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<div align="center">How the United Nations Could Help Prevent War</div>

There should be an international organization that supervises all international affairs and issues among countries to prevent catastrophes like global war. The United Nations was formed in 1945 just right after the end of World War II to protect the succeeding people from suffering from the same disaster again. Since then, there has not been another global warfare as this organization keeps the good work to maintain countries in control and in good relationships. However, there has seemed to be a slight failure of this system when Russia and Ukraine have gotten their ways to put out their rage recently this year and started a bloody and destructive war in February 2022.

The goal of each country is to thrive and flourish and in order to achieve this, countries should get along with each other. If organizations like the United Nations could handle this type of global problem in a way where they would have full control over all countries, then every country should be able to resolve problems in formally and peacefully as opposed to starting an egoistic war that causes long term harm on humans, wildlife, and destroy farms, infrastructures and private properties.

All countries are members of the United Nations except the Holy See or the Vatican City and Palestine. According to the United Nations themselves, "The Assembly adopts its resolutions and decisions by a majority of members present and voting." Basically, the representatives are there to do the talking on behalf of their home countries and cooperate with others to resolve

current global issues. The goal of this international organization is to maintain good relations among countries, keep peace and security, fight for human rights, and prevent war and other conflicts from happening again.

Going back to the Ukraine and Russian war, there has been raging friction between the two for decades now. And just recently this year, they started a bloody war that has affected everyone around the world all because nobody intervened in the quarrel. The United Nations tried to stop this from happening, however, the Russian President refused to take interventions from any entity. The voting and appeals made in the room of the United Nations were simply pointless. Mr. Putin got his way and still made it happen.

During the invasion of Russia in Ukraine, thousands of Ukrainian families died, many businesses were crushed, and their economy dropped drastically. Even other countries around the world have suffered from the consequences. For instance, the US government had to cut off the Russian oils from the US market due to the recent catastrophe that caused a huge hike in gas prices. Since oil is an important natural resource to make factories or businesses run, a lot of companies have also increased the prices of their products causing sudden inflation in every market. Millions of Americans suffer due to the abrupt changes in prices. If only the United Nations had the full power to control the affairs and actions between countries, the feud would never come to a point such as war.

The United Nations should be involved in resolving issues between conflicting countries. We should have a strong international organization that is higher in power than any individual country. One that is able to manage and control what every leader or president does so none of these would ever happen again. They should aim to keep countries in peaceful relationships and

make a law that forbids war. I know this sounds easy but I believe there is always a way. I do not see the point of war. It clearly does not help nor resolve the problem at all, so why start one?

The United Nations should help the leaders of Russia and Ukraine resolve their problems with each other. They should make the two leaders sit in a room and have a proper talk. The organization should help them come up with resolutions that would not result in war.

The United Nations should put more effort and aim to be more proactive in fixing global issues like conflicts between countries that could lead to harming of human lives. CNN Opinion writes that Russia "withdrew" by choice from making a settlement and "would continue to fulfill its international obligations" even if it kills people. The fact that Putin has gotten his way and the war still happens in this modern day only tells that this organization is flawed and needs changes. They need to be able to hold power and control over the presidents so they can effectively do their duties as a global peacemaker. If the United Nations is given this full control, war should never happen again.

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