

BEYOND BARS: VOICES OF
NLG JAILHOUSE LAWYERS

BUY TEDDY LEWIS: /

THIS MOMENT FEELS LIKE A
MAZE WHICH HOLDS MANY
ROOMS YET ONLY ONE OF
THEM HOLDS THE KEY.

LATELY I NOTICE THAT SO
MANY MEN LIKE TO RIP
AND RUN TO THE YARD. AND
TRY TO IMPOSE THEIR WILL
ON VARIOUS THINGS / FROM
LIFTING WEIGHTS TO LIFTING
A TELEPHONE. . . SUDDENLY
I CAME TO NOTICE THAT
MY LIFE WAS WITHOUT
LEGAL BALANCE BECAUSE
MY LACK OF LEGAL KNOW HOW
LEFT ME STAGNATED AND
WITHOUT TRUE HOPE. . .

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ONE DAY SOMEONE CAME TO
ME AND SAID "WHY" DON'T YOU
GO TO THE LAW LIBRARY AND
START TO STUDY YOUR CASE

THE QUESTION REALLY OPENED
MY EYES TO REALIZING THAT
MY RUNNING AROUND THE JAIL
LOST AND "CONFUSED" WOULD
NOT HELP ME. I WENT
BACK TO MY CELL AND IT
TOUCHED ME BECAUSE I
REALLY THOUGHT ABOUT
HOW IMPORTANT HIS
MESSAGE WAS. AS TIME
WENT ON I BEGAN TO SEE
THAT DEDICATION AND BASIC
HARD WORK CAN AND WILL
PAY OFF EVENTUALLY.

JUST TO THINK OF THIS FACT
HAS INSPIRED ME TO WRITE
THIS TO EVERY PRISONER
IN NOY. STATE.

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I BEGAN TO REALIZE THAT
NEEDED TO MAKE THE
ULTIMATE SACRIFICES FOR
FREEDOM, JUSTICE AND
EQUALITY. I BEGAN TO
REALIZE HOW TO RESPECT
THE CHAIN OF COMMAND,
WHICH IS TO GO TO MY
SCHOOL PROGRAM, GO TO
THE MESS HALL EAT, COME
BACK TO MY CELL, READ
AND STUDY MY CASE AND
DON'T DEVIATE FROM
THIS BASIC PLAN. EVERY
DAY I WOULD SIT IN MY CELL
AND STUDY AND SLOWLY BUT
SURELY THE "LIGHTS" WENT
ON INSIDE MY MIND TELLING
ME THAT I WAS DOING THE
RIGHT THING. DESPITE MY
RECENT APPEALS BEING
DENIED I CAN SENSE THAT
ONE DAY I WOULD FIND
MYSELF FREE FROM THE
MISERY OF N.Y. STATE
PRISON FOREVER

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TODAY I STUDY THINGS ABOUT
THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM AND ITS
ESSENCE WHICH GIVES ME /
COURAGE AND FAITH TO
CONTINUE ON DESPITE THE
ODDS PRESENTLY AGAINST /
ME. TODAY I SEE THE
PSYCHOLOGICAL GAMES THAT
LEAVE THE PRISON SYSTEM
IN SUCH DISARRAY YET MY
DETERMINATION TO SURVIVE
IS BEYOND WORDS. IT IS
MY OPINION THAT HILLARY
CLINTON WILL BE THE NEXT
PRESIDENT SOON AND THE
PRISON SYSTEM WILL BE
DRASTICALLY SHAPED /
AND CHANGED INTO A
MODERN DAY NIGHTMARE
THE REASON I SAY THIS
IS BECAUSE HER HUSBAND
PLACED THE PRISON /
LITIGATION REFORM
ACT OF 1996 IN PLACE
WHICH ACTUALLY DENIES ANY
REAL RELIEF FOR ANY
PRISONER.

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THE MILITARY OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS GOVERNOURCUOMO AND OUR LEGISLATORS IN WASHINGTON ARE ALREADY PREPARING SUCH DREADEFUL TACTICS IT WILL TAKE MEN WHO UNDERSTAND AND WHO CAN MANAGE THROUGH TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS AND PERSEVERE INTO THEIR EVENTUAL RELEASE.

THE KEY TO PRISON IS BEING TO UNDERSTANDING THE LAWS OF NOY STATE COURTS AND SURROUNDING YOURSELF WITH THE MINDS OF REAL BROTHERHOOD. THIS ERA WE ARE LIVING IN IS EXTREMELY CRITICAL AND ONLY THE STRONG SHALL SURVIVE.

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THE KEY TO PRISON IS TOO
BLOCK OUT EVERYTHING
IN THE PRISON AND
FOCUS ON THE IMPORTANT
FACTOR. I ADMIT THAT
THIS IS A VERY DARK AND
LONELY ROAD. THERE ARE
14 YEARS OF PAIN AND
POSSIBLE "ILLEGAL"
CONFINEMENT WHICH I
HAVE SUFFERED / YET THE
VERY FIRST TIME I READ
A LAW BOOK MY LIFE HAS
TRULY TURNED FORWARD.

I FIND THAT PRACTICE AND
EFFORT HAS LED ME TOO
BELIEVE I CAN NOW STAND
IN ANY FEDERAL / STATE
OR COUNTY COURTROOM
AND WIN AGAINST ANY COURT
PROSECUTOR AND I REALLY
REALLY BELIEVE THAT.

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BECAUSE I READ A BOOK THAT
A PRISONER WROTE, I TOOK
THE INITIATIVE TO "THINK
OUTSIDE THE BOX" SO TODAY
I AM A BETTER MAN. I DO
WISH THAT CERTAIN JUDGES /
AND LEGISLATORS COULD COME
INSIDE THE PRISON SYSTEM
AND WITNESS MY EFFORT.

ALTHOUGH I DON'T HAVE ANY
MAJOR PLAQUES, AWARDS,
OR CITATIONS TO IMPRESS
ANYONE WITH BUT I CAN TELL
THE WORLD THAT BASIC STUDY
OF LAW AND JUDICIAL ACTS
CAN ENLIGHTEN ANYONE WHO
IS INCARCERATED, AND I
WRITE THESE WORDS TOO
CONSTANTLY INSPIRE YOU.

I THANK ALL THE BROTHERS AT
NOLG FOR READING THIS

GOD BLESS YOU