

NEA Tells Community Organizers â€˜Read Saul Alinskyâ€™™

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President Barack Obama started his political career as a community organizer in Chicago. Apparently, the National Education Association intends to train more community organizers to grab political power by recommending on its official website for them to read 'Rules for Radicals,' by Saul Alinsky.

Mr. Obama appears to have closely followed Mr. Alinsky's guidebook for seizing power. In the paperback 'Rules for Radicals' published by Vintage Press, Alinsky wrote on page 103, 'the organizer's job is to inseminate an invitation for himself, to agitate, introduce ideas, get people pregnant with hope and a desire for change; and to identify you as the person most qualified for this purpose. Here the tool of the organizer, in the agitation leading to the invitation as well as the actual organization and education of local leadership, is the use of the question, the Socratic method.'

Mr. Alinsky calls for a community organizer, turned President such as Obama to 'play God.' He wrote on page 61 that, 'the ego of the organizer is stronger and more monumental than the ego of the leader. The leader is driven by the desire for power, while the organizer is driven by the desire to create. The organizer is in a true sense reaching for the highest level for which man can reach to create, to be a 'great creator' to play God.' Ever wonder why Obama emphasized the word 'change' in his illustrious campaign for the White House in 2008. In accordance with Mr. Alinsky's advice, Mr. Obama is seeking to impose a revolution of the masses. In Alinsky's prologue on page xxii, he wrote, 'a reformation that masses our people have reached the point of disillusionment with the past ways and values. They don't know what will work but they do know that the prevailing system is self-defeating, frustrating and hopeless. They won't act for change; but won't strongly oppose those who do. The time is then ripe for revolution.'

To look at the NEA website, link here: To purchase 'Rules for Radicals' by Saul Alinsky, link here: Tmcgregordallas@yahoo.com