All under socialism will suffer equally.

MILD SOCIALISM LOWERS THE PUBLIC'S standard of living, and when it is seriously implemented, it always leads to mass poverty and deprivation. It's never led to greater prosperity.

A hundred years ago, at the dawn of the Russian Revolution, one could be a socialist and hope in good faith that it could achieve, or at least advance, its utopian aspirations. We didn't have the data to prove otherwise.

Now we do.

Today, as we look at the history of countries like the Soviet Union, China, North Korea, Venezuela, and Cuba we can see that socialism has left nothing but disaster in its wake. Every single time it has been tried, it has failed. It reduces citizens' well-being, and ensures mass poverty.

Knowingly adopting a set of policies that will hurt our fellow Americans this way would not just be blind—it would be wrong.