

Fascism: the choice

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I posted this in Twitter this afternoon, summarising a conversation I had today:



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We have a choice on fascism. We can redistribute income and wealth so most people in this country have a chance, which they don't at present. Or we can leave the wealthy heavily under-taxed as they are right now, and open the door to fascists. Equality v fascism. Your choice.



I think this is the choice that we as a society now face.

We know that Labour is refusing to tax wealth right now. In that case it is enabling fascism, in my opinion. This is what worries me about it, above all else.

Fascism is the enemy now. Events in the USA are making that clearer by the moment, and Labour are already indicating that they think that this is a matter about which they need have no opinion, as if the rise of fascism there is a matter of no concern to it, and is a matter about which we may not comment because of our 'special relationship' with the US, which requires us to befriend the fascists when they get to power.

My sense that we are walking towards a precipice grows, almost by the minute.