# Give Us A King

Here is a simple, true historical fact to all who desire truth. America's true founders first gathered on her shores in 1620. They were called Pilgrims and Puritans. They too were escaping from a king and "religious" system that hated them. They all were set up much as ancient Israel. They never formed legislators to pass man's laws to harass and control the people.

# An Open Letter to The CEO of Tractor Supply

As for me and my house, we will never shop at Tractor Supply again even if we have to go much further and pay more to purchase our needs. This letter, Mr. Lawson, is going to be posted nationwide in as many locations as possible. You have insulted the people who have patronized your business and made you a very successful entrepreneur.

# An Open Letter To The CEO Of Walmart

For you to support such obvious and evil, makes you completely guilty of every innocent individual, and especially children, whose innocence you have played a part in destroying! Shame on you! I would strongly urge and recommend that you read, and pay heed, to Christ's warning to you and others in Matthew 18:6!

# Understanding the Sovereignty of God

The only true sovereign that ultimately rules in all affairs of mankind desires that His crowning creation would recognize of his own free will, the need to accept His authority in all spheres of man's governments, personal, family, church and civil. Unfortunately, history has very clearly proven that mankind is totally incapable in his fallen nature to follow God's will in his personal life, much less in the civil sphere.

### **Christian Nationalism**

Now you are probably asking, what in the world is a Christian Nationalist? Let's start by looking at what a leftist humanistic reporter by the name of Heidi Przybyla says it is. Here's one of her comments from an interview in part that she did on MSNBC recently. "They (Christian Nationalists) believe that our rights as Americans and as all human beings do not come from any earthly authority.

#### The Bible aka The Christian Buffet

My, oh my, who doesn't like a well stocked buffet with all the different varieties of delicious foods? You get to choose what you like and you can skip over anything you don't like! Wow! What a deal! All you can eat of your favorite foods! Unfortunately, that's how most Christians treat The Holy Word of God!

# The Fallacy of "Live and Let Live"

Now that we have laid the foundation on the "Christian's" need to purge her/himself and the duty to live righteously, we can move forward in our duty to demand, with authority in Christ, that our nation's laws uphold God's moral standards in all spheres of life!

# Making Deals With the Devil

One word of warning in closing, we must be willing to lose all to receive the gift of eternal life and be willing to count our earthly possessions on earth but "dung" to win Christ (Phil 3:8) .To break deals with the devil and society WILL cost you ! (II Tim 3:12/Heb 11:35/40) It's all part of the "BEAST" system.

### **Religion Governs All Mankind**

One definition of insanity is to keep doing the same thing over and over again expecting different results. Folks, there are no answers in, and from, mankind on their own! Read now the final and only answer that, along with sincere and heartfelt repentance, offered hope for man.

# Living In Darkness

In closing this article, let me bring one more fact to your mind. And that fact is that no matter how close you walk with Christ, you are still in the world! You will have trouble and tribulations as all men do! But by remaining "faithful" to God and His Word, we can overcome this world's heartaches and trials!

### A Stolen and Forgotten Birthright

There are countless lessons to be learned from God's Holy Book, the authorized KJV Bible. And it's a sad and sorrowful fact that not many, even of those who call themselves bornagain believers, learn, but very few of them in a lifetime.

# A Biblical Christian Worldview Lost

The answer is actually very simple and easily understood for those who will recognize and accept the truth! Here it is, most who say they love God do not obey His laws! Most will respond with a loud protest denying this factual statement! My reply is, "If we truly were following His law system, why did we get so far away from the righteous Christian worldview?

# America, Why Will Ye Die?

Now, I fully realize that what I am about to say will shock and anger many, but it has to be said because it is the truth! For the people who attend the "tickle my ears fellowships" and the "name it and claim it" social clubs, this is going to shake your world so you might want to stop reading now! America is not dying! America is dead! She doesn't

# No Godly Morals = No Liberty - Know Godly Morals = Know Liberty

As a matter of fact, the men who have been in the White House for at "least" one hundred years have gradually and constantly "lead" our nation away from its moral foundation, God's law system, into a moral abyss where God has mostly been forgotten and scorned.

### Is it Legalism or Is It Holiness?

One of the most common statements I have had said to me when I preach or teach on holiness and obedience is that we are saved by grace through faith and that our holiness and righteousness isn't sufficient for salvation. Usually, this comment comes from the once saved, always saved crowd.

# Pressing Toward the "Mark"

Before we get into the methods that have been used over many decades to lure us into the beast system, we need first to know and understand that our Creator, Redeemer and God did solemnly warn us about the dangers in putting our trust and care in men or men's governments.

#### **Ignorant Church = Destruction**

You are about to expose yourself to some very important knowledge. Please know this; once you have been exposed to truth and knowledge, you can never go back to the bliss of ignorance. As Thomas Paine said, "Ignorance is of a peculiar nature, once it is dispelled, it is impossible to reestablish."

### Learning to Trust and Obey

In closing, let me tell you that when you grow into the realization that when you "belong' to God through Christ's sacrifice that all things truly do work to our good that most people will not understand. Even many believers are not able to comprehend this beautiful blessing simply because they are unlearned, or are still carnally minded.

### For Such A Time As This

Folks, there can be no doubt, if you believe God's Word, that is written in the scriptures in Revelations, chapter 19, verse 6, that "Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth." As Ben Franklin stated in his speech on the occasion of our nation's founding, "I have lived, sir, a long time; and the longer I live, the more convincing proofs I see of this truth, that God governs in the affairs of men."

#### With No Apologies

Yes! America was settled as a solidly "Christian" nation! By Caucasian Europeans who built both their personal lives and civil government on the solid foundation and cornerstone of Jesus Christ! The following proofs are quoted directly from the writings and official documents of the original Founders of America, the Pilgrims and Puritans!

# Laboring in Vain

Let us no longer be deceived by others, or by ourselves! The Lord is not in America's house any longer. Therefore, without national repentance, America will never be restored to her former glory! America was once great only because she was once upon a time built on the Rock of Jesus Christ! Now we have trusted in our own devices, our own "morality" and our own wisdom.

#### It's What Real Men Do

I will say this; I personally feel utterly ashamed that I have failed in so many of the few qualifications that have been listed in this article of what a real man should be. My sincere prayer is that by God's marvelous grace and mercy that I can come closer to meeting His standards of what a real man should be

# **Righteous Obedience**

You have to decide for yourself who you will obey! The sooner you make the decision, that no matter what the cost, you are going to obey God, the easier it will be! Remember Romans 6:16. Your soul depends on it!

#### Biblical Answers to Worldly

#### Concerns – An Open Answer

Thank you for the manner in which you expressed your opinions in your response to my article "The Three "C"s of Tyranny and Damnation". Believe it or not, I do respect your opinions because I understand that you have sincere concerns you would like addressed.

# Three "C"s of Tyranny and Damnation

Some fruits of the three "C's" are, tolerance of unjust wars, tolerance of a police state, the destruction of children's minds and souls in the public "fool" system, the slaughter of nearly 100 million children in their mother's wombs and allowing the supreme court to decree that sexual deviant and perverts have a Constitutional right to seduce, rape and pervert our children

# **Righteously Angry**

The title of this article undoubtedly will surprise and shock many church goers who have been taught all their lives that Christians should never get angry! and stand up! for truth and righteousness. And all because most "church goers" have bought into this hellish lie and deception that Christians should always be soft, gentle and kind.

#### Truthful Answers to a Lost Soul's Questions

Folks, this is another article written on an open letter to Wanda K. This will possibly be one of my longest articles because of the many comments and questions Ms. K. made to me in her letter.

# 'Fear' – The Greatest Manipulating Emotion on The Planet

Through the fear of losing a job, the fear of losing their material belongings, the fear of alienation of friends and family, and the fear of death to name a few. This fact is easily seen all throughout history and is surely present with us today.

### **O** Foolish Mankind

This article is actually an open letter to Robert B. But the information in it, and questions and issues are of "eternal soul" importance, so it needs to be published for all to read

and heed. I am certain that there are skeptics and unbelievers who will read this, who have the same questions Robert asked me.

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### Homosexuality, Worse Than Murder

Wake up church! Wake up pastors! If you truly are a part of the Christ's called-out ones or one truly called by God to be a pastor, you must speak out, stand up and oppose this damnable evil! Unfortunately we see many "pastors" who are neutered in God's Word, who are serving their god, Satan!

#### Born Damned?

Before we continue, I want to make one very important point perfectly clear! Yes, because Adam made the "choice" to sin

(break God's law), he condemned all mankind to death. But Jesus Christ, the only sinless man, God incarnate, fully paid our death penalty for us!

### The Fallacy of Naiveism

Remember the Pharisees, of which Paul was one, thought they were God's people! They had a strong zeal for God! Paul, himself, persecuted Christ's true followers and even had some killed! And he was convinced that he was doing God's will! Wow! What marvelous grace saved him!

# An Open Letter To Chic-Fil-A

Several months ago, I wrote you a letter sincerely thanking you for standing with the truth and moral code written in God's Word! You and your company gave a lot of folks who at times grew weary and saddened at watching our once-great and blessed nation dying before their eyes.

#### Why Does God Punish Nature

# For Mankind's Spiritual Ignorance?

So obviously, nature (creation) suffers greatly for their greed and apathy. Mr. V.V., you may not believe this in Biblical terms, but there is a huge cancer in mans' souls, spirits and minds! It is called sin! Which simply is the disobedience to God's laws.

#### Law, Plus Grace, Equals Salvation

One more important point in closing. It is impossible to come to Christ for salvation by and through His amazing grace, unless, and until, an individual brings forth fruits (sorrow, attrition, mourning, and a contrite and broken heart for their sin, i.e. breaking of God's law) meet for repentance!

# Creeping Incrementalism, Gateway To Destruction

John Wesley once said, "that which we tolerate today, we will embrace tomorrow". I will add this comment to perhaps enhance the meaning and extend this statement's importance and warning, beyond what we tolerate today and eventually embrace tomorrow, by saying this: man's evil knows no bounds or limitations, left unchecked by righteous judgment and justice. So, by tolerating an evil, we are promoting more evil. (Gen. 6:5, Ecc. 8:11, Rom. 13:1-4) In Genesis 6, we see a perverted and rebellious people who sinned continually in breaking God's laws. We see in Ecclesiastes 8 that when evil is not punished swiftly and justly, evil spreads quickly. And in Romans 13, we see that God created civil government to be His minister (deacon) to punish evil doers and to praise the good.

As we mentioned in the opening statement by John Wesley and read in Ecc. 8:11, evil, (sin), left unchecked and unpunished, only leads to more evil which becomes tolerated, then embraced, which leads to even worse evil. And the cycle is repeated over and over until either the righteous rise up to destroy the evil, or evil finally destroys society! And then we all face God's final judgment on a wicked and lukewarm people! (Ps. 9:17)

Mankind's arch enemy, Satan, Lucifer, Beelzebub, or the serpent, as he is often referred to, is not a stupid being. He knows that he can't get mankind to commit unspeakable evils, abominations and atrocities immediately! He understands that big sins start out as "little" sins. He knows that if he can get enough people in a society to "tolerate" the little sins, he can eventually get them to embrace all manner of evil! (I Cor. 5:6, Gal. 5:9)

You don't have to look back very far in time to see very clearly how creeping incrementalism has slowly eroded away just about all "solid" moral values in America. Let's name a few, briefly, and then take a little deeper look into a vast evil and abomination now solidly implanted in American culture.

1. The incremental stages of the manner in which we clothe ourselves. Deuteronomy 22:5 has certainly been

forgotten. Now both sexes have become perverted as to dress like the other. And as scripture teaches, modesty and covering the body is Godly, while public nudity is a sign of insanity. (Mark 5:15)

- 2. Also compromising on God's Word who is to pastor, preach or lead the body of Christ, the church. Church leaders and deacons must be men only! (I Tim. 3:1-13)
- 3. We even have a problem with something as simple as grooming ourselves. (I Cor. 11:13-15) Howbeit, Paul said don't fight over it in verse 16, but shouldn't we, as examples to a lost world, willingly follow such a simple admonition?

Now, I would like to expose how easily deceived we can be, and have been, manipulated by Satan, with our permission! After all, it is our own desires and lusts that allow the sin to take seed in ourselves and/or our society! (Rom. 7:5, James 1:15-16)

We have all heard about an ungodly phenomena that started manifesting itself mightily in the 1960's. It was called the sexual revolution. A revolution can be a righteous act if its purpose is to "revolve" back to Godly principles! But when it is used to "devolve" society into a moral abyss, it can, and will, be a huge cause of spiritual rottenness and societal destruction.

We "older" folks can remember when the so-called "British Invasion" started in rock music in the 60's. Most will remember the very satanically controlled group called The Beatles. In all fairness, they may not have started out to be new age spiritualists, but they soon were "transformed" into a very influential cause for undermining the morals of young people. It can be honestly said that this group started the effeminate trait of males with long hair, to be acceptable.

Soon thereafter, another new "fashionable" trend got a hold of the youth of the 60's. It was called "unisex" clothing. In

other words, making one out of both sexes. Very few folks could see this move of Satan to pervert the nations morals.

Of course in the same decade, the hippie and drug culture blossomed. "Free love", with as many partners as you could find, was totally acceptable. Most remember the infamous concert in Bethel, NY, called Woodstock. Nothing but a lawless, sexual orgy, full of drugs and the humanistic type of "love" that Satan uses to deceive. It just "feels" so good and "seems" so right!

Surely it doesn't take a highly intelligent individual to trace the incremental, well placed snares to normalize, not only fornication (sex before marriage), which is the only Biblical reason for divorce (Mt. 5:32), adultery and a slow erosion of what was once expected moral standards.

Of course, through the next several decades, since the "righteous" said or did very little to zealously oppose this assault on the morals of our society, especially on the youth, we now have all manner of sexual perversions and decadence that are openly embraced, or quietly tolerated by, the "moral majority", that have lost their fiery righteous indignation against evil. Just like a cancer, creeping incrementalism, kills slowly at first. And it is a painful agonizing death (II Tim. 2:17).

