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 **REAGAN? HE DELIVERED
AN EASTER/PASSOVER
MESSAGE ABOUT PRIDE
& WORLD LEADERSHIP!
OBAMA? HE MAILES IT IN!**



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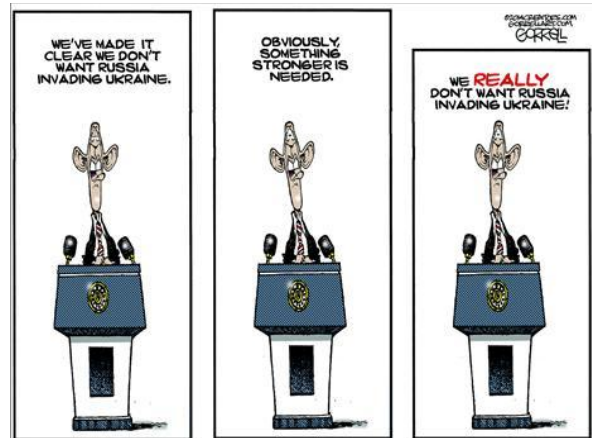
In April of 1983, President Ronald Reagan gave an Easter/Passover greeting on his radio broadcast to the nation. That was 31 years ago, on the Saturday before Easter. Here is an excerpt from that message:

*The generation of Americans now growing up in schools across our country can **make sure the United States will remain a force for good, the champion of peace and freedom, as their parents and grandparents before them have done.** And if we live our lives and dedicate our country to truth, to love, and to God, we will be a part of something much stronger and much more enduring than any negative power here on Earth. That's why this weekend is a celebration and why there is hope for us all.*

Hope, determination, inspiration - that was the vision of a great world leader. He specialized in promoting and maintaining national pride and American Exceptionalism!

I also ran across an assessment of where we now stand. This is part of an article by Wesley Pruden published yesterday, April 18, 2014 in *Jewish World Review*, under the title "**When a Bored President 'MAILES IT IN'**":

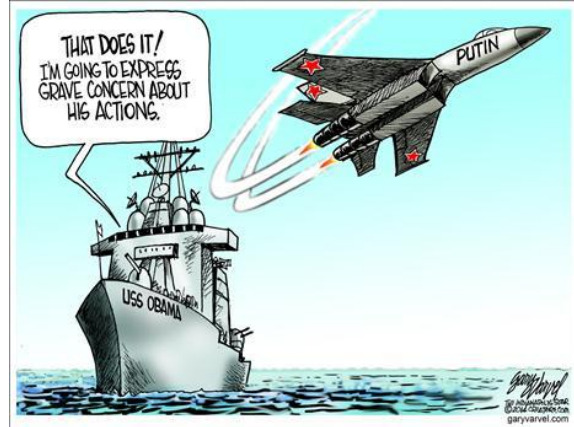
This grim moment in time is not World War III, but it's nevertheless serious, and could have been avoided if the leader of the free world, the role Mr. Obama asked for twice but clearly doesn't want and doesn't know how to play, had learned to lead from the front instead of his preference for "leading from behind." (He may think he's Ginger Rogers, but he's not.)



He doesn't understand the Putin threat any more than he understands the threat from the Islamic Middle East.

Leadership is hard. Playing at leadership is easy. Confronting an aspiring tyrant like Vladimir Putin is hard. Devoting presidential attention to raising campaign money, working on his putting and making sure women get all the condoms and abortions they want is easy.

And that makes it easy for Vladimir Putin to rearrange the power settings in a world ripe for domination.



And that's the way it is, April 18, 2014!