## 15/4/19:

## France, Paris: conflagration of sickening hypocritical bullshit erupts

"Thousands gathered at the scene on Île de la Cité, and sympathy-scenes around the world, to gasp, to gape, to weep, to mourn, and to pray that the rocks upon which this church was built— ignorance, superstition, slavery, degradation of women, child abuse, and landed estates— might be saved from the fire...."

## Spot the difference:



Above : Notre Dame, Paris, 2019

Below: Grenfell Tower, London, 2017



On top of this outpouring of sickening crap indicative of the contradictions we are all forced to endure, the reification that has colonised people's heads so much that things are sacred, human lives profane, it's worth pointing out this bit of hypocrisy: about 3 weeks before this fire, Macron held a banquet in Nice for Xi Jinping, China's increasingly totalitarian President, the man who has presided over the deliberate destruction of hundreds of mosques, including one, like Notre Dame, from the 13th century.