

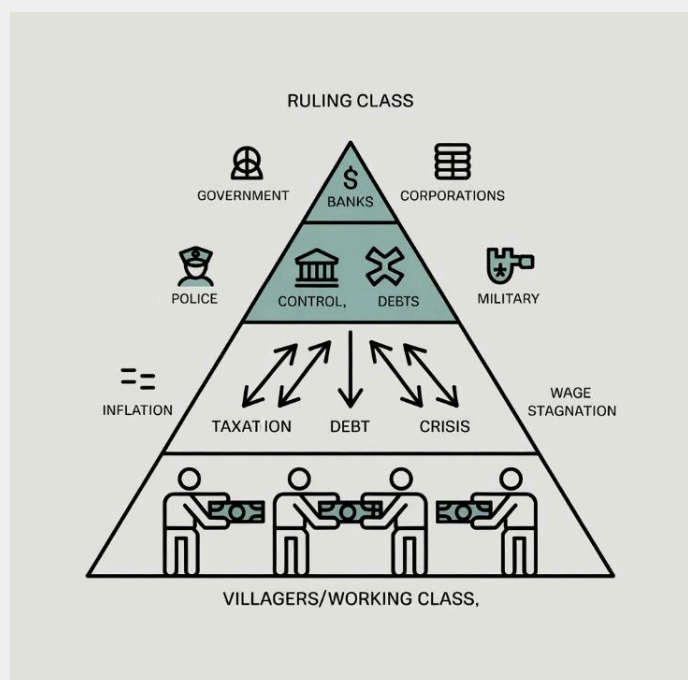
The Five Noble Truths on Silver and Gold

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One of the fundamental doctrines of Buddhism is the Four Noble Truths, said to have been set forth by the Buddha, the founder of the religion, in his first sermon, which he gave after his enlightenment. The Four Noble Truths deal with the nature of suffering, its cause, the possibility of its cessation, and the path to achieve that cessation. Here we look at the five noble truths in our society and the cessation of the class divide coming from owning silver and gold.

Constant Hierarchy Thesis

1. This principle suggests that society has always been divided between those in power—the rulers—and those who are governed, indicating a persistent pattern of hierarchy throughout history.



2. The rulers, whom we will call the ruling class, expand their influence by issuing debt, which is typically justified as necessary to fund wars. Even during periods of relative peace, rulers will manufacture crises to keep the populace in a constant state of "high alert." This strategy is designed to distract the villagers. When those in power deliberately create a sense of crisis, it induces chronic hypervigilance among the people, keeping their sympathetic nervous systems persistently activated and maintaining a collective state of heightened anxiety and stress. In essence, the villagers are perpetually trapped in "fight or flight" mode.

3. The villagers are not allowed to transact or exchange freely among themselves using traditional forms of money. The rulers create bureaucratic channels to insert themselves into the middle of these exchanges, enabling them to extract a fee from every transaction. This approach keeps society fragmented rather than unified. The apparatus of the State issues a currency with no intrinsic value, which is systematically debased over time—an intentional act. This paper currency does not fairly represent the villagers' time, talent, or energy, meaning that, over time, workers must labor harder for less. Wage stagnation leads to social misery, illness, lack of access to rewards such as housing, healthcare, basic needs intensifying crime and civil unrest. During this period of suffering, the general populace remains largely unaware of the underlying causes of their distress, as the detrimental effects manifest gradually over extended timeframes. Individuals experience persistent fatigue, anger, social isolation, and a pervasive sense of powerlessness, leading to a chronic perception that their lives are fundamentally unbalanced. For most, social connection is limited to superficial engagements—such as participation in popular culture or fleeting trends—while attempts to alleviate their discomfort often result in patterns of excessive or unnecessary consumption.
4. As a result, the working class is eternally caught between an endless series of manufactured crises, inflation, and taxation. These three negative forces combine to siphon wealth from workers to the ruling class, functioning much like a perpetual parasite feeding off its host.
5. This entire system is entrenched by the merging of banking, corporate, political, and military interests. The police maintain the status quo internally, while the military does so externally. The Treasury and Federal Reserve fund the military, which in turn supports the US dollar. This entire structure continues to expand. For example, just as small, family-owned retailers were

overtaken by giants like Walmart and Target, or as Amazon is now displacing stores like Bed Bath & Beyond and Macy's, the system grows through ongoing mergers and acquisitions. The apparatus of the state becomes ever larger and more insatiable.

The glorious news within this doctrine

According to my theory, the described hierarchical system eventually reaches a critical threshold—often referred to in scientific literature as a "systemic reset" or "equilibrium restoration."

At this inflection point, the prevailing imbalances are corrected, and a new state of balance is established within the socio-economic order.

Individuals who have strategically allocated their assets to tangible stores of value, such as silver and gold, are likely to experience significant benefits during this transition. Conversely, those who have not secured such assets may face considerable financial hardship as the system undergoes realignment.

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At Silver Academy, we are a peer-led movement united by a profound belief: within each of us lies the potential to reclaim and restore the freedom that is our birthright.

This freedom—how we were truly meant to live—has been steadily eroded by the forces of the so-called ruling class, a parasitic elite whose interests are fundamentally misaligned with those of the people.

Our academy is a gathering place for silver and gold activists—individuals committed to intentional strategies that resist the corrosive practices of those who would rule us. We are not passive observers of history; we are active participants in the fight for renewal and liberation.

We are unified by these actionable truths:

Truth 1: Rejecting the Tools of Oppression

We unequivocally reject the instruments and language of our oppressors. This includes mainstream media sources designed to manipulate and mislead, as well as financial systems—most notably, fiat currencies—that perpetuate cycles of war and inequality. Fiat currency enables unchecked political power and aggressive foreign policy, fueling imperial ambitions and inflicting suffering on emerging nations. In contrast, silver and gold stand as bulwarks against this new era of neo-colonialism, offering the only true check on endless conflict.

Truth 2: Embracing Enduring Value

We recognize that true money has always been, and will always be, gold and silver. In a world awash with devalued paper promises, we are called to accumulate these enduring stores of value while we still can. This is not merely an act of self-preservation; it is a declaration of independence from systems designed to keep us subservient.

Truth 3: Spreading Hope and Renewal

For the greatest good of the greatest many, we must reach out—sharing our message of hope, optimism, and the promise of a brighter future for our children. Our mission is one of renewal and liberation, and it flourishes when we invite others to join us. By sharing this message with friends, colleagues, and family, we ignite a movement that cannot be silenced.

Truth 4: Supporting the Silver Supply Chain

We must champion and invest in the silver mining industry. Without urgent action to bring new silver resources online, we risk losing access to a metal that is not only foundational to honest money, but also critical to technological and industrial progress. Imagine a world where the Industrial Revolution had no coal, or there was no oil to fuel our cars, factories, trains and planes. Or if the modern era lacked electricity—such is the risk if silver becomes scarce.

Silver is the future of energy, the lifeblood of innovation, and a vital weapon against the tyranny of fiat currency.

Mainstream financial media may ignore this looming crisis, making it difficult for mining companies to secure the funding they need. It falls to us—the members of this movement—to recognize the importance of bringing silver to market. In doing so, we equip ourselves with the tools necessary to challenge the fiat system and restore true freedom.

Silver Academy is more than a movement; it is a call to awaken, to act, and to build a future rooted in truth, value, and liberty. Together, we can reclaim what has been lost and ensure a legacy of freedom and prosperity for generations to come.