There is no way this nation, with the mindset that now almost totally permeates the people, will ever turn loose of their "freedoms" to sin! Habakkuk 1:1-4 describes our nation to a tee. But for the ones who truly love Christ and His Word, we will continue to stand with our God and do battle against evil! (Ps. 94:16)

In closing, let me state this final fact. Our nation's conscience has become seared with evil (I Tim. 4:2). Most no longer even blush when confronted with the blatant sins all around us. (Jer. 6:15).

When you feel tired, weary, or discouraged in the battle, read Psalm 11. We who live in Christ will win!

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# America, Land Of Witchcraft And Idolatry

There can be no doubt about it! America is a nation that is full of witches and idolaters! From the church houses, to the courthouses, to the state houses and also very much in the white house. Witchcraft and idolatry reign supreme in the hearts and minds of most of the inhabitants of America!

You are probably thinking that this is a hard and harsh statement! Yep, it sure is! But that certainly doesn't make it not a completely truthful statement and fact!

Let's establish first, what witchcraft is by Biblical standards and Noah Webster's 1828 dictionary definitions. First Samuel 15:23 says, "For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft." The 1828 Noah Webster's dictionary, by the way, the only one to use to study God's infallible Word, states witchcraft is "the practices of witches; sorcery; enchantments; intercourse with the devil." The last statement is not implying sexual intercourse, but rather agreement with, or obedience to, Satan. To not obey God's commandments is satanic worship! If we love Christ our Saviour, we will endeavor to obey Him and keep His laws and commandments! (John 14:15) As we have just established, rebellion is of the same spirit as witchcraft. The scriptures refer to the rebellious spirit over one hundred times. The vast majority of times it is used in the context of mankind rebelling against God's Word, or other "righteous" authority. So to make it clear and simple, "rebellion is witchcraft when we rebel against a "righteous" authority!

Any man, as head of the house, or leader in the church, or government, that rebels against God's righteous laws on how to "govern" and lead a family, church or society is practicing witchcraft! Take a look around you folks. Do you see "witches" practicing witchcraft anywhere? Wives disobeying their husbands who are sincerely striving to serve Christ, or children rebelling against Godly parents? Or criminals rebelling against a righteous leader that governs according to God's Word! (II Sam. 23:1-3, Rom. 13:1-4) Unfortunately, neither of the scripture references apply to any political governing body and very few homes or churches in America today! We, as "righteous" men and women, must obey God and be very weary of man's dictates and rules! (Acts 5:29)

To close this portion of the article, let me state unequivocally, that I know of very few men or organizations that do not commit witchcraft to one degree or another. Praise our precious Heavenly Father and His Son, Jesus The Christ, that His grace is sufficient in our short comings! But I speak a warning here to all mankind! Do not intentionally, continually and knowingly disobey His laws, or payday will be hell! (Heb. 2:1-31, Heb.10:28-29, Mt. 8:12, Mark 3:29, Rev. 14:10-11) Enough said about rebellion and witchcraft. It is your call now! Let's move on to idolatry.

As with rebellion, you will also read in I Sam. 15:23 that "stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry". We have three words that we need to look at to help us better understand this statement. Let's start with stubbornness from the Strong's Concordance. <u>6484</u> – to stun or dull: urge, press,

stubbornness. Now the Webster's 1828 dictionary, which in this case, I believe, makes the definition much clearer. "Perverse and unreasonable obstinacy". The word "stubborn" in the scriptures, is associated with disobedience to righteous authority. Akin to rebellion.

Let's look now at iniquity and see how it ties into idolatry. Concordance number 205. A very lengthy definition, but mainly it means to be workers of evil, by scheming, lying and acting deceptively. It also means vanity, wickedness, an "idol". In the 1828 Webster's, it says, "injustice, unrighteousness, a sin or crime, want of holiness or depravity". Again implying "rebellion" against righteous authority.

And now let's look at the final word in this statement to establish the final fact and proof needed to confirm America is a land full of witches and idolaters! Idolatry, Strong's number <u>8655</u> – "family idol, or idols, spirit or demon, graven image." It certainly lines up as disobedience to righteous authority as stated in the first commandment. (Ex. 20:3-5) The Webster's 1828 states, "the worship of idols, or anything made by hands, or which is not God". Again, disobedience to righteous authority.

Americans "rebel" against God's authority in so many ways that listing just the ones I could think of would fill several pages. We can narrow it down to two types of sin that will cover most, if not all, acts of rebellion (sin)! The sins of commission and the sin of omission. Simply stated, those that commit the rebellious (sinful) acts, and those that tolerate them. That pretty much applies to all of us in one way or the other!

America is full of witchcraft and idolatry. We are all guilty! Howbeit, mostly through ignorance. But ignorance will destroy our walk with God and condemn our children to much sorrow and perhaps Hell. (Hos. 4:6) America, as a nation, has sinned beyond redemption! But if you are reading this and understand what I am saying, and are sorry, as we all should be, for "tolerating" evil, forgiveness and salvation are wonderfully available to all who will repent and ask in Jesus name. (John 3:16-17)

As John Wesley once said, "that which we tolerate today, we will embrace tomorrow." That factual statement applies to individuals and nations.

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#### Are You Offended Yet?

In our "modern liberated" society, we have become more and more enslaved, and afraid to stand for what we know is right according to the ultimate law and authority, The Inspired Word of Jehovah God! In advance, I want to let you know that I am not writing this much-needed expression of truth to offend anyone, but if you are offended, so be it! I, for one, am offended on a daily basis with what I see in American society. Christ Himself told His disciples, of which by His grace I am one of, that most would be offended at His word. (Matt. 24:10) And those who are offended by Christ's faithful servants will desire to kill them (Matt. 24:9). Again, so be We are warned in His word that if we don't boldly stand it! and proclaim the truth of His word that He will deny us in the day of judgment! (Matt. 10:32-39) Pay heed "professing" believers! Your opinion, ideas, thoughts and feelings simply do not matter in the least! It's God's way or no way! It is your decision.

So here we go with plainly and easily understood truths! The

<u>only</u> reason many won't accept them is because they deny God's authority, and hate Him for His laws that are given to bless us, and to keep us from destroying ourselves! Damned fools! (**Ps. 14:1**) Evils that are so obviously wrong that creation itself declares them so. (**Rom. 1:20, 28, and 30**)

Herein is a list of <u>obvious</u> truths and descriptions of evil deeds that have been committed since the beginning, but were not accepted by a moral society, but rather were severely punished. Some even with the death penalty! You search out the scriptures that back each one, <u>if</u> you care enough for the truth to take the time! These are listed in no particular order. Remember, many who commit these acts, sit in church every time the doors are open. And many, many more condone them by their silence so as not to offend!

- Stealing is still sin, whether you do it with a gun, or by false statement to receive "benefits".
- 2. A one-night "fling" or "extra marital affair" is still adultery!
- 3. Abortion <u>is</u> murder!
- 4. Sex before marriage is still sin, and you <u>cannot</u> live in this abomination and walk with Christ! Co-habitation, "living" together and premarital sex are still fornication!
- 5. Immodest apparel and public nudity are still a shame to those who do it, but their ability to blush and care is overridden by a seared conscience.
- Lewd and vulgar behavior is the sin of a sick and sinful people.
- 7. Homosexuality and those who practice it are sick, perverted and worthy of death!
- 8. God created <u>all</u> races (Caucasian (White), Mongolian (Asian), Negroid (Black), Australoid (Aborigine) to be a glory to Him, and they are beautiful in His sight. Miscegenation destroys the God-given uniqueness to each race.

9. "Government" benefits or so-called entitlements are idolatry! Almost everyone has fallen into this snare. We have provoked Jehovah God to jealousy!!

These are but a few easily knowable and understood evils, but unfortunately mankind is extremely vulnerable and easily deceived when enticed by his own lusts! (**James 1:14**) Just because as a society we have grown callous to truth, and "careless" with and accepting of evil, it still does <u>not</u> change the truth, even a little bit.

We are sternly and lovingly warned not to depart from God's laws, judgments and justice, but it is obvious that we (including the church) have done so! God has <u>not</u> changed His laws to fit our desires, nor His standards of righteousness! We have been instructed to seek the old paths and walk therein to find peace for our souls, and thus in society! But we would not! Therefore, we are, and will, bring very severe judgment on ourselves and our children! (Jer. 6:15-19, Hosea 4:16)

Many do not want to hear this final statement, but I am convinced that God's Word backs it completely. America has sinned far beyond any chance of redemption. Her <u>many</u> sins have separated her from God's salvation! (**Is. 59:1-16**) Praise God, by His merciful grace, we as individuals may still come to Him through sincere and heartfelt repentance! To turn from our sins will mean eternal life with our Father and Savior!

#### My friend, which path will you choose?

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#### Is Life So Dear?

The title of this article is most remembered from a speech given by Patrick Henry in Richmond, Virginia on March 20, 1775 at St. John's church where they were holding the second Virginia Convention. Although many may still remember this famous quote from a staunch Christian who, by the way, would not endorse the Constitution, nor attend the Constitutional Convention, because he knew that the document would eventually be the downfall of America and obviously, he has been proven right. Very few, if any, truly understand the depth and meaning of these famous words. That, too, is *very* obvious! If Americans could comprehend Henry's heartfelt commitment, our nation would not be the God hating, reprobate nation it is today!

Please bear with me as I lay the foundation for the point I would like to make in this article. Most won't understand what is written, simply because they either are not born again Christians, or are still too immature in Christ and His Word to comprehend The Message. While I am certain that many will probably be offended at the statement just made, it is only further proof of their immaturity. Move on with me now, if you want.

The generation of Patrick Henry's time overall, whether Christian or not, still had instilled in their minds that basic moral laws must be maintained and upheld! If anyone dared defile and break the basic moral code that was expected and demanded to be lived by, and that governed society, their punishment was swift and severe. This fact is *the* reason that God Almighty *allowed* this generation to throw off the chains of tyranny! And the lack of this biblical moral foundation in America today is the reason why He will not allow the same in this generation!

Although we hear all around us the cry for liberty and freedom, it has become nothing but "damned" foolishness! (Ps. 14:1) Americans have become so brutish, (stupid), and arrogant, that they have "deliberately" forgotten that a people who will not govern *themselves* by the basic moral concepts taught in God's Word, and that unbridled, immoral "freedom" can only cause a complete deterioration of their society! And inevitably they find themselves in complete and total slavery, spiritually, mentally and physically!

For many years I have heard hoards of well intentioned people who call themselves patriots, calling for a return and adherence to the documents written by some of our Founders. Namely, the Declaration of Independence, Bill of Rights and the original U.S. Constitution. Folks, no matter how well written, factual and accurate all of these writings and documents were, they are completely and surely inadequate and non-applicable for America today! They simply are not adequate in and of themselves to produce or maintain a free The desire and demand to return to, trust in, and societv. memorize these writing can, and now have even become an idolatrous concept and endeavor. Quite frankly folks, to even suggest, encourage and promote the idea that any manmade ideals, documents, or systems of any type, without acknowledging the necessity of the moral standards of God's Word as the foundation to build on, is remarkably arrogant, stupid and simply insane!

When men of great Godly, moral character such as Patrick Henry, made a plea for freedom and liberty, they understood that true liberty and freedom could only be maintained by a people willing to "govern" themselves with God's righteous laws written in their hearts. For people of such moral character needed no manmade law system to govern them. They were "self" governing. External laws are just needed for wicked men. (I Tim. 1:9) In addition, to be worthy of true liberty through God's teachings, they simply would *not* tolerate an "unrighteous" government! As Samuel Adams said, "While the people are virtuous they cannot be subdued; but when they lose their virtue, they will be ready to surrender their liberties to the first external or internal invader." Mr. Adams summed up, in one sentence, the reason why Americans are now enslaved and loving more freedoms every day. What's even worse is the fact that most Americans still *believe* they are a free people! As Goethe said, "none are more hopelessly enslaved than those who falsely believe they are free"!

American cannot, and will not be healed and blessed with her former greatness without the "goodness" that once was the common thread of righteous morality, judgment and justice that held man's sinful nature in check.

You see folks, as Alexis Detocqueville said, concerning this in his "fact finding" trip to America,

"I sought for the key to the greatness and genius of America in her harbors...; in her fertile fields and boundless forests; in her rich mines and vast world commerce; in her public school system and institutions of learning. I sought for it in her democratic Congress and her matchless Constitution.

Not until I went into the churches of America and heard her <u>pulpits FLAME with RIGHTEOUSNESS</u> did I understand the secret of her genius and power.

America is great because America is good, and if America ever ceases to be good, American will <u>cease</u> to be great."

As I said in the beginning of this article concerning Patrick Henry's quote, "Is life so dear, or peace so sweet, as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery?", the answer to the above quote for most Americans is "yes"! Life is far too dear to give up today! An immoral people becomes self centered, selfish, soft, lazy and unconcerned for what happens to others, such as 140,000,000 murdered children, that preserving their temporary welfare in this world is far more important than sacrificing themselves for anyone else, including The God Who created them! S.I.N.=<u>S</u>elf <u>I</u>ndulgent <u>N</u>arcissist!

As Alexander Solzhenitsyn stated, "Survival is not the be-all and end-all of a life worthy of man. Sometimes, the worst thing that we can know about a man is that he survived. Those who say that life is worth living at any cost, have already written for themselves an epitaph of infancy, for there is no cause and no person that they will not betray to stay alive."

In closing, I will make one final statement to upset more folks. Patriotism, voting, rioting, rallying, meetings and "church revivals" without true, genuine, heart rendering repentance, there simply is no hope or help for America! We need to quit kidding ourselves!

In Christ's service,

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#### The Essence Of A Good Burger

A statement that I believe could be safely made, is the fact that about everyone enjoys a "good" hamburger. Fast food chains, diners, mom and pop cafes and restaurants have made "billions" of burgers and made a combination of billions of dollars by making this famous treat. Of course, we could name the "burger joints" that are the most famous, but we will refrain from that at this time.

