What Does A WWII Heroine & 9-11 Have In Common?

“Terrorism is the war of the poor, and war is the terrorism of the rich.”

Peter Ustinov

In 2008 an email circulated to remind us all that despite our ‘modern civilization’ we humans are still barbaric in our beliefs that ANY human has been created from a ‘better’ mold than another.

As we approach the anniversary of September 11, 2001; I believe it is time we reflect again, that we search our souls and pray for guidance to truly become civilized and wise.

To the Creator, the Great One who created each of us,

Open our minds and soften our hearts.

Please guide us through the rest of our human existence in this material world.

Empower us to see the human, not the enemy.

Grant us the ability to love without reason, and see without prejudice; noticing instead all that we have in common.

Please guide us to enlightenment from the chains of this earthly illusion.

Please remove the veil of separateness and lift the fear of (and desire for) judgment and vengeance from us all.

Please Share This With Others ...
On September 11, 2001 there were some men that decided that they didn’t like what America stands for: Freedom, Liberty, and the Rights of men and women of all races, backgrounds, and beliefs. So on that morning, they hijacked four planes and attacked America, innocent civilian people from the United States and 62 nations, died in a terrible way.

Two of the hijacked civilian airplanes were crashed into the World Trade Center in New York City. The third plane was crashed into the Pentagon in Washington, D.C. The fourth and last plane was going to crash into another building in Washington, D.C., but the passengers stopped the hijackers, and the plane crashed into a field instead.

Over 3,000 innocent people lost their lives through these attacks. Hundreds of people were on the planes. Thousands died in the buildings that were hit by those planes. Making the attacks of September 11th the worst act of terrorism in world history.

Never Forget! – United We Stand, Divided We Fail!

Here is that original email with some ‘tweaks’ to make the timeframes accurate for 2011…
Who was Irena Sandler?

Irena Sendler (née Krzyżanowska, commonly referred to as Irena Sendlerowa in Poland; 15 February 1910 – 12 May 2008) was a Polish Catholic social worker who served in the Polish Underground and the Żegota resistance organization in German-occupied Warsaw during World War II. Assisted by some two dozen other Żegota members, Sendler saved 2,500 Jewish children by smuggling them out of the Warsaw Ghetto, providing them with false documents, and sheltering them in individual and group children's homes outside the Ghetto.

In 2007 Irena Sendler was one of the 181 nominations for the 2007 Nobel Peace Prize which included former US Vice-President Al Gore, Oprah Winfrey and Sheila Watt-Cloutier. I personally have NO RESPECT for an award that is given to anyone who has NOT dedicated their life to the purpose of the award or has earned more than $100,000 per year of personal income ‘promoting’ the work they get the award for. Alas, I was not a member of the ‘powers that be’ for this award.

Look at this lady - Let us never forget!

During WWII, Irena, got permission to work in the Warsaw ghetto, as a Plumbing/Sewer specialist.

She had an 'ulterior motive'.

She KNEW what the Nazi's plans were for the Jews (being German).

Irena smuggled infants out in the bottom of the tool box she carried and she carried in the back of her truck a burlap sack, (for larger kids).
She also had a dog in the back that she trained to bark when the Nazi soldiers let her in and out of the ghetto.

The soldiers of course wanted nothing to do with the dog and the barking covered the kids/infants noises.

During her time of doing this, she managed to smuggle out and save 2500 kids/infants.

She was caught, and the Nazi's broke both her legs, arms and beat her severely.

Irena kept a record of the names of all the kids she smuggled out and kept them in a glass jar, buried under a tree in her back yard.

After the war, she tried to locate any parents that may have survived it and reunited the family.

Most had been gassed. Those kids she helped got placed into foster family homes or adopted.

In 2007 Irena was up for the Nobel Peace Prize. She was not selected.

President Obama won one year before becoming President for his work as a community organizer for ACORN and Al Gore won also --- for a slide show on Global Warming.

In MEMORIAM - 66 YEARS LATER

I'm doing my small part by forwarding this message.

I hope you'll consider doing the same..

It is now more than 60 years after the Second World War in Europe ended.

This e-mail is being sent as a memorial chain, in memory of the 20 million Russians, 10 million Christians, 1,900 Catholic priests and the 6 million Jews who were murdered, massacred, raped, burned, starved and humiliated!
Now, more than ever, with Iran, and others, claiming the HOLOCAUST to be 'a myth'.

It's imperative to make sure the world never forgets, because there are others who would like to do it again.

This e-mail is intended to reach 40 million people worldwide!

Join us and be a link in the memorial chain and help us distribute it around the world.
Please send this e-mail to people you know and ask them to continue the memorial chain.

Please don't just delete it.

It will only take you a minute to pass this along.

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So what does a WWII Heroine and 9-11 have in common? We Are One and the Same - IF we acknowledge our humanity and never forget our barbaric and humble beginnings there is a hero or heroine in all of us.

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