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Too Angry To Admit Trump Was Right: Trump Derangement Syndrome and the Politics of Denial

By Gary L. Wickert

"Trump Derangement Syndrome" is not a recognized psychiatric disorder, and no serious argument requires pretending that it is. But the term does reference a very real emotional and intellectual inability on the part of millions of Americans to evaluate Donald Trump by ordinary standards of evidence, proportionality, and results. It describes the point at which opposition to a president ceases to be principled criticism and becomes an organizing psychotic obsession, one powerful enough to distort perception, reverse previously held positions, excuse conduct that would ordinarily be condemned, and make the acknowledgment of any Trump success feel like a personal betrayal.

Psychologists who have examined the term properly caution that it is not found in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM) and should not be used to stigmatize legitimate political disagreement. That caution is important. Trump has made controversial decisions, used needlessly inflammatory language, and exercised executive power in ways that many other

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No, Paris, US air conditioners did not cause Europe's heat wave

Euro ruling elites need scapegoats for their incompetence and malfeasance, and we're it



By Paul Driessen

Happy July Fourth and America 250!

We have much to celebrate, beginning with our Constitutional rights, equality and liberties and the prosperity they have bestowed. Indeed, living in this incredible, diverse, energized country, during this time in history, with our modern transportation, communication,

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Speaking the Unspeakable

By Kathleen Marquardt

Obviously, I am not the sharpest knife in the drawer when it comes to nuclear fusion and politics. But lately (no, for several years) I've been trying to understand why we still pretend we have a legitimate U.S. constitutional government. I'm old enough



to remember when there was a decent semblance of sound governance – long ago, before JFK was assassinated.

I liked history and political science. I was supposed to go into aerospace engineering, but decided to see some of the world first. My cousin suggested we catch coffee boat to Australia and work

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No one can stop heat waves, but we can and indeed must prepare for them

By Tom Harris

Temperatures have exceeded 104°F in the past few weeks in countries such as France, Spain, Germany, and Hungary, and above



102°F in the UK, the Netherlands, and Denmark. Heat waves have been devastating Europe, with temperatures reaching 40°C (104°F) and above in countries such as France, Spain, Germany, and Hungary, and the high 30s (99-102°F) in the UK, the Netherlands, and Denmark. The media and politicians are telling us that

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The Beglinger Blast . . . . Happy Birthday America!

By Joan Beglinger

The Constitution of the United States of America, adopted in 1789, is the oldest, written national constitution still in use today. It has remained uninterrupted since its inception, while many other nations have undergone changes to their governments' and functions. We have stood the test of time. So



Founders chose the words of the Preamble to the with care. They grasped the significance of the and it was their intention that all who came after grasp it, cherish it, alive.

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Partisan Redistricting: Taking Political Power from Voters

By William L. Kovacs

The U.S. Constitution protects the rights of citizens. It says nothing about protecting politicians from voters. Yet with the rise of partisan redistricting — especially mid-decade redistricting — citizens are increasingly treated as political commodities to be rearranged for partisan advantage.

Elected officials are supposed to serve the people, not manipulate electoral maps to avoid accountability. When politicians redraw districts to predetermine electoral outcomes, they reduce voting to a procedural exercise with little substantive meaning. Citizens may still cast ballots, but millions of votes



become effectively irrelevant because district lines have already determined the likely winner.

I live in Virginia, a politically divided state. In the 2024 presidential election, Kamala Harris received roughly 52% of the vote while Donald Trump received about 46%. Virginia elected six Democrat representatives and five Republican representatives,

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World Cup Visitors Discover the America We Take for Granted

By Larry Bell

Observations reported of foreign visitors attending FIFA World Cup football matches taking place in 16 cities across America offer but a few timely reminders of reasons to gratefully celebrate our nation's 250th birthday.

As noted by the BBC, these events (known here as soccer) received viral audiences on video and social media, with a huge number of international fans eager to explore America's friendly culture, beautiful landscapes, abundant supermarkets, and restaurants serving large and delicious menu portions.



BBC observed that many attendees prioritized food as a motivation to explore American regions beyond their nation's competitive team venues.

Quoting Shaun, a vlogger from Scotland after visiting a Buc-ee's, a convenience store, restaurant, gas station, and

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Steve's Say . . .

Connecting the Dots - Again!



Last Steve's Say I attempted to connect three apparently disparate events into one core causation. That ultimate cause I claimed to be the Globalist criminal enterprise built by the British monarchy and their London Banksters whose parasitic infection sickens every country on Earth.

Whether I convinced you of that or not, and by the blowback I received from some loyal readers I clearly didn't, I will continue onward with our new game of connect the dots. Hopefully I will prove my evaluation's validity to more and more of you as we move forward into the fulfillment of the Great Awakening and the new Golden Age President Trump continually references.

For those who questioned the validity about my claims of the British Monarchy and the current U.K. political structure, please see the accompanying items put forth by the lovely Laura Aboli of Australia, completely exposing the vile core constituting the British political system.

Our three disparate events this month may not seem that disparate to the wide awake or those who routinely wear tinfoil hats. But for the sake of the Normies, this exercise may propel them into seeing the Great Awakening unfolding before their very eyes.

1) Trump's declarations that a) Iran destroyed their deal due to their dishonestly and attacks, requiring the US to finish the job the other way, and b) Trump's removal of sanctions on Turkey to move forward with the sale of military aircraft.

2) Trump's unusual use of the two Air Force One planes on his trip to Turkey for the NATO conference, his switching planes for the return trip and unusual stopover of one in Britain, and subsequent press conference.

3) The very sudden and unexpected death of Senator Lindsay Graham (R-SC) after returning from Ukraine which he visited after leaving the NATO conference Trump also attended in Ankara, Turkey.

Unlike last month's collection, I hear many of you mumbling "of course these are all related - and I know why." Do you? Well, let's see how your analysis compares with that of this tinfoil hat wearer.

Item #1 makes apparent several axioms of truth:

- Trump never believed the bad news Iranian Guard would ever fulfill their end of the bargain, for the Deep State Globalists who put them in place and fund them can never allow it
- Israel does not control Trump, but the reverse
- NATO is systematically being dismantled by Trump

Trump can now proceed with a full takeover of the Iranian oil industry with full moral justification in his pocket. He simultaneously exposed the hypocrisy of the Deep State installed leaders in Europe and elsewhere by declaring a 20% Strait of Hormuz toll to be paid to America by the ships passing through under US protection. Suddenly all those EuroCons, perfectly OK with Iran toll fee, now feign outrage to the world. And of course once Trump gets this anticipated response, he morphed it into something beyond their understanding or conception - voluntary cooperation by all the other regional players to pay for said security. The Fake News and EuroCons never learn.

Regarding the Turkey deal, here's what Trump had to say:

"We're going to be taking the sanctions off," Trump said in a bilateral meeting with Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan. "It's time to do that. We don't want to sanction friends. It's simple."

"It's a decision we're going to make," Trump said of the F-35s. "It's a very good relationship."

And Netanyahu? He warned that the move would "destroy the power balance in the Middle East." That tells me Bibi not only doesn't control Trump, but whatever influence he has appears to be waning.

We've heard Trump many times chastise various EuroPowers for not only not helping the US in the Iran affair but actively impeding it. This move toward Turkey not only rewards their behavior and assistance in Trump's recent escapades in the Middle East, but to me demonstrates Trump's America already left NATO behind. It's over.

All those implications from our first dot ruffled feathers across the Globalist Deep State, likely fostering panic and betrayal throughout their ranks. Thus item #2 may tell us what that panic and betrayal creates. Here's what France 24 reported:

"Iran planned to kill US President Donald Trump in a fresh plot unveiled by Israel, several US media outlets report. According to Israeli intelligence, the plan was "specific" and may explain why Trump chose to switch planes when leaving the NATO summit in Turkey earlier this week."

Trump used his old Air Force One plane to leave Turkey, where the summit took place, sending his new Qatari-gifted jet on ahead to Britain, where he switched planes for the journey to Washington. The switch from the new jet on its maiden foreign trip sparked speculation it was because its security features were lacking – particularly as the US launched fresh strikes on Iran, which borders Turkey.

Trump made these comments to the press when asked about the switch and assassination attempt.

"They want to take out the US leader – me. I'm on whatever list. I saw this morning I'm on every single one of their lists," Trump told reporters aboard Air Force One as he flew home from a NATO summit.

Now to the late Senator Lindsay Graham, who died suddenly and unexpectedly.

Well-known as the late Senator John McCain's mini-me, a war-mongering Neocon, and a huge critic of the Trump campaign in the 2016 Presidential race,

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Rupert Lowe on how the British state has become the enemy of the British people:

By Laura Aboli

"Most of them are members of the Fabian Society."

"And that is ideologically driven... They want a dependency culture. They don't want a thriving, independent, self-reliant state."

"The government that we've got wants to encourage this welfarism as a way of effectively controlling the British people."

"Covid was a really disappointing lesson in how meek and mild the British people are, but I think they've got to start growing a bit of backbone... otherwise they're going to lose the country that we all dearly love."

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The Fabian Society

By Laura Aboli

The Fabian Society itself states that every Labour Prime Minister has been a Fabian, and that today hundreds of Labour politicians, including Keir Starmer and more than half of his Cabinet, are members.

United Kingdom Prime Ministers

Keir Starmer, Tony Blair, Gordon Brown, Harold Wilson, Clement Attlee, Ramsay MacDonald

Senior Labour politicians

Angela Rayner, David Lammy, Yvette Cooper, Ed Miliband, Peter Mandelson, Roy Jenkins, Tony Benn, Anthony Crosland, Shirley Williams, Jack Straw, Robin Cook, Barbara Castle, Ed Balls

Founders and early Fabians

George Bernard Shaw, Sidney Webb, Beatrice Webb, Annie Besant, Graham Wallas, Sidney Olivier, Edward Pease, H. G. Wells (member for a period before leaving the Society)

Australia Prime Ministers

Gough Whitlam, Bob Hawke, Paul Keating, Kevin Rudd, Julia Gillard

Senior Labor politicians

Penny Wong, Tanya Plibersek, Wayne Swan, Gareth Evans, Kim Beazley, Don Dunstan, Frank Crean, John Faulkner, Barry Jones

The Fabian Society's goal is to usher communism under a One World Government…





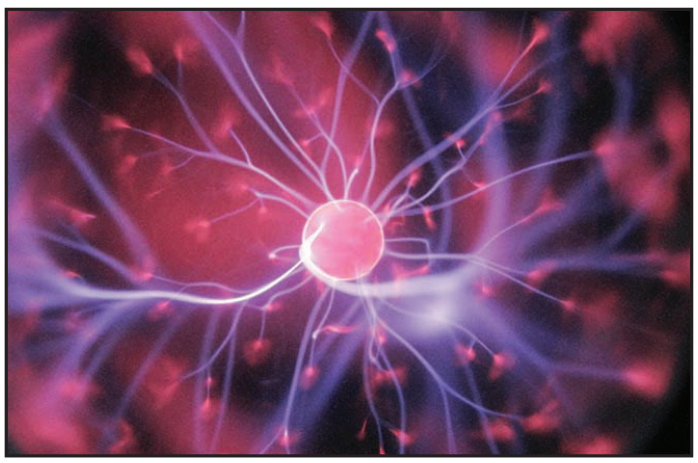
Fueling the Coming Nuclear Renaissance

By Duggan Flanakin

Saskatoon-based Cameco is a 21st-century global nuclear energy leader as North America's largest supplier of nuclear fuel for fission reactors. In its latest supply-and-demand market update, Cameco's president Grant Isaac said that uranium markets remain structurally undersupplied and that major utilities negotiating long-term contracts are modeling uranium oxide prices near $120 per pound.

Traditionally, centrifuges have been used to separate the heavier uranium-238 from fissile uranium-235 atoms for low-enriched uranium (LEU) reactor fuel. As recently as 2018, LEU fuels were selling as low as $40 per separative work unit (SWU), the standard measure of effort required to separate uranium isotopes during enrichment. Today, that price is skyrocketing toward $200 per SWU.

The massive price jumps are due to a confluence of a ban on future purchases of Russian uranium enacted by Congress after Russia invaded Ukraine, the explosion of artificial intelligence, robotics, data centers, and other technologies that require massive amounts of electricity (along with the switch to electric vehicles), and the Trump administration's commitment to quadrupling U.S. electricity production.



One potential hedge against higher prices for both uranium and uranium fuels is the evolution of an alternate method of enrichment – one that was fully developed decades ago but abandoned once cheap Russian uranium flooded the market. LIS Technologies relies on a laser process, developed by physicist Jeff Eerkens, that can provide LEU fuel at just $30 per SWU.

Just not yet.

Dr. Eerkens, now 93 years young, was rescued from a Japanese internment camp in the south Pacific after the U.S. ended World War II with nuclear bombs. Inspired by the technology that saved his life, Eerkens became a nuclear engineer and invented (and patented) the Condensation Repression Isotope Selective Laser Activation (CRISLA) and the Chemically Harvested and Extracted Molecular Laser Isotope Separation (CHEMLIS) isotope-harvesting techniques that he has now brought to LIS.

Liebenberg early on took his knowledge of MLIS to Australia and then to Global Laser Enrichment (GLE) and ASML, where he helped develop advanced laser systems to produce EUV, the light source used to produce the world's most advanced semiconductor chips. He and Eerkens shared a view that the U.S. would soon need to shift to nuclear power and that CRISLA was the pathway for providing the nuclear fuel for America's nuclear renaissance.

The two men convinced NANO Nuclear founding CEO Jay Wu to come on board as a financial partner, forming CRISLA Inc. in 2020 and LIS Technologies in 2023. In January LIS announced it had the K-25 site at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, the headquarters for World War II's Manhattan Project and the birthplace of American nuclear innovation (that led to saving Eerkens' life).

Liebenberg plans to take the company public this summer as it also works to

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The coming nuclear renaissance is small — and mighty

By Craig Rucker

Small modular reactors are a key component for keeping our power grid bright.

Dr. Kelvin Kemm is a brilliant South African nuclear physicist and longtime dear friend of CFACT's.

As Kelvin writes at CFACT.org:

"Nuclear power is the future; there is no doubt about it. You can easily carry in your car enough enriched uranium to power your entire suburb for half a century. You certainly can't do that with coal, gas, or oil."

And intermittent, inefficient wind and solar? Fuhgeddaboudit!

Dr. Kemm posted further about the potential of small modular reactors, or SMRs.

"An SMR is defined as being less than 300 MW in size, with some being as small as 10 or 20 MW. So, it is possible to imagine a factory, mine, or town, owning its own nuclear reactor. In fact, a facility such as one of these can even have its own electricity grid, which is not connected into a national grid, and need only be half a dozen kilometers in diameter… or smaller.

"The 'modular' in the name implies the goal of building most of the nuclear reactor indoors, like motor cars are made on a production line. Then, one merely transports the SMR in easily transportable subassemblies to the site, where they are essentially bolted together, thereby getting rid of many difficult processes such as cutting and welding outdoors on site.

"So, this modular approach leads one to the obvious conclusion that SMR systems will be inexpensive to build and will drop in cost as their versatility catches on."

CFACT's Duggan Flanakin has been studiously tracking developments in nuclear energy for decades.

Duggan is enthusiastic about what small modular reactors can do for Africa. Duggan posted:

"Millions of Africans have no access to electricity, and millions more have only intermittent, often-interrupted access — at a price many cannot afford. Africa is looking to nuclear, because 'it is clean [and thus compatible with UN climate goals], reliable, and does not depend on the rain or sun. It provides consistent power, day and night.'"

Small modular reactors are available now and offer a very constructive way to meet our energy needs.

Then, on to cracking the design challenges of fusion.

Our energy future is bright.

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Vineyard Wind's Troubles Mount Despite Political Victory Lap

By Leslie Eastman

Troubled windfarm is producing less than half the promised output, sensors are repeatedly tripping offline, and it's engaged in a legal battle with its turbine manufacturer.

Two summers ago, we began following the saga of the Vineyard Farms offshore wind project and its blade failure near Nantucket.

After one blade failed and fell into the water, the beaches were littered with sharp fiberglass shards, creating a suboptimal condition at the height of the summer tourist season. The continuing investigation into the cause of this environmental contamination incident determined that a manufacturing flaw in the blade was responsible for the failure.

Subsequently, residents of Nantucket began demanding the end of these mammoth offshore wind farms, and fishermen protested at the site of the blade failure.

Massachusetts Governor Maura Healey declared victory last month, celebrating the completion of Vineyard Wind as a shining beacon of "energy independence" that would slash electricity costs.

"Vineyard Wind is a key part of our all-of-the-above strategy to lowering energy prices," Healey said. "Throughout one of the coldest winters in recent history, Vineyard Wind turbines powered our homes and businesses at a low price and now that price goes even lower with the activation of these contracts. Especially as President Trump is taking energy sources off the table and increasing prices with his war in Iran, we should be leaning into more American-made wind power to lower costs, create jobs, and make our country more energy independent."

This past winter, Vineyard Wind lowered electricity prices by competing in wholesale electricity markets. In those markets, it consistently offered lower prices than other sources of electricity. This activation of the utilities' contracts further lowers the price of electricity generated by Vineyard Wind.

However, the celebration may have been premature. Apparently, the wind farm is producing barely 300 megawatts (less than half the promised output), and sensors are repeatedly tripping offline.

In a May 1 court filing, Vineyard Wind CEO Klaus Moeller said the project's current average output is roughly 300 megawatts, and 13 of the 62 turbines are not yet activated.

Significant remedial and repair work is needed to address "recurrent operational issues," Vineyard Wind officials said in court documents.

The problems include sensors that repeatedly trip, causing the turbines to shut off and curtailing their performance and power generation.

Vineyard Wind is struggling with operational defects and legal battles after the completion of its first major U.S. offshore project off the Massachusetts coast. https://t.co/t9sfVd7DQ8 pic.twitter.com/nCxTz7VGIs

— The Washington Times (@WashTimes) July 5, 2026

Furthermore, the developer is locked in a bitter $853 million lawsuit to stop turbine-maker GE Vernova from walking away from the project, which would essentially leave it a "dormant wind farm graveyard".

A Boston judge has affirmed his own ruling that temporarily blocks GE Renewables from exiting its contract with Vineyard Wind, compelling the subsidiary of GE Vernova to continue servicing and maintaining the wind farm southwest of Nantucket.

Judge Peter Krupp this week rejected a pair of motions from GE Renewables that asked him to reconsider his previous order and send the case to arbitration. GE Renewables, the manufacturer of the offshore wind turbines used by Vineyard Wind, has been trying to leave the project, arguing that the offshore wind company owes them $300 million.

Vineyard Wind has countered by claiming that it is actually GE Renewables that owes them $500 million stemming from the collapse of a GE-manufactured turbine blade in July of 2024, which littered Nantucket's beaches with debris and forced the wind farm to temporarily shut down while the cause of the break was identified. Ultimately, more than 60 blades had to be replaced. Vineyard Wind has also said that GE Renewables' exit would endanger the very existence of the project, possibly leaving behind a "dormant wind farm graveyard". So far, the courts have sided with Vineyard Wind.

Meanwhile, Massachusetts' latest offshore wind procurement round has been delayed yet again, pushing the contract completion deadline to January 29, 2027, and leaving the process roughly two and a half years behind schedule.

Massachusetts selected 2,678 megawatts of offshore wind power spread across three projects in September 2024, kicking off contract talks that are expected to result in higher prices for power than past projects. During the repeated delays, one of the selected projects has removed itself from consideration and another raised the potential for a multi-year delay.

Officials say contract negotiations are still ongoing and are expected to result in higher power prices than in previous rounds, extending uncertainty for developers, ratepayers, and the region's climate and energy planning.

It appears that when you build a $4.5 billion monument to green ideology on the Massachusetts coast, break a 351-foot turbine blade and dump 57 tons of fiberglass debris onto Nantucket's beaches, then run out of money to pay the contractor who installed your turbines, the laws of physics and finance remain very strongly in place.

Here's hoping the good people of the region have enough energy for both "heat domes" and the winter season.

They Knew: Impossible Climate Model Scenario Widely Used Despite Known Flaws

From Heartland.org

For more than a decade, the Representative Concentration Pathway 8.5 (RCP8.5), the high-emissions climate-model scenario, dominated climate research and policy, treated as the "business-as-usual" pathway. It projected global temperatures to rise by 4.3°C or more by 2100.

Many climate researchers were on the record noting from the outset that RCP8.5 was "implausible" and shouldn't be treated as expected or business as usual, yet that didn't stop many of those same scientists, and the vast majority of others publishing in the peer-reviewed literature and speaking to the mainstream media, from treating it as such, calling for government heads and policymakers to impose a rapid transition away from fossil fuels in order to prevent the disastrous social, economic, and environmental outcomes that RCP8.5 forecast.

Exact counts fluctuate daily, but as of mid-2026, tens of thousands of peer-reviewed climate studies have used RCP8.5. By early 2020 alone, researchers were publishing roughly 20 studies per day using it, with estimates exceeding 8,500 papers in an 18-month period.

I critiqued the use of RCP8.5 for climate science and policy as far back as 2017 in Climate Change Weekly, and I have hammered it repeatedly since then. I have argued, based on scientists' own statements, that RCP8.5 was not just implausible but impossible. There are many reasons RCP8.5 was a false rallying point for climate policy from its inception, foremost among them perhaps being the fact that not enough recoverable coal exists in the world to produce the assumed fivefold increase in use by 2100. In addition, the human population is not on track, and not under any foreseeable scenario will it be, to increase to the 12.6 billion to 14.5 billion range assumed in the RCP8.5 scenario. In short, my critiques were right: RCP8.5 was a lie from the beginning. All the scientists who used it despite its known weaknesses were wrong.

You don't have to trust me to know this is true. The U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change—which wielded RCP8.5 like a cudgel for years to beat government climate negotiators into multiple unjustified climate treaties—admitted it in mid-April 2026.

I the immortal words of celluloid Die Hard hero John McClane, "Welcome to the party, pal."

Better late than never, I guess.

Shockingly, RCP8.5 has been used as a reference case in more than 70 peer-reviewed articles despite its official repudiation. The journals publishing these stories can't even be bothered to withdraw them or post them with a caveat noting the illegitimacy of their findings in light of the key metric for their alarming claims being withdrawn. So much for the vaunted peer-review process.