But, I would like to make some comments in this article that I believe will make a good point in a bit. Most of us can remember a commercial that was a real hit in the 80's. Tt showed a few little "ole" ladies standing in line for a burger. When they brought out the sandwich, they placed a beautiful, fluffy, golden and light bun in front of them. It was impressive to say the least. One of the little ladies that they gave it to took a look at the bun, then did something a lot of people never do. She looked inside it and found something very important missing. She looked up and asked a most famous question. "Where's the beef?" She went right to the heart of the matter. She asked where the "only" item was that makes a burger a burger. The very essence of a The beef! The company that produced this, once burger. famous ad, has made a fortune on the emphasizing of the missing essence of the sandwich. The beef. And in turn, made their burger the "meatiest" one on the market.

You see, no matter how sweet the onion, or how crisp the lettuce, or mellow the warm melted cheese, or the snap of the pickles, even the right amount of condiments, without the juicy, well seasoned, thick, meaty essence of the sandwich, the beef, you do not have a "real" hamburger. So be careful to not be fooled by all the fancy trimmings. There is no *real* hamburger without the beef! No matter how attractive the package may be.

Now, for a bit, let's take a look at another sometimes, *very* deceiving item. A "Christian". Or, at least, those who call themselves Christians. How can you tell for sure they are what they represent themselves to be? Let's take a look.

There have always been unscrupulous individuals who are willing to profit by creating a fake or "knock off" product that may "look" exactly like the original and real item, but there is always something missing that usually comes to light only after someone has been deceived into buying the item. You can believe me when I tell you, that there are *MANY* fake "copies" of truly born again believers in our midst that have, and still are deceiving many. *II Cor. 11:13-16. II Tim. 3:13* 

These "knock offs" sure look the part! Wow! They can appear to be so sincere! Preach and teach beautifully! Their messages can sound so appealing and even partially biblical! They dress immaculately! Have a very magnetic personality! Their speech is smoother than butter on a hot piece of toast! They can and do deceive millions into their false doctrines, and just as the burger joints with their burger "copies", have made billions with their deception, so too these charlatans! They literally make "merchandise" of their beguiled disciples! *II Pet. 2:3, Col. 2:4, Eph. 5:6, II Pet 2:18* 

It is *always* important when listening to anyone who claims to be a teacher or preacher, to know that they are the real Not a well constructed fake. All of the fine deal! garnishments they exhibit are just a "covering" to help persuade you that they are the genuine product, not an empty We all *must* look for the "beef" that will prove they fake. are the real item. NO "beef", no substance. No true essence So you ask, "Where's the beef"? How can of a true Christian. I know if it's the genuine item? Simple. Look at the definition of what the essence of a Christian is. Just remember Mt. 7:15-20. Then read Gal. 5:19-25 to know fake from real. See also Phil. 2:3-7.

The essence of a genuine child of God is the Holy Spirit of God that dwells in them to bring forth the works our Father desires. Man can exhibit *many* spirits, but there is only One Holy Spirit! *I John 4:1* It is our *duty* to not be mislead! *Rom. 8:14* 

Simple folks. Take off the "bun", push aside the "trimmings" and look for the beef! PLEASE remember!! If you are fooled by a fake burger you just have been sold a bad sandwich, BUT if you are fooled by a fake Christian you could lose your soul!! By the way, the reason I titled the article "The essence of a good burger" is I hoped you would want to see where I was going with it. Hope it worked.

Keep and CONTEND for the faith. Jude 3

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#### The Christian, Self Defense And War

The question is, "Is it ever right for a Christian to fight? To resist by force? To take up arms? To kill?" These are certainly questions for every sincere followers of Jesus Christ to consider. Obviously, the answer lies in The Word of God and from history, and has been taught by men of solid Christian character for centuries. Let's take a look at both God's Word and history!

Most modern day "churchianity" believes a heresy that has been promulgated by the lukewarm pulpits that dominate the church today. It's hard for most, especially "under fed" Christians, to realize that they are not hearing and being taught the whole counsel of God's Word. Just about all denominations, ( (heresies-II Pet. 2:1), Strong's Concordance NO. 139disunion, or "sect", Webster's 1828 Dictionary- to separate a body or number of persons united in tenets, chiefly on philosophy or religion.), have a "partial" of truth, but never seem to desire to get beyond their "denominational" doctrines. Let's face the facts people. Satan has greatly weakened the once unified body of Christ, divided and all but destroyed its effectiveness. (Mt. 12:25, Luke 11:17) It's even a solid biblical teaching that Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. And he has ministers that are transformed as the ministers of righteousness, to deceive the people. All this was said to make the point that we are individually instructed to know The Word of God and not to trust man with our Christian walk. (II Tim. 2:15) Even Paul warned us not to blindly follow him. He instructed us to be sure we are in Christ (II Cor. 11:14-15, II Cor. 13:5), and only follow him as he followed Christ. (I Cor. 11:1)

Now, let's get back to the teaching. In Numbers chapter one, we find the instructions in God's Word on how to construct the "civilian militia". This is the scriptural teaching and instructions our nation's founders understood and used to establish the militia in America, as outlined in Article II of the Bill of Rights. To make a very important point here, let me say this is much more than a right for all the people to keep and bear arms, it is a solemnly commanded duty as per God's instructions in Numbers Chapter 1, and Christ in Luke 22:36. Unfortunately, most Americans, and perhaps especially Christians, either don't believe God's Word in both the Old and New Testaments, OR they just simply choose to ignore, or disobey, it. Since we have neglected our duty to God, we are losing the "blessing" of keeping and bearing arms. Disobedience on any level, always leads to a loss of blessings. (Deut. 28:1-2 &15)

At this point I will answer a comment and question I have gotten several times in the past about the issue of the Christian and self defense and the defense of others. Many have said, and unfortunately believe, that God will take care of us all the time, in all situations. Of course He can, and has countless times in circumstances where His people are defenseless through no fault of their own, but that is not what He has instructed His people in most cases where violence was unavoidable. One good example is found in Ex.22:2 where the homeowner is prepared and ready to use deadly force to defend his home and family. Read it! The same God who gave these instructions, is the same God with the same commands today. (Mal. 3:6, Heb. 13:8)

One more quick comment on this tired and wimpy argument. People say, but it's God The Father speaking in the Old Testament, but Jesus in the New Testament. Sorry, that argument won't hold up either. Christ Himself plainly told us that He and The Father are One and He came to teach His Father's Words! John 14:7-12 Just as it was given to each male in Numbers chapter one, in Gen. 14, Abraham took his servants to war to save Lot, his family and their possessions. In Neh. 4, God instructed Nehemiah to arm the workmen who were rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem. Could the Almighty God of all creation not have protected and delivered in all of these examples? Of course He could have, but He gave mankind the duty, (not right), to arm themselves for their own protection and for protection of family, and for fulfilling His will here on earth!

For anyone who desires to know the truth, there has been enough scripture in these few passages to teach and convince them of this very important teaching! We are commanded not to kill, (shed innocent blood, i.e. commit murder), but we are commanded to arm ourselves to defend life! Our very souls rest on this teaching! (Pro. 24:11-12) It is not a right to possess weapons, it is the duty of a righteous people! (I Tim. 5:8)

Now that we have finally established the teaching and command of keeping, bearing and use of arms for personal, family and the defense of the innocent, let's move on to the instructions of defending a nation. By the way, because we, especially the "church", did not use this duty to protect the most innocent of all in January 1973, (Pro. 24:11-12), God has withdrew His blessings and protections on our once great nation. Individuals answer to God on a personal basis, but a nation as a whole in the present time. In II Kings 24:4 you will find, very simply stated, that God will not forgive a nation when the people allow the shedding of innocent blood! SEVEN HUNDRED MILLION (700,000,000) innocent children have been slaughtered on our watch! Did you wonder why the blessing of keeping and bearing arms is under attack?!

Let's begin this last segment on the "duty" of a Christian to protect and defend his country by saying this. Very few wars or conflicts fought throughout mankind's history were fought with "pure" intentions and motives from either side! Almost all of them have been fought for the benefit of the few "elite" who desire wealth, power and control of mankind. These "elite" are very good at deceiving the masses into following their "just" cause. These "children of Satan" will use any and all means possible to further their agenda to "rule" the world.

We will not take the time to, once again, expose the deceptions by which nations have been lured and drawn into wars that, not only have devastated nations, but led to the death of untold millions in the process. These have been well examined in a previous article entitled, America, A Victim of War.

Question. Should a born again, blood bought, child of God take up arms to defend America today? To answer this question I will ask a few more questions. Defend America from and for what? From an "unjust" government that defrauds its citizens in every imaginable way? From "so called" elected and appointed "officials" that condone and protect the murdering of unborn children? From a so called "supreme" court that unjustly and unlawfully made unnatural and perverted sex between same sex "partners" legal by using the document that is falsely called the supreme law of the land as their foundation to justify this grossly immoral and unnatural demonic behavior? The final question is this, "Can an individual that proclaims to be "Christ like" in any way, defend and protect any nation that defies God's laws as we have tolerated and allowed in America? The answer must be emphatically NO! We cannot and will not support or defend such a nation as America has become!

We must, by the command of God's Word, oppose all wickedness, whether personal, societal, or national! There is no excuse to do otherwise! (Eph. 5:11)

Our first and only true allegiance must be to God our Father and to His Kingdom alone. We simply cannot serve two masters! (Mt. 6:24) Although, just about every one of us have done so ignorantly in the past. Now that you have read and know the truth, you can no longer plead ignorance.

In closing, I will make this final comment and biblical observation. We are losing the "blessing" of keeping and bearing of arms everyday simply because we have not fulfilled our duty to God and His Word, to protect and preserve the life of millions of innocent people. But, we must not allow or tolerate the disarming of ourselves! To do so, would be the final act of disobedience in not fulfilling God's commandment to His people as stated in I Tim 5:8! "Providing" for our own household means much more than providing food and shelter. It also means to spiritually train, teach and prepare ourselves and families for battle in this present time. Provide also means to "provide" a means of physical protection from an enemy. Being armed to do so is a direct command from God Himself.

Nations and societies decay, crumble and are destroyed, not by corrupt governments, but because of a corrupt people!

Now you know the truth! What will you do?

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#### Temporary Trials – Eternal Glory

#### <u>Ps. 33:12 – Prov. 14:34</u>

History has taught us that living a righteous life with a sincere desire and determination to serve Christ and keep His commandments can be much easier with far fewer obstacles and stress, depending on the generation you are born into. Of course, I'm referring to nations and societies that understood and recognized the truth that there is an omnipotent, omnipresent and omniscient Creator that has established and set forth a law system that every little nuance of His creation <u>must</u> follow if they desire to exist and flourish! This fact certainly holds true for mankind and their societies! To deny this truth has, and will always ultimately and inevitably lead to chaos and destruction.

On the contrary though, history has also shown that nations and societies that build their foundations on the eternal, indestructible cornerstone of Jesus Christ and His teaching will flourish, prosper and grow, until <u>they</u> decide to move off the foundation of God's Word.

For a brief period in the history of a people who determine that they are going to follow after righteousness in all areas of their existence, living a Godly life and demanding that all others in their society live "peaceably" and follow the moral concepts set under God's laws, and demand justice and righteous punishment for those who violate these eternal laws will prosper! The evil doer (criminal and "sinner") were the ones that society ostracized, shunned and punished. When a society begins to turn from God's moral principles, it is up to <u>His</u> people to cry aloud and demand a return and compliance to His immutable moral precepts and laws. <u>If</u> His people, (church) also give in to the temptation and desire for "fitting in" in order to get along, then a nation is doomed! Cancer has set in, and their dying will be a long and agonizing death. In a society that chooses this path, eventually those who refuse to compromise <u>will</u> become the "enemy" of a corrupt society! They will become the "prey" of the wicked! (<u>Is. 59:15</u>) But praise God, this is when the <u>true</u> people of God will stand forth as lights in a darkened world! (<u>Phil. 2:15 – Prov. 13:9</u>)

There is one recurring fact and truth that history has recorded without fail in <u>all</u> nations that for a brief period in their existence endeavored to follow and govern themselves by God's righteous laws, judgments and statutes: and that is simply that <u>all</u> of them soon turned back to serve other gods! (<u>Jer. 2:11</u>) And also, that the remnant that wouldn't follow after the pernicious way of the masses, soon found themselves on the "outside" of mainline society. They soon were evil spoken of, mocked, ridiculed and even persecuted for their unwillingness to compromise! <u>(II Tim 3:12 – II Peter 2:2)</u> Such is the type of nation America/Babylon has now become. The "few" that refuse to bow to the nation's many idols are now beginning to see the persecution of the righteous begin.

#### Temporary Trails

Over the last several years some people have misunderstood, and misinterpreted my writings and teachings. Some feel that I don't offer enough praise to our Savior, and not enough encouragement and hope to those who read the articles and hear the teachings. Recently I have been told that I have not conveyed a message of hope. Obviously, it bothers me that my teachings are received that way, when it is my sincerest desire to uplift and encourage all who read or listen to them. Some feel that perhaps there isn't enough "praise" in the teachings. That perhaps we need to sing and shout and have a revival. Dear reader, singing and praise is wonderful! It is a practice we <u>all</u> need to pursue. The sacrifice of praise is a beautiful attribute, <u>but</u> it can be, and in many cases can become a shallow and empty endeavor!

All the praise and sacrifice mankind can give without active obedience, and *action* in the war against evil is totally empty, and <u>not</u> desired by a Holy God! (<u>I Sam 15:22</u>) All through the scriptures we are instructed to "serve" God, and obey Him, to do His commandments and demand Godly judgment on evildoers. The apostle Paul continually praised his Savior <u>not</u> by having "sings" and feel-good revivals, but by obeying his Creator even unto death! He reproved, rebuked and exhorted with much patience, all those who would hear and pay Our "sacrifices" of tithes, offerings, praise and heed! singing are totally empty without a full and complete commitment to obeying our God in the *fullness* of His instructions to His people . **Isaiah 1:11-20** clearly explains how much He detests our empty offerings and praise!

