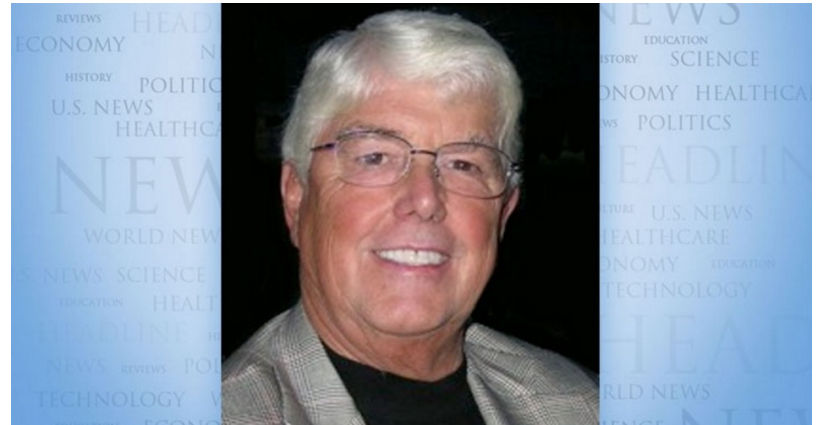


## Beware the Republican Internationalists





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added to this list.

The article notes that McCain has just returned from this year's gathering of the Halifax International Security Forum, where he has been a regular for several years. This year, he was joined by Ted Cruz (R-Texas), who has been a staunch critic of Obama's foreign policy. McCain is quoted as saying that Cruz "is very much an internationalist."

But Kaminski isn't about to give Cruz a free pass into respectability; he had to take a final cheap shot at the Tea Party favorite: "The Cruz positions are either evolving, inconsistent or merely opportunistic." And then he added, "You might call that the prerogatives of a '16 hopeful."

Pretty snarky, wasn't he?

For a much better statement of what our foreign policy should be, read to the words of our first president. Here is what George Washington said in his farewell address:

The great rule of conduct for us, in regard to foreign nations, is in extending our commercial relations, to have with them as little political connection as possible.

That standard served us well for the first 120 years of this country's existence. Maybe someday we'll elect more men and women who will try to return us to it. But if McCain has his way, it won't be in the new Senate.

Until next time, keep some powder dry.

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