The IPCC and the lapdog media are treating this conclusion like it's a new discovery, but it is not. RCP8.5's implausibility, indeed impossibility, was known to its promoters from the start, but instead of jettisoning it, they built a massive edifice of publications, laws, and regulations based upon its false predictions. In this, they simply followed the advice of an early climate alarmist, the late Dr. Stephen Schneider, who admitted that being honest about the science would undercut efforts to get governments to enact the policy prescriptions alarmists desired. Schneider told Discover magazine,

On the one hand, as scientists we are ethically bound to the scientific method, in effect promising to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but—which means that we must include all doubts, the caveats, the ifs, ands and buts. On the other hand, we are not just scientists but human beings as well. And like most people we'd like to see the world a better place, which in this context translates into our working to reduce the risk of potentially disastrous climate change. To do that we need to get some broad-based support, to capture the public's imagination. That, of course, means getting loads of media

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New York wisely guts "landmark" climate law

By David Wojick

Back on May 26, 2026, the New York State Legislature dramatically changed their 2019 climate law, which had originally been labeled "landmark" in the green press. These recent changes have been widely reported, but I have yet to see a summary of just how big these changes are, so here is my take.

When it comes to the law's draconian emission reductions, the landmark is gone. The law has been gutted.

Ironically the Greens tend to call any softening of a reckless environmental law or regulation a gutting, but in this case, I have not seen that term used even though it is certainly called for. Perhaps it is because the Greens did it themselves. The New York governor and legislative leaders certainly qualify as Green leaders, and they did the gutting.

By way of background, back in February, CFACT published my report on the calamitous emission reduction provisions of the climate law that were about to kick in. It was sent to key members of the Legislature. It is here.

The full report title is:

"Severe Climate Act Impacts Threaten New York State

Massive price hikes and fuel shortages will hit unless the law is changed"

Here is a telling excerpt from the executive summary:

"The threat is stark. The Climate Act requires the administration to promulgate regulations that 'ensure' that the 2030 emissions reduction target is met. Governor Hochul has said her administration does not want to do so because the regulations are infeasible and ruinously expensive for New Yorkers. The court has ruled that either the law must be changed or the regulations must be issued.

"Clearly, the legislature must act on this threat. Our brief report outlines some of the most pressing issues lawmakers should consider. First and foremost is the fact that the regulatory mechanism includes rationing fuel use for transportation and heating. Such rationing is likely to create unacceptable shortages, including the possibility of homes running out of heat during winter months.

"The so-called 'cap and invest' regulations also include taxing the rations. In practice, this means raising the cost of fuel so high that its use is sharply curtailed. This severe cost impact is also unacceptable."

So, in May, the legislature changed the target date from 2030 to 2040. In fact, they increased the target emission reductions, but they also gutted the target thus rendering the increase moot. The 2030 target was an absolute mandate, while the 2040 target is merely a carefully qualified aspiration.

The original statutory requirement for a 40% statewide GHG reduction by 2030 is replaced by a vague mandate to achieve a 60% reduction by 2040 "to the maximum extent feasible and cost effective," using 1990 as the baseline.

Since a 60% reduction is neither feasible nor cost effective, the new target is completely undefined.

Likewise for the required regulations, now due in December 2028. The amended Climate Act directs the state regulators to consider several limiting parameters for an economy wide cap and invest program, including impacts on affordability, economic development and energy costs, and the feasibility for residents, businesses, and other entities.

These relatively specific considerations are even more constraining than the vague target language. If taken seriously, they could make the cap-and-invest program relatively harmless.

There are other big back-off-from-alarmism changes as well that I will not go into.

There is no way to tell whether the CFACT Report played a role here, but the surprisingly great magnitude of the legislative changes clearly allows for that. In any case, this is certainly a time for celebration.

At the state level, New York leads the league in gutting alarmism. Let other states follow their lead.



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complete the licensing process (while obtaining necessary security clearances) and build out a facility with a capacity of 5 million SWU per year – larger than the 4.3 million SWU/year Orenco facility in New Mexico. The hope is to begin selling LEU and LEU+ fuels in the early 2030s and to build additional facilities as U.S. demand soars to 12 times the uranium fuel America now produces.

Eerkens, whose rescue from a Japanese internment camp at the age of 12 as a byproduct of the U.S. bombings of Nagasaki and Hiroshima spurred him toward a career in nuclear engineering, is known as the father of laser enrichment. He had already demonstrated the effectiveness of laser enrichment while working for the Canadian firm Cameco – but the availability of cheap Russian LEU ended Cameco's interest in laser enrichment for decades.

Eerkens had to store his equipment, papers, and materials, but a visit from Liebenberg in 2013 planted the seeds of what is fast becoming a major hope for affordable, ample domestic uranium fuel for the future. As Liebenberg tells it, in 2019 the pair began looking for a financial partner to revive the CRISLA process. And they found Jay Wu, who had already begun building NANO Nuclear as a future provider of microreactors that would also need affordable fuel.

How did the U.S. go from the world's leading producer of uranium – from the 1940s through the 1980s – to a beggar on the uranium fuel market? U.S. production – mainly from deposits in New Mexico, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Arizona, and Texas – peaked in 1980 at 43.7 million pounds of uranium oxide, but in 2024 production was only 677,000 pounds.

A major reason was the 1993 Megatons to Megawatts agreement between the U.S. and the Russian Federation under which Russia agreed to convert 500 metric tons of weapons-grade uranium into 15,000 metric tons of LEU fuel for use in American reactors – at a discounted price. Though that agreement expired in 2013, the U.S. continued to rely heavily on Russia (along with Canada, Australia, and Kazakhstan) for its nuclear fuel.

The Biden administration's wakeup call came in early 2022, when Russia invaded Ukraine – a move that eventually led to the Prohibiting Russian Uranium Imports Act of 2024. Waivers under that act expire at the end of 2027, but even earlier Congress allocated $2.72 billion to the Department of Energy to foster domestic enrichment of uranium.

Even earlier, the DOE announced a $700 million program to expedite HALEU (high-assay, low-enriched uranium fuel for advanced reactors) production. Some of that money went to the American Centrifuge Project's Piketon, Ohio, plant operated by Centrus Energy Corp. – which just this spring delivered its first 900 kilograms of HALEU to the DOE.

Liebenberg says that LIS will be able to create LEU in a single step, LEU+ in two steps, and HALEU in multiple steps – and that the company should be ready to demonstrate the technology to SMR and microreactor companies, data centers, and other interested parties by this summer. Then it is systems engineering integration and testing of the lasers, the geometry, and the gases, using mass spectrometers that provide near-instant results.

If all goes well, LIS will have fuel ready by the time new reactors are cleared to operate.

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coverage. So we have to offer up scary scenarios, make simplified, dramatic statements, and make little mention of any doubts we might have. … Each of us has to decide what the right balance is between being effective and being honest. I hope that means being both.

Science, as a way of expanding knowledge and discovering truths, is undermined when its practitioners practice Plato's art of the (ig) noble lie in the pursuit of political ends. That's just what the IPCC and its fellow travelers have been doing.

"The integrity of science depends on its capacity to provide an ever more reliable picture of how the world works," wrote Roger Pielke Jr. and Justin Ritchie in their blog post on the public withdrawal of RCP8.5 and the furor that has surrounded its long use and final repudiation. "Over the past decade or so, serious threats to this integrity have come to light," Pielke and Ritchie write.

"The expectation that science is inherently self-correcting, and that it moves cumulatively and progressively away from false beliefs and toward truth, has been challenged in numerous fields," the authors write. "A failure of self-correction in science has compromised climate science's ability to provide plausible views of our collective future," Pielke and Ritchie accurately state.

I recommend CCW's readers read their in-depth, informed discussion of the rise and fall of extreme climate scenarios in full.

Now there is an entire website dedicated to bringing to light the whole sordid RCP8.5 scandal. The new website, "they-knew.com," was established by the Hon. Jason Isaac of the American Energy Institute. Isaac describes the website as follows in the press release announcing it:

They-Knew.com, a comprehensive public record documenting the systematic misuse of RCP8.5, the extreme climate scenario that powered nearly every alarming headline, regulation, court filing, and school curriculum on climate change for over a decade—and that the UN's own scenario committee officially declared "implausible" in April 2026.

The site chronicles one of the most consequential scientific integrity failures of the century: scientists flagged RCP8.5 as unrealistic as early as 2017, published those warnings in the world's most prestigious journals, and watched as governments, central banks, courts, educators, and advocacy organizations kept using it anyway.

They-knew.com provides a timeline of the creation, introduction, and misuses of RCP8.5. It documents the organizations and individual power brokers in both the public and private sectors who used RCP8.5 to push flawed, costly, liberty-limiting laws, regulations, and financial policies. The actions by large banks, investment houses, portfolio managers, bureaucrats, and public officials have resulted in private-sector malinvestments that have harmed businesses, retirees, employees, stockholders, and the economy. RCP8.5 also underpinned unjustified government interventions in energy, transportation, infrastructure, and personal appliance markets that have endangered lives and left people poorer and with less choice than they otherwise would have.

All of this has resulted because business and government elites adopted RCP8.5 as the lodestar or guiding force behind corporate and government climate policies. Even if the elites did not actually believe the apocalyptic projections of RCP8.5 were likely or would come to pass, it gave them the "scientific" cover to impose policies they wanted anyway, whether for pecuniary, paternalistic, hubristic, or megalomaniacal reasons.

They-knew.com notes that perhaps the most durable and damaging impact of RCP8.5 is that it was used to indoctrinate and scare a generation of children into the belief that the world was ending because of their and their parents' energy choices, based on a scenario that scientists privately knew was fiction. They-knew.com details all this and more. Check it out.

I'm sure you will be appropriately disgusted.

Quote of the Week:

"The formulation of a problem is often more essential than its solution, which may be merely a matter of mathematical or experimental skill. To raise new questions, new possibilities, to regard old problems from a new angle requires creative imagination and marks real advances in science." — Albert Einstein

Number of the Week:

33.5%; 28%; 25% totaling 86%.

This Week:

By Ken Haapala, President, Science and Environmental Policy Project (SEPP)

The Science & Environmental Policy Project began in late 1990 as a research effort by atmospheric physicist S. Fred Singer and a handful of graduate students working out of a small office in downtownWashington, D.C.The Project had two goals: (1) to gather material for a book on global environmental issues,and (2) to conduct a survey of scientists affiliated with the UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change to determine the extent of what was, even then, being touted as scientific "consensus" on global warming.

What the graduate students discovered with their survey convinced Dr. Singer to set his book aside and instead to circulate among senior members of the American Meteorological Society a "Statement by Atmospheric Scientists" on greenhouse warming, which was quickly endorsed by 46 leading climatologists and atmospheric physicists (and eventually by nearly 100). That statement, issued on February 27, 1992, drew widespread media attention and was cited more than 150 times in the press. It was the first inkling journalists had that there was no scientific consensus on the reality of a global warming. Indeed, there was raging debate.

The Science & Environmental Policy Project was incorporated in the state of Virginia in 1992, and established as a nonprofit, 501(c)3 educational organization in late 1993.Today, having expanded from that core of 46 scientists, it draws on an international network of some of the finest minds in science who donate their time to promoting sound, credible, peer-reviewed research as the only basis for the health and environmental policies that affect us all.

You can help in two ways:

1. Download SEPP reports, press releases, and articles and pass them on – to newspaper editors, journalists, educators, civic leaders, and others. Help stop the fearmongering and the distortion of science.This is the most important thing you can do.

2. Support SEPP with your tax-deductible contributions. The environmental pressure groups, which present so much wrong information, have a combined clout of more than $1 billion a year.The Science & Environmental Policy Project has had far-reaching impact on less than one-hundredth of one percent of that figure. It's money well and effectively spent.

Send your contributions to:

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And thank you.

SCIENCE & ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY PROJECT

The Week That Was July 11th, 2026

Scope: This TWTW begins with a discussion of a chart presented by Lindzen and Happer which illustrates the logarithmic relationship between CO2 and its influence on temperatures. TWTW presents several different points of view on the latest Statistical Review of World Energy. TWTW then discusses two different suggested outcomes from increasing atmospheric CO2 – increased heat in Europe or increased cold. TWTW discusses part of a post on the NASA-GISS website that illustrates that some members of the organization were acutely aware of the inadequacies of its global climate models. TWTW closes with part of a discussion by Tilak Doshi that projections from the discredited extreme scenarios of the IPCC will continue.

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Diminishing Returns: The CO2 Coalition published a graph from Richard Lindzen and William Happer showing how quickly the influence of carbon dioxide on temperatures declines as the carbon dioxide concentration in the atmosphere increases (below).

The bar graph shows the increase in carbon dioxide warming effect in units of 20 parts per million in volume (ppmv) of carbon dioxide. The first unit of 20 ppmv of CO2 has a warming influence of 3.08 degrees Celsius (3.08°C (5.54°F)). The second unit of 20 ppmv of CO2 has a warming influence of only 0.53°C (0.95°F). This brings the total CO2to 40 ppmv Though not shown as calculated, the third unit 20 ppmv of CO2 has a warming influence of about 0.3°C (0.5°F) bringing the total CO2 to 60 ppmv. At this point the total warming effect is about 3.91°C (7.04°F).

We see that by 200 ppmv, the warming influence of CO2 becomes, roughly, a slightly declining straight line with little warming influence for each incremental increase of 20 ppmv of CO2. For convenience, the estimate ppmv in 1750 (the beginning of the Industrial Age) and for today are shown by arrows.

From this graph, we can see that adding carbon dioxide to today's atmosphere has little influence on increasing temperatures. Any increase in global temperatures comes largely from natural changes or other human influences such as increasing Urban Heat Island Effect. Inappropriately, the UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and its followers largely ignore natural changes and falsely attribute warming since 1750 to carbon dioxide.

Unfortunately, the CO2 Coalition did not carefully explain the graph, nor did it explain the sources (other than Richard Lindzen and William Happer) and the graph was misinterpreted by several commentors. The colored graph is based on calculations by William A. van Wijngaarden and William Happer in their work titled "Saturation Graphics." The calculations show how CO2 absorbs spectral lines (specific wavelengths (or frequencies)) in the infrared spectrum emitted by the surface, as the concentration of CO2 increases from zero to present concentration and beyond.

The greenhouse effect reduces Earth's emissions to space, with water vapor by far the dominant greenhouse gas as reported by John Tyndall in 1863. Around 1915 Karl Schwarzchild proposed a way of calculating the radiative transfer (how gaseous molecules interfere with electromagnetic energy (for example infrared radiation)) occurring in an atmosphere. Using the well-tested HITRAN database and the work of Planck and Schwarzschild, van Wijngaarden and Happer calculated how the five major greenhouse gases (water vapor, carbon dioxide, ozone, methane, and nitrous oxide) interfere with the transmission of infrared radiation to space. Thus, the gases prevent Earth from cooling rapidly at night.

From their calculations van Wijngaarden and Happer presented a simplified version of the warming influence of CO2 (interfering with the nighttime cooling of Earth). A simplified version of it is presented in Figure 2 of "Saturation Graphics." The figure shows the change in radiation to space in Watts per meter squared with increasing CO2 in units of ppmv-of CO2. By 100 ppmv of CO2 the radiation to space does not decline appreciably with increasing CO2. The decline in the radiation to space becomes almost horizontal by 400 ppmv. The formulas for these calculations are given but are not discussed here.

The current work will not stop the UN IPCC and its followers from making unsubstantiated comments about the increasing warming influence of carbon dioxide with additional emissions and adding numbers together as if the influence were linear, which it is not. The graph that Lindzen and Happer present is an effective tool for showing that adding CO2 to today's atmosphere is not causing dangerous global warming. See link under Challenging the Orthodoxy.

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Statistical Review of World Energy: The 75th annual Statistical Review of World Energy is out. Formerly produced by the oil company BP, it is now produced by the Energy Institute in partnership with EMBER a UK based organization whose vision statement is:

"A clean, electrified energy system for all: Ember envisions a future global energy system that is cheaper, cleaner, more efficient and more secure, bringing affordable energy to all."

https://ember-energy.org/about/#vision

As can be expected, the review contained a lot of wind and solar fluff. Paul Homewood cut through the fluff by succinctly stating:

"The increase in renewables each year is not enough even to meet increasing energy demand, never mind eat into the share of oil, coal and gas.

And there is a very good reason for this. Despite the delusion of the West, the rest of the world knows that you cannot run modern economies on intermittent renewable energy."

In "Renewables still provided only 6% of global primary energy in 2025" Robert Lyman of Friends of Science Society (Canada) wrote:

"Oil continued to be the largest source, providing 201 EJ [exajoule], or one third of the world's needs, followed by coal, which provided 166 EJ. Natural gas provided almost 151 EJ. Thus, the three fossil fuels provided 518 EJ, or 86% of the world's primary energy supply. Nuclear energy provided 31 EJ, Hydroelectricity 16 EJ and Renewables 35.45 EJ. The highly touted renewables thus provided only 6% of the world's primary energy supply. [1 exajoule equals 1,000,000,000,000,000,000 joules. 1 British Thermal Unit (BTU) equals 1,055 joules]

Global oil production in 2025 was 100.6 million barrels per day. The OECD countries produced one third of that production (33.237 million barrels per day) and the non-OECD countries produced 67.352 million barrels per day. In 2025, total liquids consumption was 106.5 million barrels per day, an increase of 1.4 million barrels per day from 2024." [(The heat content of crude oil is about 5.7 million BTU per barrel, or 6.013 billion J/bbl.]

In "2026 Update: Fossil Fuels ≠ Global Warming" posted on is blog, Ron Clutz wrote:

"The climate alarmist/activist claim is straight forward: Burning fossil fuels makes measured temperatures warmer. The Paris Accord further asserts that by reducing human use of fossil fuels, further warming can be prevented. Those claims do not bear up under scrutiny.

It is enough for simple minds to see that two time series are both rising and to think that one must be causing the other. But both scientific and legal methods assert causation only when the two variables are both strongly and consistently aligned. The above shows a weak and inconsistent linkage between WFFC [World Fossil Fuel Consumption]and GMT [Global Mean Temperature].

Going further back in history shows even weaker correlation between fossil fuels consumption and global temperature estimates:…"

Writing for the American Enterprise Institute (AEI), Roger Pielke, Jr., posted some interesting graphs from the report including one showing Change in Carbon Intensity of GDP, 2015-2025. For every country of the 19 listed except Indonesia, the CO2 emissions divided by the gross domestic product fell. The UK (37.7%) and Germany (31.4%) declined the most. Their economies are stagnant, at best. Interestingly, the decline for China (28.6%) and the decline for France (28.2%) were roughly comparable. The decline for the US (26.8%) and the decline for Australia (26.8%) were the same. Yet the Australian economy is suffering, and the US economy is not. Further, CO2 emissions divided by the gross domestic product of the US is increased in 2025, while the same calculation for Australia fell.

From the above it appears that the use of hydrocarbons (fossil fuels) is becoming more efficient. But the economies of most of those countries that significantly cut back are suffering. See links under Energy Issues – General.

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Blaming Heat on Climate Change: Europe suffered through a heat wave where a high-pressure system stagnated due to an Omega Block, a form of a Rossby Wave. Of course, global warming was the claim. Rossby waves are planetary waves that occur in rotating fluids such as the atmosphere of the rotating Earth. Claiming that these waves are caused by global warming (climate change) is claiming that the rotation of Earth is caused by climate change.

In Europe, such as France and the UK, governments block the use of air conditioning through regulations. John Robson writes:

"What's remarkable in his cataloguing of the stats is not so much that Europe has less AC than the US, predictable given that it's poorer and that it doesn't have sweltering tropical places like Mississippi. It's that it has far less even than chilly old Canada (from Heatmap):

'Only about 19% of European homes have air conditioning. That's less than the United States, of course. But it's also less than Canada, which has a more comparable climate. Nearly 70% of Canadian homes have air conditioning or

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Number of the Week: 33.5%; 28%; 25% totaling 86%. In his analysis of the sources of primary energy Robert Lyman expresses the totals as EJ [exajoules]. Expressed as percentages of the total of 600 EJ, the contributions of the three fossil fuels are oil 33.5%; coal 28%; natural gas 25%; or 86% of the world's primary energy supply.

RIP Climate Etc.

By Judith Curry

It's time to declare victory against climate stupidity and move on.

Well, the definition of victory here is about as fuzzy as that for the Iran war. Here is a summary of why Climate Etc. is being euthanized:

Major progress has been made in the climate debate and the political climate has changed

My interests have evolved in other directions

The logistics and cost of keeping the blog running are substantial.

State of the Climate Wars

There have been some decisive battles in the past two years, notably President Trump's election, the DOE Climate Report, and widespread acknowledgement that RCP8.5 is an implausible emissions scenario. As a result, many news agencies have dropped or substantially reduced their climate desk, we don't hear about climate change so much in the media (particularly as related to extreme weather events). Also, we can't underestimate the impact of substantially reduced funding for climate-related NGOs, with USAID and other funds drying up.

The leaders of the climate alarmism movement have not conceded defeat but have done much whining, notably over President Trump and the RCP8.5 scenario. They are still trying to discredit the authors of the DOE Report. Triggered by the DOE Report, they have mostly stopped flogging the warming/extreme weather link, although there is a hardcore group that is committed to extreme event attribution as a mechanism to support litigation against fossil fuel companies. With the demise of the extreme weather link, the climate alarmists are now focused on climate "tipping points," which simply doesn't resonate with the public (extreme weather events were much more alarming).

But most importantly, the whole issue has lost its political relevance. During the past several months we have watched the entire world panic over loss of access to Middle Eastern oil, and major concerns raised about the need for massively more electricity to support data centers. Putting a tourniquet around our energy supply in the name of eliminating CO2 emissions is a much worse idea now than it was even a few years ago, and that seems to be widely recognized (even in Europe). Most tellingly, the World Economic Forum (WEF) has dropped climate change as an issue, now focusing on AI (and health).

We are perhaps at an inflection point; one can only hope that the climate enterprise will redirect its efforts away from flogging the CO2 climate control knob mantra and towards understanding regional climate variability, particularly as influenced by natural variability, to support efforts at reducing vulnerability to weather extremes. And figure out how to better work with nature to support our needs for food, water, energy.

JC moving on

When I was planning my retirement for Georgia Tech, I viewed Climate Etc. as a hedge against becoming bored in my retirement. Ha! Seems that it is impossible for me to become bored, too many interesting things to do and to learn about and to ponder.

After publishing my book Climate Uncertainty and Risk, and co-authoring the DOE Climate Report (I have prepared revisions to my sections, who knows when this will ever be published), I frankly don't have much more to say on the topic of the climate wars. I have no interest in battling with the likes of Michael Mann, Andrew Dessler, et al. (does anybody still care what they have to say?)

Apart from the climate wars, I remain very interested in the fascinating and complex climate system, I erratically consume new research as I come across it (which can be pretty random sometimes). But most of climate science has become BORING . . . too much mega-modeling and politicking, and not enough thinking. In any event, I no longer have an interest in writing for the public on these topics.