In this writing, as usual, I am endeavoring to prepare the few righteous that are striving against the vast number of evildoers in our society today! To help you to understand that if you dare to live righteously and without compromise in an evil society, you <u>will</u> be persecuted! But we <u>must</u> rise up and stand against evil doers! (<u>Ps. 94:16</u>). We are to endure the trials, persecutions and hardships as good <u>soldiers!</u> To put on the whole armor of God to <u>fight</u> the good fight of faith without fear of the evil ones! (<u>II Tim. 2:3, Eph. 6:11, I</u> <u>Tim. 6:12, II Tim. 4:7, Ps. 23:4, IITim 1:7 and Heb. 13:6</u>)

In the eyes of a "modern, enlightened" society, <u>you</u> will be called the evildoers! (<u>II Pet. 2:12</u>) Do not be discouraged, dismayed, or overwhelmed! We will overcome in Christ our Lord! His power and glory in those who **obey Him**, <u>will</u> overcome the evil one! (<u>Rom. 12:21 – I John 2:13 – Rev. 12:11</u> – <u>I John 4:4</u>)

He that overcometh shall inherit all things! (<u>Rev. 2:7</u>, <u>2:26, 3:5 & 21, 21:7</u>)

I have written this to exhort and encourage you to stand **and fight** for His Glory!

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# Who Will You Deny?

Folks, let's not deceive ourselves! Our Savior Himself said that we cannot serve two masters! (Matt. 6:24) In His word we are commanded to choose "today" who we will serve! (Joshua 24:15). There is no middle ground. You must, and you will choose! Even if you say you won't or haven't, you already have! We all choose every day, many times a day, who we will serve and who we will deny at that moment, on each occasion and on each issue. Should we be so unstable in our faith in Christ and His word to flip flop on each issue and every circumstance, depending on the "peer" pressure at the time? Sad, huh? And we wonder why evil is so prevalent in our nation today.

In Matthew, Mark and Luke we find the account of Peter denying Christ on three different occasions. Although Peter was told by Christ in advance he would deny Him, and Peter vehemently denied that he would, he did anyway! But wait, let's not be too hard on Peter. All the others denied Christ also. Even though they made the same vow as Peter. (Matt. 26:35 & vs. 56)

My question to each of us today is, why do we deny Him nearly

every day depending on the occasions and circumstances? All the disciples were in fear for their lives! What are we afraid of? Being humiliated, offending people, making our friends and family angry with us, causing dissension and divisions, or perhaps losing our jobs, or perhaps even going to jail. Which one of these is important enough to deny our precious Savior, lose our fellowship with Him, or even damming ourselves to Hell? In <u>Matt. 10:28-39</u> we are clearly "warned" that to deny Christ before men will cause Him to deny us before His Father. If Christ is not our advocate on the day of judgment there is no hope! (I John 2:1)

In our soft, lazy, apathetic and compromising society today, being accepted, popular and well-liked is more important than living by Christ's Kingdom's laws! We have traded Christian "convictions" for "Christian preferences"! In order to keep the "peace", we have sold Christ's sacrifice on the cross for us, and the birthright He bought for us for a bowl of pottage. (Gen. 25:29-34) Anything, or anyone we place before Christ, and His Word is "our" bowl of pottage! If your ultimate desire is to be accepted and approved by men, you have denied Christ and damned your souls! (Luke 6:26) If you live for people's acceptance, you will die for their rejection.

Perhaps we all need to read the following scriptures again, a little closer, and search out their complete meaning. (John 15:18-19, I John 2:15-17, James 4:4) It may prove very beneficial to look up the meaning of the word "world" in the Strong's Concordance under numbers 2889 and 2865.

If you are truly a blood-bought, born again, Spirit-filled follower of Christ, you will cause a division in your life with friends and family! You have no choice! You will either stand for Christ and His Word, or you will accept the "world", it's laws and will! The choice is yours! Choose wisely! Or you could end up like Demas. (II Tim 4:10) In Christ's Service

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#### Americans Have Lost No Rights

Kind of figured that the title would get your attention! I'm certain you are curious, and probably thinking I'm insane. Please allow me to satisfy your curiosity and try to prove my sanity. You may find that I'm really not as far off base as you may think. I will endeavor to explain the biblical truth on this topic, and establish the fact that men do not have rights in any form; civil, human, constitutional or God given. You cannot lose something you never had. The **blessings** of liberty come **only** by obedience to God's laws, and fulfilling the duties they require. PS. 119:45 "And I will walk at liberty: for I seek thy precepts." And **only** where Christ is the head of a nation is there liberty. (II cor. <u>3:17)</u> The blessings of liberty, peace, prosperity and security can be, and are only found in believing and by obeying God's laws in all spheres of society. (PS. 29:11, PS 132:15, PS <u>33:12-Prov. 10:22, Prov. 11:11 - Is. 44:3)</u> These are only a few references to prove that all blessings flow from God Almighty to an obedient people. (Deut. 28:2) Men are granted blessings for performing their God-ordained duties and responsibilities.

Ecc 12:13 ," Let us hear the conclusion of the whole duty of matter: Fear God, and keep His commandments! For this is the whole duty of man." (Emphasis added)

Many will cry and protest this article and proclaim that men

have certain God-given unalienable rights! The Declaration of Independence says so! You are absolutely right! But you must read on my friends, to understand and fully realize that these men understood that these "rights" were truly blessings granted to us by God for doing our duty to Him! You will read in the Declaration of Independence that it is the duty of the people to overthrow a government that interferes with the "blessings" of liberty! But only a righteous and virtuous people will fulfill that duty. These men also said in many of their personal writings and comments, that only an obedient people to God's Word deserve the blessings of liberty.

John Adams, the second president of the United States said, "Our constitution was made **only** for a *moral and religious* people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other."

Samuel Adams said, "While the people are virtuous, they cannot be subdued; but when they lose their virtue they will be ready to surrender their liberties to the first external or internal invader". May I add, even if they are "fake", threats and attacks as 9/11 and others have been, and even more are still being contrived and enacted and carried out or allowed by our own elected officials, and/or agents of George Soros and others, to scare a sinful, callous and cowardly people into submission.

People, why would a Sovereign, Holy and Creator bless us with the gifts of liberty when we have done nothing to fulfill the duties that are required to obtain and keep them?

The "patriots" that tout and proclaim The Declaration of Independence, Constitution and Bill of Rights as the foundation and protector of our "rights" either don't want to understand, or can't understand, the fact that the Giver and Protector of our blessings, or what we call rights, is Jesus Christ! Alone! Why would He bless us with the means to defend ourselves or properties when we didn't exercise the *duty* as blessings expressed in the Second Amendment to protect the 60,000,000 totally innocent babies *slaughtered* in their mother's womb? (<u>Prov. 24:11-12, Jer. 22:3</u>). The second amendment neither guarantees nor protects our "right" to keep and bear arms! God gave us a *duty* to keep and bear arms to protect the innocent, *and* our blessings of liberty! (<u>Luke</u> 22:36, Num. 1:18-54)

Why should the same Creator "protect" our blessings of being allowed to proclaim the truth of His Word and to speak His Word to demand "righteous" judgment on evil, which is the breaking of His laws. We, the ones who claim to be His people, the called out ones, the church, have not done our *duty* to cry aloud and show the people their transgressions against His Word, and we are now losing the blessings of the liberty to speak the Truth! (<u>Is. 58:1, Is. 59:15, Gal. 4:16</u>)

\_Why should we be secure in our persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, when an unborn child isn't even safe and protected in its mother's womb?!

There is no need to further demonstrate why the rest of our so called "Bill of Rights" are ignored by our courts and Legislators! We have failed to do our duty to the glory of God, and use our liberties to glorify Him and protect and preserve our fellowman and their blessings. We have become a selfish, self-centered and self-righteous people who "whine" about *our* troubles and trials, but have <u>tolerated</u> countless evils all around us.

To sing or pray for God to bless America is at best arrogant, ignorant, or even outright blasphemy!

There you have it. Now what will we do with this very plain spoken truth?

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# Legal, Justified And Acceptable Theft

Exodus 20:15 Thou shalt <u>not</u> steal!

Except when it becomes legal, and justified by man's law and/or government, and then of course it's okay. It becomes okay in just about anybody and everybody's minds. Even those who say they are followers of Christ and who say they follow His Kingdom's law system. Through ignorance, greed (covetousness), or apathy, we have a society and nation that now accepts stealing as an acceptable way of doing business, and a part of everyday lives.

The American people have become so brainwashed by the government state-controlled schools, and by a controlled allinclusive news and entertainment media, that we have "learned" to, at first tolerate, then accept and now **demand** our god's (state's) legal "benefits" by thievery! We no longer call it stealing! We call it "paying our fair share", spreading the wealth around, giving to the "needy". It makes no difference that the funds needed to fulfill the desires and "needs" of others was coveted (stolen) by force from someone who **lawfully** earned them. It's okay because our new "god", our provider, our protector, our refuge and strength, the State, made the thievery **legal**!

After all, we "*freely*" elected people to office to "represent " us and to look out for us. I mean, that's why we voted for them wasn't it? To become our "lord and overseer"? The "state" has become our "god" who watches over us instead of God Himself. (<u>Ps. 46:1, Phil. 2:29, Mt. 6:33</u>) Even though it's contrary to God's <u>Holy</u> and righteous <u>law</u>: it's okay, our new god, the state said so!

Theft is still theft whether it 's done with a gun or by a "law" of man! There are **no** exceptions, and no **excuses** for stealing! Although the Bible says it can be "understandable" in some cases, (**Prov. 6:30-31**) it is still sin! Even when done "legally" and taken by force! (Ex. 20:17, I Tim. 6:10, Mark 10:19, John 15:10, Eph. 4:28, Col. 3:5) to covet, even **legally**, is **idolatry**! Covetous: Strongs – N.T. 4123, 4124 – defrauding, greediness, desire more.

Now, for you who do not believe in the true God (Yahweh, Jehovah) or His word, given as our instruction book and law to follow, I will address briefly the documents that millions reach out to for protection and guidance for our nation. The one enshrined in The National Archives of our nation's capitol, the one so many respect and revere, and to a "limited" degree, it's worthy of it, the ones we know as the Constitution and Bill of Rights.

Again, <u>Hos. 4:6-7</u> is very applicable to America. Just as with most Christians and the study of the Bible, very few have ever totally read the Constitution and the Bill of Rights, much less studied them. If they did, they would soon discover that nowhere in these so called "sacred" documents are there to be found any basis for America's system of "legal" thievery! *Nowhere* will you find man, or his government, given the authority to make a "law" that makes it okay to steal from anyone for any reason! Quite the contrary! Prove me wrong if you can. Biblically or Constitutionally.

Let us face the real truth today folks! *Very* few could long exist without the practice of legal thievery! I am no exception. Because of the knowledge I have been blessed with, *and* willing to accept, I could do better, and survive longer than many, but it would be very difficult! The majority of young people couldn't come close to surviving on their own without resorting to thievery and violence! Without our new "gods" provision, society would melt into a violent mass of chaos!

Americans have learned to accept and embrace social orders that people hated and sought to destroy in our nation's early years. Through the "dumbing down" of our society, we now readily accept and even **demand** socialism and total communism! America has become **unredeemable** as far as moral or righteous liberty and freedom are concerned! People don't understand or even remotely comprehend what the concept of true liberty and freedom are! Although we call out for it! Even though we claim we have it, we haven't the faintest idea of what it truly is! Real liberty and freedom requires and demands a level of responsibility that most are not prepared to accept! It would scare them to death!

So, let's accept the facts stated above for what they are, and continue to do what we can to protect the few "privileges" we have left that our god, the state, grants us and warn the people of God's righteous judgment on individuals and nations! Tell them about the saving grace of His son, Jesus Christ! Fight the good fight of faith! Continue on well doing! Do not give up! (**Prov. 24:10, Gal. 6:9**). We may have been deceived into an earthly tyranny, but by His grace and mercy we can dwell as free people in His Kingdom *now* and for eternity!

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# Vile Adults Pervert The Children

Most adults have heard the Biblical account of Sodom and Gomorrah. How that a thrice Holy God destroyed *every* living thing in those extremely wicked cities. Just in case you may be thinking that this only affected a small geographical area, and a small number of people, may I correct you on that thought. There were five cities all together. Sodom, Admah, Gormorrah, Zebuiiri, and Zoar, with a population of approximately 260,000.

Most people usually don't consider another very important and sad fact. That <u>every</u> living thing was destroyed inside these cities, including the children! The wickedness of Sodom and Gomorrah was so vile that it was not only a sin (crime) against nature itself, but a tremendous abomination against God! The adults were so unspeakably perverted that their perversion had been planted in the minds and hearts of the children also! And yes, it <u>was</u> the sin of sexual perversion! Mostly homosexuality by both males and females, but it also included fornication, adultery, bestiality and more! The sick, perverted, wicked and vile influence of the "parents" on the children lead to their total destruction also. You want to know something even sadder? At one time these cities knew who God was and honored the King of Salem who was a high priest of God, and God's servant Abram also. (**Gen. 14**)

The evil influence perpetuated on children demands a far more serious judgment than most other sins. Christ Himself gave warning to this fact in <u>Mt. 18:6, Mk. 9:42 and Luke 17:2.</u> In this article I have written a few quotes that can be heard on a video of this sick individual speaking and singing to children about his demonic actions. You can view the video by searching online and typing in your search engine, "Drag Queens Read at Library's Story Hour in Brooklyn." After viewing the video or reading the article please ask yourself if the damnable locations that sponsored and allowed this filth to be presented to children, <u>and</u> the "parents" that condoned it, and even praised it, are not equally worthy of hell fire and damnation! (<u>Luke 17:29/II Peter 2:6</u>)

In 2016, the libraries in Brooklyn, NY started presenting what they titled, "Drag Queen Hour" about once a month. These "teaching" sessions, and that's exactly what they are, are expressly used to target children in order to "train and educate" them to accept all manner of perverted and disgusting sexual acts, much the same as Sodom and Gomorrah! America is destroying the heart and minds of the children so that when our final judgment has come to what was <u>once</u> a blessed nation, <u>total</u> destruction of all living is inevitable! Read <u>Rev. 18</u> for a full description of the desecration and destruction of end time Babylon, i.e, America.

