

UANI

“Leave No Man Behind”

:30 TV

August 10, 2015

VIDEO	AUDIO	Substantiation
Robert Levinson: Longest Held Hostage in American History 8+ years missing	The nuclear deal with Iran left four Americans behind.	“American private investigator and retired FBI agent Robert Levinson disappeared on March 9, 2007 on Iran’s Kish Island, while reportedly on an unauthorized CIA mission to investigate corruption. He has “ not been publicly seen or heard from since. ” (“Iran’s American Hostages, United Against Nuclear Iran , accessed 8/3/15)
Amir Hekmati: Marine Veteran Detained on Bogus Espionage Charges 3+ years imprisoned	Missing or behind bars in Iran, their release was not part of the US negotiations.	“In August 2011, Amir Hekmati, a former U.S. marine that served in Iraq and an Iranian-American dual citizen, was arrested while on his first trip to Iran to see his aging grandmothers. On August 29, 2011, Iranian authorities abducted Hekmati while preparing to go to a Ramadan feast with family. Following his abduction, Hekmati was incarcerated in Evin Prison “with no explanation to his family.” (“Iran’s American Hostages United Against Nuclear Iran , accessed 8/3/15)
Saeed Abedini: Pastor Imprisoned for His Faith 3+ years imprisoned		“Saeed Abedini, a Christian pastor, Muslim convert to Christianity, and dual citizen of Iran and the U.S., has been detained in Iran since the summer of 2012. Members of the IRGC pulled Abedini off of a bus on July 28, 2012 while he was in Iran visiting family and building an orphanage. After intense interrogations, Abedini was placed under house arrest . On September 26, 2012, while

		awaiting trial, Abedini was abducted from his family's home in Tehran by five Revolutionary Guards and taken to Evin prison." ("Iran's American Hostages, United Against Nuclear Iran , accessed 8/3/15)
Jason Rezaian: Longest Held Western Journalist in Iran 1+ years imprisoned	Under the deal, four Americans will remain behind bars in Iran, as they have for years.	"The Washington Post's correspondent in Tehran has been arrested along with his Iranian wife and two US photojournalists. Iranian judicial officials confirmed on Friday that Jason Rezaian, who holds dual US and Iranian citizenship, had been detained and is under investigation." (Saeed Kamali Dehghan, "Washington Post's Tehran Reporter And Three Other Journalists Arrested In Iran," The Guardian , 7/25/14)
"Iran got the better deal." Pittsburgh Post-Gazette Op-ed 7/16/15	The Ayatollah and Iran got the deal they wanted from the United States.	"In the interests of this accord, during the negotiations we've acquiesced to Iran's egregious behavior at home and abroad, and I suspect we will continue to do so during implementation. The administration's overriding logic is that this deal is too big and important to fail. And such a deal requires a certain amount of mullah-coddling." (Aaron David Miller, "Iran Got The Better Deal," Pittsburgh Post-Gazette Op-ed 7/16/15
"Iran Nuclear Deal Is No Triumph For 4 Captive Americans" The Huffington Post , 7/14/15	Four Americans get nothing.	"Tuesday's announcement of a deal between Iran, the U.S. and five other world powers restricting the controversial Iranian nuclear program has drastically cut the risks of future U.S. conflict in the Middle East, secured a legacy achievement for President Barack Obama and shown that diplomacy can bear fruit even on issues once thought

		<p>intractable.</p> <p>But it offers no certainty about the future of four American prisoners who remain trapped in Iran, unable to return to their families and still subject to opaque judicial processes few fully understand. The Obama administration maintained throughout the negotiating process that it wanted the talks with Iran to focus exclusively on nuclear security, lest Tehran try to leverage the imprisoned Americans to win concessions on other issues important to the U.S. Still, U.S. negotiators said they raised the plight of the Americans each time they met with their Iranian counterparts.” (Akbar Shahid Ahmed, “Iran Nuclear Deal Is No Triumph For 4 Captive Americans,” The Huffington Post, 7/14/15)</p>
<p>We need a better deal.</p> <p>Learn More</p>	<p>We need a better deal.</p>	
<p>UnitedAgainstNuclearIran.com</p> <p>#BetterDeal</p>		
<p>PAID FOR BY UNITED AGAINST NUCLEAR IRAN</p>		