My professional interests are more focused on extreme weather on timescales from hours to a year, which is the focus of my company Climate Forecast Applications Network (CFAN), along with decision making under uncertainty and risk science. It's a fascinating time for weather forecasting, and CFAN is deeply immersed on the new opportunities afforded by AI. I write reports on a range of related topics, which are sent to CFAN's clients (they are not made public). I continue to do consulting on climate-related topics, supporting litigation and developing regional, decadal scale scenarios to support risk assessment for specific client needs.

I'be been pretty quiet on twitter (I can't bring myself to call it X) for the last several months, maybe I should step up my commentary there — I still have alot to say, and short comments responding to a paper or news item is about the right level of effort at this point.

Now that my granddaughter is in high school (yes she is very interested in science), I have been paying more attention to what is going on at the universities, which I abandoned in disgust almost a decade ago.

Personally, after a big downsize and moving into a much smaller and simpler place, Peter and I are focused on our new dog Lucy, after our previous dogs Bruno and Rosie succumbed to old age. And establishing the garden at our new place.

A peaceful life with family and friends, exploring the world and its new developments from my laptop, and having a blast with AI.

Blog logistics and costs

Climate Etc. is a really old blog in terms of blog years – since 2010. Since then, WordPress has modernized and upgraded. Hacking/security has become a growing issue. The way that Climate Etc. was originally set up is fairly obsolete. Starting in 2022, the blog started having technical issues. WordPress required new plugins for the website to operate in the way that I had been using it. Not sure how many of you noticed, but there have been 2 major blog crashes, and periodically things would stop working such as commenting.

I found a company that would trouble shoot the blog, fix as needed, deal with all the WordPress cr@p and security issues. In looking at my account, over the past 4 years there have been 19 tickets opened, for a total cost of $16K. Now, could I have found someone trustworthy and capable to take care of the blog that would have been cheaper? Maybe, but I've frankly just lost interest.

I have set up an account on Substack; if I am ever motivated to resume blogging, that is where I will be. I can also make extended posts on twitter (X) although that is more awkward for anything at all technical. Anything newsworthy that I write I will send to WUWT.

But frankly, beyond this current post I'm not seeing any blogging or other public writing in my future.

Eulogy

Climate Etc. isn't dead yet, but it is in hospice, and all life support is being removed (I'm not paying any more $$ to support the blog). We'll see how long the patches, etc. that I've already paid for will keep the site accessible.

An experiment that started in 2010 in the wake of ClimateGate, Climate Etc. has exceeded my wildest expectations. It has been one of the highlights of my career, and I am endlessly grateful to all of you who have participated here (especially guest bloggers) and to the new friends and colleagues that I have found from the blog. My book Climate Uncertainty and Risk is a culmination of the topics that we have explored on the blog, and is the legacy of this blog.

While writing this post, I have reminisced about the denizens and "characters" that have come and gone on this blog. An amazing cross section of people with diverse expertises from many different parts of the world.

My deepest thanks to all of the guest posters and commenters that have contributed to making Climate Etc. a vibrant, stimulating and occasionally influential place. My very best wishes to each of you.

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equivalent equipment.'

The world leader, it seems, is Japan at 91%. And while it is logical that the rate is higher in southern than northern Europe, and rising, it's weird that Italy with its Mediterranean climate would have less AC than Canada or Japan with their temperate ones. Or not weird since Britain, whose climate is notorious for being cold and wet, is with Europe on this odd business Brexit or no Brexit:"

The website "Brilliant Maps" confirmed these data. According to its ranking Japan leads the world with 91% of its dwelling units with air conditioning; USA 90%; South Korea 86%; China 60%; Mexico 16%; Brazil 16%; Indonesia 9%; India 5%. China has more than twice as many units installed (905 million) as the USA (422 million). [Note this does not mean that the entire dwelling unit is air conditioned but at least part of the unit is.]

See links under Changing Weather for information on the lack of air conditioning in some countries, links under Communicating Better to the Public – Use Yellow (Green) Journalism? for blaming heat waves on climate failure and https://brilliantmaps.com/air-conditioning-by-country/ for Brillant Maps presentation.

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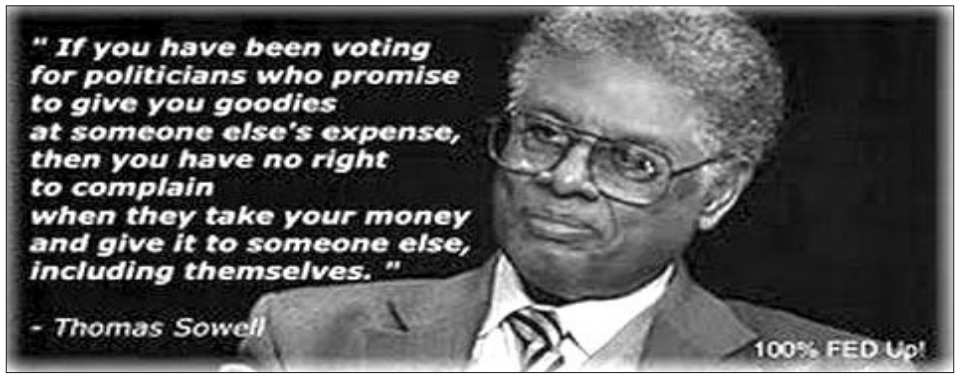
Claiming Future Freezing from Climate Change: The Gulf Stream is a well-known feature of ocean circulation (Benjaman Franklin studied it.). It keeps western Europe far warmer than it would be otherwise. According to estimates, a collapse of the Gulf Stream could make London 10°C or 18°F colder. Up to 20°C colder in some places in Europe. Alarmists frequently claim that global warming is causing a collapse of the Gulf Stream, or more broadly the Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation (AMO). The AMO has long term fluctuations in sea surface temperatures which have a cycle of roughly every 60 to 80 years. These influence hemispheric climate patterns. It was in a cold phase in the early 20th century and between 1964 to 1995. Since then, it has been in a warm phase.



The AMO pertains to the sea surface temperatures of the larger Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation (AMOC) which, in turn, is part of the global ocean conveyer belt. Some short-term measurements showed that the AMOC was slowing down. Writing in The Daily Sceptic, Chris Morrison reports on a 20-year study of the AMOC. He writes:

"For 20 years the RAPID-MOCHA-WBTS Array has measured the movements along the Atlantic Ocean at 26°N. A number of submerged stations have collected large amounts of data on the currents that bring warm waters from the Gulf up to the Arctic and return them cooled, heavier and saltier back to the south. Alarmists and Net Zero fantasists have long argued that humans interfere with this process. In unison they wail (perhaps next year!) that a 'tipping point' could be reached where the currents reverse and bring ice age weather to countries in the northern hemisphere.

But findings from computer models that have produced countless The Day After Tomorrow headlines are being rendered increasingly worthless by the actual RAPID data. In fact, there has been a largely unannounced pause in any weakening of the Gulf Stream – also known as the Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation (AMOC) – since the early 2010s. Before that and going right back to the start of measurements in 2004, the strength was generally relatively high, but there was a substantial weakening between 2009-2010. Such was the scale of this temporary weakening that the 20-year record has been skewed to show a 6% decadal decline. But RAPID has shown that sharp changes on a daily to inter-decadal period are the norm rather than exceptional. All of this is likely to be due to natural variation – what is often referred to as 'noise' – rather than any human cause.

Many of the fluctuations appear to be driven by changing air currents rather than deeper water formulations alone. These findings are starting to fundamentally change the way scientists understand the operation of the AMOC and mean that single or short-period snapshots are inadequate in measuring long-term strength. Needless to say, computer models are simply not up to the task of separating out any noise arising from the natural variability.

The scale of the natural variation can be truly astonishing. The RAPID observations from 2004-25 show a weakening of 1 Sv per decade in the AMOC. This is oceanographic-speak for a volume of water transported per second – 1 Sverdrup (Sv) equals one million cubic meters of water. The AMOC has an average strength of around 16-18 Sv, so the 20-year 6% average decadal decline is measurable but not necessarily significant given the enormous outlier recorded around 2010. In fact, RAPID has found that the AMOC can vary by several Sverdrups over months to years. The decline in 2009-2010 saw a 30% weakening which, since that time, has been restored. Some idea of the enormous changes discovered can be seen by comparing the 2009 Sv figure of 14.6 with the 18 Sv flowing in 2018. The one cause behind this huge change we can confidently rule out is humans using hydrocarbons."

Natural variation is not a long-term trend from increasing CO2. For the paper and Morrison's article see links under Challenging the Orthodoxy.

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Margin of Error: Writing in No Tricks Zone, Kenneth Richard discusses a paper

continue reading at SEPP.org

Lawfare is Legal – Here's How to Stop It

By Rolf Lindgren

Most Trump supporters rightfully want the perpetrators of the anti-Trump lawfare operations rounded up and thrown into prison. I do, too. But the problem is that unfortunately, most lawfare is legal.

Lawfare falls into three categories: cases where lawyers just look for someone to prosecute, cases where the government spies on someone, and cases where government agents target people to set them up with undercover agents.

Paul Manafort falls into the first category. He had been investigated in the past, but Robert Mueller dusted off the old case and charged Manafort with 18 counts, of which Manafort was convicted of 8 of them. He was later pardoned by President Trump.

The second type of case would include the Russia Hoax, where Operation Crossfire Hurricane spied on candidate Trump and his campaign helpers. In this case, documents used to support the spying were based on a dossier created out of thin air by a UK MI6 spy, Christopher Steele.

The Michigan Governor Gretchen Whitmer kidnapping hoax falls into the third catagory. In that notorious case, the so-called militia that supposedly wanted to kidnap Governor Whitmer had more undercover government agents in it, than actual legitimate militia members.

The J6 cases with hundreds of undercover agents in the crowd also falls into this category.

We have a long list of other recent victims of lawfare, including Roger Stone, George Papadopoulos, and Steve Bannon. In Wisconsin, Judge Jim Troupis and patriot Harry Wait are victims of lawfare.

So far this year, three significant purveyors of lawfare have been charged; James Comey, Letitia James, and John Bolton. But these people weren't arrested for lawfare. They were arrested for other reasons.

Many Republicans are hopeful the government won't do lawfare and just focus on real criminals. But unfortunately, power corrupts. Trying to vote out democrats is a great first step, but it's not enough.

What can be done?

Human history is filled with outrageous lawfare like the trials of Socrates, Galileo and Joan of Arc. But our Constitution created a nation relatively free of lawfare. In the 1800s and early 1900s, the US had almost no federal regulations. This provided fewer opportunities for lawfare.

But with the rise of big government in the 20th Century, lawfare became common. Until President Donald Trump came along, few seemed to notice it. We owe great thanks to Donald Trump for exposing lawfare to the masses.

To end lawfare, the laws that enable lawfare must be repealed.

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presidents have not. Yet the same psychological literature identifies mechanisms that help explain the disproportionate reactions associated with TDS: tribal identity, confirmation bias, motivated reasoning, emotional contagion, moral-outrage amplification, anxiety, and parasocial fixation. When political identity becomes part of personal identity, evidence that threatens the political worldview is no longer processed neutrally. It is experienced as a threat to the self. And when TDS results in bizarre behavior such as vandalizing your own country's property and monuments—all because they were cleaned up by our current president—one must wonder whether or not TDS does belong in the DSM and it is TDS itself which is preventing that from occurring.

Confirmation bias encourages people to notice every fact that supports their belief that Trump is malevolent or incompetent while discounting facts that point in the opposite direction. Motivated reasoning then supplies the necessary explanation. A favorable result was inherited from a predecessor, produced by someone else, achieved for corrupt reasons, overstated, temporary, or not really favorable at all. If none of those explanations works, the subject changes to Trump's personality. The policy itself is never allowed to receive an uncomplicated evaluation.

This is why TDS is best understood not as intense disagreement, but as the loss of intellectual flexibility. A rational critic can say that Trump was wrong yesterday and right today. A person captured by political obsession must conclude that he was wrong both days, even when the positions are inconsistent. The conclusion remains fixed while the reasons change. Those infected with TDS applaud assassination attempts, ignore very real world positive changes taking place right before their eyes, and stand defenseless when faced with facts in the face of unbridled rage and hatred exhibited by the party which accuses others of hate. When hatred of a man becomes stronger than loyalty to the truth, every success must be denied and every failure imagined.

Representative Warren Davidson's proposed Trump Derangement Syndrome Research Act of 2025 turned the phrase into a congressional provocation. The bill would direct the National Institutes of Health to study the psychological and social causes of extreme reactions to Trump, including the role of media amplification, polarization, social unrest, and political violence. Whether such a study is a proper use of federal research money is debatable. The proposal nevertheless reflects a widespread perception that reactions to Trump have gone beyond ordinary partisan opposition and have begun to affect families, institutions, public discourse, and sometimes physical safety.

The Lincoln Memorial Reflecting Pool controversy illustrates the pattern on a relatively small scale. After an expensive renovation, the pool developed peeling material, algae, and physical damage. The Trump administration pointed to vandalism and several people were arrested or cited, including former Olympic canoeist David Hearn. Criminal charges against the vandals have been filed and much of the press did not merely report that the administration's explanation was disputed. Headlines declared that "Trump blames vandals" or "Trump tries to blame" vandalism, placing the president's credibility on trial before the underlying conduct had been resolved.

This construction has become a journalistic reflex. When Trump identifies wrongdoing, the headline is not that the wrongdoing allegedly occurred. The headline is that Trump "claims," "blames," "lashes out," "seizes on," or "escalates." Those words may occasionally be appropriate, but their constant use creates an unmistakable editorial signal. The reader is instructed to view Trump as the real story and the alleged misconduct as a suspicious pretext.

That approach may gratify readers of the New York Times, NPR, AP, Time Magazine, CNN, AOL and NBC who already despise him, but it creates a serious credibility problem. Journalism should investigate whether the renovation was defective and whether individuals intentionally damaged public property. Both propositions could be true. Yet TDS demands a binary narrative in which evidence of vandalism must be minimized because acknowledging it might vindicate something Trump said. The result is not skepticism. It is selective skepticism.

The same pattern becomes more consequential when applied to national policy. Trump's most visible success has been the dramatic reduction in unlawful border crossings. By early 2026, Border Patrol apprehensions had fallen to levels not seen in approximately six decades, and federal data reported a decline of roughly 96 percent from the prior administration's monthly average. Critics may challenge particular enforcement methods, detention practices, asylum restrictions, or deportation priorities. Those are legitimate debates. What is no longer credible is the claim that presidential policy cannot materially affect the border or that Trump has stemmed the tide of illegal immigration and the human trafficking, drug smuggling, and other illicit activity that comes with illegal immigration.

Trump also forced NATO allies to confront their chronic underinvestment in defense. For years, American presidents politely urged Europe to carry more of the burden. Trump applied public pressure, threatened consequences, and offended diplomatic sensibilities. His methods were abrasive, but allied defense spending increased substantially, and European governments began making commitments that had previously been postponed. One may dislike the manner while recognizing the result.

His first administration replaced NAFTA with the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement, strengthened intellectual-property and labor provisions, and updated continental trade rules for the digital economy. It created the United States Space Force, an institutional response to the growing military importance of space. It enacted the First Step Act, one of the most significant federal criminal-justice reforms in decades. It signed the VA MISSION Act, expanded veterans' access to community care, and made it easier to remove poorly performing federal employees within the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Operation Warp Speed accelerated the development and distribution of COVID-19 vaccines at a pace previously considered unrealistic. The Abraham Accords normalized relations between Israel and several Arab states and demonstrated that Middle Eastern diplomacy did not have to wait for a final Israeli-Palestinian settlement. Trump appointed three Supreme Court justices and transformed the federal judiciary, fulfilling one of his clearest campaign promises. He pursued aggressive deregulation, promoted domestic energy production, renegotiated trade relationships, confronted China's intellectual-property practices, and required government agencies to reconsider rules that imposed substantial costs without corresponding benefits.

During his second term, Trump has continued emphasizing border enforcement, domestic energy development, military burden-sharing, regulatory reduction, artificial intelligence investment, reshoring, and the rebuilding of American defense production. Not every initiative will succeed, and some may produce serious collateral costs. Tariffs can protect strategic industries but also raise prices and invite retaliation. Deregulation can stimulate investment but may remove useful safeguards. Immigration enforcement can restore order while also creating due-process concerns. A serious evaluation must account for both benefits and costs.

Iran and Venezuela present still greater tests. Successive administrations identified both regimes as threats but repeatedly postponed decisive resolution. Iran advanced its nuclear and missile programs, supported proxies, threatened shipping, and exploited Western reluctance to risk escalation. Venezuela's government suppressed opposition, devastated its economy, encouraged mass migration, and survived years of sanctions and diplomatic condemnation.

Trump's willingness to use military, economic, and diplomatic pressure against those regimes represents a departure from the practice of indefinitely managing dangerous problems. Whether his Iran strategy will produce a durable settlement remains uncertain. A preliminary agreement reached in June 2026 reopened important negotiations but left nuclear, missile, proxy, and shipping issues unresolved, and subsequent hostilities demonstrated how fragile the arrangement remained. It would be premature to declare the problem solved. It would be equally irrational to deny that Trump forced issues into the open that prior leaders had repeatedly deferred.

The political danger for Democrats is that TDS eventually becomes self-discrediting. Voters do not need to admire Trump personally to notice that the border is more secure, NATO allies are spending more, domestic energy is abundant, criminal regimes are under greater pressure, and federal institutions are being forced to address long-neglected problems. When Democrats and their media allies describe every development as catastrophe, corruption, dictatorship, or failure, even demonstrable criticism begins to lose force.

An opposition party must be able to distinguish between policies it dislikes and policies that do not work. If it insists that every Trump action is both immoral and ineffective, voters will eventually compare that rhetoric with observable reality. When reality and rhetoric repeatedly diverge, the rhetoric loses.

The backfire may be intensified by the contrast between Trump's results and the behavior of his most agitated opponents. Voters see demonstrators damaging property, activists disrupting public events, the TDS-infected jumping on police cars and damage public policy during "No Kings" rallies and "parades." Leftist commentators treat routine policy disputes as existential emergencies, and elected officials oppose positions they once supported because Trump now supports them. Chuck Schumer, Joe Biden, Hillary Clinton, and Barack Obama all supported substantial physical barriers at the southern border before Trump made a border wall his signature proposal. As senators, Schumer, Biden, and Clinton voted for the Secure Fence Act of 2006, which authorized hundreds of miles of reinforced fencing and other barriers. Obama also voted for it. Schumer later became one of the principal opponents of Trump's wall funding, and Democratic leaders increasingly characterized physical barriers as immoral, ineffective, or inconsistent with American values. Trump's proposal was broader and more politically symbolic than the 2006 legislation, so the policies were not identical. Nevertheless, the movement from voting for extensive border fencing to treating additional physical barriers as inherently objectionable is a legitimate example of partisan repositioning.

Democratic leaders also changed their rhetoric regarding illegal immigration and deportation. During the Obama *continued on page 14*

America Turns 250. Come to Me.

From WI Catholic Engagement

Tomorrow is the Fourth of July. America turns 250. Somewhere in Wisconsin tonight there will be fireworks over a lake. A supper club parking lot full by four in the afternoon. Children catching fireflies in a mason jar. The smell of a charcoal grill three houses down. A parish picnic wrapping up in the heat. Children who have been told, as children in this country always have been, that they live in the greatest nation on earth.

Sunday's Gospel is Matthew 11:25–30 — the 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A. Jesus speaks to a crowd of people who are tired. Burdened. Working lives that do not leave much margin. He does not fix the burden. He says: bring it to me.

"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light."

Think about who built this country in Wisconsin. The lead miners in Lafayette County, sleeping in shanties near the shaft. The German farmers plowing rock out of the Holyland. The Polish millworkers in Milwaukee sending money back to Krakow. The women who kept the domestic church running through winters that did not forgive weakness. They were burdened people. They carried rosaries in their pockets and packed the pews at six in the morning because Mass was the one hour of the week that was not labor.

The Gospel also opens with something easy to skip past: "You have hidden these things from the wise and the learned and revealed them to the little ones." Not to the powerful. Not to the ones who had the republic all figured out. To the little ones. To the people who showed up exhausted on a Sunday morning and needed the thing to be true.

The First Reading on Sunday is from Zechariah: "See, your king shall come to you; a just savior is he, meek, and riding on an ass." Not a parade float. Not a war horse. A donkey. The one who will speak peace to all nations comes in the form that those who have labored their whole lives already know: plain. Unhurried. Not dressed to impress.

Wisconsin Catholics have always understood that the republic and the faith are not the same thing. The republic is worth celebrating — and tomorrow we do that. But Sunday's Gospel is a reminder of where the real weight gets set down. The fireworks stop. The traffic clears. And then the priest walks out to the ambo, and the words are the same ones they were 250 years ago.



Lessons From The Alamo

By Dr. Wayne C. Sedlak

The phrase "Remember the Alamo" has long stood as a rallying cry in Texas history. But in this episode, the story becomes something even larger than a battle cry. It becomes a meditation on love, courage, repentance, liberty, and the power of men who chose to stand for something greater than themselves. At the heart of the message is a simple but profound idea: real strength is not found in domination, but in self-sacrifice. The men at the Alamo, the episode argues, were not merely soldiers trapped in a doomed position. They were people who understood the cost of freedom and chose to remain when they could have escaped. That choice, the host suggests, reflected a deeper kind of love — the kind Jesus described when he said that " greater love has no man than this, that he lay down his life for his friends."

The Alamo as a story of character

The episode broadens the familiar historical narrative by focusing on the individuals inside the Alamo's walls. Davy Crockett, James Bowie, William Travis, John the former slave, Juan Seguin, Juan Abamillo, and others are presented not simply as names in a battle, but as men with conviction, repentance, and purpose. Some came from Tennessee, some from Mexico, some from Europe, and some from backgrounds marked by suffering and injustice. Yet they were united by a common cause: liberty. The episode highlights that this was not just a fight between Texas and Mexico, or between armies, but a collision between two visions of society — one defined by dictatorship and coercion, the other by covenant, courage, and faithfulness to Christ. That framing gives the story emotional weight. It reminds listeners that history is shaped not only by events, but by the character of the people who live through them.

Love as unity, not sentiment

One of the strongest themes in the episode is the distinction between shallow sentiment and biblical love. Love, as described here, is not merely affection or kindness. It is agape — a self-giving force that creates unity and resists evil. The men at the Alamo are portrayed as a living example of that kind of love. They were united in purpose, willing to endure loss, and committed to something beyond their own survival. Their sacrifice helped inspire the cry "Remember the Alamo," which later fueled the victory at San Jacinto and ultimately changed the course of Texas history. That message resonates because it connects personal character to widespread consequences. A society does not become strong by accident. It becomes strong when people are willing to sacrifice comfort, convenience, and even life itself for what is right.