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Here are a few statements made by "Li'l Miss Hot Mess" who is arrayed in a silver sequin dress with rainbows, blue and silver glitter eye shadow and an enormous wig of curly blond hair:

"Who wants to be a drag queen when they grow up?" At this point most of the "children" raised their hands. Li'l Miss Hot Mess then stated, "We can both be grooms". Then this devil possessed individual continued to vomit up more filth by singing a song to the tune of "The Wheels on the Bus Go round and round". "It's" words were, "The hips of the drag queen go swish, swish, swish, (pause), swish, swish, swish.

Wouldn't you think that any "normal" and halfway moral adult would be profoundly angry with such sewage being sprayed on their children?! Sadly, this wasn't the case. In this session at the library there were two parents there who were pleased with the event. Kesa Huey and Sarah Buratti Hosey said, "I think we're just looking for <u>exposure to positive</u> <u>role models</u> in as many forms as possible." Christia Spears Brown, a professor of developmental psychology at the University of Kentucky said, "Something like this program could be <u>a really positive model for kids</u>". She continues, "It ultimately provides children with a really flexible model of gender." (Emphasis added)

Frances Shaffer stated in a writing, back in the **<u>1970's</u>**, that "There are times in which anyone with a <u>shred</u> of moral principal should be <u>profoundly</u> angry. We live in such times."

Obviously the wicked, depraved and vile individuals that openly promote such evil are certainly deserving of damnation, and at one time in America, would have at <u>least</u> been put in prison, if not justly executed for destroying the moral foundation of our youth and nation. Unfortunately, and just as damning is the fact that we as a society tolerate such decadence. To be even more precise, the fault of the moral crisis lies not with the wicked, but with the slothful, cowardly and lukewarm church in America today!

In closing, here are two more quotes that will sum up why Sodom and Gomorrah, i.e., America today, is being destroyed. You silent, cowardly "whispering Christians", pay heed!

"The hottest places in hell are reserved for those who in times of great moral crisis maintain their neutrality". Dante

"The world is a dangerous place to live, not because of the people who are evil, but because of the people who don't do anything about it." Albert Einstein

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# Why Oh Why?

This question from God Almighty is expressly directed to the people who say they are "Christians", and who deny Him by their sins of commission and omission. Why oh why have you forsaken me? You will say, "Wherewith have we forsaken you?" You have forsaken me by compromising my Holy Word! Βv before men with your inactions, silence, denying me cowardliness and downright disobedience to my Word. In vain have you professed your love to me. Your action or inactions have proven you to be liars! (John 14:15). You now call good evil and evil good. You say again , "When have we done that?" With your cowardly silence, in not boldly and loudly speaking against evil! By tolerating sin against my righteous laws in order to keep "peace" with your family and friends. Not understanding, that by doing so you are sending them to Hell. Truly Matt. 15:8 describes the vast majority of "God's People" today.

God Himself asks the question far better than this writer can through His prophet in <u>II Chr. 24:20</u> where He asks, "And the Spirit of God came upon Zechariah the son of Jehoiada the priest, which stood above the people, and said unto them, Thus saith God, "Why transgress ye the commandments of the <u>Lord</u>, that ye cannot prosper?" Because ye have forsaken the <u>Lord</u>, *He hath also forsaken you*." <u>Why oh why</u> can't those that call themselves His people believe and live according to <u>Matt.</u> <u>6:33</u>?

How many times have I heard it said, "Well, you know, preacher, the Bible said this would happen. We can't do anything to stop it." I suppose they want to deny God's commands and warnings in <u>Matt.10:33</u> and <u>Eph. 5:11.</u> Most Christians have used this <u>excuse</u> of "it's prophesied, we can't

fight it" or "don't worry, when things get really bad we will be raptured away"! Let's face the fact that no matter how we try to "excuse away" our responsibilities and duties to follow God's word to <u>demand</u> righteousness in our own lives, the lives of our families, civil government and society, to judge righteously, to desire justice for all, to punish evil doers, and purge the evil from among us, we have sinned ourselves. Why oh why have we forsaken Him? Toleration of evil, no matter the excuse or reason we may give, is a gross sin in and of itself! He is God, He is the Word. His **essence** is His righteous law system!

(Is. 59:14-15/ Deut. 1:16/Prov. 31:9/Jer. 5:28/Ps.82:3/Prov. 21 3/Ecc. 5:8/ Lev. 20:14/Ps. 10:15, 45:7/ I Cor. 5:13.)

Why, oh why do we that call ourselves **Christians** continue to make fools of ourselves by mocking God and His Holy Word! Generation after generation we continue to put our trust in man, his benefits and his Godless law system by voting for the "lesser" of evils to fix our societies, financial, physical and moral problems. How have we as a nation, and much worse as the church, became so damnably ignorant, rebellious, arrogant and stiff-necked to not understand that there can be <u>no</u> healing of our land without true and total repentance!! We seem to have forgotten the <u>fact</u> that God and His righteous laws are <u>not</u> mocked! We <u>will</u> reap what we have sown! (<u>Gal.</u> Death to our nation for allowing the slaughter of 6:7) innocent bloodshed! Evil, for tolerating evil! Curses on our children and children's children! (Hos. 4:6, Is. 13:16 & 18, Jer. 15:7, Rev. 2:23)

\_Why, oh why have we tolerated the death of our unborn? Why have we allowed ourselves to be deceived into unjust and immoral wars where our sons and daughters are sacrificed to the idol called patriotism? Our children are paying for our ungodly ignorance by being forced into taking mind-numbing drugs because of a man saying they have what is called today A.D.D. They are being taught, i.e. brainwashed, into believing that immoral sexual acts of all manner, are totally acceptable! <u>On our watch</u>! <u>Paid for with our dollars!</u> <u>And</u> <u>with and by our silent consent!</u> And we wonder why we are seeing so much vile evil in America today! God asks, "Why are my people destroyed for lack of knowledge?!" **Sin=evil**, **evil=ignorance and stupidity**! Why, oh why will not the people cry aloud with a contrite and broken heart? Why, oh why is there no true repentance?! (<u>II Cor. 7:9-10</u>)

As a mere mortal, but yet I pray at least somewhat of a vessel worthy to be used, to the glory of my Heavenly Father, I will ask in His name, "Why will we not repent and return to the supreme and righteous judge for the salvation of our nation?!" Why, oh why do we continue to curse ourselves by putting our trust in <u>any</u> man or man's government?! (Jer. <u>17:5</u>) Our Creator's hand is not too weak to save us! His hearing is not too poor to hear us! Our <u>sins</u> have separated us from Him! (<u>Is. 59:1-2</u>) Why, oh why have the preachers and pastors become dumb dogs that cannot warn the people?! (<u>Is. 56:10</u>) Why, oh why is it that the vast majority of the pastors have become brutish, i.e. stupid, insensible and bestial, and no longer seek the Lord and preach His word?! (Jer. 10:21)

Praise God, grace is still abundant for the forgiveness of sin, <u>if</u> there is a sincere repentance and turning from sin to Him and His commandments! (<u>Ezek. 14:6, Joel 2:13,Acts 26:2, Rev. 2:5</u>)

As for me, I cannot and <u>will</u> not ask or sing for God to bless America! I am and will continue to cry for America to repent before God. <u>or you will be destroyed</u>! (<u>Ps. 9:17, Jer. 1:10,</u> <u>Dan. 7:14, Rev. 11:18</u>).

Enough said for now!

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The Most Sacred Union On Earth

The readers that have read the other articles I have written may find the fact that I do not reference any scriptures in this writing a little strange. However, this "teaching" is absolutely solidly based on God's Holy Word. You can search out the scriptures that support this article on your own. *If* you truly desire to prove me right or wrong.

In the beginning God formed and created the heaven and the earth. He created day and night. The oceans, rivers and dry ground. Animal life of *all* kinds. No "evolution" was used or needed. All plant life was brought forth from the earth He created. And then, finally, He created man in His image (resemblance). He created both male and female, and in so doing, completely established that a man and a woman *only* could be united in a Holy union to populate the earth.

The Holy sovereign God of all, by creating and ordaining the union of Holy matrimony, established the very foundation to build all societies and civilizations on. He expressly specified that any other type of union and foundation was damned from the beginning. Any variance from the ordained God established union of marriage would be the sure destruction of any society or civilization

The Almighty had established the beginning of a rare commodity for a lot of people, a God-centered home. A place of a pure God type love. A place of righteous instruction. A place of security and safety for the whole family. A place of Godly instruction and education. *Never* and nowhere in the scriptures were *His* people to farm out their children to anyone but their immediate family to educate them. Not a state run, antichrist, "hell" system, called public schools. Parents *alone*, were to be responsible to educate their children! Grandparents, sisters, brothers or other close family members were appointed as the educators. The first commandment of education was to teach children the fear and reverence of their Holy God and Creator. From sunrise to sunset. That was THE *main duty of the parents!* 

This is why God set the "rules" of marriage and home life from the beginning and expounded on them all through His Holy This is precisely why the enemy of God's people has Word. attacked the home in every conceivable way. Satan knows that if the foundation is undermined, all Creation will collapse The truly sad and amazing part is that God's and decay. people fell for Satan's deception and, even now, love to have After all, it's such a convenience to put them on the it so! yellow bus to take them to the "secure compound" to be under police protection while they are taught that there is no God or Creator! That we evolved from a single cell piece of slime eons ago. Men have no eternal souls. There are no set rules or standards to live by. As man "evolves" he becomes his own god, and he can change the rules or laws to better suit mankind's needs and preserve their mother earth! Oh, how wonderfully foolish and full of witchcraft we all have become.

Men no longer obey the laws of God and have rebelled, i.e. committed witchcraft, against God. Very few men follow Christ teachings of a Godly husband and dad. Very few wives are willing to submit to any man, even their own husbands, as the lawful head of the wife. God forbid you refer to them as "helpmeets"! Or to suggest they are to be "keepers" of the home. Children are being taught everyday by their "teachers" and other superiors, plus their peers, that they don't need to obey their parents. To be honest though, some parents aren't fit to be called human, much less parents! But that can usually be a throwback to the way their parents "failed" to teach them God's Word.

Sexual promiscuousness is rampant! No guilt of males or females having sex with anyone at anytime they choose. Even with the same sex! And if a woman should have an "accident" and become pregnant, that's no problem at all! They can have it slaughtered for a few hundred dollars.

The God ordained union of marriage of one man to one woman for a lifetime has been compromised to the point that it's almost an extinct idea! Divorce and remarriage, which in almost every case is adultery, had became common place. Through ignorance and compromise we have become a society seeped in adultery. There is only one valid reason given for divorce in God's Holy Word, and you find that the mother and father of the bride would have to show evidence of their daughters purity. Christ Himself gave the commandment on divorce and remarriage.

Enough said! America is damned with no hope of redemption because the people, as a whole, have become almost completely ignorant of God's laws and for the most part we just don't care! This is called being reprobate! From which there is no redemption.

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# Give Me Liberty And My Entitlements

Got freedom? Give me liberty or give me death! Land of the free and the home of the brave! Defenders of liberty! Inalienable rights! The state of New Hampshire 's motto, " Live Free or Die!", WV mountaineers motto, "Mountaineers Are Always Free!" What powerful quotes and beautiful sentiments! Yet not one person in a thousand today truly understand what they mean, and fewer still would mean one word of them <u>if</u> they understood the responsibility of actually living them!

All America needs, they say, is to go back to the Bill of Rights and The Constitution! Not knowing or understanding that if we were to truly go back to the intent of the writers of the Constitution, <u>all</u> of the benefits or "entitlements" as we call them, would not exist! Almost none understand and realize that they could not live long in true liberty and freedom! And if they understood what freedom and liberty requires of them to be enjoyed and preserved, <u>very</u> few would truly desire what they now cry for!

As many societies of the past have been deceived into Satan's servant's (tyrants) snares, so goes the most free and open society in history. Gradually, through ignorance and the manipulation of cunning, crafty men, the once great experiment of liberty we call America has slipped into total despotism, and for the most part the people have blindly and gladly accepted the deception.

Our <u>true</u> founders known as The Pilgrims and Puritans understood and escaped the snares of Satan and his minions called kings and the cult leaders of a false religion! These righteous individuals understood <u>Prov. 23:1-8</u>, and the warning given in <u>Rev. 18:14</u>. These men and women had seen and lived with the trickery of wicked men and their beautiful words of deceit! Their sirens call used to deceive the masses fell on the ears of learned and wise men who would not, and could not heed the lies of earthly ease for a temporary life of false peace and prosperity! <u>Dan. 8:25</u> – The word peace in this verse (Strong's 7962) means false security or prosperity. Unfortunately just as Israel, America fell because of selfish desires for wealth and ease! Just as we are told in God's pure, righteous word, the more they (we) prospered, the more they (we) forgot Him, His laws, and the more they (we) sinned against Him <u>Hos. 4:7</u>. Even as in the time of Jeroboam, many that call themselves the ministers of God now depend on the "entitlements "of the "King" to prosper and exist. They are called 501c3 corporations! They masquerade as "The Church"! <u>I Kings 12:26-33</u> The King fed them and allowed them "benefits" as long as they preached his doctrine! As the old saying goes, "you don't bite the hand that feeds you". Whoever provides your needs and "benefits" becomes your "Lord". Your provider, protector and <u>ruler</u>!

As Israel went, so too America! Out of bondage to perfect liberty. Trusting their holy and righteous God to provide for them through faith in Him and utilizing His creation to "earn" a living by the sweat of their brows with dependence on no man or government. But again, as Israel began murmuring and complaining, and desired to return back to bondage and tyranny of Egypt for the guaranteed "entitlements" they were given there, so too America.

You see, folks, you (we) cannot be a free people and "wards" of the state. According to the 1828 Noah Webster Dictionary, a ward is a child under the protection of a guardian. As <u>we</u> have become!

