Eritrea: a country that can take care of itself

The word evil is a very intriguing word; but the horrid examples it defines are extremely hazardous and they can blind people's eyes. Committing evil actions against somebody with pure goodness is completely horrible and disgusting to see. This is why I would like to show you prime examples of such acts. The evil deeds that have been committed are against a country called Eritrea. Eritrea has done nothing harmful to any country or person; yet some powerful and "civilized" countries find it okay to repeatedly do their evil deeds against this country. It hurts me like a bullet and I can't stand it happen again and again. As Eritreans know well, there have been tough times in Eritreans' lives because of all the war that Eritreans had to go through. What Eritrea had to go through was totally unfair and unjust. Evil actions are being committed against Eritrea in order to obstruct its progress, growth, and development which are growing rapidly. For the victims of evil the injustices are clear, but for ordinary people that are not involved they might not see the injustice because of the thin veil of fabricated lies. The dear Eritrea that we know has been put in this very similar situation time and again. Now I think I should tell all my readers about the evilness that has befallen the dear land Eritrea. During the 1998-2000 war Eritrea and Ethiopia had a border dispute that took many lives; for Eritrea this was like a tsunami wiping out a whole city. The loss of an Eritrean life brings so much pain and it has a strong effect on other Eritreans. We Eritreans believe that every person can make a difference and we don't want to see even a single Eritrean life lost to another war. That war of 1998-2000 was a horrible one and I can't bear to see another version of it again. In 2002 the United Nations, the so called "peacemaker" announced that the village of Badme belonged to Eritrea, but the village is still occupied by the Ethiopians. This is something against what the United Nations stands for, but the UN decided not to take any type of actions against Ethiopia. This was not a proper action to take towards a country that was in the situation that Eritrea was in. Because of this inaction Ethiopia is encouraged to continue occupying Eritrean land. Eritrea is being forced to take matters in its own hands because of the UN's foolishness of choice. Eritrea had chosen to be patient on Ethiopia's foolishness and UN's inactions. Then ten years later the Weyane decided to make another disrespectful move by claiming that they have invaded Eritrea and have went sixteen kilometers inside Eritrea. Their excuse was to chase Ethiopian rebels that killed five tourist and kidnapped two others in the remote region of Afar on January. These accusations and claims are totally false. I know the UN won't take any actions against Ethiopia's actions even though what Ethiopia has done is against what the UN stands for. Ethiopia's actions are completely not acceptable by any means fairness and justice; it hurts me to see these horrors. The UN won't take any actions on what the Ethiopians have done but when Iraq invaded Kuwait the UN did take action in fact the American army stepped in to deal with the problem. The reason why they gave mercy to Ethiopia is because they want Ethiopia to continue their meddling in order to mess up the progress of Eritrean. The United States and European Union's statements have been nothing but hopeless to solve the problem. They have protected the aggressor but warned the victim of committing the aggressor's actions; this shows that if Eritrea was in the position of

Ethiopia, the United States and European Union would definitely have taken action and rushed for a cruel punishment against Eritrea. The actions of these western countries have been defined throughout history and now it has been put against Eritrea. The western countries have always shown prejudice towards many countries and now they decided to use the tactic on Eritrea and they hope it will crumple Eritrea to pieces. But their predictions are wrong because Eritrea will triumph. Nobody has ever come to aid Eritrea in it's tough times. Eritrea has learned to defend itself in its own means. Like many have said it, Eritrea is unique and will never budge. It has unmasked the bad and raised the good while nobody has helped it. Eritrea may be young but one of its gifts is that it can take care of itself. It has caring people that will take care of it. Eritrea may have many challenges but it has people with the right attitude to take care of them. God protect Eritrea from all those who think evil acts against her. Thank God for giving courage and wisdom to Eritrea so it could survive hard times; help it to triumph again. God please stop the war once and for all so our Ethiopian brothers could become our friends and neighbors rather than our enemies. Help us take our peoples towards peace and development. God please help those who are ignorant and are trying to drag us into yet another war to think positively and to stop meddling in our lives. May God bless all of us.

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