Repentance as a way forward

Another major idea in the episode is repentance, understood not only as private, transformative change but also as a rejection of evil systems. The host uses the Alamo to illustrate that repentance can mean turning away from oppression,

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"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest"

- Benjamin Franklin

The Affordability Fix: Socialism vs. Free-market Competition?

By James Bohn and Greg Grambow

Affordability is a hot political topic. Many voters are concerned about the cost of living and worry that they are falling behind. Politicians from both parties claim to have the answer. But the solutions they offer are very different.

In general, Democrats claim that life can be made more affordable through subsidies on the things we buy or by controlling prices. The hitch here is that governments don't produce things. They can only make transfers from one person to another – after taking their cut.

A check from the government, or prices controlled at below market levels, can make life more affordable for those on the receiving end over the short run. But transfers make life less affordable for those that have to pay higher taxes. And this effect goes well beyond the "rich." And remember, since the government takes its cut, an easy 20% plus gets lost in nonproductive "administration."

The taxes necessary to finance transfer and subsidy programs also discourage work and investment. When work effort declines, stuff is not produced. With less to go around, things become more expensive (supply and demand) and life is less affordable for everyone.

Free-market competition offers a different approach to the affordability problem. Competition lowers costs by rewarding the most efficient producers while the least efficient are left behind.

The classic example is the Ford Motor Company. In the early 1900s, cars were made by hand. The few cars that were built were very expensive due to high labor costs. Few people could afford to own an automobile.

Then in 1913, Ford introduced the assembly line. A team of workers on an assembly line could produce many more cars per hour of labor than could be made by hand. As the cost of production fell, cars became more affordable. Suddenly every family seemed to have one.

The free-market system allowed Ford to innovate and build cars more efficiently than before. Everyone benefitted as a result.

To compare how the socialist tax and transfer approach compares to free markets, let's look at health care. Health care costs are a major issue in the 2026 Wisconsin Governor's race.

The Democratic and Republican candidates for the state's top office have drastically different approaches to health care affordability.

Democrats favor increased subsidies. That makes life more affordable … for some. But the money to pay for these subsidies comes from increased taxes. That makes life less affordable for an equal or greater number of Wisconsin taxpayers. Most importantly, by simply shifting costs from one person to another, this approach does nothing to address the root cause – the high cost of the medical system itself. Indeed, subsidies make the cost problem worse by reducing the incentive for health care users and buyers to negotiate because government is picking up the tab and setting coverage terms.

On the other side, Republican Tom Tiffany looks to make health care more affordable by fostering competition. One element is greater price transparency. When prices are known, buyers can steer their business to the most efficient, lowest-cost providers. Tiffany's plans also give individuals and employers more flexibility to pool together and shop for health care. That means greater competition since sellers are now dealing with larger, more sophisticated buyers. The key element of the free-market approach to health care is that it is directed at reducing costs and inefficiencies in the system, rather than shifting costs to others and increased government bureaucracy.

In summary, a socialistic approach to affordability just redistributes costs creating winners and losers. The competitive free-market approach addresses the root issue – the cost and inefficiencies in the system itself. Driving down costs and rewarding innovation means that everybody wins, both patients and taxpayers.

The system of free-market competition has produced the most productive and wealthy society in history. That's not to say there haven't been losers. If you were making buggies in Ford's time you were not a happy camper. But the market gives you the chance to find new ways to use your talents as well as enjoying the benefits from Ford's innovations.

These comparisons can apply to every corner of our economy. The tax and transfer approach divides people; some come out ahead, others behind. The free-market approach doesn't divide. It provides everyone with the opportunity to live their life based on their personal needs, wants and talents and to benefit from the creativity and initiative of others.

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closely reflecting the state's partisan balance. Yet its proposed redistricting plan could have produced congressional maps heavily favoring one party far beyond its statewide support. In such systems, many citizens would effectively lose the right to meaningful political representation before a single vote is cast.

Fortunately, the Virginia Supreme Court rejected the proposed redistricting effort on procedural grounds. But the underlying problem remains unresolved nationwide: increasingly sophisticated efforts by both political parties to design districts that protect their party nominees and maximize partisan advantage.

The core constitutional principle should be simple: citizens should choose their representatives, not representatives choosing their voters. Protecting the equal rights of citizens requires that all votes carry roughly equal political weight, an outcome that is intentionally denied to citizens in partisan gerrymandered districts.

The Constitution gives state legislatures broad authority over congressional elections. Article I, Section 4 — the Elections Clause — provides that the "Times, Places and Manner" of congressional elections shall be prescribed by state legislatures, although Congress may alter those regulations.

Over those powers stands the Fourteenth Amendment, which prohibits states from denying any person the equal protection of the laws. That protection necessarily includes the right to vote on substantially equal terms.

The Supreme Court recognized this principle in Baker v. Carr and Reynolds v. Sims. Those landmark decisions established the "one person, one vote" doctrine, requiring legislative districts to contain roughly equal populations so that citizens' votes would carry similar weight.

Congress later enacted the Uniform Congressional District Act of 1967, requiring states with multiple House seats to create single-member, contiguous congressional districts. Yet Congress failed to define key terms such as "contiguous" or identify meaningful geographic contiguity. As a result, many states have drawn bizarrely shaped districts connected only by narrow corridors or isolated boundary points.

Some districts now resemble political engineering projects more than coherent legislative districts. While technically "contiguous," such districts are drawn to dilute the voting strength of disfavored political or demographic groups by scattering or concentrating them in ways that predetermine electoral outcomes.

According to the National Conference of State Legislatures, many states impose compactness requirements on state legislative maps, but standards vary widely and are often weakly enforced. Moreover, most states do not require compactness in congressional elections. The result is a system in which legislators increasingly design electoral maps to preserve political power rather than fairly represent citizens.

The problem became even more serious after the Supreme Court's decision in Rucho v. Common Cause. In that case, the Court held that partisan gerrymandering claims present a non-justiciable political question beyond the reach of federal courts because no manageable constitutional standard exists to resolve them.

That decision effectively left partisan redistricting to Congress and the states — the very political actors with the greatest incentive to manipulate the system.

Mid-decade redistricting now threatens to become a recurring political weapon. Once one party redraws districts to enhance its power, the opposing party has every incentive to retaliate when it gains control. The result is a cycle of escalating electoral manipulation that steadily undermines public confidence in representative government.

If it is unconstitutional to have statistically different voting populations in congressional districts, it is unconstitutional to intentionally stack districts so that voters with views that differ from the controlling party cast worthless ballots.

And redistricting may only be the beginning.

Article IV, Section 3 gives Congress authority to admit new states and, with state legislative consent, divide existing states. If aggressive partisan manipulation becomes normalized, political parties may eventually view state creation or the division of existing states as another mechanism for permanently entrenching power in Congress and the Electoral College.

Critics may dismiss such concerns as speculative, but the modern political system already demonstrates how aggressively parties pursue structural advantages. The Constitution never mentions political parties, yet the Republican and Democrat parties now dominate virtually every level of government and control nearly all elected offices nationwide.

Redistricting is therefore not merely a technical dispute about mapmaking. It is part of a much larger struggle over whether citizens retain meaningful control over their government. The current statutory law and court rulings leave a constitutional vacuum — Congress failed to define standards, the courts declined to establish or enforce limits, and political actors naturally exploited the opening.

As Congress and the courts hollow out the constitutional principle of Equal Protection as it applies to voting rights, they are creating a republic that cannot function indefinitely when elected officials increasingly choose their voters instead of voters choosing their representatives.

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GOVERNMENT CIRCUS

Hither, Swarms of Officers

By "Wisco" Rolf Lindgren

My favorite quote from the Declaration of Independence is the 10th grievance against the British. It is astonishing that such a radical, hard-hitting sentence could be found in an official government document. It says:

"He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harrass our people, and eat out their substance."

YIKES!!!!!

Ever since I read this in high school and fully absorbed it, I have felt like the swarms of officers are still around today. I read the Declaration and Constitution, less than ten pages total, and wondered "Where the heck do all these government people come from!!!"

It wasn't always this way.

When the Founding Fathers took over and the dust settled, the early American Republic DIDN'T have swarms of officers eating out our substance. The first federal administration under President George Washington had just a few, necessary government agencies. They were:

1. Secretary of State
2. Secretary of the Treasury
3. Secretary of War
4. Attorney General
5. Post Office

The Navy was added in 1798, because they didn't have enough money for one at first.

The controversial National Bank was created in 1791, dissolved in 1811, re-created 1816, and then dissolved by Andrew Jackson in the 1830s.

The National Bank was a temporary evil deemed needed to pay off debt from the Revolution and then the War of 1812. It wasn't required to "help the economy" as modern propaganda tells us.

So that's it. Our Founding Fathers got rid of the swarms of officers and replaced them with a small, lean government that didn't eat out our substance.

What happened since?

Big government was enabled in 1913 when the 16th Amendment legalized income tax, and the 17th Amendment took the states completely out of the federal power structure with the direct election of Senators.

Then we had constant pressure for big government, namely WWI, Great Depression, WWII, Cold War, War on Drugs, and War on Terror, etc.

Now we have 448 total government agencies. This number is so vast that no one agrees on whether it's really the exact number.

I recommend everyone read...

"He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harrass our people, and eat out their substance." three times a day and then vote accordingly!

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The Preamble answered the question, "Why?" "We the People of the United States, in Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, ensure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

We the people of 2026 are the posterity for whom the Blessings of Liberty were secured. As we celebrate 250 years of independence from British rule, it is fitting that we ask ourselves how we are doing as the guardians of the freedom that was gifted to us with the blood and sacrifice of our ancestors. The answer is "not nearly well enough."

We are at a crossroads in this country and the risk of losing everything becomes more real every day. Those who would fundamentally change our form of government have come out of the shadows to publicly advocate for communism and they are winning elections.

This is a now or never moment for freedom loving Americans and we must proceed with clarity, determination, and a willingness to do whatever is necessary to preserve our way of life. Important work lies ahead to root out the rot that our complacency and apathy have allowed to take hold. It took a long time for us to deteriorate to our current state and longer still for us to wake up to what was happening. There are no quick fixes for decades of decay but a clear path forward, embraced by all who have no intention of squandering the gift we have been given, will enable us to take our country back in time.

Secure Federal Elections

Thomas Jefferson was one of our nation's Founding Fathers, principal author of the Declaration of

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The Path Not (Yet) Taken

In 2005 the Carter-Baker Commission in part determined that "the electoral system cannot inspire public confidence if no safeguards exist to deter or detect fraud or to confirm the identity of voters." Well, isn't that just flippin' brilliant? But in truth it makes a whole lot more sense than anything that has come out of a "commission" since 2005. More importantly, it provides a path to "sell" election reform "to lowinformation voters" and their no-information representatives and senators.

For the last 10 years (at least) there has been concern about elections being stolen. Some people have been outraged at the thought that their vote was stolen or disenfranchised and have screamed about it at the top of their lungs. Some have provided evidence……tons of it…… to "authorities." Detailed maps of how election stealing works and plans showing how fraud can be mitigated have been publicly submitted. Concerned citizens have filed lawsuits against various State and Federal bodies when those "bodies" mysteriously fail to act.

And still no one has fixed anything. Sissified (or corrupt) courts have REFUSED to hear any cases that have referenced election stealing thereby effectively burying any evidence no matter how damning it is.

State "commissions" and Secretaries of State, those who are supposed to protect election integrity, throw up rules or regulations or whatever kind of crap they can find to cover up their own incompetence or complicity. Both the Democrat and Republican media do what they are told to do and tell us that there is nothing to see here. Is it any wonder that we STILL have crooked elections?

For years now there have been screams about election stealing. There have been obvious, panty-waisted victims who said nothing after spending $Millions and being made a fool of. Both solid and statistical evidence tells us that something is wrong. Yet the overall public remains oblivious. Is it the message, or is it how the message is presented?

Go back to the top of this page. Re-read the quote. Perhaps these are the key words "…..cannot inspire public confidence if no safeguards exist….." Is this the selling point, the pathway that those who demand honest elections need to move public opinion? It all comes down to selling. If you talk about "confidence" and "safeguards," no "evidence" is needed. If you don't need evidence, its credibility cannot be questioned, and the swamp has nothing to hold on to. Even the most low-information voter can understand the words "public confidence" and "safeguards." Who is not for inspiring public confidence and safeguards, when it comes to maintaining our election system and our Democracy?

Wouldn't it be ironic that a "commission," the main tool of all cover-ups, actually gave us the path to fix this mess?





Joe Bast Commentary

By Joseph Bast
July 11th at 10:20am

I posted this in reply to a comment yesterday, but maybe it will get more attention if I post it this way:

Why do I mostly praise Trump and refrain from criticizing him?

I post links to articles that address topics I've studied for many years. Trump almost single-handedly ended the climate change scam, what I regard as the single biggest threat to free societies of the past two decades. He's shrunk the Department of Education and expanded school choice, probably my second and third highest priorities. He's defunded the left by ending thousands of contracts with NGOs, a massive change in direction from past Democratic and Republican Administrations.

He's genuinely reduced the federal workforce, repealed rafts of government regulations, declared war on DEI and LGBTQ madness, is fighting for election integrity (too little and too late, admittedly) and is calling out the relationship between socialism and communism as no president dared to before him. Had he done only one or two of these things, he would have my support. I've waited 40 years for this president.

He has failed to reduce federal spending and in fact has facilitated the rising debt. Congress shares the blame. During his first term his proposed budgets called for major cuts that were pronounced "dead on arrival" by Congress, and current congresses show no interest in cutting spending even when he and Elon Musk documented a trillion dollars in possible savings.

Trump seems to realize that balancing the budget is a hill he can't climb until congress gets a MAGA majority in both chambers or until a balanced budget amendment to the constitution is adopted. In politics, if something is impossible, it is not a political issue.

I rarely comment on foreign policy because it is impossible to know who to trust on the topic.

I'm in favor of replacing income taxes with tariffs and have to laugh at all the libertarians who are giving Trump a hard time on this topic. It's all about tactics and strategies, and on that I trust Trump over the pinheads at Cato any day, every day.

His moves to have taxpayers own stakes in private companies, which sounds like one of your major concerns, sound like fascism to me, and I don't trust his moves regarding bitcoin. These are areas where his background in business and being a deal-maker lead him to see opportunities to get something back in exchange for subsidies and favorable regulations. We arm-chair libertarians see this as violations of our orthodoxy. I think libertarians are right, but how many libertarians have ever negotiated a billion-dollar deal? This also seems like small potatoes compared to all the things Trump is getting right.

I don't understand why libertarians harp on his shortcomings and ignore his enormous accomplishments. Well actually, I have my suspicions. Trump won three presidential elections in a row while the LP struggled to get 1 or 2 percent of the vote. Donald Trump, an uncouth narcissist, stole our messages! Ate our lunch! Is accomplishing big parts of the libertarian agenda and not giving credit to libertarian "thinkers" who have talked about it for decades but achieved little or nothing. Hurt feelings and professional jealousy is the simplest reason for TDS among libertarians.



Warning! AI Data Center Promoters Are Lying to Stop Our Opposition!

By Tom DeWeese

Thousands of American citizens are rising up in opposition to AI data centers in their communities. Their actions are based completely on personal experience and concerns with how these huge facilities affect their lives and the culture of their communities. Thousands of acres of vital farmland are being put under roof affecting rural economies. Noise pollution caused by loud throbbing sounds from the equipment in the centers is disrupting once-peaceful neighborhoods. Massive water and electrical use to feed the centers is causing damage to power grids and local community needs. Life is changing and people are upset.

As a result, in just the past few months opposition to the data centers has become the largest, fastest growing, and most effective grassroots movement I've ever experienced in my decades of activism. Polls show 70% of Americans are opposed to these massive facilities. Action has been taken in forty states to delay if not ban the building of more than 50% of these facilities. Hundreds of residents are showing up in local city council meetings and state capital rallies demanding that their elected representatives take action to protect their way of life. In some communities citizens have managed to remove from office those elected officials who have ignored their pleas.

As the opposition has grown the corporate forces behind the data centers have started to panic, desperate to stop this never-before-experienced opposition? They have vast fortunes to promote their position and influence local and state politicians. It has always worked before. A few dollars in the right pockets and a reasoned argument should do the trick. What are their strongest points to push the argument? Hear is their thought pattern: of course, we must beat China in the development of AI. "The nation which leads in AI will rule the world!" So that says it all — China is the villain that must be defeated. Next, the logical argument is that it must be the radical Left which is behind these protests designed to stop AI development for American security! Yep – let's go with that! And, of course, with that argument then the Conservatives will eat it up and help us stop this crazy communist-supported opposition to our data centers!

And so, it begins. Suddenly reports have emerged that China is paying for the opposition to the data centers. How else could it have grown so fast. China is obviously bussing their supporters to these opposition rallies.

In the cities, locally elected representatives are telling their citizens that data centers will bring jobs and property tax money to build local prosperity. Building data centers, they say, show that we have a strong workforce and an infrastructure for the future. Plus, they contend we need the data centers to keep your computers and cell phones communicating on social media. We all need this technology, they assure us! However, even if the local officials might agree that there are some problems with the data centers, local elected representatives tell us there is nothing they can do because non-elected boards and commissions have told them so. Another fear is that they must go along or the corporations will sue the city.

In addition, during controlled public meetings, in which local citizens are not allowed to speak or challenge the corporate spokesmen, they assure us that their facilities now have new processes that no

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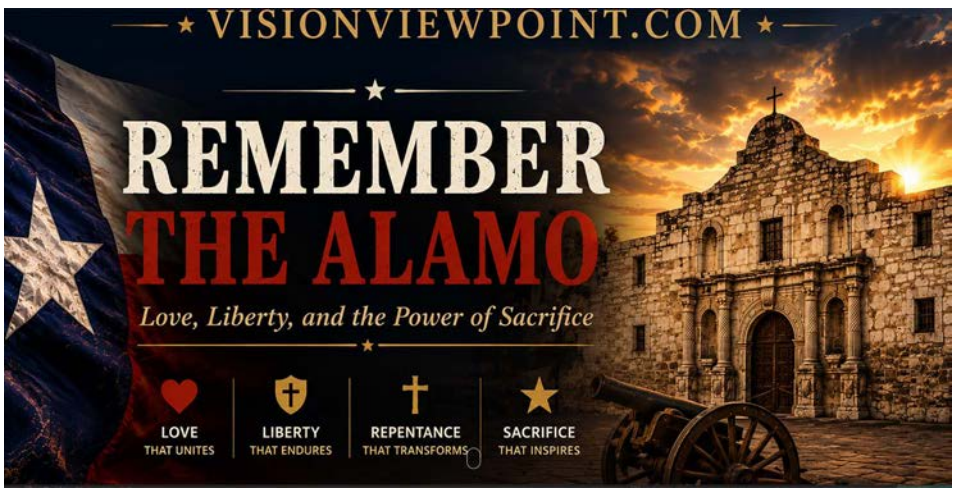
cowardice, and broken promises in order to embrace liberty and truth. This is why the story of the Alamo is presented as more than military history. It becomes a symbolic example of how people can break from a destructive way of life and build something new. In that sense, repentance is not just about regret — it is about transformation. That makes the episode especially useful as a blog post topic, because it invites readers to think beyond the battle itself. It asks them to consider what they stand for, what they are willing to resist, and what kind of legacy they want to leave behind.

Why the Alamo still matters

The Alamo remains powerful because it represents a universal struggle: freedom versus control, courage versus fear, truth versus tyranny. The episode argues that these tensions are not just historical — they are still present today in families, churches, nations, as well as personal lives. By connecting the Alamo to biblical teaching, the message becomes broader than Texas Independence. It becomes a call to action: defend what is true, reject what is evil, and live with the kind of love that is willing to sacrifice to get there.

In the end, "Remember the Alamo" is not only a memory of death. It is a memory of meaning. It reminds us that even in defeat, there can be a witness. Even in loss, there can be purpose. And even in the darkest moments of history, love can still bring a victorious future. By connecting the Alamo to biblical ethic, the message becomes broader than Texas Independence. To repeat ourselves: It becomes a call to action: defend what is true, reject what is evil, and live with the kind of love that is willing to sacrifice for others. In the end, "Remember the Alamo" is not only a memory of death, but is a memory of meaning. It reminds us that even in defeat, there can be a witness. Even in loss, there can be purpose. And even in the darkest moments of history, love can still change the future.



