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Marxism is a theory and method of working class self-emancipation. As a theory, it relies on a method of socioeconomic analysis that views class relations and social conflict using a materialist interpretation of historical development and takes a dialectical view of social transformation. Stalinism is the means of governing and related policies implemented from around 1927 to 1953 by Joseph Stalin (1878–1953). Stalinist policies and ideas as developed in the Soviet Union included rapid industrialization, the theory of socialism in one country, a totalitarian state, collectivization of agriculture, a cult of personality and ... We are reproducing a slightly edited version of *What is Marxism?* by Rob Sewell and Alan Woods, last published in 1983 to celebrate the centenary of the death of Karl Marx. "The first requisite for the happiness of the people is the abolition of religion." – Karl Marx. Recently I was privileged to speak before a ladies book club.