A wise man by the name of Benjamin Franklin said, "They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty or safety."

To be fair though we have made a much better "trade" than did the Israelites! They wanted the onion, fish, cucumbers, melons, leeks and garlic they had in "captivity" in Egypt. <u>Num. 11:5</u>. We have done much, much better, haven't we? Wow! We "swapped" our liberty in Christ as our provider for a much "cushier" lifestyle!

Let's list some of our benefits ( dainties) we have gotten from the "King's table"! Forget **Psalms 118:3-9**! It's surely

not for U.S.! After all, we are always free! We're the freest people on earth! That my friends, is a lie straight out of hell! We are actually 29th on the list of freest countries after countries like Hong Kong (the freest), Canada, England and many more! Oh well, back to our entitlements! Social Security, HUD, CHIP, food stamps, Medicare, Medicaid, free public schools, clothing vouchers, totally free medical care, grants and government funded public transportation, to list a few. Not to mention how we are "regulated" for our own good! Mandatory vaccines, helmet laws, seat belt laws, zoning laws, gun control for our safety and "security" and safety checks at airports and public events. Also road checks to protect us and keep us safe! Wow! We did really well! We don't need faith and liberty in God the Creation! We have god the state to provide for us!

Folks, I will guarantee you that 98% of the people, if given a choice, would choose the latter! All prisoners are cared for 24/7!

Now you know another reason why America will <u>never</u> be free again! I'm guilty and so are you!

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#### American Chattel

1828 Webster's Dictionary – *Chattel* – 1. Law. a "movable" article of personal property. 2. Any article of tangible property other than land, buildings, and other things annexed to land.

Important points found in I Samuel Chapter 8:

- Verse 5 Israel desired to forsake God as their sovereign King and asked for a king to judge them like the nations around them.
- Verse 6 Samuel was displeased, but God said they had already rejected Him and His Kingdom to serve other gods.
- 3. Verse 9 God instructed Samuel to solemnly warn them of what would happen when they chose man's law system to rule over them.
- 4. Verses 11-22 Samuel told them what their new "god" would require of them for the "privilege of temporal man made security" they wanted, by following man's civil authority over God's righteous rule.
- 5. He will draft your sons and daughters for his military.
- 6. He will appoint underlings, (bureaucrats), to rule over society in large and small jurisdictions.
- 7. He would instruct the people to plow the *king's* ground and reap *his* harvest! He now assumed rule of all land.
- 8. The king would put them to "work", (give them government jobs), manufacturing his weapons of war.
- 9. He would take the women and make them *his* palace staff.
- 10. He will take your best lands and give them to his lackeys and bureaucrats.
- 11. He would take a tenth of their goods and give them to his officers and servants. In our "free" society today they take half or more! We have become the land of the "fee" and the home of the "slave"!
- 12. He would draft your workers and best men, plus your livestock to do his work. (I) He will take a tenth of your livestock to give to his servants!

In *verse 18* God told them that when all of this comes to pass that they would cry out to Him for mercy, but that He would *not* hear their pleas!

In verses 19-22 even after all the warnings and pleadings of

God through Samuel, the people said, "Nay; but we will have a king over us; that we also may be like all the nations; and that our king may judge us, and go out before us (represent them), and fight our battles." Totally in contrast to God's Word in *Is. 33:22.* Samuel said so be it! Go on home and wait!

Foolish people that we are! To turn from The Creator of all things for our blessings and provision! We have sold ourselves and our posterity into slavery with our selfish desires. *Ps. 118: 7-9* 

Although it may be very uncomfortable for us to admit that history clearly reveals the truth that there has *never* been a nation that remained faithful to God and His Kingdom for long. Usually during or after the second generation, a nations prosperity turns the people from God's blessings to man's greed and promises of security! We inevitably turn to and prefer man's laws system, i.e. kingdom, to the sovereign Creator of all! How quickly we have forgotten the promise given in *Mt. 6:33*.

The first commandment in *Ex. 20:3* states, "thou shalt have no other 'gods' before me." Strong's concordance No. 430 – gods, goddess, etc., but also judges or magistrates. In other words, we are to have no other law systems or "authorities" above His Kingdom laws. In *Mt. 22:37* you will find what is known as the "great" commandment. The first part expresses the same point as *Ex. 20:3.* God *must* be obeyed, honored and glorified before all others and all other authorities.

Once the first commandment is ignored and disobeyed, the destruction of an individual life, or a nation, is unavoidable and inevitable! God is the Rock and Foundation of all creation! *Ex. 32:4, I Sam. 2:2, Ps. 18:2, Is. 17:10* Jesus Christ is the Cornerstone of the true church! *II Pet. 2:6-7* Not Peter, as the Roman Catholic cult teaches. The church is built on no man, no man-made doctrine, nor of works of *any* kind, but rather on the sovereignty and grace of Christ our

Lord! Amen!

All societies and nations that forget God are destroyed and turned into Hell. *Ps. 9:17* Nations that put God's Kingdom as the Head of their civil authorities are a blessed, prosperous and peaceful society! *Pro. 29:2, Ps. 33:12, Mt. 6:33* An unrighteous and immoral people are doomed to despotism! Eventually the whole world, except for those who are born again, will fall under the control of a world tyranny! *Rev. 13:8* They will "literally" worship their "god" right into Hell! After all, he has promised them so many benefits for following him, how could anyone but a "fool" trust in a God they can't see?!

Quoting the preserved Word of God seems to hold very little meaning to most of society today, but *all* will see one day that His Word is valid! They will be judged by it and found without the blood of Christ applied to cleanse their eternal souls, and will be damned for all eternity. But be that as it may, I will show one more passage to those who will see what the final outcome for a nation that turns its back on God and His Kingdom *must* be!

In *Pro. 28:2* we are told that the sins of the people are the reason why they came under tyrannical leaders! As John Calvin said, "When God wants to judge a nation, He gives them wicked rulers."

We, as a society, and even those who may be sincere followers of Christ, have either ignorantly, or arrogantly, demanded our freedoms and liberty! We want evil leaders that a sovereign God placed over us, to punish us, to cut our taxes, get rid of all the regulations and licenses (permits), that we need to work, travel and much more. We want civil authority to go back into its rightful sphere of authority! But folks, that won't and indeed *cannot* happen. An unrighteous, immoral, greedy, lazy and apathetic people that has not and will *not* demand righteous judgment and justice do not deserve what they

#### cry out for! Is. 59:12-15

The blood of 60,000,000 innocent sacrifices we have allowed in our land, will not go unrecompensed! America, i.e. Babylon, Sodom and Gomorrah, *cannot* be healed! There is no true repentance or remorse for the transgressions we are *all* guilty of! The people are too content to live in "Babylon" as a nation, and as a law system. We have become fat and lazy! Fearful of man but no *real* fear of God! We "love" to have things the way they are, more than we hate the evil and those that commit it! We have become a "touchy feely" people! We have very little Godly *love* in our hearts! Godly *love* demands judgment and justice on evil doers! *Jer.* 5:28-32, Amos 5:15, *Ps.* 92:10, *Ps.* 139: 21-22, *Rom.* 12:9, *I Pet.* 3:11

One more passage from the complete, unchangeable, immutable and infallible Word of God found *only* in the 1611 KJV Bible in *Neh.* 9:32-38. As a result of our transgressions of the unchanging law of God, whether intentional or unintentional, we are *now* "chattel", property of evil rulers who have *dominion* over our property, our prosperity and our bodies. And even now they have *dominion* over our minds, and make merchandise of us! *II Pet.* 2:3

You! You, must decide which law system and God you will serve into eternity! We are all slaves to the Babylonian world system now! Whether you admit it, or like it, or not! It is the historic and Biblical truth! No repentance, no freedom!

A moral and virtuous people have no need of maters, but an immoral people have need of an external force (masters) to control their lusts!

We must choose this day how far we will follow the anti Christ's dictates! Choose wisely!

In Christ's service,

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# Blissful ignorance

Sadly, the title of this article clearly states how most people prefer to live their lives. Ignorance, like sin, is bliss for a season. I guess there is some pleasure in living in this manner for a brief period (Heb. 11:25).

"There is a tranquility in ignorance, but servitude is its partner."

"None are more hopelessly enslaved than those who falsely believe they are free." -Goethe

"Ignorance is of a peculiar nature; once dispelled, it is impossible to reestablish. It is not originally a thing of itself, but the absence of knowledge; and though man be kept ignorant, he cannot be made ignorant." -Thomas Paine

"If a nation expects to be ignorant and free in a state of civilization, it expects what never was and never will be." - Thomas Jefferson

"My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge (ignorance) because thou hast rejected knowledge (willful ignorance), I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children." -Hosea 4:6

Just wanted to let you know that I've had all the "damned" lies I can handle without standing up, speaking out and exposing to all of us what fools we have become! (Ps. 14:1) A moral and virtuous people, filled with Godly wisdom, will not and cannot blindly pledge "allegiance" to any manmade government that denies the sovereign authority of the God of all creation. A nation ruled by corrupt men who ignore the eternal and immutable laws of Holy God, that demands obedience, or cause the people to err through immorality, depravity, decadence and debauchery cannot be obeyed by a righteous people! (Is. 9:16) Especially so for a nation that once knew the providence and protection of a righteous God. (Ps. 9:17) A nation that consisted mostly of a people who understood and realized that God alone must have preeminence in all things whatsoever in His creation. These people fled to an unsettled land to escape both a political and ecclesiastical tyranny under a corrupt king and a cult called Roman Catholicism. Both separately and together desired to rule the world!

These Godly people understood the authority given them by Christ Himself. (Mt. 28:18-20) They were determined to render to God alone their allegiance. They were determined to set up a "civil authority" that had but one purpose and that was to see that God's laws alone were to be followed. Evil men were punished, the righteous were blessed with liberty (Rom. 13:1-6). They were willing to dedicate their lives to fulfill this "Holy" calling. These people who greatly desired to be righteous, established the first and truly "Christian" nation in history, that stood for approximately 200 years, from the early to late 1600's to 1789. Yep, that's right! 1789! Keep reading!

People who have a sincere desire for truth can find the truth, but they will not find it in the heathen, state run, "public fool" system we have all attended and still send our children to today! You will find very little of it in today's 501c3 whorehouse we call the church! You can, if you are not too lazy to seek and find it in God's preserved Word, the 1611 KJV Bible, using a Strong's Concordance and a copy of the original 1828 Noah Webster's dictionary. You can find actual copies of our nation's first colonial covenants (constitutions) to read what our true founding fathers wrote about what our nation was formed for, but that is your call alone. You may want to stop reading now! If you read any further, you will have your ignorance dispelled beyond repair. Again, the choice is yours. You could lose your ignorant bliss and blind patriotism!

If you will look at the original charters you will find that the colonists swore allegiance to Christ alone, for obedience and to further His Kingdom. To a king or civil authority, only a "limited" submission was given! To a self appointed "divine" leader who called himself Christ's vicar on earth, no authority or submission was given. This man they knew is and was an antichrist. The colonists were so concerned about this issue, that many of their charters stated that only Protestant Christians could hold any office of authority.

Now, back on the original topic of Blissful Ignorance. How did such a once Godly, intelligent and industrious people become so "damned" ignorant to all things righteous and good? Without going into great detail, let me list just three points that should help us understand a major reason as to what happened.

Number one. Our true founders knew that in the original covenant God penned for men, the Holy Bible, that in the first four words He established His preeminence and sovereign authority over His creation was established and settled forever. The four words are, "In the beginning God.."

Number two. When the first founding fathers were about to come ashore and establish the first truly Christian colony, they realized that they needed a covenant written for all to sign and agree to, for righteous order of their new society. It was called the Mayflower Compact because it was written and signed while still onboard the Mayflower. It began simply with four words that set the standard for all of their society to agree to live by. "In the name of God." In so stating, they recognized God's sovereignty and rule of His law over all Creation. Number three. The beginning of the end of God's recognized sovereign authority over His creation. The first huge step to a dominant humanistic view in American society. As a matter of fact, this new covenant, compact, charter on constitutions was so inadequate that Patrick Henry would have nothing to do with it and Ben Franklin stated that it was "doomed to despotism". Why? What could possibly be so out of place? We simply don't have time to go into detail on these issues now, but here is the problem and destruction of America's, once Godly, founding and fountain of blessings in three words! "We the people"! From the first, the founders recognized "beginning by, for and in God, in the name of God", to "we the people" who became their own god. No longer would God's laws alone be recognized! Now man, with and by his own understanding, could decide right and wrong. From Godliness to humanism in a manner of a few years. No, it didn't dissolve overnight, but as the people became more and more ignorant of God's sovereign right to govern in the affairs of men, they became their own gods, determined to govern themselves with their own ignorant devices. So here we are at 1789, 128 years later! Let's examine the results of recognizing "mans rights", (an oxymoron - more on that later ), without God's righteous laws!

1. Countless ungodly wars of federal powers to conquer and control their own people. Huge wars to further the "empires" power and control all over the world that was allowed and tolerated by an ignorant people!

2. A forced state controlled educational system to destroy any recognition of God and His laws in society, to dumb down in order to further produce and control an ignorant people. 1963 was a very good year for this! And for the record, Thomas Jefferson did not produce a writing to keep God out of state affairs, but to keep the state out of church affairs! Separation of church and state is not in any of our nations documents, but it is in Russia's!

3. 1954. Lyndon B. Johnson used his influence as a US senator

to put the churches in America under control of the IRS. With the 501c3 clause giving the church the "privilege" of being tax exempt when they were already tax immune! An ignorant people claiming to understand God's Word were thrilled to accept this. Ah! Wonderful ignorant blissfulness!

4. 1974. A woman's "constitutional right" to murder her own child is given viability by a non authority, the US supreme court! This fruit of an ungodly nation has resulted in the torture and death of sixty million, 60,000,000, innocent children! There is no forgiveness for a nation that ignorance or cowardliness allows this atrocity! II Kings 24:4 This is one example of how we the people, as written in our 1789 document called the Constitution, have used mans so called rights to promote and protect evil.