Short Takes

By Ken Van Doren

Great art is never produced for its own sake. It is too difficult to be worth the effort. -Robert Quillen

I owe much to mother. She had an expert's understanding, but also approached art emotionally. -David Rockefeller

A lot of people are afraid of heights. Not me, I'm afraid of widths. -Steven Wright

It is amazing what you can accomplish if you do not care who gets the credit. -Harry S Truman

If your knees aren't green by the end of the day, you ought to seriously re-examine your life. -Bill Watterson

I have a wonderful make-up crew. They're the same people restoring the Statue of Liberty. -Bob Hope

Care is a state in which something does matter; it is the source of human tenderness. -Rollo May

'Healing,' Papa would tell me, 'is not a science, but the intuitive art of wooing nature.' -W. H. Auden

Change your life today. Don't gamble on the future, act now, without delay. -Simone de Beauvoir

Either way I will find a way, or I will make one. - Philip Sidney

We always love those who admire us, but we do not always love those whom we admire. -Francois de La Rochefoucauld

Real happiness is cheap enough, yet how dearly we pay for its counterfeit. -Hosea Ballou

Wisdom to Live By

"Right worship leads to right living."
-Fr. David Sweeny, Associate Pastor at St. Dominic Parish in Brookfield, WI

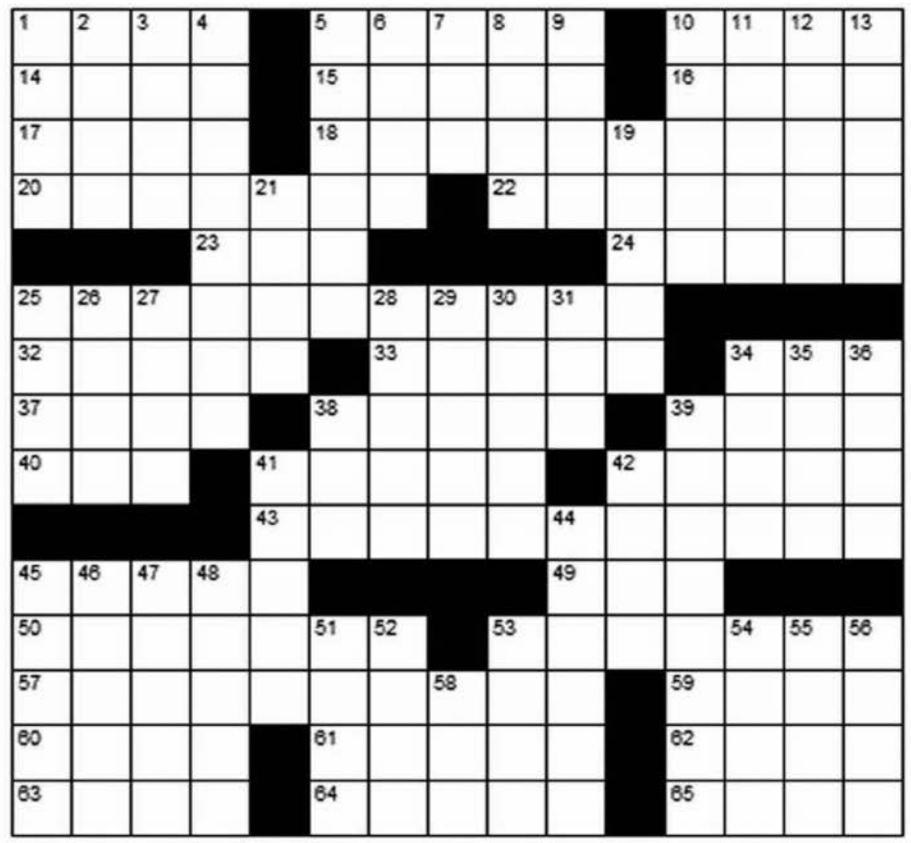


THE GAME PAGE

Crossword Puzzler

ACROSS
1. Russian emperor
5. The common people
10. Blend
14. Climax
15. Slander
16. Sage
17. Incline
18. Intolerable
20. Shield from danger
22. Celebrated
23. Bother
24. Stack
25. The distribution of forces
32. Runs in neutral
33. Put forth, as effort
34. Abaft
37. Prima donna problems
38. Pretentious
39. Anagram of "Ties"
40. Morning moisture
41. A garment
42. Promote
43. Disaster
45. Subarctic coniferous forests
49. Cap
50. Abrupt strong increase
53. In absence of
57. Criminal
59. Doing nothing
60. Mining finds
61. Not tall
62. Not a single one
63. Rodents
64. Product of bees
65. A metric unit of weight

DOWN
1. Canvas
2. Stigma
3. Ammunition
4. Lizards and snakes
5. Spunky
6. Fluff
7. Diminish
8. Honey insects
9. Thin strip
10. Horde
11. Leg bone
12. Small islands
13. Marsh growth
19. Cut of beef
21. God of love
25. Perished
26. Border
27. Farm equipment
28. Excellence
29. Spare
30. Homes for birds
31. Attempt
34. At the peak of
35. Cod or halibut
36. French for "Head"
38. "Eureka!"
39. Comforting
41. Neck warmer
42. Rascal
44. 30
45. Carcinoid
46. 3-banded armadillo
47. A small island
48. Estimate
51. Deep cut
52. Reflected sound
53. Be dressed in
54. Smell
55. Forearm bone
56. Swarm
58. 2,000 pounds



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administration, the federal government removed large numbers of unauthorized immigrants, expanded detention, and defended the principle that persons unlawfully present could be deported. Schumer stated in 2009 that illegal immigration was wrong and that people entering unlawfully should not be treated the same as those following the law. Once Trump made enforcement a defining issue, many Democrats increasingly described policies involving detention, removals, workplace enforcement, and restrictions on asylum as morally illegitimate rather than debating primarily how enforcement should be administered. The distinction between Obama's enforcement priorities and Trump's broader approach is important, but the change in tone and stated principle was substantial.

NATO burden-sharing offers another example. Presidents Obama and Biden repeatedly urged European allies to meet the alliance's agreed target of spending 2% of gross domestic product on defense. Obama publicly complained about "free riders" and warned that Europe could not continue relying disproportionately on the United States. When Trump used harsher language and threatened political consequences for allies that failed to meet their commitments, many Democratic officials portrayed the demand itself as hostility toward NATO. The fair criticism was that Trump's methods could weaken alliance confidence. It was less persuasive to suggest that requiring Europe to spend more on its own defense was objectionable when Democratic administrations had advocated the same substantive objective.

China policy provides a related example. Democratic officials had long criticized China's currency practices, intellectual-property theft, industrial subsidies, dumping, and exploitation of American markets. When Trump imposed tariffs and adopted a more confrontational trade policy, Democrats frequently attacked the approach as reckless and economically destructive. The Biden administration nevertheless retained most of Trump's China tariffs and later increased tariffs on electric vehicles, batteries, solar cells, semiconductors, steel, and aluminum. This does not show that every Trump tariff was wise. It does show that the central premise Trump advanced, that China's trade practices required stronger economic countermeasures, was ultimately accepted by many of the officials who had condemned his approach.

TikTok is an especially clean example of Trump being opposed and later vindicated. In 2020, Trump sought to restrict or force the divestiture of TikTok because of national-security concerns involving its Chinese parent company, ByteDance. His action was widely criticized as impulsive, legally defective, or politically motivated. The Biden administration and a bipartisan Congress later embraced essentially the same national-security concern, and Biden signed legislation requiring ByteDance to divest or face a prohibition. Democratic Senator Mark Warner candidly acknowledged that Trump had been right about TikTok and that earlier action would have been easier.

The impression is not one of principled resistance. It is that some opponents would rather see a policy fail than allow Trump to receive credit for its success. That is the very definition of psychotic.

TDS will ultimately fail because permanent outrage is difficult to sustain against accumulating results. If Trump continues producing lower border crossings, stronger allied defense commitments, greater domestic production, meaningful foreign-policy breakthroughs, and visible improvements to federal governance, simply calling him dangerous will not be enough. Democrats will need persuasive alternatives, not increasingly dramatic adjectives.

Trump should be criticized when criticism is warranted. He should also receive credit when credit is due. The inability to do both is not moral clarity. It is a form of political captivity and mental illness. As Trump's successes accumulate, the people most determined never to acknowledge them risk proving the very accusation they find so offensive: that their hatred of the president has become stronger than their loyalty to evidence, consistency, and the interests of the country.

Canada rejects Trudeau's energy errors

By Craig Rucker

How could Canada, the world's second-largest nation, blessed with vast natural resources, be starving for energy?

The climate-Left ideology of Justin Trudeau, of course!

Marc Morano appeared on Fox to reveal that Canada has finally jolted awake from its self-induced energy nightmare.

Marc explained that despite his own left-wing ideology, Canada's current PM, Mark Carney, has faced the reality "that these green policies were not sustainable."

"Carney used the word not 'sustainable' to talk about Trudeau's climate policy. He called Trudeau's policies 'expensive.' He called them 'divisive.' Canada is now opening up energy. They got rid of the carbon tax — at least they zeroed it out; it's still there on paper. They're adding pipelines to Asia, pipelines to the West Coast; they're exporting natural gas. It's a Trump Canadian version."

Canada has tremendous reserves of efficient energy and is bringing them back on-line.

That's great news.

Also check out our latest climate fact check, where we debunk media claims about an alleged "looming" El Niño catastrophe, Antarctica, heatwaves, & food production.

Canada's potential energy awakening shows that facts and good sense can carry the day.

We'll keep fact-checking. You keep sharing.

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healthcare and AIR CONDITIONING technologies, is a true blessing.

We can also be thankful if we aren't in Europe this summer, with its 40˚C (104˚F) heat wave – and virtually no air conditioning.

Europe certainly could have AC. Willis Carrier invented it in 1902. Air conditioning was common in American homes by the 1960s, and today 90% of all US households and businesses use it to stay cool, reduce humidity, protect equipment and products, work productively … and literally save lives.

But Europe has chosen not to. Actually, its ruling elites have chosen not to allow families and businesses to install AC systems or afford the electricity to operate them. They want to be global leaders in stopping "manmade" warming and climate change – and ensuring the "inevitable" transition from fossil fuel and nuclear power to unpredictable, unreliable, unaffordable wind, solar and unreliable backup electricity.

Heat waves typically mean little to no wind, and thus no wind power. Clouds and sunsets mean little to no solar power, while high daytime heat means panels become less efficient or even catch fire.

Your ancestors got along fine without AC, the elites tell their subjects. So can you. You're hot? Open a window and let that balmy 104˚ air flow into your home and workplace.

Europe had some 1,300 excess deaths so far this summer due to the heat, and 2,300 last summer. But it's not our fault you're sweltering and dying, its politicians say.

"As the second-largest emitter of greenhouse gases in the world," the United States bears "a significant responsibility for global warming and the consequences we in France are experiencing," Paris Deputy MayorAudrey Pulvar insists. And much of that is due to Americans' obsession with air conditioning.

At least France cares about saving the planet, its pols say. We're even sacrificing people, kind of like Mayans dropping virgins into cenotes, petitioning their climate gods to end a decades-long drought.

At least the USA is only the second worst culprit – after China, which emits 29% of total global carbon dioxide, and where 60% of households have air conditioning, compared to 10% in Europe. In Japan 91% of homes have air conditioning, 86% in Korea and 16% in Mexico. Their alleged contributions to the Euro heatwave are apparently irrelevant.

More than 80% of French citizens (including 78% of Green Party militants!) want air conditioning in residences, schools, hospitals, and public trains and buses. But their political betters view this as sacrilege, as do those inBritain and Germany.

France's Ecological Transition Ministry avers that AC may be necessary for those who are elderly, chronically ill or pregnant. Other people, however, should eat cold soups, wear hats, wet their faces, turn off computers, and put cardboard over sunny windows. Those other people don't include ruling classes, however.

Under Europe's 2-tier climate justice system, European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen directed her building manager to turn the AC off on floors 1-7 … but keep offices comfortably cool on floors 8-13, where she and her commissioners work diligently to stave off climate change, keep GMO foods out of EU grocery stores, and otherwise control people's lives.

The real cause of Europe's 2026 Summer in Hades is an enormous mid-troposphere high-pressure ridge (an "omega block" in the jet stream) that's transporting hot Sahara Desert air northward into western Europe. The phenomenon happens during many summers to varying "degrees" and has nothing to do with climate change, natural or manmade.

In fact, many of Europe's all-time national heat records were set long before modern CO2 concentrations reached 0.0432% (432 ppm): Ireland (1887), Bulgaria (1916), Poland (1921), Sweden (1947), Romania (1951), Norway (1970), Greece (1977).

(In the United States, thirteen of 50 state high temperature records were set in the 1930s and have never been broken. Every state has hit at least 100°F, including Alaska: 100˚F in 1915.)

I grew up nine miles from Wisconsin's Hearthstone House, the first home in the world lit by electricity (in 1882). My father was born and died in my boyhood home, which was built in 1880 and had electricity not long after Kaukauna (the "Electric City") built the state's first municipal hydroelectric plant in 1885.

Air conditioning through my high school years and beyond consisted of an old furnace blower that Dad set up inside our front screen door, to supposedly cool us off by pulling air through the first floor. But my brothers and I sweated bullets all summer long in our sunbaked southwest corner brick-faced bedroom.

My parents finally installed central air conditioning in 1981. "This is wonderful," he remarked. "I should have done this years ago."

I certainly agree. Thirty years earlier would have been nice. But it was my parents' home, their decision.

That's completely different from Europe's politicians and bureaucrats decreeing that poor and working classes will not have air conditioning, will not be able to afford AC if units are already installed, and may find government apparatchiks ripping units out if they try to use them.

Europe is undergoing moral and cultural decline – and an accompanying rise in rapes, murders and other crimes – due to "progressive" policies that eliminate borders, allow unfettered, unvetted immigration, and put criminals right back on the streets … or never arrest, prosecute or jail them in the first place.

It's also suffering economic and healthcare decay, as climate-centric policies eliminate oil and natural gas production, send prices through the roof for "renewable" electricity that will often not be there when families, schools, hospitals and factories need it – and send industries and jobs to foreign shores.

Some decry this as Europe's suicide. A more accurate term might be civilizational manslaughter, by ruling classes – and those who gave them too much power … and too little common sense and too much disdain for less well-off people they pledged to serve and protect.

There is growing concern that the United States could be heading down a similar primrose path, led by young voters, teachers and professors who fill them with anti-America, anti-free-market claptrap, and socialist-communist-Islamist mayors, governors, politicians and candidates who increasingly control the Democrat Party.

President Trump has helped control these pressures. But he too often gets insufficient congressional support for energy, election and immigration policies, and will soon be another former president.

The coming mid-term elections could prove pivotal, and the 2028 election monumental. America's patriots need to work like their Revolutionary forebears, not just hope for the best.

Let us all strive and pray for continued responsible energy policies and a renewed and more perfect union for our great nation.

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French Socialists would save us from the "scourge" of air conditioning

By Craig Rucker

Time to rip out your air conditioner!

That's the word from leading French Socialists.

Marc Morano posted that Emmanuel Grégoire, the Socialist mayor of Paris, proclaims that "individual air conditioning is a scourge... it makes the problem worse by heating the city even more." Grégoire thinks we should shift to "cooling collective spaces," because "we need to change our way of life."

Meanwhile, China is going full-on Fonzie, with 1.4 billion Chinese opting to live way cooler than 69 million sweating French.

The International Energy Agency projects that 85% of Chinese households will be air conditioned by 2030, more than double the 40% who kept cool in 2018.

The people of China are putting all those coal electricity plants their government built to good use.

What a surreal world we live in, where the Chinese Communist Party lets its people choose for themselves how to cool their homes, while Euro-Socialists mandate away comfort in the capital which once proclaimed everyone's rightsto "liberty, property, security, and resistance to oppression."



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Independence, and the third President of the United States. He stressed the critical role of elections in preserving freedom:

"The elective franchise, if guided as the ark of our safety, will peaceably dissipate all combinations to subvert a Constitution."

Jefferson communicated in the style of his day, which requires translation in 2026 to be fully appreciated. "Combinations" was the term used to describe corrupt political alliances plotting to seize power. Jefferson called on his fellow citizens to protect the integrity of the vote because if corrupted, the safety of the entire nation fails. Referring to the elections themselves as the "ark of our safety" (using the biblical reference of the Ark of the Covenant) to signify the profoundly sacred, essential, and life-saving anchor of the Republic, Jefferson implored his fellow citizens to use their vote to stop power grabs before they are able to destroy the Government.

The right to vote in Federal elections is restricted to citizens. It is estimated that more than 25 million non-citizens reside in the United States, about half of them here legally and the other half illegally. As astounding as it may seem, there is no universal requirement from state to state to show proof of citizenship as part of the process to register to vote. The vast majority of Americans, when surveyed, favor requiring proof of citizenship when registering to vote and a picture ID when voting.

The Safeguard American Voter Eligibility (SAVE) Act has been passed by the House and is currently hung up in the Senate. It includes three basic requirements for Federal elections:

Proof of citizenship when registering to vote.

Mandatory photo ID when voting.

Voter roll verification (Department of Justice verification that State voter rolls are limited to currently eligible voters.)

President Trump made this legislation a top priority, and he is battling members of both parties in the fight for election integrity. This is basic enforcement of existing law, a fundamental requirement of an orderly society. The Democrats are increasingly opposed to enforcing any laws, calling it cruel, and have labeled the SAVE Act "voter suppression" to generate public opposition to verifying voter eligibility. It becomes clearer every day that the American voters will not be buying the increasingly radical ideas the Democrats are selling, and they will have to cheat to win. Their motive for obstructing proof of citizenship and voter ID is obvious.

John Thune, Republican Senate Majority Leader, and many other career Republicans are as obstructive as the Democrats. They pretend to favor legislation to secure elections but hide behind Senate procedures to avoid delivering. President Trump has been hammering Thune to return to the talking filibuster to get this legislation passed and he has steadfastly refused. Every voter needs to understand what this actually means.

In 1975, the Senate moved from a talking filibuster to a silent filibuster. This allowed the minority party to merely state their intent to filibuster a bill and move on to other business. This was very significant because it meant that 60 votes were required to end debate and vote, even though there was no debate in process.

Contrast this with the talking filibuster which exhausts the minority party's ability to delay a vote. Instead of just declaring a filibuster to block a bill, the minority party is forced to physically hold the floor and continuously speak to maintain an objection.

There are two critical rules that ensure an end to debate. First, a "legislative day" is defined as a "day which continues from the beginning of a day's session following an adjournment until another adjournment." It is not the same as a calendar day and the party that is filibustering has to continuously speak until the Leader adjourns the session, which can be days.

The second rule is that Senators are limited to 2 speeches on the same legislative day. As the members of the minority party expend their speaking time, the ability to delay is exhausted. When the minority runs out of Senators who are eligible to speak, they must yield the floor and debate ends. At that point, an up or down vote with a simple majority decides the issue.

In addition to putting an end to limitless obstruction of the SAVE Act, the talking filibuster would force the Democrats to explain to the American people why they do not support verifying voter eligibility. John Thune has shown no indication he is willing to return to the talking filibuster. His excuse is not wanting to set a disruptive precedent. Getting behind Trump to flex our voter muscle and insist on passage of the SAVE Act is the clear first priority of the work we must do. Call your legislators! We must demand eligibility verification in the November midterms.

Drive the Democrats out of Office at the Ballot Box

Both political parties have been corrupted by money and power and ultimately will require a complete overhaul to remake them as parties that serve the people. Career politicians from both parties must be replaced by term-limited citizen legislators who serve for a time and then return to private life. But first things first. Once elections are secured, the next urgent priority must be to neutralize any ability the Democratic Party has to destroy our way of life. They are leaderless, unprincipled, and offer nothing to the American people except hatred of Donald Trump. Now, however, they have moved beyond feckless to extremely dangerous. In a pathetic and desperate attempt to regain power, they have shown they are willing to make room for communists in their Party, threatening the entire country.

Communists calling themselves Democratic Socialists have been winning Democratic primaries across the country and knocking out more moderate Democratic incumbents in the process. They make no attempt to hide their agenda, which is detailed on the Democratic Socialists of America website. They want to completely restructure the government and economy, replicating a form of government that has failed everywhere it has been tried. They seek to eliminate private ownership of the "means of production," transitioning utilities, major industries, and transportation from private ownership into public cooperatives. They would allow non-citizens to vote and unrestricted passage across our borders. Defunding police, abolishing ICE, and abolishing prisons are on the list along with Medicare for all, and abolishing the Electoral College. These haters of America are very open about their plan for Her destruction. They would be just another lunatic fringe group to ignore if not for the willingness of the Democrats to placate them. Nazi Germany revisited.

Prominent members of the Democratic Party including Hakeem Jeffries, Minority Leader of the House, and Chuck Schumer, Minority Leader of the Senate, have only inane comments to offer when asked what this all means. They hide behind the idea of a "big tent" as an excuse for their refusal to define the limits of their tolerance. They are so desperately trying to hold on to their seats at any cost, they are willing to surrender their Party to these radicals. Ironically, they will all be cast aside the moment these extreme enemies of freedom acquire power.

Republicans too, in Due Time

Career Republicans are corrupt and dysfunctional. They serve themselves rather than the people who elected them, but they are not an immediate threat to our way of life. The Constitution will survive their incompetence and dishonesty. We can afford to tolerate them a bit longer than the Democrats, but they too must go.

Donald Trump understands and cherishes freedom and is willing to fight for it even when it means going it alone. He will not pretend the corruption that permeates the Government does not exist. The media and career politicians from both parties, who have been called the Uniparty for their shared devotion to a system that enables them to be one another's fundraising foils rather than work for the people, make utter fools of themselves trying to explain the unwavering support for Trump. They haven't got a clue.

We have to understand a problem before we can solve it. It took a while, but we understand the problem now. Thomas Paine, one of our nation's Founders whose influential writing is credited with igniting the Revolution, argued that liberty is not a passive gift, but an active endeavor. He wrote, "Those who expect to reap the blessings of freedom, must, like men, undergo the fatigues of supporting it". The greatest danger to our future is apathy. What kind of difference will you make?

Happy Birthday America! And many happy returns of the day!

Heat Waves *cont. from page 1*

it is due to "climate change," and by "climate change," they mean temperature rise caused by humanity's carbon dioxide (CO2) emissions.

Bernie Sanders posted that "Europe is suffering through its worst heat wave in recorded history…No, Mr. Trump. Climate change is not a 'hoax.' We must stop fossil fuel industry greed and save the planet."

A purportedly scientific article on Phys.org says that "Heat waves are Europe's biggest climate threat. These episodes of extreme heat compound rising average air temperatures across the world, all of which is the direct result of greenhouse gas emissions." And Canada's Global News writes that "The World Weather Attribution analysis said the European heat wave would have been 'virtually impossible' without human-caused climate change."

But are heat waves really our fault? Are they increasing, spelling climate doom to us all?





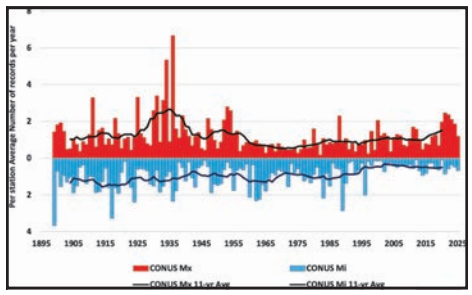
In meteorologist Chris Martz's post on X.com (Martz is a science policy analyst with CFACT), he reminds us that there has been no increase in heat waves in the U.S. since the start of the 20th century. This was studied by atmospheric physicist Dr. John Christy in his paper "Declines in hot and cold daily temperature extremes in the conterminous US, 1899–2025," where he found that "instances of both hot and cold extreme metrics have declined since 1899." We have additionally seen that 38 US states set high-temperature records prior to 1955.

In Europe, trends over the last century are not consistent, and in many regions, we don't have enough pre-1950 data to detect a trend. Yet the many claims that record high temperatures are being set don't pan out under scrutiny: as explained by Martz in response to claims that France set its "hottest-ever day," in actuality, Verargues, France, reached 46.0°C (114.8°F) on June 28, 2019, which is higher than any apparent "record" set during the current heat wave. Additionally, Earth scientist Dr. Matthew Wielicki writes that "A single heat wave isn't evidence of a long-term trend, and extreme heat is not unique to the modern era." Regarding the current European high temperatures, he writes:

"Several of Europe's all-time national heat records were set long before modern CO2concentrations reached current levels, including Poland (1921), Romania (1951), Bulgaria (1916), Ireland (1887), Sweden (1947), Norway (1970), and Greece (1977). At the same time, a large cluster of Western European records were set during the major heat waves of 2003, 2019, 2021, and 2022."

