

What is a Fascist? What I have learned, since Charlie Kirk died.

By Kimberlee West

FromShore to Shore, theStatue of Liberty raises the torch: to defend truth, respect dissent, and never allow political violence to become the “final word” in any disagreement. We can all Agree to Disagree! Violence is fascism! Youth today say it, easily. They call people Fascists. What is it? Who started it? Facism is the call to Violence? Fascism is the silencing of those who do not think like them. Mussolini was the father of Fascism. People today, who use that word, do not know who he is or what he stood for. Mussolini hyped up poor people, also the Middle classes. He stole their wealth, killed people, controlled the media, and was Violent. They wiped out God. Tortured believers.The only place Mussolini could be is in hell for all the pain he caused.

Enough hate, a call for open dialogue like the days of old. The Philadelphia Liberty Bell stands for Freedom. People from all over the world come to see it. Why? The majority of countries do not have Freedom. They do not have free speech. Charlie Kirk was killed for talking, simply talking. Jesus was killed for talking. Martin Luther King was killed for talking. Many more as well. In the 70s, my cousin Johnny Douard, was a student at the University of Illinois, Chicago. He wrote for the college newspaper. He was also active in writing articles for the Black Panthers. They were the ones blowing up Military Recruitment Offices for Drafting young men to Vietnam. There were many protests as many soldiers died. He also wrote for the communist newspaper. Although, I didn’t agree with most of his ideas, we could calmly discuss his points. We could start at a place of common ground. We all have something in common with each other. Mostly a Love for Family and Others. We could have an open dialogue. We both learned from each other.

Charlie Kirk was informed by a security company, that he had a 100% chance of being killed. He would radically have to change everything. He stepped up precautions. He had death threats everyday. This is in a Free Country? He was never voted into public office. The hate was unprecedented. With the exception of Martin Luther King, in a free country this is not acceptable. As I didn’t agree with all of Kirk’s opinions, his approach was bold. There are many cultures in the world. We need to be mindful of that. Love is always a good place to start! Charlie helped many of the youth he reached.

The problem is no one should be using the word Facism. What is A Fascist? People need to Stop using the wrong words. Labeling is no more than Name Calling. It is Hate Speech. My explanation of Fascism, (Read if under the age of 40) The Founder of Facism, was Benito Mussolini. Facism/Nazi intermingle. They would incite Poorer populations to destabilize countries. First they would control the Media. Then they would steal wealth from the people. No one had it better when their campaign was over. Then, they would obtain Political Power. Mussolini was a liberal, elite. Facism spread to other countries in Europe. Many were killed. Hatred toward the Jewish, Gypsies, Romanians, those of different languages, other nationalities, and wealthier people. The Lower and Middle classes joined Facism. Targets were Conservatives. This was a left movement of victimhood. A Person was Insubordinate because of one’s race. There need be no reason, Hitler referred to it as a Cosmic evil of their existence. Except Hitler said “Germans are the victims.” George Soros, at Hitler’s direction, kept records of Jewish wealth and art that was confiscated. Hitler’s ambitions were to steal, kill, and destroy. During these movements, millions who were different, were killed. Kings, Leaders, Officials, Police, Intellectuals, and Presidents Assassinated. Their Propaganda was based on Evil, Blind Obedience, and Expansionism. Their Propaganda campaign controlled all of the Media. Germany’s invasion of Poland started WW2. The start of the war was near Baranowicze, Poland. It had a large Jewish population and was a multicultural city.

It was a transportation hub in Europe. They were economically wealthy.

From Radicalization, comes violence. In 2025, American Jewish people have killed no one. Yet, violence for them is 800% higher? As the flame of Stalin’s Marxism, Communism spread. The communist had already massacred 95% of the Circassian people. As Germany continued, they had their own mass graves. One of these graves had the last name of the Szymanski family. Nearby in the Katyn Forest, 22,000 were in mass graves; Polish Police, Prisoners, Psychiatric Patients, Military, Ukranians, Belarus and Jewish Peoples. Let’s examine the life of one such man. He fought against the Nazis, and Fascists. Richard Szymanski was a WW2 Vet, Polish Immigrant, a Concentration Camp Survivor.

