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H. R. H. Prince Tomislav KARAGEORGEVICH

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SHORT BIOGRAPHY

Given Name: TOMISLAV

Surname: KARAGEORGEVICH (KARADJORDJEVIC)

Title: His Royal Highness Prince of Yugoslavia

Place/Date of Birth: Belgrade, 19. January 1928

Address: Oplenac, 34310 Topola, Yugoslavia and  
Redland Farm, Kirdford, Sussex, U.K.

HRH Prince Tomislav is the second son of His late Majesty King ALEKSANDAR I of Yugoslavia who was assassinated by the pro-Nazi terrorists in Marseille, France in 1934.

Education: Sandroyd School, Cabham Surry, England  
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Cundle School, Peterborough, Northants  
Clere College, Cambridge University  
(Economics and Political Science)

Employment: New Market School for mentally handicapped children  
Farm laborer  
Deputy Commissioner, St. John Ambulance Brigade  
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Fruit farmer, Redland Farm, Kirdford, Sussex

Personal Data:

1945 With the creation of the People's Republic of Yugoslavia, he was forced to remain in exile in England.

1947-49 Welcomed the Serbian refugees in England.

June 1957 Married Princess Margarita of Baden-Wuerttemberg.

March 1958 Birth of first son, Nicholas

November 1959 Birth of daughter, Katarina

## Biography of HRH Prince Tomislav.....2

- 1981 Divorced from Princess Margarita
- October 1982 Married Miss Linda Bonney
- April 1984 Birth of son, George
- December 1985 Birth of son, Michael
- Activities:
- 1963 and 1967 Visited Monastery Hilandar, Holy Mount Athos
- 1964 Created Hilandar Foundation in Baden-Baden, Germany for the revival of monastic life, rebuilding of the library and repacking and conservation of the buildings and national and religious treasures at the monastery.
- Initiator and patron of the Lazarica Church in Birmingham England.
- 1975-78 Main Tutor at the School for Dyslexic Children, Haywards Heath, Sussex.
- Since 1942 President of St. Andrija Humanitarian Association.
- Since 1955 Held Serbian picnics on his fruit farm.
- Since 1987 Patron of the "Dom Nikolai" in London, England.
- September 1991 First official meeting with the representatives of Serbian organizations from Serbia in Frankfurt, Germany.
- October 8, 1991 As a result of the three year struggle to reconsecrate the family church on Oplenac received a permission to return to Serbia; HRH Prince Tomislav's return also marked the first memorial for his late father, King Aleksandar I, since 1941.
- March 2, 1992 Final return to Serbia as a private citizen with his immediate family.

Since his return to his native Serbia HRH Prince Tomislav has been on the front line in Bosnia & Herzegovina as well as in Serbian Krajinas over fifty times within the last twelve months. He has been a blood donor for those who suffered injuries as a result of the warfare. Due to his humanitarian activities he has earned recognition both in and out of former Yugoslavia.



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# Serb Prince Hopes To Heal a Nation



Raymond R. Coffey

CHICAGO SUN-TIMES 12/21/93

Prince Tomislav Karageorgovich has a particularly personal and abiding concern in the continuing cruel and bloody conflict now tearing apart what used to be Yugoslavia.

It was his father, King Alexander I, who first united the country as the Kingdom of Serbia, Croatia and Slovenia 75 years ago.

The kingdom became Yugoslavia in 1929, the year after Tomislav was born. His father was assassinated by fascists in France in 1934, and Tomislav and the rest of the royal family were forced into exile when Tito took over in 1945.

Only two years ago, the prince was able to return to his native land where he has since engaged himself in humanitarian efforts on behalf of the victims of the war in Bosnia-Herzegovina and the more than 600,000 refugees who have fled from that war into Serbia.

Tomislav, who first visited Chicago in 1986, was here this week to raise war relief funds on behalf of International Orthodox Charities, and I had a talk with him in a downtown hotel.

The prince makes clear he is not a supporter of Serbian President Slobodan Milosevic, who is widely regarded by the UN, the United States and much of the world as a principal villain in the ongoing conflict in the Balkans.

But he makes equally clear that he believes the sanctions now being enforced against Serbia by the UN (and the United States) are contributing to the deaths of innocent civilians, particularly children.

"As one who has traveled from village to war-torn village in Bosnia, from refugee camps to hospitals and orphanages in Serbia," the prince says, "I am deeply troubled that international policies have made a terrible situation worse yet."

Tomislav does not propose, or expect, that all the sanctions that have crippled Serbia's economy be lifted but, rather, "only and specifically" those that endanger children.

The prince was accompanied by Michael (Milo) Price, a young physician of Serbian ancestry who was born in Chicago but has returned to practice in a Belgrade clinic.

They spoke of the need for medicine and other medical supplies, baby food, even clothing for kids and refugees in the coming bitter winter. Because of sanctions it can take months to get UN authorization for such items, they said, and then the shipments are often held up for more months at the Serbian border.

One clinic patient, Price said, had to be kept in the hospital on a temporary pacemaker for 102 days waiting for a permanent one. Finally he got one — that was taken from a cadaver.

"Things are even worse in Bosnia," the prince said. "At least in Serbia they have the [medical] equipment; there they don't even have that. There is no thread to sew up the wounds. They are using slivovitz [plum brandy] as a substitute for anesthetics."

The UN imposed the sanctions as part of a "carrot and stick" strategy to apply pressure for progress in the Balkan peace talks in Geneva.

Though they are so far basically going nowhere, Tomislav sees those talks as the only realistic forum for reaching a peace. "Unfortunately," he said, the participants go into them with "preconceived" positions rather than with the "open-mindedness" required to see how this war can be ended.

"What the Croats definitely want is an independent state and they should have it," the prince says. But to recognize the regime now in power there, he says, "would be recognizing a fascist state."

He himself does "not have [political] status" in Serbia, Tomislav said, but "I do have a personal authority" that, he says, he has established among the people since his return.

"I have to watch my step," the prince said. "I do not personally attack Milosevic or the regime there." But, he said, he has "never received a penny" from the regime and is not engaged in politics.

"I am against all totalitarian regimes," he said, noting that his own father was "a victim of fascism."



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I have just returned from Yugoslavia and I have seen the overwhelming human misery that has engulfed so many thousands of people as a result of the tragic conflict.

Old people, men, women, children, babies and orphans are without hope for the future. Many have lost their families. Hundreds of thousands are homeless. They urgently need food, shelter, medicines and medical equipment and the knowledge that there is someone in the world who cares. There is no time to waste - they need your help now.

Your contribution, and there are many ways in which you can contribute, is absolutely vital and their only hope for survival.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Katherine'.

HRH Crown Princess Katherine of Yugoslavia

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Telephone No. ....

Checks should be made payable to **"SOS YUGOSLAVIA"** and sent to:

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Washington DC 20008

Registered Charity No. 36 288 7461

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HRH Crown Princess Katherine with Alexandra a 21 month old orphan.

Over 200,000 refugees in Yugoslavia need your help **now**.

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Medicine

Medical Equipment

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