Additionally, in 1911, before air conditioning was common and when CO2 levels were lower, France suffered a heat wave that killed an estimated 41,000 people. So although the current heat wave has been devastating and is not to be taken lightly, it is by no means the worst we have seen in Europe, and is clearly not related to CO2 emissions.

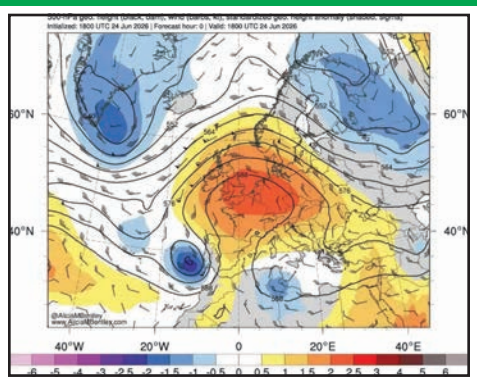
The following graph illustrates the average number of daily maximum (red) and minimum (blue) temperature records each year since 1899 in the U.S. There is no upward trend in the severity of extreme temperatures.



The hot and cold daily temperature extremes in the coterminous U.S., with the black lines indicating the 11-year centered average

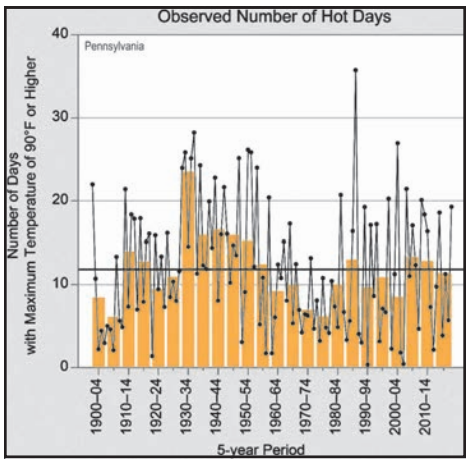
(Ref: Christy: Declines in hot and cold daily temperature extremes in the conterminous US, 1899–2025)

Martz also explains how the current heat wave has been caused by changes in the circulation patterns in the atmosphere. In particular, this is called an "omega block." The image below shows the weather pattern, shaped like the Greek letter omega (Ω). It is "an enormous high-pressure ridge in the mid-troposphere that is sandwiched between two low-pressure systems to its east and west." This moves hot Saharan air into western Europe, an entirely natural process unrelated to greenhouse gas emissions. The hot air is "sandwiched" between low-pressure areas, preventing normal airflow to the region. The heat continues to build up over time, typically lasting for three to ten days, but sometimes for weeks. Yet even if there has been an overall increase in "global mean temperature" worldwide, Martz says that it "has very little to do with this event."



The temperature gradient over Europe on June 24, 2026 (from Martz's X post).

In Linnea Lueken's article (Lueken is a Research Fellow with the Arthur B. Robinson Center on Climate and Environmental Policy at The Heartland Institute), she also explains that heat waves are not a result of climate change and that data for the U.S. shows that instances of extreme weather are less prevalent today than they were in the mid 20th century. For instance, the graph below shows the number of days with high heat (90°F or higher) in Pennsylvania from 1900 to 2014. There is no increased instance of extreme heat, as seen by the straight black trend line.



The number of hot days in Pennsylvania from NOAA

(Ref: Lueken's article "https://climaterealism.com/2026/04/no-whyy-a-heat-wave-is-no-fingerprint-of-climate-change/")

Lueken also explains that so-called "attribution studies," where individual weather events are attributed to climate change, "don't provide evidence of warming." The models that these studies rely upon have failed to accurately predict real temperature changes, and their extreme weather predictions have not come to pass. It is important to rely on real data and carefully look at the historical record rather than continuing to promote hyped up claims.

Anthony Watts, also a Heartland Senior Fellow and the operator of wattsupwiththat.com, the most viewed climate website in the world, writes that the real failure is not climate change, but Europe's failure to allow people to equip themselves with proper air conditioning. More than 90% of American homes have air conditioning, but only about 20% of European homes do. This is a result of government policies regarding electricity consumption and CO2 emissions rather than limited technology.

When it comes to heat waves, we need to prepare people to be resilient against these extreme events. Access to fresh water, affordable electricity, and as well as reliable air conditioning is crucial to help vulnerable populations survive. Claiming that our CO2 emissions are exacerbating heat waves and that air conditioners should be banned due to climate change concerns is not only incorrect but immoral, preventing many of the old, young, and sick from surviving hotter—but entirely natural—periods of time.

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Vatican Newspaper Taints 'Encounter of Faith and Reason' With Climate Falsehood

By Frits Byron Soepyan

By reporting the sensational claims of UNICEF, the Vatican newspaper L'Osservatore Romano joins in the fearmongering of climate alarmists whose credibility suffers from a lack of scientific facts.

Drawing on UNICEF's Children's Climate Risk Report 2026, the paper's front-page, June 16 story, "Emergenze climatiche: Il cielo sopra i bam (Climate Emergencies: The Sky Above the Children)," claims that half of the world's children are "threatened daily" by "extreme climate events." The article lists the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions as a way to mitigate "climate risks." UNICEF's report also urges the phasing out of fossil fuels in favor of "renewable" energy.

But are children, or anybody, really endangered by a climate crisis? Let's see what the data say.

The EM-DAT database from the University of Louvain's Centre for Research on the Epidemiology of Disasters confirms that natural disasters did not become more frequent from about 2000 onward. Before then, the system for disaster reporting was still in the process of being developed. That means that a rise in the stated number of disasters during the 20th century reflects better reporting from more stations, rather than an increase in disaster frequency.

For instance, the global percentage of land area affected by drought has been decreasing since 1950. Similarly, in the United States, heat waves peaked in the 1930s, and the severity and frequency of wildfires dropped significantly from 1926 to 2025. The area burned annually by wildfires declined by about 90% since its peak in 1930.

According to worldwide data compiled by Dr. Ryan N. Maue, tropical cyclones, tropical storms, and hurricanes are not becoming more violent or frequent. Since the 1920s, the decadal number of deaths from natural disasters dropped by more than 90% by the 2010s.

With no increase in the severity and frequency of natural disasters, and a dramatic drop in disaster-induced mortality, there simply is no basis for the Vatican newspaper's sensationalism.

Although recent decades have seen increasing atmospheric concentrations of various greenhouse gases, including carbon dioxide (CO_2), methane, and nitrous oxide, they cannot be blamed for causing "climate emergencies," as there are none to begin with.

In fact, as an essential gas for life, CO_2 better supports plant growth as its atmospheric concentration increases. Plants grow bigger, produce more food, and use water more efficiently, enabling them to better resist drought. NASA has confirmed that Earth has been greening for decades, with higher levels of CO_2 responsible for 70% of new growth.

Given these benefits, it is foolish to attempt to reduce levels of carbon dioxide. If anything, more is needed.

It's also ironic that extreme heat has been included among the "extreme climate events," given that cold killed more than nine times as many people than heat during 2000–2019.

Perhaps even more ironic is UNICEF's call for "a just transition towards renewable energy," while claiming to be fighting for children's rights, considering that child labor has been used in mining the metals required for manufacturing electric vehicles (EVs).

As if that's not bad enough, the mining of the metals needed for wind and solar energy systems and EVs has resulted in environmental destruction: Wildlife have been killed by the operation of wind and solar installations; the failure of these uniquely unreliable energy systems during times of high demand for electricity has resulted in human deaths; and toxic chemicals have been released by exploding battery storage plants, which were built for "renewable" systems, and by solar panels damaged by storms.

The Vatican newspaper includes in its editorial mission the "encounter between faith and reason," but taints the meeting of the two with irrational hyperbole.

Hugh Owen, Director of the Kolbe Center for the Study of Creation, said that religion and science "are at odds only when false information from either the science side, or the religion side, or both, enters the mix." Unfortunately, L'Osservatore Romano has included false information from the science side in its editorial content.

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much water and electricity – that's just old news. There you go – problem solved – let's just get back to building the future.

Well, unfortunately not one of these statements is true. I have been working across the nation with local citizens involved in opposition to the data centers. There is absolutely no evidence of China money or organized Leftist protesters being bussed in to protest data centers. If that were happening the protest rallies would not be the well-mannered, non-violent meetings of people who just want their position to be heard. If any money is being spent by the corporations to buy support, then it might be finding its way into some politician's pocket – but certainly not into the hands of the local citizens who are suffering from the destruction of their lives. One report entitled "Grassroots Revolt or Manufactured Panic" posted on the social media page X turned out to have been written by someone our research says was possibly paid substantial money by George Soros to help spread the misinformation about the protesters. Get the picture?

Let's get to the truth.

Let's start with the water usage. Amazon, one of the largest producers of data centers, just published a report admitting its facilities used 2.5 billion gallons of water last year. However, some experts have stated that it was as much as 40 times higher, perhaps up to 6.25 billion gallons when all usage is included.

We've all heard the radical environmentalists claiming that cattle herds are causing great damage to water supplies in rural areas. However, compare this fact to the data centers – a cow consumes about 35 gallons of water a day. At the water use levels Amazon is admitting to, then one data center is using about the same as 140,000 cows – per day!

This is the same water local communities depend on for drinking. Many communities are finding their once pure water to be contaminated. Meanwhile reports are coming from many communities that citizens are suffering from poor water pressure as they turn on the faucet and nothing comes out during their everyday lives. Those citizens are turning up at local city council meetings to protest the data centers.

How about all that electricity the data centers are reported to be using. The promoters tell us they don't really use that much because those are old figures and they have new technology to cut back on electrical use. One chart making the rounds shows that it takes more water to produce watermelons than the data center uses. Well, here's some reality: In the Lake Tahoe, Nevada area nearly 50,000 people have been told that their utility will stop providing power to them, because it's redirecting that power to data centers. In Indiana, an $11billion Amazon data center will use as much power as one million residential homes. In Utah, the proposed 40,000 acre data center will use as much electricity as the whole state now uses. Now add those figures to the fact that many areas hold multiple data centers, perhaps as many as five or ten maybe more, as in New Albany, Ohio. Now do the math. How long can the power grid tolerate this massive use? Goldman Sachs is projecting that data center electricity demand could rise by 165% by 2030. This is why local residents are turning up at city council meetings to protest the data centers.

Data Centers will bring jobs, property taxes, and prosperity to the community? It's been widely reported that AI is a killer of jobs, replacing both white collar management positions and blue-collar assembly jobs with robots. But will the data centers provide a break from such destruction of the local economy? No. Data centers provide next to nothing in the way of permanent jobs. Yes, they create many for the construction, but that's just temporary. Once built, most data centers, no matter the size, provide very few jobs, perhaps 25-50. Some less. In Virginia, a report shows the data centers provide one permanent job for every $54 million invested. Oracle recently sent an email to 30,000 employees, telling them they no longer have jobs. The excuse is that the savings in payroll will supply the company with $8 to $10 billion to be used on data centers. Mark Zuckleberg just took similar action, eliminating about 8,000 jobs. This will eventually lead to the destruction of America's economy. Oh, but we will get lots of new money for the community from property taxes on the data centers – nope. Most local governments are providing property tax breaks to encourage the corporations to build there. This is why people are protesting the data centers.

The fact is, most people are protesting the data centers because of how they are (or will be) affecting their personal property values. Imagine you live in a beautiful, quiet area. Suddenly you learn a massive data center is being built within 400 yards of your house. Or you live in a nice neighborhood with several hundred homes or townhouses and now one is being built right on the edge of your street. As it goes into operation there is a constant loud humming from the equipment inside. Science is now reporting that these centers are changing the atmosphere in the neighborhoods, especially when multiple centers are gathered together. AI data centers can cause climate warming of their surrounding areas by as much as 9.1degrees C. The environment, the peace and property values are all affected. Yet, no panic from Greta Thunberg. "How dare you!"

What about that fear from local officials that they can't defend your community development and property rights because the Data Center companies will sue? Bull! Lawsuits are not one-way deals. Just because someone sues does not mean they win. Let the corporations file suit. If they are violating your property rights or forcing a change of your way of life or creating danger – they are in violation. You win against their suit! How about the claim that it's their right to do anything they want on their property? The fact is no one has a right to do anything on their property if it causes damage to others or their quality of life! Those are called nuisance lawsuits, and they have helped property owners against bad neighbors since the beginning of human settlements. Use that counterattack to fight back. Defeat a few of their suits and they will stop that tactic. The law is with you.

Keep in mind what the real reason that these massive data centers are being built. I don't disagree with the fact that we need much of this technology for the military, and there are some good developments concerning healthcare and a few other details. But 5,000 of them are not necessary to keep up with China which currently has only about 500 and are much smaller than those in America. And it has nothing to do with updating your internet and social media capabilities. We have been doing just fine with that for over two decades.

Why, then is the nation being subjected to this assault? Total surveillance of everything taking place in the nation. Well beyond military purposes, the full data center purpose is to collect and store every single piece of information that makes up human society. That includes everyone's biometrics, every daily action, every bank account transaction, every purchase, who you associate with, what you own, where you travel, and much more. A quote from Oracle founder Larry Ellison says it all, a vast AI-fueled surveillance system can ensure "citizens will be on their best behavior." In other words, AI will enable a vast surveillance system that can monitor citizens. All parked in the technical cloud. To collect and store such a huge amount of information requires a massive amount of equipment and space. Can it be any clearer?

Uncontrolled AI and its side effects may be the greatest threat to freedom any generation of Americans have ever faced. This is your time to lead the fight to stop it. You now have the basic facts. Reduce the building of the data centers and you will reduce the threat of AI. Stand firm and don't stop until you win. Control the building of data centers and you will control AI.

Yes, you are up against powerful forces. Understand, the pro-data center forces greatest fear now is a dedicated and well-organized local opposition armed with the truth. That's because they know we can win. It's equally important that you don't fall for the fallacy that you can rely on one political savior to win the fight for you. You must stand for YOUR rights, arm in arm with your equally dedicated neighbors.

As the fight to protect our nation's free market economy, our private property, and personal choice – the three pillars of freedom, we freedom fighters are being labeled as "anti-technology luddites who are stopping progress!" I'm shocked to experience criticism from long-dedicated conservative associates who are accepting the corporate attack on our liberties as "progress."

For thirty-five years I have been sounding the alarm about the growing global force determined to gain control of our lives as they eliminate our national sovereignty and culture. As the Southern Poverty Law Center produced four separate reports on me using the labels of conspiracy theorist and domestic terrorist, every single thing I warned about has come true. Now, today, as I'm using the same determination to expose these technocracy threats of AI, I'm now being labeled an anti-tech extremist and a luddite by my own government and even some long-time conservative allies. Well, now tell me I am wrong!

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The Supreme Court Sided With Girls. Wisconsin Families Are Watching What Comes Next

From WI Catholic Engagement

Last week the Supreme Court ruled 6 to 3: states have the right to keep boys out of girls' sports. The case came out of West Virginia, but the ruling reaches every state in the country. Twenty-seven states already have laws protecting girls' athletic teams. Wisconsin does not.

The Catholic Church has been saying this for years. When Wisconsin's Catholic bishops testified before the legislature this year, they brought the words of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops with them: when boys compete in girls' sports, it is "both unfair and — especially in high-contact sports — unsafe." Every time a spot on a girls' team goes to a male athlete, a Wisconsin girl loses her chance. That is not a political opinion. That is what the bishops said, and now the Supreme Court agrees.

Our legislature has tried to fix this twice. Both times, Governor Evers vetoed the bill. The Supreme Court just confirmed those bills were constitutional all along. Whether Wisconsin finally joins the other 29 states will be decided by whoever sits in the governor's office after November. Wisconsin Catholics — including every parent with a daughter in a public or Catholic school, parochial league, or diocesan athletic program — will have something to say about that.

"One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic"

From WI Catholic Engagement

We know, through the teachings of Christ, that there is only one true God — three Divine Persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Even though there are those, outside of and even within the Universal Church, who would like us to believe that all gods are part of the One True God, they are sorely mistaken and have misconstrued the actual apostolic teachings.

They confuse this with the belief that one who has never been exposed to the truth, but who lives his life in such a way that — if presented the Fullness of Faith — would embrace it, may have what is called a Baptism of Desire. That is true.

But if that faith is founded upon false teachings — adhering to a belief in a man-made or pagan god who does not have the attributes of a loving and merciful Father, but instead holds the doctrine that all who do not believe must be either subjugated or killed — such a deity is not only false but carries with it a demonic foundation. To correlate such an unholy concept with a loving and affectionate Father God would be an abomination.

Therefore, to say that we all worship the same God is objectively false, and does nothing more than confuse the faithful, who can easily fall into the heresy that salvation can be found outside of the Church.

I state this emphatically: there is no salvation outside of Christ's Church, which was founded on the Apostles.

At the same time, one must understand that everyone who is baptized using water in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit — regardless of denomination — is a part of the Mystical Body of Christ, even without complete knowledge of the Fullness of Faith.

Satan, the father of lies, would have us create and believe in a one world religion — melding all compatible beliefs into a watered-down version of what may appear as truth, but is in reality no more than an appeasement to the fallen nature of mankind, guaranteeing that, once embraced, all morality would be subject to the whims of the individual, making almost certain their eternal demise, as well as the death of any civil society.

As true believers, we have an obligation to hold fast to the Fullness of Faith as revealed by Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, transmitted to us through the Apostles and handed on faithfully throughout the centuries — guaranteed through the promised Holy Spirit, who has guided us along the path of truth and protected, for all of humanity, the Deposit of Faith.

God bless you.

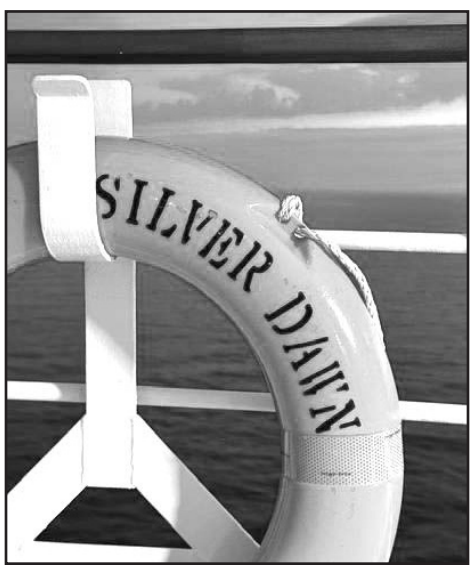
The Cost of Academic Freedom

By Chris Kemble

Hillsdale is the last independent college in the US, free from federal regulation oversight. The Carter administration put the squeeze on, demanding onerous compliance, so Hillsdale was forced to decline federal funding. Then the Carter administration proclaimed that because some students get government loans, Hillsdale must still abide by their rules, so the college was forced to find independent funding for students too. President Larry Arnn says the regulations are 500 pages long, and only an expert or two knows what they mean. It is eye-opening to understand that federal education funding is really about forcing obedience across academia.

Hillsdale also stands out with its monthly Imprimis national speech digest. 7,500,000 read it. It features speeches by top conservatives and is free and will be sent to you for the asking. Hillsdale also has free online classes in eight categories, including history, economics, and politics. Millions have taken these courses.

Hillsdale College had its 22nd cruise recently, sailing on the luxurious Silver Dawn to Norway and Denmark. About 350 people were in our group. We were able to talk to about 50 people from across the US about our crime history educational website, StopCrimeUSA.com. We met some influencers like Sean Davis, the founder of the Federalist.



They Were Already Praying on That Island 107 Years Before the Declaration Was Signed

From WI Catholic Engagement

In the fall of 1669, Father Claude Allouez and Father Jacques Marquette came to La Pointe on Madeline Island, the largest of the Apostle Islands in Lake Superior, in what is now Ashland County, Wisconsin. They were Jesuit missionaries. The Ojibwe people had been there for centuries. The two priests came to minister to them.

That was 1669. The Declaration of Independence would not be signed for another 107 years.

The parish they founded — St. Joseph, La Pointe — is the oldest Catholic church in Wisconsin, according to the Diocese of Superior's own history. The mission was interrupted for more than a century when conflict forced the Ojibwe from the area. Then, on July 17, 1835, a priest crossed Lake Superior and came back to Madeline Island to re-establish it.

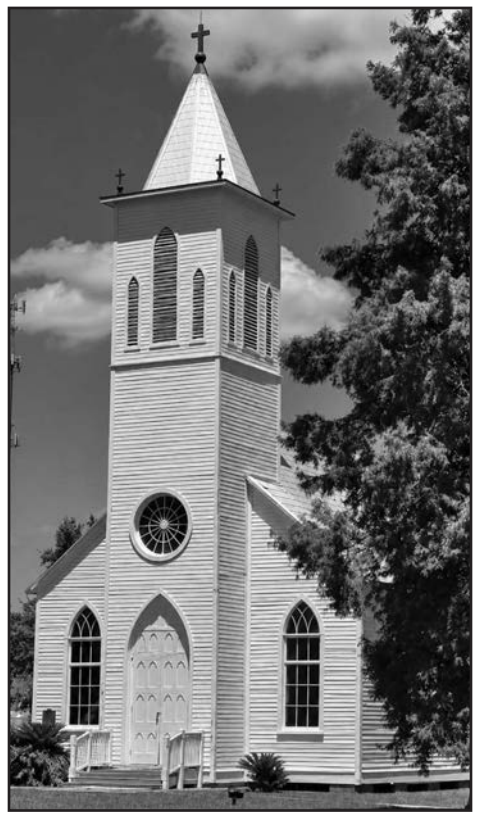
His name was Father Frederic Baraga. He is remembered in Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula of Michigan as the "Snowshoe Priest." He traveled by canoe, by foot, and — in the brutal Lake Superior winters — on snowshoes. He went where the people were, whatever the season required. La Pointe became his headquarters from 1835 to 1843. He learned Ojibwe well enough to write a dictionary and a grammar of the language, so that what he knew could outlast him.

In 1838, Bishop Frederic Rese of Detroit made the crossing to Madeline Island to confirm 112 adults. A new, larger church was dedicated that year. The community that had gathered around Father Baraga had grown enough that the Bishop himself made the journey.

The 1838 church burned on June 10, 1901. The current building was completed in 1902 on the same ground. Mass is still said there. The island requires a ferry from Bayfield. The lake is cold and blue and very large. The church is small. Neither of those things has ever been a reason for a Wisconsin Catholic not to show up.

St. Joseph is in the Diocese of Superior — the same diocese where the Catholic Charities Bureau case went all the way to the United States Supreme Court and came back as a unanimous victory for the Church. The faith in northern Wisconsin has been tested before. It tends to come back.

Tomorrow the country turns 250. The parish on Madeline Island turns 357.