5. 2015. Again, the same non authority stated that sexual predators, perverts and deviants not only have the "right" to exist in our society, but they have the "constitutional right" to marry! Again, an ignorant, cowardly and mostly indifferent society said or did very little.

These are a few of the bigger results and curses of an ignorant people. There are many, many more. They grow in severity as the people become more ignorant, cowardly and indifferent. Some of the lesser that an ignorant people ignored were income taxes, sales taxes, property taxes, licenses, property seizures, child kidnapping by CPS tyrants and on and on we could go!

Most of the above have been established under supposed constitutional, civil or human rights! As I have said before, we have become a people that are straining at gnats and swallowing camels. Mt. 23:24 We protest taxation, gun control, government land grabs, police state tactics and the new world order, yet continue to allow the sacrifices of 4000 babies a day. We tolerate sexual deviants teaching our children in the public hell holes we call schools. God cannot and will not hear our prayers! II Chron. 7:14 does not fit us today!

Let me make one thing perfectly clear! Men do not have rights given to him by anyone, including a Sovereign God! Man was given commandments and duties by a Holy, righteous, totally and completely sovereign potentate King and Magistrate! Mans duties and allegiance is to God and Him alone! If we fulfill His duties, then He grants us blessings! NOT rights! For example, man has the blessing of keeping and bearing arms to fulfill God's command and duty to protect himself, family and nation! Numbers chapter one, Neh. 4:14, Luke 22:36 and I Tim. 5:8 are a few scriptures to prove this point. Because, through ignorance of God's Word, we have not fulfilled our duty to God to protect the innocent, we are facing the loss of the blessing, not right, to keep and bear arms. Folks, I could go further, but enough has been said on this issue.

We have, through ignorance and complacency become complicit in the sins of this once Godly nation. I, for one, will never pledge an allegiance to a symbol of a nation that has committed all of the abominations listed above! I am a veteran! I served before I knew the wickedness of this nation! Our young people haven't died in a Godly war since the Revolution! All the rest were forced upon us from enemies, both foreign and domestic, who hunger for wealth, power and control. Our young people have been used as cannon fodder to further an American empire, not defending our freedoms!

How ignorant we are! Free to murder, pervert and destroy our children's future! To allow our former pervert and chief in the white house, named Barry Soetoro, alias Barack Hussein Obama, to bestow America's highest award on a sexual deviant lesbian named Ellen Degeneres!

No thanks! Not me! I am angry at what I see! I will no longer remain silent or soften my words to endeavor for unity! God's Word is the only real truth on all manners! All of our so called founding documents are but dung without God's authority recognized as the supreme and final word in all manners whatsoever!

We now have a new president, Donald J. Trump, who pledges to "make America great again." Let us be hopeful and pray that this will happen, but while we tolerate the slaughter of 1,460,000 babies a year and the perversion of sodomy and lesbianism, God will not heal this land. Let's be clear on this one indisputable fact!! No nation will be blessed or prosper without obedience to God's moral laws!! (Ps. 33:12)

You must decide for yourselves who you will serve. You have been told the truth in this article! Joshua 24:15 is my decision. As our ministry name states, this is your "Call to Decision". Let us no longer fulfill Christ's warning in Matt. 15:14.

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### American idols

Throughout all of man's history, man has always found a god to worship. One god, or a conglomerate of many gods, mankind has always found someone or something on which to bestow their adoration or worship. Some of wood, some of stone, some heavenly, stars, planets, etc. Some fleshly – pharaohs, Caesars, kings, emperors, religious leaders, political leaders and others.

A few blessed nations were given the true origins of life, and taught about the only true God. The Creator of all things both

known and unknown. It's truly unfortunate, but nonetheless a truism that all nations and cultures, whether blessed with the knowledge of the One True God or not, have always turned away from the truth to idols and false gods, and in turn have damned themselves and their children. From being wise to being fools. (Romans 1:22) Although real history reveals the fact that the societies that taught the "right" worship of the one and only true God of creation prospered and flourished for at least a brief period. Right up until they forgot Who it was that prospered and blessed them. (Hos. 4:6) The one thing that came as a blessing that seems to be the single most destructive force that destroys a nation and societies is prosperity! (Hos. 4:7) All nations that prospered eventually became lazy, apathetic and indifferent to the power and authority that gave them the ability to prosper and live in peace. We were warned in Deut. 8:17-20 and Matt. 6:33.

Let's look at a few names mankind has given their gods over generations from different nations and cultures. Please keep in mind that most nations and societies were never given the blessings of knowing the One True God and His laws and the blessings that follows obedience to these laws. Psalms 9:17 does not apply to them at the same level as it does nations like Israel, Europe and America. Most of those cultures and societies that never know the One True God and His laws became what we know today as "third world nations". Poverty, diseases, immorality, slavery and tyranny are usually the best nations that never knew Yahweh God, can hope to attain for themselves. This list of nations and their gods is nowhere near a complete list:

Babylon

1. Anu: The god of the highest heaven.

2. Murduk: National god of Babylon.

3. Ishtar: Goddess of love and fertility. (Other names are Diana in N.T.) Queen of Heaven in Jer. 7:17-19, Easter in America)

4. Kishar: Father of earth.
5. Anshur: Father of heaven.

Egypt

1. Osiris: God of the dead.

2. Isis: protective goddess. Also wife of Osiris. Their offspring was Horus.

All pharaohs were considered a living Horus. (Civil authority became god.) Egypt had at least a dozen more gods that fulfilled different roles.

Greek

1. Aether: The god of the upper air and light. 2. Chaos: The nothingness from which everything else came. 3. Eros: The god of love and attraction. (Where the word "erotica" came from). 4. Gaia: Goddess of the earth. Mother earth. (Same as New Age earth worshippers in saving the earth by reducing population, etc.) 5. Phanes: The god of procreation. Rome 1. Apollo: Son of Jupiter and Leto. God of music, The Archer, he taught men medicine, drove the chariot to take the sun across the sky. 2. Ceres: Corn goddess. 3. Diana: Fertility goddess, moon goddess, huntress goddess, lunar virgin, mother of creation. (Modern day Easter.) 4. Jupiter: Ruler of the gods. 5. Mars: God of war. 6. Mercury: God of trade - merchants. Norse

The culture worshipped fifty or more gods or goddesses.

- 1. Thor: Son of Odin, god of thunder and battle.
- 2. Ve': One of three gods of creation.
- 3. Eastre: Goddess of spring. (Again Easter).

Folks, volumes could be written just covering false idols, gods and goddesses and their "duties" and how they were worshipped. Let's take a look at two more cultures. Both of which knew and followed the Only True God of all creation, but turned their backs on Him to follow false gods. In most cases when the false gods were initially introduced, many people refused to follow them, but over a few generations, the false practice of pagan worship became acceptable and the word of the True God was forgotten (Hos 4:6-7) With great blessings comes great duties and responsibilities. (Luke 12:48-49). Straight forward warnings and severe punishments are given to a people who once knew the True God but turned away from worshipping Him. (Ex. 20:1-6, Deut. 28, Ps. 106:34-43), just to name a few.

Some false gods and idols Israel turned to and the scriptures where they are mentioned:

 I Samuel, Chapter 8: National god or idol – political "savior" and "provider". (Same in America)
I Kings 11:5 and 33: Ashtoreth (Easter again),
II Kings 14:18-23, 25-28: Baal.
Acts 18: 24, 27-28, 34-35: Diana and Artemis.
Acts 14:12: Merdoch – Murduk.
Jeremiah 17:18, 44:17-19 &25: Queen of Heaven, known as Ishtar (Easter).
II Kings 17:21: Tummuz. There are at least a dozen more.

As in Israel, so too in America. Same gods and goddesses, just different names. It is truly sad and unfortunate, but true. All nations that once followed the True God of Creation, as America did for a brief time, and accepted His salvation through His only begotten son Yashua (Jesus Christ), and followed His laws that cover individual ecclesiastical and biblical laws have been abundantly blessed. Sadly America has turned away from Him to their own means. (Hos. 4:67) Evolution of nations from liberty back to tyranny by Alexander Tyler makes the point very clearly. (Jer. 5:30-31)

- 1. From bondage to spiritual faith.
- 2. From spiritual faith to great courage
- 3. From courage to liberty.
- 4. From liberty to abundance. (Jos. 4:7)
- 5. From abundance to selfishness.
- 6. From selfishness to complacency.
- 7. From complacency to apathy.
- 8. From apathy to dependency.
- 9. From dependency to bondage.

America, in just a brief period of time turned their backs on following God's righteous laws, judgments, and justice and started worshipping a new god they named "We The People". For a brief period of history, even under this new god, things went fairly well because most of society remained mostly moral. But that soon changed. Although we were a nation brought forth by God Almighty, and followed His righteous laws, our true founding fathers in the colonies refused to make any laws in "addition to" God's law because they recognized the sovereignty of God in all spheres of life. Even the now "Christianized" thoroughly pagan holiday of Christmas and Easter were forbidden. Our original "Founding Fathers" knew this was an abomination to God Himself.

Just a few short years after "We The People" became our own gods, men's main desire was for wealth and power. The men that the people "chose" to rule over them became corrupt and greedy. Men started turning to their elected "officials" to do what Israel wanted in I Samuel, chapter 8. In 1861, another war of independence was fought and lost. For whatever reason, God did not allow His people to divide again over taxation and control. (See, I Kings, Chapter 12). America, for many reasons, soon became the most prosperous and powerful nation in all of history. For a long while after the new god of "we the people" was introduced, America still grew and was blessed because of the moral foundation that was laid by our once Christian founders, the colonists. De Tocqueville made this truth very clear in the following statement:

De Tocqueville, Alexis (1805-1859; French author, historian, philosopher and statesman):

"I sought for the key to the greatness and genius of America in her harbors...; in her fertile fields and boundless forests; in her rich mines and vast world commerce; in her public school system and institutions of learning. I sought for it in her democratic Congress and her matchless Constitution.

Not until I went into the churches of America and heard her pulpits FLAME with RIGHTEOUSNESS did I understand the secret of her genius and power.

America is great because America is good, and if America ever ceases to be good, America will cease to be great."

Soon though, the people heard the siren cry of man's benefits to save them from poverty, sickness and too much "responsibility". No need to plan for the future. Our newest and biggest idol ever, government, will provide! Need food, shelter, clothing, children's education, health care and more? No problem! Just put your trust in your benevolent and allwise "gods" and they will provide for you from the womb to the tomb! At least, if they want to. All you have to do in return is obey! After all, "obedience is worship" and "worship is obedience". (Romans 6:13 & 16, Acts 5:29)

Now our idols, gods and goddesses can tell you that the God you once served no longer exists or is irrelevant. Very few resist! After all, if they do, they will lose their benefits and lazy way of existing! It seems that most of God's people have forgotten Christ's teaching in Mt. 6:24-34. Never fret, America, the gods we call Republicans, or Democrats, or Greens, or Independents or others will save us! Just support who in your mind is the lesser of evils! Never mind God's word on how to choose your leaders in Deut. 17:14-20. After all, things have changed. Our idols and gods have changed for sure! But folks, God's Word will never change. He will never change His mind or will! Ps. 119:89, Mi. 3:6, James 1:17, Rev. 1:8)

America — End Time Babylon — has been weighed in the scales and has been found wanting! (Daniel, chapter 5)

You have been warned people! America is Damned! But it's not too late for "we the people" to repent and follow Jehovah God as best as we know how, and be ready to give up all for His glory! Stand up! Speak up! Don't be ashamed of the truth , or afraid of the enemy! (Josh. 24:15, Phil. 3:8, Mt. 10:34-42) .

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### A nation of fools

Romans 1: 21-22: Because that, when they knew God, they glorified Him not as God, neither were thankful: but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

 Vain — Strong's Concordance, no. 3154 — to render foolish, wicked, idolatrous.

2. Imaginations - S.C. no. 1261 - reasoning, thoughts.

3. Foolish – S.C. no. 801 – unintelligent, wicked, without understanding.

4. Heart - S.C. no. 2588 - Thoughts, feelings or (mind).

Verse 22: Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools.

Fools - S.C. no. 3474 - to become insipid; (insipid) - 1828
Webster's Dictionary - tasteless, dull, heavy, want of wisdom, want of understanding.

Psalms 14:1: The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God. They are corrupt, they have done abominable works, there is none that doeth good.

Fool - S.C. no. 5036 - stupid, wicked, vile person.
Abominable - S.C. no. 8581 - to loathe, to abhor.

Now that I have laid the Biblical Foundation of this article, you can research the other scriptures for yourselves. If you do not consider the Bible as a valid source, then quit reading now. No one can help a fool that loves being one! Prov. 23:9 There is an excellent reason why a fool is compared to a hog (swine). Matt. 7:6

Now take a look at Psalms, chapter two. A heathen, fool, humanist, atheist, or agnostic are all in the same category. These "damned" souls despise righteous wisdom, correction, knowledge and instruction! When these ungodly, corrupt and reprobate children of Satan are allowed to influence society, then the remaining righteous will become a "prey" that needs to be destroyed, according to the fools in charge! Prov. 1:7, 1:22, 15:10, Psalms 50:17, Isaiah 59:15.

The genuine born again, blood bought, spirit-filled called out ones, the church, has been commanded to go into all nations to spread the gospel of Christ! The church was instructed to teach all nations to observe all the commandments Christ gave His church. He also said that all power was given to Him in heaven and in earth. The word power here is Strong's Concordance no. 1849 and means in part, "ability, force, competency, mastery, freedom, magistrate, superhuman, potentate, authority and jurisdiction!"

2- Now, here is, or should be, some very exciting news! In Acts 1:7-8, the same power was and has been given to the blood-bought body of Christ, His church! Yet, with all that has been bestowed on His people to use, and they have miserably failed to fulfill the great commission given to us in Matt. 28!

