



The *Times* has an article on their news blog, [The Lede](#) about Private First Class Bradley Manning, he who took a Wikileaks on the Department of State. At the end of the post is included his current reading list. I thought you might want to read up:

â€œ[Decision Points](#),â€ by George W. Bush

â€œ[The Critique of Practical Reason](#)â€ and â€œ[The Critique of Pure Reason](#),â€ by Immanuel Kant

â€œ[Propaganda](#),â€ by Edward Bernays

â€œ[The Selfish Gene](#),â€ by Richard Dawkins

â€œ[A People's History of the United States](#),â€ by Howard Zinn

â€œ[The Art of War](#),â€ by Sun Tzu

â€œ[The Good Soldiers](#),â€ by David Finkel

â€œ[On War](#),â€ by Carl von Clausewitz.

In â€œThe Good Soldiers,â€ Mr. Finkel, a Washington Post reporter who was embedded with an Army unit in Iraq in 2007, [described in detail](#) the killing of two Reuters employees by fire from American helicopters. The same episode was shown in [graphic video shot from the helicopters](#) posted on YouTube in April by WikiLeaks.