A Rotten Egg

"And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of sea and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth." Genesis 1:28

By Riley J. Hood

On December 15th, 2013 I posted an article for the Constitution Party of Wisconsin. I am re-issuing this article in redacted form. I wrote: Every several months I get sent a form letter from a group called Negative Population Growth. I have never signed up for such a letter, but somehow, because I oppose amnesty for illegal migrants, they think I am open to their ideas. Their form letters talk about the chaos at the borders, and other issues that are covered by more legitimate groups, but near the end of their newsletters, they allude to their agenda:

NPG stated, "For over 40 years, NPG has served as one of America's leading grassroots organizations working for a reasonable, responsible national population policy." That means eugenics, such as Planned Parenthood, or the Nazi Party, or the Peoples Republic of China's one child per family limit-forced abortion policy. That smacks of Paul Harvey's continual carping about forcing parents to have a government license, before they are allowed to have children."

Do we need to secure the integrity of our Nation? Yes, we do, and our US Constitution provides ample authority to the Federal Government to do precisely that. Our federal government's failure doesn't translate into support for un-American groups that exploit an issue, to promote a socialist agenda. As chaotic as the borders are, our main problems in America are two-fold; we have rejected Jesus Christ, and we have rejected the Moral Order.

I affirm that when a house is littered with crumbs, rotting food, and backed up sewerage, that that house will attract pests. You clean house, before you invest in a bigger better mouse-trap. America's house is filthy, and we have no shortage of people whose idea of freedom is "free cheese." (Trump has the will deport the most grievous offenders, but not the illegal communities that support them. Congress has no will to deport anyone.)

America must clean house, and end government welfare, all of it. We don't need the evolution-based socialism of the 1930's to do it. I support border security, but I support being Pro-Life even more. We must never introduce the alien idea of eugenics as the answer to securing our borders. Whenever one is confronted with a threat to our national survival, one must also ask the question, "Survive as what? as a Socialist State?" I affirm with Ben Franklin that those who trade liberty for security will get neither and deserve neither.

I affirm the liberty of the Christian family to have and raise as many children as God blesses them with, "Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward. As arrows in the hand of a mighty man, so are children of youth. Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed, but they shall speak with the enemies in the gate." Psalm 127:3-5

Restore Allodial Property!

By Radical Rolf Lindgren

Article 1, section 14 of the Wisconsin Constitution states:

"All lands within the state are declared to be allodial, and feudal tenures are prohibited."

What does allodial property mean?

It basically means that you own your real property, absolutely free of any superior sovereign. At least that what's it's supposed to mean, but big government has had other ideas.

Allodial property means no government regulations on your property use. None. It means no zoning laws. It means no building codes. It means no smart growth. It would also mean no property taxes or eminent domain, except a different provision in Article VIII, Section 1 of the Wisconsin Constitution does allow for taxes. A provision in Article I, section 13 permits eminent domain.

Government schools do a terrible job teaching our students about allodial property rights. So do the law schools. Government licenses to operate your business would be a non-starter if we followed the concept of allodial property.

It might be a tough sell to get the Wisconsin legislature or Supreme Court to adhere to the principle of allodial property. But the language exists in the Wisconsin Constitution in black & white. So any legislator or judge can merely refer to the plain language of the text to defend their position, should the spirit move them.

It should be noted that Thomas Jefferson was a strident defender of allodial property in his influential 1774 "Summary View of the Rights of British America". This is the book that made Jefferson a famous national figure.

If you think the concept of allodial property in Wisconsin is too radical, it would be a better idea to amend the Constitution rather than undermine the rule of law.

[Kudos to well-known Wisconsin Patriot Orv Seymer, of Franklin, for educating me on allodial property.]

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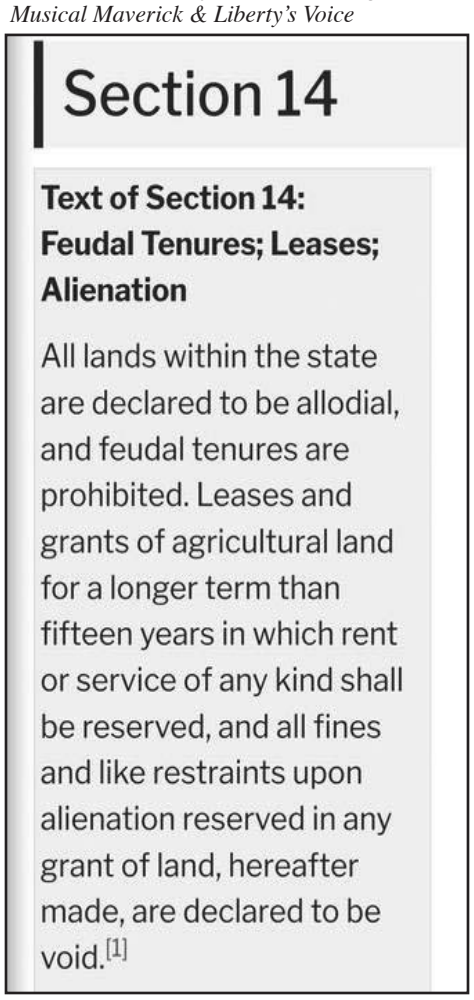

Falun-Gong

"One law shall be to him that is homeborn, and unto the stranger that sojourneth among you." Exodus 12:49

By Riley J. Hood

I have been handed several copies of the Epoch Times, and I must say, that the paper has always seemed hinky to me. I know the Moonies published the Washington Times, and I wondered if they were involved in the Epoch Times. In every copy of Epoch Times that I have read, there was always an ad for Falun-Gong. There are always puff articles for Falun-Gong. I always thought of it as Tai-Chi, or Yoga, some kind of eastern religious breathing exercises. That paper may pass itself off as conservative, but it is not Christian.

In May I saw an email from the Heritage Foundation about China's organ harvesting policies. In it there was a picture of two protestors with a banner that read, "Chinese Communist Party is Harvesting Organs from Falun-Gong Practitioners." It rightly talks about the fact that just like China has forced abortions, it has forced organ donations, to wit the murder of people in order to harvest their organs. The Chinese Communist Party murders people after they incarcerate them, for profit, and that isn't organ donation, but 'cruel and unusual punishment.' I'm quite certain practitioners of Falun-Gong are not the only ones being persecuted and murdered. Christians have tormented by the PRC, ever since Mao conquered China in 1949.

According to faluninfo.net, it is also known as Falun Dafa. Founded by Li Hongzhi, it is a "spiritual practice," combining qigong breathing exercises with a philosophy based on Truthfulness (Zhen), Compassion (Shan), and Forbearance (Ren). These are believed to be the qualities of the universe. It focuses on eliminating negative karma, enlightenment, and health. They believe in black karma, or bad karma, and white karma or good karma, aka yin and yang. Their inclusion of karma makes this a Buddhist type practice, as karma is a doctrine of Hinduism and Buddhism. Practitioners also reject earthly desires, which is Buddhist ideology. This is different than striving against sin. The Falun, is the movements symbol, the "Law Wheel" is a rotating mechanism, like a Buddhist prayer wheel, according to google, "installed in the practitioner's lower abdomen," to absorb the energy of the universe.

Hongzhi is considered to be not merely a teacher, but an enlightened being, and ultimate guide to the truth of the cosmos. Established in 1992, their text, Zhuan Falun, includes the mystical, supernatural abilities such as clairvoyance, telepathy, and the "third eye" of Hindu and Buddhist fame. Unlike traditional Buddhism, that promotes monasteries, Falun Gong devotees are expected to have families, work, and be law-abiding citizens. They believe health problems stem from bad karma, thus their public stance on avoiding conventional medical treatments. Given its devotion to a single person, that makes this a personality cult, as opposed to your average yoga or martial arts class, which do have eastern religious views, because they were birthed out of eastern religion.

Are these people human beings with rights from God their Creator? Yes. But they don't know who God is, because they reject the Bible, where such ideas of God-Given Rights originate. They have a false-messiah, thus rejecting the real Messiah is Jesus Christ. So, while one ought to stand up for their persons as men and women, we must not embrace or abet their false religion. We must not bring their false religion here to America, no matter what Jeffersonian arrogances libertarians want to spout. Jefferson talked about welcoming in "erring sects," as if they would become Christians by osmosis. That false idea has proven to be utterly unworkable. Being a Christian may not be necessary to being a citizen, but it is necessary to be a real American, and to preserve this nation. I know I have just offended many liberals, but America was founded by Christians, not to have a free for all, or polytheism, but to have "A City set on a hill." In other words, a Christian Nation.

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in the opal mines for a while. Then he fell in love and I wasn't taking a boat anywhere alone. So, I became a stewardess and soon got based in Washington, D.C. I met many governmental officials there and on the planes. I had dinner with some and met others at parties, fund-raisers, and other functions.

Silly me, I saw some unexpected and even repugnant behavior and even wanna-be world leaders, yet never saw any as evil planners of world destruction. But then I was naïve. Very naïve, I could see the plan of taking over from a constitutional governance to despotic control, but I never dreamed of the depth of that control.

I don't watch TV. I do read a lot – mostly non-fiction, and I receive many articles across the property rights issue to peruse and perhaps borrow from.

Seriously, folks, I may be losing a few marbles, but even I remember when President Clinton gave VP Al Gore the task of reinventing our federal government under the title National Partnership for Reinventing Government (NPR) an interagency task force tasked to reform and streamline the way the federal government works, with the need to transfer power from Congress to the executive branch.

That explains why Congress has been irrelevant for several decades now; they are but puppets set up to distract us from what the Globalists are doing through NGOs and other international bodies. We can see that both the House and Senate are populated by puppets paid to distract us, while they continue on the path of erasing our constitutional government and replacing it with Sustainable Development/ Green New Deal/etc. We watch them doing the "Trey Gowdy" – giving us a great attack on some bill or other, then doing nothing about it other than voting for it when the time comes.

But the House no longer writes the bills; they are given bills from the globalist Public/ Private/Partnerships to present as the work of those "overworked" Congressmen and women who are "trying" to bring America back to pre-globalist/technocracy times. And "we the people" are supposed to fawn over their hard work and caring words.

So why hasn't one of them told us the plan? Why hasn't a Senator or Congressman the decency to warn us of the diabolic, no, beyond diabolic, plans for us "useless eaters"? Doesn't one single man or woman in congress have the decency to warn us what is coming?

Wake up, America! That isn't what is going on here even though we have been told – sort of – through movies and novels.

Yes the globalists, following the new directive of Sustainable Development changed our entire government. President Clinton gave his V.P. Al Gore the assignment to reinvent government. The blueprint was already written by brilliant, but evil men and women who had been behind the scenes all along — beginning with Rockefeller, Lenin, the British royal family, Carnegie. They were evil people who wanted control of the world. Now, we have equally evil men and women who have unbelievably more dangerous weapon and have already begun to use them on the citizens of the world.

All of D.C. actions are scripted, and few of us seem to be concerned. Why? Why is there no one who has the chutzpah to stand up and tell the truth of what is going on? The founders of our nation were willing to stand for truth and justice. Remember "Give me liberty or give me death? Today, not one man or woman in the House, Senate, or any other office is willing to be frank with us, to tell the truth. They ALL LIE– either by commission or omission. But the truth will out.

I need not speak of Mainstream Media; they were outed long ago. So, there are sites on the internet that inform and educate us. How long will they be allowed to speak? Actually, they don't need to be censured (but will be) because they are in the minority and so much of the public has been dumbed-down that it probably won't matter.

Until recently, I believed that if enough of us speak out and get enough people to understand the threat, that eventually, enough will wake up – if given enough time. But that thought was last week. I no longer think those thoughts. I thought I understood most of what was happening; yes, I read the books of the enemies of freedom and watched their actions. I've written so many articles exposing them. But even I was naïve. I had no idea of how truly diabolic their plans were or how far they would go to destroy us.

Then, this weekend, I listened to two stunning videos and learned far more than I ever wanted to know – or of the evils man could design to torture and murder his fellow man.

If you listen to both and tell me you are ready to fight for freedom, no matter their advantage, I will have hope

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Puzzle Answers

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Paul Jennings; "Mr. Madison, I think, was one of the best men that ever lived."

By Rolf Lindgren

Paul Jennings was born a slave in 1799 to the family of James Madison, Sr., who was the father of famous Founding Father James Madison, Jr. Jennings was born on the Madison plantation, called Montpelier, in Virgina. It should be noted that when James Madison, Jr. was writing the Constitution, Federalist Papers and Bill-of-Rights, he didn't own any slaves.

James Madison had a younger brother named Ambrose, who was supposed to inherit the Madison plantation. However, Ambrose had died in 1793, so James Jr. was chosen to inherit the property.

James Madison Sr. died on February 27, 1801, just ten days after Thomas Jefferson was elected President, when Paul Jennings was still an infant. Six days after James, Sr. died, on March 5, 1801, James Madison Jr. was appointed Secretary of State. Madison Jr. served as Secretary of State for eight years and then was President of the United States for another eight years.

In those 16 years, Madison was arguably the most powerful and influential executive leader America has ever known. As Secretary, he orchestrated the Louisiana Purchase and managed logistics of the Lewis & Clark Expedition. He was often referred to as the "Co-President" because he conferred with Jefferson on every important decision. As President he led America to victory in the War of 1812, while following Constitutional rules to the letter. This was the only war fought under the Constitution where the enemy had a bigger Gross National Product than us. The British Empire had a five times larger economy.

As James Madison Jr. was doing groundbreaking work in Washington DC, young Paul Jennings was growing up. When Jennings was ten, in 1809, he moved into the President's House with new President James Madison. When Jennings was 15 years old, on August 24, 1814, he helped save the famous painting of George Washington from the President's House that was soon to burn down from a British attack. Although Dolley Madison ordered the painting to be saved, young Jennings is the one who was actually in the room with two others, the gardener and the butler, who preserved it.

In 1817, James Madison and Paul Jennings moved back to Montpelier. By this time, Madison was 66 years old. Madison's mom Nelly also lived there. She lived until 1829 and died there when she was 98 years old. Paul Jennings married a slave named Fanny and had five children. Three of their sons later fought for the Union in the Civil War. Jennings was the personal slave of James Madison until Madison died in 1836.

There was a big problem in the Madison household. Dolley Madison had a severely delinquent son from her previous marriage, named Payne Todd. Dolley's previous family had been killed by smallpox in 1793. Her husband and all her other children died, except Payne Todd. He grew up as the step-son of a President. He was a terrible alcoholic and gambling addict and racked up $50,000 in debts. That's a lot of money in the 1820s. Dolley siphoned off money to pay these debts which meant there wasn't any money in 1836 to free the slaves, including Paul Jennings. Jennings eventually became free in 1847 when Daniel Webster purchased him and then set him free. After he was free, Dolley had become broke and bankrupt, so Paul Jennings gave her money and free food so she could survive.

Jennings then lived through the Civil War and died in 1874. He is an unsung hero of American history. But before Jennings died, he published an incredible book in 1865, called "A Colored Man's Reminiscences of James Madison".

In this book, Paul Jennings says:

"Mr. Madison, I think, was one of the best men that ever lived. I never saw him in a passion, and never knew him to strike a slave, although he had over one hundred; neither would he allow an overseer to do it. Whenever any slaves were reported to him as stealing or "cutting up" badly, he would send for them and admonish them privately, and never mortify them by doing it before others."

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Continuing Threat of Animal Rights Fraud: A Personal Note to Ted Nugent

By Kathleen Marquardt

Hey, Ted Nugent,

Do you remember at the Shooting, Hunting and Outdoor Trade Show (SHOT Show) in the early '90s, when you got up on stage and told me to go home? That you would do away with animal rights (AR) single-handedly? I had, not long before, started my organization, Putting People First (PPF), after People for the ethical Treatment of Animals had been in my daughter's science classroom telling her I was a murderer because I hunted. PPF was the first organization that went after animal rights across the board. Others who were tackling the AR issue, were doing it piecemeal – hunters trying to protect their right to hunt, researchers protecting research – but none seemed to have looked at the entire animal rights field – that they were against all human use of animals. They wanted no meat eating; milk drinking; leather, wool, silk or down wearing; research using animals; or even pet ownership.

Well, I didn't go home as you suggested, and while you and I have put up a great fight, we haven't fulfilled your promise yet.

Time has passed. We both did a lot of exposing of the evil of animal rights, but thanks to our governments, schools, and media, animal rights, along with all the other left-wing, Marxist, anti-Christian, and anti-human "isms" have infiltrated every stratum of society. It's going to take you and me, and all those we can muster, to start making real progress in getting rid of this blight on God's green earth.

Back then, they were in-your-face evil – destroying research labs, threatening researchers – even through their young children, and releasing animals from farms. And always lying – lying about what researchers do to the animals in the labs, about the so-called cruelty of traps, even setting up labs to look as if there had been animal cruelty, then bringing in the media to "expose" the lie they built in their sick and twisted brains.

Now, as then, they go into the schools and brainwash the children with their lies. Some of their lies are so absurd they would be laughable, but these are children who have grown up in cities and don't know what goes on in animal agriculture, labs, even with things like carriage horses or pony rides at county fairs. It would be ludicrous if it weren't so dangerous. Let me give you a tiny example. At a speech I was giving, a man in Pennsylvania (yes, a grown man) stood up and said, "Kathleen, one of the cruel things they are doing in Oregon – even in front of children – is holding a moose-dropping contest. Well, from what in the #^&* are they dropping the moose, and from how high?" After having a much-needed belly-laugh, I explained moose droppings and moose-dropping contests. But it goes to show how ignorant city people can be.

I'm guessing enough of those who were doing what they called "monkeywrenching", i.e., spiking trees to harm or kill loggers, releasing minks and other animals from their cages to become roadkill, dying of starvation, or being eaten by predators, had been arrested and jailed, the remainder decided they needed to be less in-your-face and more devious in how they went about attacking normal, freedom-loving people who believe that we are on this Earth as stewards of the land and its non-human inhabitants. We are not useless eaters who need to join the Voluntary Human Extinction Movement. According to its founder, Les U. Knight, "If you haven't given voluntary human extinction much thought before, the idea of a world with no people in it may seem strange. But, if you give it a chance, I think you might agree that the extinction of Homo sapiens would mean survival for millions, if not billions, of earth-dwelling species. … Phasing out the human race will solve every problem on earth, social and environmental".



I think that now, many of the people in the United States of America who weren't awake are opening their eyes. It is time to expose not only the animal rights kooks and terrorists but also those in government power who aid and abet them. This has become especially crucial now that Trump has been elected and the globalists at the World Economic Forum realized that they need to "go local" — take their fight down to the city, county, state levels. That is, the politicians who have been writing laws on behalf of these anti-human kooks and the media who are promoting their criminal actions against animal owners, farmers, ranchers, researchers, and even people who are meat eaters, pet owners, and those who wear clothing made from many natural materials from pelts to silk, and even cotton. The media used to investigate. Now, Ted, they propagandize for the sick and twisted members of our society who promote 97 or more genders and besmirch and laugh at those who have strong moral and Christian

beliefs. And, as bad or even worse, those who are hired to protect our rights – human and property – often are found abetting the AR in attacking farmers, zoos, and others who are behaving Constitutionally correctly.

There is only one position when it comes to AR – no human use of animals whatsoever. What most people do not understand, especially those individuals who are giving millions to animal rights groups, is that AR is not about saving animals but attacking humans. In their own words:

Peter Singer, author of the AR bible "Animal Liberation", wrote in the preface of his book, "We (he and his wife) were not especially 'interested in' animals. Neither of us had ever been inordinately fond of dogs, cats, or horses in the way that many people are. We didn't 'love' animals". And Ingrid Newkirk co-founder of People for the ethical Treatment of Animals (PeTA) (note "ethical" is in lower-case), "Animal liberationists do not separate out the human animal, so there is no rational basis for saying that a human being has special rights. A rat is a pig is a dog is a boy. They are all mammals.".

Now, instead of committing crimes, they can be caught at – damaging farms and labs, throwing blood on fur-coat wearers, and more – they now use police power and animal control. Let me show you one example from WSLS -10 News on the Natural Bridge Zoo. There were plenty of videos via Mainstream Media, mainly scripted by AR entities, but one news station interviewed those running the zoo for decades. The reality of this video speaks for itself.

The waking world needs to be educated by you and me, Ted, — and as many others as we can enlist –so they will then get on the bandwagon and rid their local areas of the police and animal control officers who are tools of animal rights.

Years ago, when I started speaking on this, people would come up to me and say, "I feel just like you said, but I never knew how to put it into words". That was because they were "salt of the earth" people who were raised to use animals humanely and could never imagine a world where humans were viewed as being lower than the lowest animal and needed to be removed from the face of the earth.

People are waking up, but they need direction. You, Ted, are famous. I'm just a writer. But both of us need to do what we can to wake more of the people today – they are ready. They just need to hear from someone they trust. I ask that you remember your words to me and help me get this back in high gear.

Sincerely, Kathleen Marquardt

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Ten Famous People Who Battled Mosquitos in the Black Hawk War Including Abe Lincoln!

By Rolf Lindgren

From April to August 1832, the US Army conducted a very small war defeating a band of Indians and opening up Wisconsin to settlement. It was called the Black Hawk War, fought in southern and western Wisconsin. Since the Indians were far outnumbered and outgunned, many US troops felt the mosquitoes were the worst foe they opposed that year.

Around 8000 total US soldiers including militia participated in the conflict, although less than 2000 saw combat. They opposed about 500 Indian warriors.

Interesting, 700 Indians fought with the US militia. So you could outrage a liberal by telling them more Indians fought against the Indians than with the Indians!

What's most astonishing is the amazing number of people who became famous, who were in Wisconsin and participated in the Black Hawk War.

Here is a list:

Abraham Lincoln - Elected President in 1860. Right after the war, someone stole Abe Lincoln's horse near what is now Whitewater, so Lincoln had to walk home to Illinois.

Zachary Taylor - Elected President in 1848.

Jefferson Davis - Elected President of the Confederate States of America in 1861.

Chief Black Hawk - The leader of the Indians and author of his famous 1833 autobiography, called "Life of Black Hawk".

Henry Dodge - Elected the first governor of the Wisconsin Territory in 1836. Dodge county, Wisconsin is named after him.

Pierre Beauregard - Commander of the Rebel forces at the Battle of Fort Sumter in April of 1861.

Robert Anderson - Commander of the Union forces at the Battle of Fort Sumter.

Nathan Boone - The son of Daniel Boone.

James Clyman - He became a famous mountain man after the Black Hawk War, although he is not well-remembered today.

General Henry Atkinson - He was the leader of the US troops. Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin is named after him.

Amazing!

