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A hot meal can boost morale and put a spring back in their step. Maybe you and others nearby of like-mind can perform a diversion to allow escape or completion of a mission. Be creative. Diversions can be a flood of false reports to authorities or a staged car wreck on a major road or... be creative. There is much that can be done to assist freedom fighters.

Best yet might be the efforts of what some label the "Propaganda Corps." Start now with convincing as many folks as possible of whatever your beliefs are about the many problems confronting We, the People but that the government at its many levels seems to be ignoring or, as some folks believe, actually assisting in being a problem. I shouted with joy when I first encountered Oath Keeper's Ten Orders. Imagine tyrants via their politician lackeys ordering their "muscle" to commence war-like activities against We, the People. When the troops/police/etc. simply ignore those tyrants what will those unwilling to do the deeds themselves do? Pout? Whine? Whimper? Or make a speech via the elite-owned media accusing free-thinking folks of being the bad guys? Perhaps a war could be won without firing a shot. That is real victory!!!

The complexity of life within the USA today is such that it is impossible to keep track of all that is going on. The America of today MAY simply be too big to effectively governed. Some learned folks suggest dividing the USA into two, maybe more, separate but united entities akin to how states combine to form a unified whole. Is that the answer? I do not know.

This is not the place to declare what I believe are serious major problems confronting We, the People from foes domestic and foreign. What I will proclaim is that from 1995 onward, when I first jumped into the Web, I became a part of the unofficial growing Propaganda Corps and I have seen positive results from our efforts. Do your part, folks. It takes a team and all of us can do something that would have the Founders look down from above and give you a thumbs-up and a hearty "Well done."

]]> <https://www.oathkeepers.org/the-importance-of-training/#comment-49578> Thu, 01 Oct 2015 12:02:31 +0000 <https://www.oathkeepers.org/?p=8095#comment-49578> [...] Source: oathkeepers.org [...] ]]> <https://www.oathkeepers.org/the-importance-of-training/#comment-49519> Thu, 01 Oct 2015 04:57:30 +0000 <https://www.oathkeepers.org/?p=8095#comment-49519> Training, Training, Training... Brings back memories of my time in the OPFOR (Hohenfels, GE 1990-92). As a member of the “original permanent party”, we came in raw from basic Armor school (Ft. Knox, KY). Trained on M1 Abrams, we found ourselves manning 30 decrepit 1970’s era M60a3 tanks, mocked up as “ruskies”. Fighting all-comers (US active, US Guard, Germans, Spanish, Canadians and Brits) with the newest hardware, we were never defeated. Through endless drills, we reduced our load out times from hours to minutes. Field expedient repairs and thorough maintenance schedules allowed 100% battle readiness, against adversaries who struggled to put up a 75% force. Spit & polish looks good and gets men killed. 290+ days/year in 24/7 simulated combat, exceeds the field time of any “real” unit in history. I received the expert badge for tracked & wheeled (HMMVEE) 5,000 accident-free miles and 10,000 hours at the t-bar, the equivalent of fighting bush-by-bush from Baja to Maine. Every day I died, often multiple times, leaving me to contemplate the wastefulness and horror of war and the sacrifice of our men and women in service. We saw the useless dog-and-pony units fail (Berlin Brigade, et.al.) mission after mission. We fought troops fresh from the battlefield of Iraq, and wiped them out with startling ease. There is no more dangerous opponent than a well trained fighter, free from garrison detail, on his home turf. Training is everything.

Driving “blind”, by voice commands alone, was the most terrifying experience. Buttoned up, at combat speeds, in the dark, without night vision for hours at a time... the only relief from the mind’s imagination of a sudden death was screaming into the roar of the engine until I was hoarse. Just because it wasn’t live fire, didn’t mean it wasn’t dangerous, our Post averaged 1 training death per month. Split evenly between the Observer/Controllers and the visiting troops. Our training kept us all alive.

Shout out to the men of Delta Tank Co. 1/4 Infantry, 7th ATC WARRIORS!!!!!!

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