*Let’s examine the life of a Hero! Polish immigrant, Mr. Richard Szymanski, lived in Muskegon, born in Branowicze, Poland. He died recently at age 94. Encourage all of you to read his Obituary on mlive. “A life of a good man!” He was an Honorable soldier during WW2. He was Tortured, Captured, and put into a Concentration camp by Germany. Most were mere bones in these concentration camps. They were starved. Eventually he ran away to become free. He signed up again. This time he fought for the French, then the Polish army, under British forces. He understood Facism. He fought with his life twice! He had an iron will to never quit. Not just for him, but for Freedom! Thank you, in Heaven, Mr. Szymanski for protecting us all.

After the war he went to Regent Polytechnic school for Engineering in London. Then immigrated to N.Y. in 1954. He worked for Brunswick for 25 years. He held three Patents. Then later, retired from Hayworth. He had a Bachelors of Engineering Degree. His family said he could speak 6 languages. He was married in 1966 to Katharine at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He raised his children in the Catholic Church. He had 7 children, 21 grandchildren, and 6 great grandkids. His son Ed is an Engineer like his Dad.

He never felt like a victim. Despite losing everything he once knew. Rest in Peace, Mr. Szymanski. Tucker Carlson said at Kirk’s memorial, “They killed Jesus because they could not shut him up. They killed Charlie, because he talked too much. Silencing one side or another does not work. The shooter was actively radicalized, on a channel called Discord?” Most older folks do not even know what Discord is. Discord is mostly for Video Gamers. Calling people Hitler. One theme is, if you go back in time, would you kill Hitler? A dangerous message. Violence is okay for different view points?

Debate is basically an exchange of ideas. Its history started in 81 BC. The rules are simple. Each side can examine both sides of an issue. How will anything be accomplished without debate? Debate helps one learn to become mindful of others. The Moderators play a role too. Slander and Insult is against the rules of a debate. There are several formats. It is a tennis match of intellect. Debates have been going on at universities since their existence.

Ignorant people choose Violence and hate. There was the September Grand Blanc, Michigan, Mormon church attack. Even children were injured. It was horrific. We all can have a part in the change that is needed. We all can do a better job of recognizing the golden rule. “Treat others as you would want to be treated.” Sources, mlive obituary of Richard Szymanski Wikipedia; Circassian Genocide Mass graves in Katyn, NBC News; <https://www.nbcnews.com/news/world/ashes-8000-world-war-ii-victims-mass-graves-poland-bialuty-forest-rcna38219>

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Margaret Jawor Obituary 1921 - 2025



M a r g a r e t “Marge” Jawor, age 103, passed away Monday, June 16, 2025. She was born July 25, 1921 in Muskegon to Peter and Mary (Szekely) Lakatos. On July 5, 1947, she married the love of her life, Vitald “Vit” Jawor and they spent 68 happy

years together. She was a charter member of St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church and an original member of the choir. Marge was quite a country singer in her younger days. She also sang Latin for 60 years until the Church switched to English. She loved to dance the jitterbug and polka at the Fruitport Pavilion. Marge was an accomplished seamstress, gardener, and loved to cook Hungarian and Polish food. She is survived by her children, Joe (Susan) Jawor, Verone Louise Jawor; grandson, Neal (Jackie) Card; great grandson, Liam Card; sister, Theresa Kuzniar; brothers, Joseph (Pat) Lakatos, Alex (Delphine) Lakatos, Dennis (Patty) Lakatos; god-daughter, Susan Gelling; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Vitald Jawor; brothers, George Lakatos, Peter Lakatos, Jim Lakatos; and sisters, Mary Nauta, Veronica Borns, Rosie Hartman, and Erma Jones. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 11:00 AM Monday, June 23, 2025 at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, 3252 E. Apple Ave, Muskegon, MI 49442. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the Mass on Monday at the church. Entombment will take place at St. Mary’s Cemetery. Memorial Contributions may be directed to the Muskegon Polish Festival. Arrangements handled by The Lee Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 6291 Harvey St, Norton Shores, MI 49444. Sign the online guestbook at www.sytsemafh.com

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Robert F. Kennedy Jr. joins The Tucker Carlson Show

Robert Kennedy Jr. has been friends with Democrats his entire life. That makes sense given his last name.

Over the past year, however, many of those friends have completely disowned him. Why is that? He has not changed, nor have his values or the policies he promotes. The difference is that now, he’s associated with Donald Trump. There’s nothing more offensive to the people who used to love him.

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