When the Black Hawk War was all said and done, Abraham Lincoln summed it up best, and his words were incorporated into a great Wisco Rolf song called "A Mosquito Bit Me":

Abe Lincoln battled mosquitoes
In the Black Hawk War
The skeeters were worse than bullets
With skeeters there are always more!

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supermarket all wrapped in one: "A place like this could ONLY exist in America and I LOVE it."

Ira Balogun from Oxford said, "I find that the food generally is significantly better than in England," adding that he was surprised that even fast food had so much flavor "across the board, whether its Chinese or [Hispanic] food."

Christian Boateng from Ghana who lives in England was stunned by generous food portion sizes, posting online, "we couldn't finish everything."

Other travelers expressed surprise that Hispanic restaurants provided free chips and salsa, and nearly every eatery offered free soda drink refills.

João Valentim and his group of Portuguese graduate student friends from Madrid reported trying "mostly fast food, chain restaurants that we don't have in our own country" including chains such as Tex-Mex staple Chipotle and the famous hamburger shop Shake Shack along with small, independently run restaurants.

Not content to remain close to host FIFA cities and major metropolitan areas, many attendees have been heading to the U.S. heartland for unique "only-in-America" experiences.

João reported that his group of Portuguese fans were eagerly heading south to Georgia, Florida, and the Carolinas for classic cuisines including barbecues and a seafood boil.

Meanwhile, many of us take heart hearing Scots who have packed Boston pubs exuberantly belt every word of the Star-Spangled Banner ahead of the USA's 4-1 victory over Paraguay, while also deeply impressed to witness Japanese attendees remain following games to clean the stadiums before leaving out of respect for their culture and country.

ABC News reports that while many FIFA visitors have expressed amazement regarding limitless conveniences Americans often take for granted, including free ice, refill stations, and 24-hour retail options, what perhaps surprises them most is the overall friendliness they encounter.

Quoting Dr. Rachel J.C. Fu, chair of the Department of Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management and director of the Eric Friedheim Tourism Institute at the University of Florida, "What Americans consider ordinary is often extraordinary to visitors."

Dr. Fu explains: "A giant supermarket aisle, free ice water, refillable drinks or a cheerful grocery clerk may be just another Tuesday for Americans, but for someone visiting from Scotland, Brazil or Japan, these experiences are fascinating cultural discoveries."

Former British entrepreneur Marina De Buchi who moved to California last year reported that one of the biggest responses she's seeing from foreign FIFA attendees mirrors her own regarding American friendliness when she first arrived.

"A lot of people say Americans are fake and I just don't think that's true," De Buchi said. "I think Americans are just really nice and friendly."

Ironically, as visitors refreshingly appreciate countless wonderful things we take for granted, a disturbingly large segment of our own citizenry views American social and economic culture very differently . . . a place where our flag is a controversial symbol, and our national anthem played at some sports events is offensive.

A recent CNN poll showed thar only 29% of Democrats said they are extremely proud to be an American, compared to 90% of Republicans; and only 24% reported wanting to celebrate America as a priority on July 4th, compared to 65% of Republicans.

Compare this with a Gallop poll taken a year ago with 36% of Democrats saying they were extremely or very proud . . . down from 62% in 2024.

Republicans' level of national pride has been much steadier, typically above 90% including 92% in 2025 which was up from 85% in 2024.

The only years Republican pride dipped below 90% were 2016 (last year of Obama term) and 2020 through 2024...all but 2020 were when a Democratic president was in office.

Worst of all, only 24% of Gen Z self-identified Democrats born in 1997 or later reported to Gallup being proud, with a 2025 survey by the Cato *continued on page 22*



One Nation Under God

The FACE Act: A Cheap Bribe

"Yet ye say, The way of the Lord is not equal. Hear now, O house of Israel; Is not my way equal? are not your ways unequal? When a righteous man turneth away from his righteousness, and committeth iniquity, and dieth in them; for his iniquity that he hath done shall he die. Again, when the wicked man turneth away from his wickedness that he hath committed, and doeth that which is lawful and right, he shall save his soul alive." Ezekiel 18:25-27

By Riley J. Hood

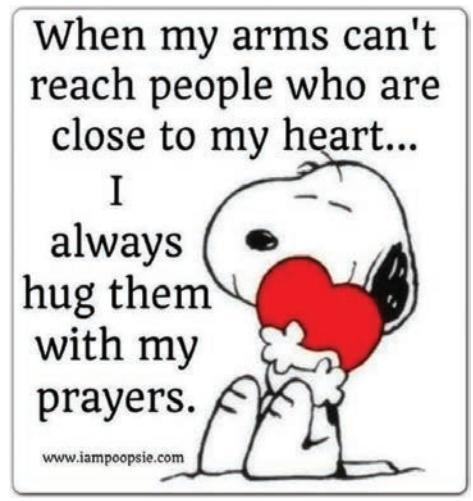
In 1994 Bill Clinton signed the Freedom of Access to Clinic Entrances Act. Also known as the FACE Act. It was probably written by Hilary Clinton and Planned Parenthood. This piece of legislation made rescuing the preborn by blocking the death mill entrances a federal offense, when protesting was handled under local trespass or disorderly conduct statues. ANTIFA and BLM do not get punished like pro-lifers did. There was very little resistance to this law. Many GOP-controlled pro-life groups like Right to Life hated Operation Rescue and Missionaries to the Preborn, and so did many Churches. But there was enough resistance to stall this act in Congress. Then the GOP introduced the cheap bribe. The cheap bribe is that Church building entrances will have equal standing with abortion clinic entrances. And most neo-Evangelicals loved to have it so.

What's wrong with that little picture? A Church entrance is to point men to heaven. An abortion clinic entrance is to kill, murder, destroy, and send people to hell. This was another case of conservatives being short term clever and long-term stupid. The rescue movement was reduced from a mass movement to a few diehards. The socialist mob almost never gets punished for breaking the FACT Act, when they disrupt Christian Church services. The latest farce was led by the sodomite Don Lemon in Minneapolis. Charges were filed, and a federal judge dismissed them. Law is not for the lawless anymore, it punishes Christians.

Texas Congressman Chip Roy lost his primary in May, so he is a lame-duck. But lame-ducks often fight harder because they have nothing left to lose. On June 4th, I was sent an article from George Caldwell, "Chip Roy Pushes for FACE Act Repeal." Roy is calling for a floor vote for his FACE Act Repeal Act, which is out of committee, "I respectfully urge House leadership to act without delay by bringing to the House floor for a full vote, ensuring every Member has the opportunity to consider repeal and help guard against future misuse of federal law." Roy cites a DOJ report, "detailing the misuse," of the law, against "peaceful pro-life Americans." The report details collusion between the DOJ and abortionists. Also mentioned was selective targeting, and due process violations.

This law has been used to persecute Christians, including 89yr-old Eva Edl, and many other decent people. Upon assuming the Presidency again, Donald Trump pardoned 23 pro-lifers. The FACE Repeal Act is a piece of low-hanging fruit that President Trump should support. Even if the FACE act is repealed, that helps the pro-life people personally, but doesn't directly help the pre-born. Recriminalization of abortion as murder, is what is necessary.

Equating Churches with abortion clinics, is a work of fake co-existence, back-scratching, and a cheap bribe that needs to be repented of. Abortion is America's national abomination, and the civil government, which unleashed this, must be reformed to provide swift punishment once again for abortionists, who are guilty of murder. The blood of 70 million innocent babies cries out to the Lord, and the anger the of Lord burns against America.



81% Illegal, 100% Murder

"But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea." Matthew18:6

By Riley J. Hood

I'm not big on attending graduations, seeing as I went into the Marine Corps at age 17. But when I do attend one, I think that the class should be at least one third larger. Even more when you count the family line of the lives that could have been, say counting an aborted child in 1973, and that child's now non-existent children and grandchildren. That is extended logic on my part, but what I do know is the America has murdered over 70million children since 1973, and the anger of the Lord burns against America for the shedding of innocent blood.

I was sent more statistics in an email recently. "We already knew that drugs like mifepristone have turned abortion into America's #1 cause of death." Their group did an investigation, and they assert the numbers, "Zero regulations, Zero accountability for drug makers, Zero warnings for women about their health." Some other numbers, "Eight on-line only groups are violating state laws by shipping abortion pills into states that outlaw them. Eighteen foreign websites are selling abortion pills to our women or anybody else, like an irresponsible father who wants to buy them. At least five groups give away these poison pills for free, because murder is their corrupt idea of charity. And to quote the post, "Only 19% of online kill-pill sellers complied with the FDA's requirement to not ship the drugs after 70 days gestation." Many states have shield laws that protect abortionists from any prosecution.

In other words, 81 precent of pill mill killers are operating illegally. But they are shielded from prosecution. There is another number that the GOP controlled pro-life hasn't mention in a long time. Abortion is murder 100% of the time, every time a woman, or anyone else abetting her commits it. Abortion is murder in the minority of cases where a man poisons a woman, so that she miscarries her child. It is murder 100% of time, and sob stories are no excuse. Abortion should not merely be regulated for women's safety, but outlawed 100% to protect the life of the preborn born baby, a person who is made in the image of God.



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Institute and YouGov finding that 62% of Americans aged 18–29 saying that they hold a "favorable view" of "socialism."

As we rapidly approach the 250th anniversary of our nation's Founding, let's be especially mindful of former President Ronald Reagan's warning that our freedom is never more than one generation away from extinction.

While we're at it, as we hear foreign visitors memorize and enthusiastically belt out words to our national anthem, let's also be reminded why tens of millions of would-be immigrants have been crashing through our borders from socialist countries seeking benefits so many of our own citizens of all ages take entirely for granted.

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The Unspeakable

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in an America of patriots. That is what I'd like to see. Please let me know that you are with us.

Here are the links to the information that I'm referring to:

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VOICE OF JERUSALEM

American Anti-Semitism

By Victor Davis Hanson

Few could have predicted that blaming Israel and the Jews who support it would flare up in the early 21st century — and in America of all places.

After all, Israel is the only consensual society in the Middle East: It holds regular elections and maintains tripartite judicial, executive and legislative checks and balances.

Free speech is found in the Middle East only in Israel, where religious apostasy, criticism of one's own country, gender equity and tolerance of gays are guaranteed, in marked contrast to all its neighbors.

True, the recent affluence of the Gulf states presents a thin veneer of Westernism that has fooled many in the new anti-Israel media.

But just because Qatar didn't censor a celebrity newsman's broadcast from Doha doesn't make it a free society.

After all, no Western journalist would dare schedule a broadcast from Qatar with a Qatari who had condemned the regime for its intolerance.

So why and how did millions of Americans begin to express hatred for Israel and, albeit more subtly, the Jews who support it?

There are four converging fronts in this perfect storm.

First, demography: The US Muslim population is expanding exponentially, due almost entirely to recent immigration and substantially higher birth rates than the American norm.

There are now nearly 5 million Muslim Americans; by 2030, their numbers will likely surpass the Jewish American population.

And billions of dollars in the last few years have flowed into American universities from the Gulf states.

These enormous sums bankroll weaponized Middle East Studies programs and enrich left-wing NGOs.

An entire generation of young American elites has been groomed in universities to despise Israel and, by extension, to express hostility toward Jews.

After Oct. 7, the scab was torn away, revealing what had festered underneath for years.

Second, the DEI binary fuels both anti-Israel and anti-Jewish animus.

In this Marxist moral schema, the world is divided into "white oppressors" and "nonwhite victims."

The dichotomy is reductive and often absurd, collapsing immense differences in class, wealth, power, culture and historical circumstance into a crude racial narrative.

Superficial appearance can brand one as a nonwhite victim — and once so identified, the supposedly oppressed are granted exemptions from censure.

DEI offers a pass from charges of antisemitism on the theory that the oppressed cannot themselves become oppressors.

Jews in America found themselves classified among the whitest and most privileged of the oppressor class, perhaps by virtue of their material success, while Israel abroad was deemed a white colonialist settler state.

Bottom of Form

Third, Israel itself is no longer the underdog of 1947, 1956, 1967 or 1973.

In this century, Benjamin Netanyahu helped open the Israeli economy and foster a meritocratic, free-market boom.

Only oil-rich Qatar and the UAE surpass Israel in regional per capita income.

Its military, honed over generations of warfare, has become more capable than those of France, Germany or the UK in key areas, especially combat aviation.

In short, tiny underdog Israel has been recast as the settler "overdog" bully.

Oct. 7 and its aftermath, counterintuitively, accelerated the anti-Israel, anti-Jewish hatred.

If Israel had not responded to the massacre, the new anti-Israel cohort would have claimed their inaction was a passive admission of prior guilt for which the attack was merely partial payment.

Yet once Israel moved to destroy Hamas, it was branded genocidal.

How could any army descend into a billion-dollar, booby-trapped labyrinth of tunnels, its exits and entries hidden beneath schools, private homes, mosques, and hospitals, to free hostages and kill terrorists while the media effectively shilled for Hamas?

Finally, the new Jacobin agenda means that anti-Israelism has merged into a broader leftist potpourri of open borders, illegal immigration, anti-ICE violence, Green New Deal-style wokism and Trump Derangement Syndrome.

These causes are viewed as an inseparable package whose elements are interconnected — and no apostasy from any of them is tolerated.

Jacobinism has become an all-or-nothing litmus test.

For figures like Kamala Harris or Chuck Schumer to forcefully challenge hatred of Israel — and, by extension, of the Jews — would now be treated as political heresy, a career-ending death wish.

So the old party has largely kept mum and sanctioned the new loathing.

As for the "conservative" podcasters and internet influencers now fixated on the Jews, perhaps they had grown tired of being ostracized from popular culture and establishment media and entertainment.

The left has found them useful as both shields and validators: Their rhetoric suggests that virulent anti-Israelism is not merely a left-wing fixation but something shared across the political spectrum.

And in the final irony, what is left blocking the pathway of antisemitism is the supposed bigot Donald Trump and his "irredeemable," "deplorable" MAGA movement — the last dam holding back, for now, the rising flood.

Old Winston Churchill

By Rolf Lindgren



Winston Churchill was old. He was very old. It was 1963 and Winston Churchill was still in Parliament. He was almost 90 years old. He had first been elected to Parliament in 1900, when Queen Victoria was still on the throne.

Recently, Winston had some health setbacks. He had a severe stroke in 1953 and had to resign as Prime Minister in 1955 because of it. In 1962, Winston had a terrible fall and fractured his vertebrae. Then he had another fall and another stroke, plus a blood clot. But Winston was still alive.

One day in 1963 as old Winston Churchill hobbled out of Parliament, two young members of Parliament (MPs) were walking behind him, gossiping about Winston's poor health.

One of the young MPs said to the other; "I hear the old fellow has gone quite gaga".

Winston turned around and exclaimed to them; "Yes, and I hear he has gone quite deaf, too!"

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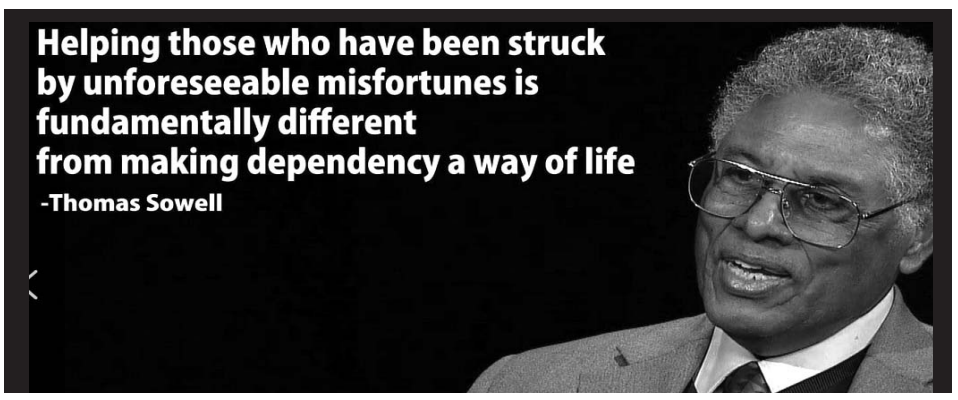

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he had since become quite supportive of most of Trump's policy initiatives. He even developed quite a personal relationship with the President, apparently golfing with Trump routinely at Mar-A-Lago and credited by Trump on playing crucial roles in mobilizing support for many of Trump's initiatives. And his banter during the Kavanaugh hearings about the legal framework regarding enemy combatants put him squarely in the camp of the White Hats, or at least that's what almost all of us concluded.

But we know of his involvement with the color revolution in Ukraine in 2014 and his support of the Azov Nazi militant faction there. His role in creating and funding of the myriad of Ukrainian bio-labs, staffed by US personnel and funded by US taxpayers, either directly through administrative agencies or money laundered through NGOs, is well-documented. Known by Bibi as "Israel's best friend," there was never a conflict in the Middle East Graham did not like or want to get involved in. His unwavering support for continuing the war in Ukraine was apparently wavering at the end of his days. In fact, during his last trip to Ukraine, he apparently took cell phone pictures of their top-secret newest drone factory, which promptly got destroyed somehow by the Russians. Hmmm. Maybe he double-crossed the bad guys.

So us crazies who believe we are watching a plan to destroy the globalist system with Trump as the spearhead and allies all over the world will contemplate the Lindsay Graham affair probably for the rest of our days. Was he a good guy or bad guy? A White Hat or Black Hat? Some truths must not be revealed for many different reasons. And the Lindsay Graham story may be one of them. But his funeral may give us the clues we need. The American Flag draping his casket may tell all.

He may have been rubbed out by the very Ukrainians he supported for so long if they though he betrayed them. Initiating a heart attach or something similar using some sort of biotechnology ought to be easy for those possessing and operating dozens of bio-labs. Interestingly, RFK apparently will be looking into Graham's vaccine profile to see if anything funky came from there.

Graham may have been given a choice long ago to join Trump's team in fighting and eliminating the Globalist takeover. If so, and Graham took it, he had to walk the line of pretending to support Trump while also pretending to be in league with the bad guys. Very dangerous. And part of that deal may have been saving his reputation as a Patriot but knowing when the time came he would likely pass in this fashion.

Or he may have violated the terms of his deal by betraying Trump, alerting the bad guys of specifics related to his Turkey trip, which allowed them to go forth with the assassination attempt. But because of military intel, Trump subverted the plot with his plane switch maneuver. So when Trump told us about his phone call the night Graham returned from Ukraine, maybe Trump had to activate the kill switch they planted in him for just this occasion. Trump's sadness in his declaration of Graham as a Patriot could've been because of his Graham's true sacrifice for America or that he failed to do so. What does "something blew up inside him" mean?

These examples I just outlined show just how crazy this whole business can get. But let's face it - all these things discussed here are possible and have been for a long time by our military and people in positions of high power. Whether you want to believe a faction of the human race indulges in such craziness is your own call, but just wait until the complete story about human trafficking, child slavery, exploitation and sacrifice, and the truth about the adrenochrome cult come forth. Then heads will truly explode.



Mark Maier

By Mark Maier.

Hello,

This is Mark Maier, I am a candidate for State Assembly District 81.

I am concerned about the rising property taxes and declining student literacy in our schools. Our children are our future, and they deserve the best education that we can provide. As a country we as taxpayers pay the second highest per student cost in the world. Yet we place 19th in overall literacy. The United States lags far behind in grade level test scores. In Wisconsin, the average per student cost is $17400.00 with total expenditures averaging over $20000.00. We as taxpayers, parents, and grandparents support funding our school but are the students receiving the education they need for the future?

The average literacy rate in Wisconsin ranges from 45% to 50% with grade school children averaging closer to 35% literacy at their grade level. This is unacceptable for the money being spent. Our teachers are also under paid compared to neighboring states. As a comparison, if you enrolled your child in a Catholic school you can expect to pay between $4000.00 to $10000.00 per year per student depending on the location and school. Far less than what Wisconsin taxpayers are investing in our public schools. However, the literacy rate in Catholic schools is near 100%. It appears that increasing funding to the public schools is not the answer. We need to have more accountability on how we are spending tax dollars and not to just constantly going to the taxpayers for more money.

The property taxes in Dane County rose higher than any other county in the State last year. Part of the reason is the constant school referendums.

The rising property taxes have an effect on first time homeowners. The cost of housing has risen dramatically in the last few years, coupled with rising property taxes this is becoming too much to overcome for first time homeowners. At the same time, aging homeowners that have worked hard all their lives to own a home and are now retired, the rising cost of property taxes or eating away at their retirement funds.

We need to find a solution for improving test scores as well as paying our teachers accordingly or hiring more teachers without putting the burden on property taxpayers.

If other countries that pay considerably less per student can achieve 99% literacy, then we as American's should be able to do the same.

Thank you

HOT GOVERNMENT **HOT JACK**

Melding Generations

The Baby Boomers are in the middle of their retirement phase. On the positive side this gives them a lot more time to politically "stir the pot." Boomers also have experience. On the negative side the dwindling number of Boomers has less energy and motivation, when compared to the incoming generations. The Youngers have distinct fear of the governmental mess that is staring them in the face, while the Boomers, for the most part, are set to retire and slow down. All of this is both a problem and a solution for every American. If America is to be "fixed" or "saved" or "Made Great Again," forces will NEED to be combined.

In my view the Boomers need to take the lead here. They have the experience. They have a much broader view of History that they can apply to modern-day situations. But by "taking the lead" Boomers should not actually take the lead. That's not as confusing as it sounds.

Boomers, organizations like HOT Government, and POLITICAL CANDIDATES like Tom Tiffany, should "take the lead" by initiating the coming together with younger people like Turning Point USA and every other next-gen group that they can find. It needs to be clear that any established relationship between multiple generations will be actually led by the Youngers. After all, it is they who have the most to lose or to gain.

The Boomers must show the wisdom and the patience to step back and let the movement grow. Don't be another Robbin' Vos-type control freak. It must be made clear from the beginning that their role is to be a consultant and advisor. At the same time, the Youngers must realize the value of experience and be willing to accept (not necessarily implement) the opinions and ideas of their elders. It is all about RESPECT. And respect is most definitely a two-way street.

The Youngers are not the sole property of the Communist-Democrats taking up the headlines now. The Communists just don't know it yet. The Youngers have justifiable concerns. Boomers have the exact same concerns. They just view them from a slightly different angle. We all must recognize the commonalities and act upon them.

You Boomers (AND CANDIDATES) need to move, and you need to move now……before it's too late. You Youngers need to be ready to accept and act upon your responsibility.

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6. Speech disorder: +803%
7. Mental health disorders: +696%
8. Asthma: +553%
9. Developmental delay: +412%
10. Atopic disease: +386%
11. Seizure disorder: +216%
12. Food allergy: +128%
13. Neurological disorder: +26%
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