

# Houellebecq and Call

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**B**ernard Maris was a well-known French economist of independent turn of mind who, before his death, wrote in (among other places) *Charlie Hebdo*. He was murdered in the attack on the magazine in 2015. But it was not from any sympathy for his legatees that I recently bought a little book of his titled *Houellebecq Économiste*, which hardly needs translation. [\\_more>>>](#)