

A Message from Your Union

Beijing 2008 *America's athletes are coming home.*

But thanks to John McCain, 2.3 million American jobs aren't.

"China Trade Gap Causes Massive Job and Wage Losses," Economic Policy Institute, 7/30/08.

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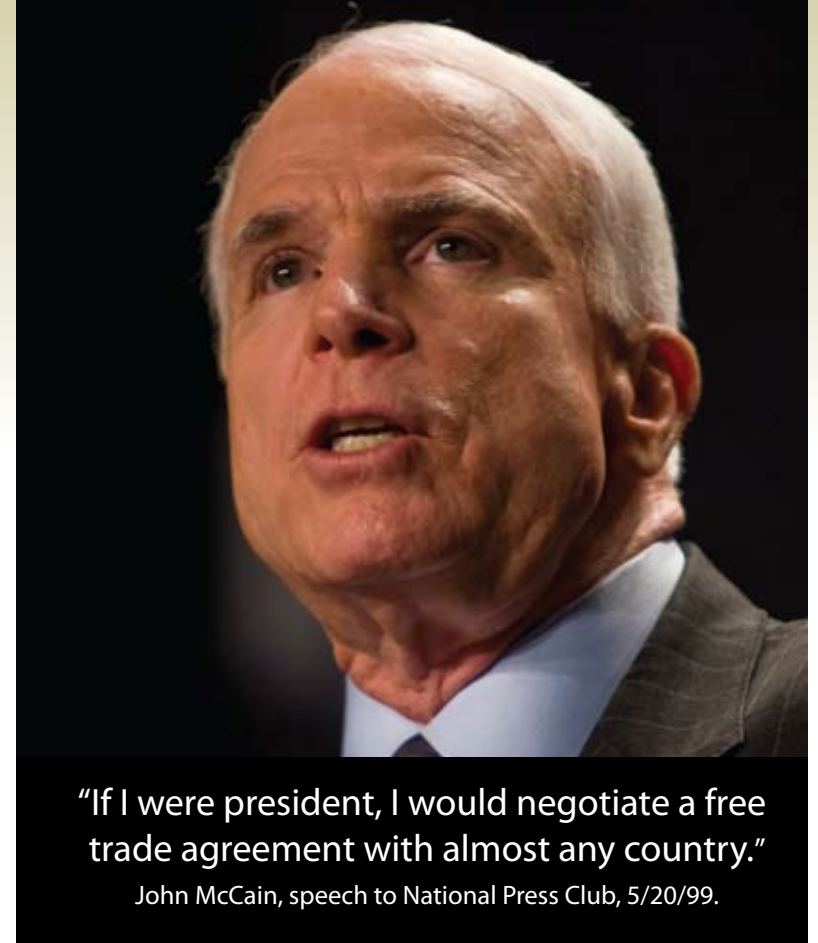
And John McCain still says,
***“NAFTA was a good idea...
Have people lost jobs? Yes, they have,
and they’re gonna lose jobs.”***¹

Too many American jobs have been outsourced already.

Since George W. Bush took office, 3 million American manufacturing jobs have been permanently shipped overseas. Estimates say we could lose up to 14 million more middle-class jobs in the next 10 years.² But John McCain still supports free trade?

McCain voted to increase trade with China.³

A laborer in China makes only 50 cents per day and works 15 hours a day, 7 days a week.⁴ Yet John McCain still voted to allow China to join the World Trade Organization. Since then, the U.S. trade deficit with China has increased to \$262 billion, resulting in the loss of 2.3 million American jobs.⁵



“If I were president, I would negotiate a free trade agreement with almost any country.”

John McCain, speech to National Press Club, 5/20/99.



“2.3 million jobs outsourced to China?”

That’s not a world record I would be proud of.”

Dennis Philippi
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