

In 06, we were not struggling with the worst fiscal crisis since 1933, we were sleep walking into it. It was one year before the bottom started dropping out. Obama recognized a brewing problem, but he could not stop it. Two unfunded wars & tax breaks for the rich was unsustainable. The private debt bubble was growing far greater than public debt, but not as evident at the time because of lax regulatory oversight. When the mortgage debt bubble burst, the Fed and treasury had to increase the money supply to prevent the logo of that t-shirt actually becoming true. The economic crisis was not the result of Obama or Democratic policy, but Republican strategy has relentlessly tried to pin the blame of the consequences on them. Obama's flexibility cleaning up after the Bush administration prevented catastrophe, but he got no help from the republican side of the isle. They appear to be rooting against prosperity. The abusive spouse metaphor is completely backward. It is the practice of Republicans to promise morning in America & lower taxes, and then blame Democrats when things go wrong, so they can abuse the system again. The Bush administration let wall street raid the treasury after crashing the economy, and left Obama to try to pay the bills. Now they want us to bring them back, by projecting their blame for the consequences on Obama, complete with mean black gangster imagery. If that picture doesn't viscerally elicit an aversive prejudiced stereotype, it is not because the author didn't try. This is gleefully fraudulent partisan propoganda with a twist of the three Rs, Resentment, Racism and Republicanism.

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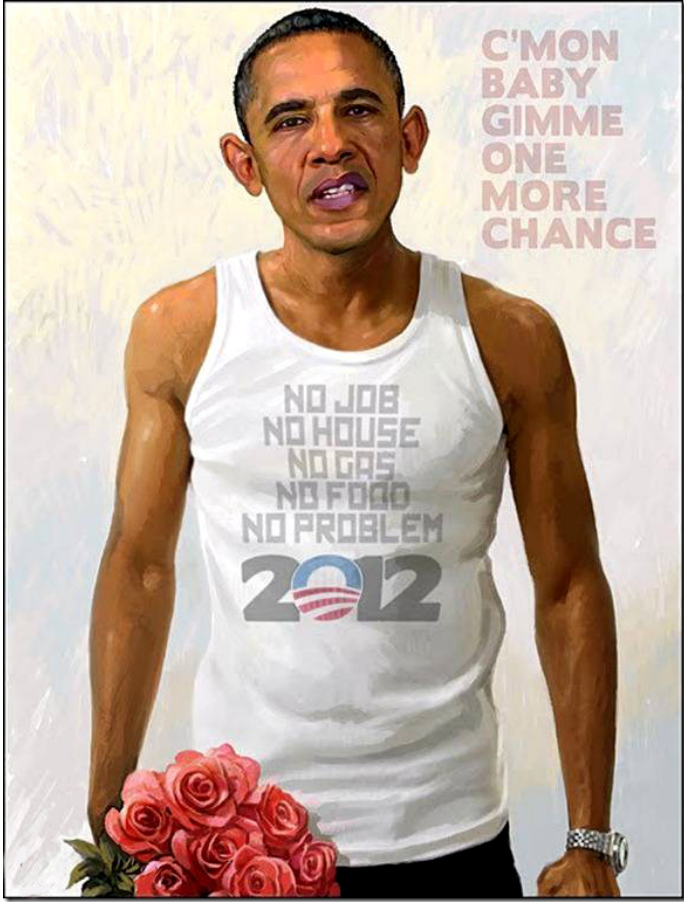
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The Quote of the Decade:

The fact that we are here today to debate raising America 's debt limit is a sign of leadership failure. It is a sign that the US Government cannot pay its own bills. It is a sign that we now depend on ongoing financial assistance from foreign countries to finance our Government's reckless fiscal policies. Increasing America 's debt weakens us domestically and internationally. Leadership means that, the buck stops here.' Instead, Washington is shifting the burden of bad choices today onto the backs of our children and grandchildren. America has a debt problem and a failure of leadership. Americans deserve better.

~ Senator Barack H. Obama, March 2006!

Pass this on 'till eternity!!!!