

My name is James, well that is what people call me. I was born in China and moved to America when I was little. My family had to leave due to the treatment of the government. They treated everyone like slaves. They were very underpaid and they didn't care whether you were hurt or sick. They made you work till you couldn't anymore. The government was corrupt and broken. I was too young to understand at the time but when I got older I was told the real reason why we left. Never in a million years would this be the reason why we left.

Living in America was different than living in China. I had to face adversity due to the way I looked and had to change the way I lived my life to fit into the "norms" of this new society. I have come to the realization that I am different from other people. I wasn't from America. I was from China. I didn't realize how that is that different from everybody else but everybody else thought I was different from them. My family was poor but was able to get help from the American government. You see the irony in that. The country that I had to leave didn't even support us like this. I loved America but I had to go back. I am going to stop the government from continuing this from happening. No matter what, even if I die I want my legacy to live on. By stopping the government I'm hurting my people. I want you to reform our government from doing these terrible things to our people. So our people have a future and not hurting our futures. I knew if I didn't do something about it I would stay like that forever.

As soon as I got old enough I left and went back to China. I was 18 when I left my home. I knew I had to do this to help save my people from this harsh treatment. I was going back to save my people for no other reason. I knew what I had to do. I knew I wanted to make my people proud. Once I landed in China I went back to my village. I assembled a band of rebels. Those Rebels help assemble another band of rebels to help fight off the government. We were not going to come peacefully, we were going to come forcefully because we knew that the government

would never listen to us. The Chinese government only looked up for themselves and never looked out for the people. We had an army of 300 people. The Chinese government was surprised when we made our first stand. The harder we fought the bigger we got. I was the leader of this fight. I made sure my men were ready for anything. I had a second in command to help round up our troops. We tried our men to the fullest extent. Even with the lack of training we had we made sure that we would be able to defeat our enemies. We knew that some men would die but it was for a good cause. We made sure that our men knew what they were signing up for. We knew that the government was going to set their army up around the presidential palace.

We start to map out the palace to find a place to enter and ambush them. At this point of the yard 700 soldiers that wanted to work with rebels to fight against the government. We trained and trained for months. We stayed out of the limelight for some time to let their guards down. We marked the day for the attack for March 23, 2013. We knew that since it was such a random day it would be perfect to attack them. We started to prepare for anything and everything. We went over a plan of attack to get entry and then attack to get to get to the president and any government official. The day came upon us, as we were getting ready for our last day on the earth. 30 minutes later we rolled off to the Palace. Once we arrived at the Palace we got into formation. With ease took out the first set of guards. We didn't realize that behind the wall we would do with about 500 guards armed with lethal weapons. Even with the lethal weapons we were prepared. We stuck to our training and fought past them. Many of our men died. We knew that they fought for the freedom of their children and their grandchildren even if they weren't there to see their future. They know what they were doing was right.

As we bypassed the second round of guards we moved into the actual palace itself. We search everywhere. We checked everything until one of the men found a special button under the president's desk that led to a secret tunnel. We wanted to play it safe. We pushed the button then Dispersed to the other side of the desk to make sure that no one was down there ready for us. As to our conclusion bodyguards were waiting for us as the desk moved away from its original spot guards shot from the tunnel. When they stopped firing we took charge into the tunnel. We knew we had so much time to get to the president before we would not get to him anymore. We followed them to the twisting tunnel. We knew eventually we would catch up to them. I had about twenty men running with me trying to get to the president. We knew as long as we had our minds in the right place you could get to the president before he could get away. We eventually caught up to them. We had a standoff with his bodyguards. We prayed to God that we would make it out alive. We knew that this is what we were fighting for . We could get past the bodyguards we would get to him. We didn't want to kill the president, we just wanted him to be our prisoner. Just wanted change and this was the only way we were going to get it. We knew if we took out the president we would finally get the changes we needed.

After defeating the bodyguards. They took the president as a hostage. all the other government officials finally listened to what we were saying and started re-evaluating the laws. So we started seeing progress. We knew it was going to take time but we knew that we would know that it was worth it at the end. He made sure that the laws that were re-evaluated will stay like that forever. After the government reform we started to change the cities and villages to make them more livable and convenient for everyone. We built everything back from the ground up. We took time and energy from our days to make sure that we were satisfied. We wanted to make sure that everything we fought for was put in place for us. If that meant we had to get our

hands dirty we would get our hands dirty. We wanted to see improvements. We didn't matter how long it would take. it mattered that we at least got it. We were willing to do anything no matter what. Even if we had to sacrifice.

After rebuilding the city from the ground up he started helping the people with money and better living conditions. We made sure our people were healthy and happy. I never want to see my people struggle ever again and I made sure that. to everybody I was seen as a hero. I was no hero. I just wanted to make sure that our future was secured for our kids and our grandchildren to make sure that they live a better life than my parents had to live. Without the people that sacrifice their lives for the cause. This would have never happened. As time has passed by. I met a woman and had kids of my own. I told my kids about the story of how a band of rebels and I saved our country from terrible laws in treatment from the government in treatment from the government. At first they didn't believe me. But as they got older they heard more stories about the band of rebels and I took over the presidential Palace and took the president as a hostage to change the laws. I wanted my kids to know that you have power Just by using your voice. If they feel that something is not right and you want to change it, you can use your voice to change what you feel isn't fair. Have to live your life to the fullest knowing what you are doing is right and hoping for the people you love and care about. even if you have to make a sacrifice you know what is worth it.