in Russia. This would not be an invasion of Russia but rather supporting the defense of their nation.

Whether Ukraine actually carried out the attack on a Russian oil depot in Belgorod or if it is part of the Russian disinformation program, the loss of oil can adversely affect Russia's ability to supply fuel that is sorely needed by its tanks and other vehicles.

In light of Russia's unprovoked invasion of Ukraine, it is the height of hypocrisy for Russia to claim that Ukraine invaded them.

Point #7. Biden and democrats fail to realize that almost anything can be used as weapons. They need to stop trying to differentiate between "defensive weapons" and "offensive weapons." All weapons can be used defensively and/or offensively. Therefore, Biden and Congress need to provide Ukrainians with the weapons they need in order to:

- Defend their country\
- Preserve democracy
- Drive the invading force out of their country

The people and countries of the free world need to present a united front to Putin's aggression, not only with Ukraine but elsewhere in the world.

Congress has the ability to override Biden and approve the transfer to jets to Ukraine.

Demand that your congressional representatives take this action now.