

# **Social Security is NOT Broken! Social Security Is Worth Fighting For. Don't Let The Bosses Kill It!**



Corporations, banks, and their paid-for politicians and media are trying to convince us that Social Security is broken, and that today's workers will never collect their benefits. ***This is a lie! They're promoting it to take trillions of our retirement money!***

**Social Security is NOT broken! As things are now, workers *WILL* get their benefits:**

- Social Security has **TRILLIONS** of dollars in reserves, enough to pay for generations of workers, particularly if high-income earners paid their share of payroll taxes.
- Social Security's reserves are invested in US Treasury Bonds, the safest investment. By law, Treasury **MUST** repay Social Security as those Bonds mature.

**The "crisis" of Social Security is that banks, corporations and the rich don't want to pay the taxes needed to repay Social Security the money it's lawfully owed.**

**The bosses want to convince us Social Security is broken, so we won't fight to save it. Then they want to strong-arm Social Security into not demanding the money it's owed.**

**No Way! Social Security is NOT broken. Social Security must be repaid! It's money WE paid in for OUR retirement. *Make the bosses pay for the money they wasted on their oil wars, their bank bailouts, and their tax cuts!***

**The way to solve the deficit is to create millions of jobs with livable wages and benefits. Corporations are sitting on unprecedented amounts of cash. They are refusing to hire, and are cutting social programs, hoping to get us desperate enough to work for beans. No way! If corporations won't cough up money for jobs, then the government must!**

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