For brief periods in man's history, including here in America, the great commission was the main thrust of the early settlers, but that desire was soon lost in the carnal drive of mankind to prosper and increase earthly wealth. The once great Christian nation soon fell into wantonness, lust and greed, and as we are witnessing now, chaos, derision, confusion and insanity! Inevitably, total destruction will be our doom! Psalms 2:4, Deut. 28:28, Psalms 9:17

The source and blame for a destroyed society and nation lies squarely in and on the churches of that society and nation! Hos. 4:6-7, Ezek. 33:1-9, Rev. 3:16 When an individual or society denies Christ before man by tolerating or compromising with sin/evil, then that individual or society is denying Christ Himself and will be denied by Christ to His Father! Matt. 10:33 Today's church has come to falsely believe that all we are required to do today is to preach "love" (a false love) and pursue peace with all men by tolerating and compromising with evil! They believe this in spite of Christ's very clear teaching that He did not come to bring peace to earth, but warfare! Matt. 10:34-39 taken as uncompromising stand for righteousness will divide the good from the evil and the righteous from the unrighteous! You will make enemies! And when the wicked beareth rule, the people mourn, and the righteous will be persecuted for their stand! Prov. 29:2

When the wicked are in authority, as they most certainly are now in the U.S., you will discover who the sincere and genuine "Christians" are. Lukewarm "church members" will go silent, and at best "whisper" their opposition to the evil powers! Fear will reign in the hearts of the unsaved and lukewarm Christians. The lukewarm church will deny Christ and damn themselves to Hell! Matt. 24:8-13, Rev. 3:16

Let me warn you, dear readers, that there is no doubt that the righteous will absolutely suffer persecution and even death at the hands of those that hate us! Because the called-out ones did not stay true to Christ's great commission and His commandments, judgment will fall on the church first! I Peter 4:17 But take heart, true believers! We will not be deceived by Satan's trickery if we stay close to our Savior and true to His word. Only evil men and seducers (imposters-false believers) will wax worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived! II Tim. 3:13 We must continue in the true faith of God's word! vs. 14. Those that endure to the end shall be saved!

 Endure – S.C. no. 5278 – remain, bear trials, have fortitude, persevere, take patiently, suffer.

Those who are truly born again and remain true to Christ and His commandments will overcome the world and Satan. I John 2:13-14 Fellow believers, stay faithful. Don't give place to the devil or overcome with sin and unbelief. Eph. 4:27, Heb. 12:1-3 Many promises are given to those who overcome. Rev. 2:7, 11, 17, 26, 3:5,12,21 21:7

America is reprobate! There is no turning her back to her righteous beginnings. But let us seek our God's face and will for us to lead the remaining remnant to Christ. America's end is prophesied in many places in God's word. The righteous will be delivered, but the land has sinned beyond repentance as Israel did in Ezek. 14:14.

Jesus is Lord!! He will reign with His church for all eternity!

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#### None dare call it sin

I John 3:4: "Whoever committeth sin transgresseth (disobeys God's laws) also the law; for sin is the transgression of the law."

This article will most likely not impress or influence anyone who is not a "true" believer in the Sovereign Creator of all,

who governs in the affairs of men, and who metes out righteous judgment according to man's obedience or disobedience to HIS LAWS! His laws are immutable, unchangeable and eternal, and His judgment is just and certain! Now that you know where I am coming from, let's continue!

Gal. 6:7 clearly states that God is not mocked! We will reap what we sow! Life or death! Deut. 30:19 It is our choice. "The soul that sinneth it shall die." Eze. 18:4 and the nation that "tolerates" sin shall be destroyed! Ps. 9:17 And because of the ignorance, apathy, and cowardliness of the CHURCH, our nation is damned! THE CHURCH does not have the spiritual fortitude, because of the effeminate (womanish) men behind the pulpit who are damned to Hell -( ICor. 6:9) to stand and call evil what it is! SIN! Self-Indulgent Narcissism! Ignorant , apathetic, cowardly "Christians" who whisper about the evil all around us, do you not know that your indifference and fear is damning you to Hell, as well as the worker of lawlessness! (Eze. 33:4-5, Prov. 24:11-12) We have destroyed our children's futures, and perhaps even sent their souls to Hell because we have forgotten, become ignorant of, the laws of God! (Hos. 4:6)

We have lost the power and authority of have Godly men in our midst that will not cower and squirm in the presence of evil no matter what the source. Godly men who will stand in the face of evil no matter the danger to themselves or others for the glory of God and call sin S I N! Men who will say "to Hell with the political correctness of our society and church! Men who will demand righteous judgment on evildoers, including the death penalty for capital crimes like murder, rape, kidnappers, adulterers, fornicators, sodomites and lesbians, and will not spare nor pity them because of their sins! (Deut. 7:16, 13:8, 19:13, 21, 25:12, Jer.13:14, Eze. 5:11, 7:4,9, 8:18, 9:5,10). God Himself damns unrepentant souls to an eternal damnation without pity!

The worldly effeminate men that fill the pulpits of America

today do not have the Holy courage to condemn and pronounce judgment on unrighteousness! They desire the praise and accolades of men more than they desire the righteousness of God or His laws! Therefore they preach a gospel of complacency, compromise and cowardliness! They preach a perverted man-centered love! Not the righteous love that our God ordained that demands righteous justice and judgment on evildoers!

So there you have it! It's not the real fault of a woman who murders her unborn child! She is worthy of death, but the church is afraid to demand righteous judgment, so 60,000,000 murdered babies blood is crying out to a Holy God for retribution against America, and more specifically the lukewarm church in America! Christ will spew (vomit) it out in judgment! Rev. 3:16 We could name many more instances of compromise and cowardliness from the pulpit today, but enough for this article.

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# Dereliction of duty

First, I want to say that the statement I am about to make will quite possibly really upset a bunch of folks, and probably cause even some who have supported me in the past to drop me like a hot rock. Unfortunately, telling the truth and exposing a falsehood that has been believed and "cherished" by people for generations can be very uncomfortable, and it can tend to cause an angry response. Although an angry initial response is to be expected, as it was from me, a sincerely honest individual will listen and search out the truth for themselves. As someone once said, "An honest person who discovers he is mistaken, either ceases being mistaken, or ceases being honest." So here we go.

No man, group of men, society or nation have ever been given unalienable rights by their creator! (Jehovah-Yaweh God) Mankind received only "blessings" from obedience to God! How arrogant we have been as mere humans to proclaim and demand "our" rights while in rebellion against God's laws! God alone, being the only potentate, ( i.e., sovereign) has the rights we proclaim we have as His "creation"! The creation is completely under the power and authority of the Creator to do with as He pleases! (Rom. 6:21-23, Is. 18:1-10, Rev. 4:11) The pure, righteous and forever settled and established Word of God very clearly tells us that He blesses those people who obey Him and curses those who don't. (Deut. 28)

We have sadly mistaken our many blessings as rights and falsely assumed that we "deserve" the so called "rights we say are eternally and immutability ours! In Matt. 6:33 we are plainly instructed to put the Kingdom of God first and His righteousness; and all these things (blessings, not rights) shall be added unto you.

For men to proclaim that they have "unalienable" rights is to imply that they are "sovereign"! That is blasphemy! No man,

king, kingdom or nation is "sovereign" or exempt from the laws of God! Nowhere in His Word does He declare men have rights.

Mankind all over the world, but none more so than here in America, cry "give me liberty or give me death"! The man who made this famous statement fully realized the only true source of liberty came from (II Cor. 3:17), not from the alleged "unalienable" rights declared in the Declaration of Independence and Bill of Rights. That is exactly why he would not attend the Constitutional Convention or participate in or endorse the document that falsely claims that men are guaranteed unalienable rights. Liberty only comes by and through obedience to Christ! God alone, as the only potentatesovereign, is the only Judge, Lawgiver, King and Savior! (Is 33:22). Outside of His will we have no reason to expect anything but what we are witnessing in America today! We cry out to our "government" that we demand our rights, our freedoms and our liberty! How positively ignorant, arrogant and idolatrous! How can we be so "damned" stupid as not to see that we live in the society and under the government we have because we have disobeyed God's word?! No man, group of men, political party, church organization or earthly power can save us!

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Without total repentance before God Almighty we will continue to be destroyed and perish off the face of the earth! (Luke 13:3, Rev. 2:5, Luke 5:15-18, Is. 60:12)

If you aren't already offended and angry with me, hang in there — I'm not through yet. Certainly my intentions are not to upset you, but rather to cause you to think, reason and then to finally understand why America and "we the people" are being cast into confusion, chaos and tyranny.

We have mistaken rights that we proclaim are due us, whether civil, human or Constitutional as mandated to us from God! I

understand completely! I've been there for years! I was ignorant of the truth and clear teachings of God through His Word! God does not grant or guarantee rights to men, He sends multitudes of blessings if we fulfill our duties to Him and our fellow man. Blessings, not rights! Such as liberty, prosperity, peace, security and rest to our souls! We have lost these "fundamental blessings" because we as a nation, and even the church have not fulfilled our duties before Him.

For example, let's take a look at what is probably the most touted "unalienable" right we hear the most. The second amendment to the Constitution. It says, "A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed". Let's face it, this guaranteed, unalienable, notto-be-infringed-upon right is the most abused and restricted "right" that we say we have! Obviously, writing it on a piece of paper as part of a contract between men and man's sphere of authority has not done much to stop the "infringing".

Now, let's see what the Word of God says about keeping and bearing arms or weapons if you prefer. I'm not talking about hunting as the reason to bear arms. Let's look at the duty we have to keep, bear and use weapons when necessary!

No one is more accountable to obeying God's Word than those who profess to be His people. His blood bought, spirit filled redeemed church (Strong's Concordance – 1577, Ekklesia – called-out ones). In today's language, the church. He plainly and clearly instructed His disciples (followers) which we are if we keep His word. In Luke 22:36, "and he that hath no sword, let him sell his garment and buy one". (Sword in Strong's Concordance – 3163 – a knife, i.e. a dirk, sword). (Dirk: Webster's Dictionary 1828, a kind of dagger) The "sword" referred to in this passage is not the Bible, but a literal weapon of self-protection and protection of others. Now that that is settled, let's move on.

In I Tim. 5:8 we can read another clearly defined duty, not right, commanded by God to His people. "But if any provide not for his own, and specially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith and is worse than an infidel!" Provide, Strong's Concordance 4306 - consider in advance, look out for beforehand. 1828 Webster's, "Provide" is to procure supplies or means of defense; to take measures for counteracting or escaping an evil. Clear so far? Let's continue. "Denied" -Strong's 720 - to contradict, i.e., disavow, reject, abnegate, deny, refuse. "Infidel" - Strong's 571 - disbelieving, i.e., without Christian faith, a heathen, untrustworthy person, that believeth not, faithless. A verse very easy to understand if we desire to, but how many "believers" do you see fulfilling this "God ordained" duty, not right?! If we as Christians sincerely meant what we say, we believe in, namely the infallible Word of God, the so called right to keep and bear arms could never have been infringed upon! But because we have not fulfilled our duty to "provide" for our families and others, we are losing the blessing of the ability to protect ourselves. Simple, huh? How many Christians do you know keeping the command to carry a weapon? Also see Ex. 22:2 and Neh. 4.

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It would take volumes to expose and explain how we have lost our liberties and other blessings, but we will examine just one more. Ex. 20:13. Thou shalt not kill. (Kill – Strong's 7523 – to murder) or has as Christ made a little clearer in Matt. 19:18 – "Thou shalt do no murder."

Now I am certain that all people, especially those that call themselves Christians, will say something like "I would never harm anyone intentionally, much less commit murder". Well, that in itself is very commendable, but it still has not fulfilled our God-given duty to protect and preserve our fellow man's lives! "We the people" have tolerated, allowed, condoned, and in some cases, upheld the "right" of women to commit infanticide! I know we call it "abortion" because it "softens" the sound of the crime against children, but it's still murder, i.e., infanticide! You see the duty not to commit to murder is also a direct command to save and preserve life! Especially of the innocent! Prov. 24:11-12. In essence, we have been a partaker in the death of 60,000,000 children! Our duty to keep and bear arms was given to provide for the protection of all innocent life! We have lost much of our blessings to keep and bear arms because we have not fulfilled our duty before God.

Many will say, preacher, are you advocating taking up arms to stop the murders of innocent children?! My answer is simply this, it is far too late now! January 1973 would have been the time for His people to rise up! We failed miserably! II Kings 24:4 plainly states that it is over for America! Because the church forgot her duty to God we have cursed our nation and our posterity! We are under a tyrannical man-made government because we did not obey His "The Righteous Duty" given to us. We have become soft and effeminate! To cry out against the loss of liberty and freedom and demand our rights is on the verge of blasphemy! Instead we should be on our knees before Him in repentance with a contrite and broken heart! And then get back into the battle! Stand, cry aloud, and proclaim righteous judgment o this damned nation!

As the disciples of Christ preached the gospel of Christ and the believers stood their ground in exposing the evil in their society of all kinds, they were willing to give their lives for the gospel. We, as the people of God, must do the same in our day. We will never regain what we have lost in what we call "our rights". Let's stop proclaiming our rights and instead fulfill our God-given duties! We have been guilty of what our Savior said in Matt. 23:24, "we have become blind guides which strain at a gnat and swallow a camel."

Yes, we have been brought into captivity and bondage for the same reasons Israel was. Dereliction of Duty! Ecc. 12:13-14,

"Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter! Fear God, and keep His commandments; For this is the whole duty of man. For God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil."

May the Holy God have mercy on our souls, and give us courage to do our duty while there is still some time left and a "little" light remains! (John 9:4) Read and consider Ps. 2:10-12, Ps. 9:17, Prov. 14:34, Ps. 33:12, Jer. 17:22-31, Ps. 96:4-5, Ezek. 21:1-5, Rev. 13:4-9

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# Have the pulpits failed America?

Alright, let's rid ourselves of this "God Thing"! We will accept the fact that there is no God. No Creator. No divine plan manifest in a divine creation. No real rhyme or reason for world events or our personal lives. Everything is "only" an accident or incident that just happens through men's action or a evolutionary process that just happens to occur. There are no "absolute" laws that govern every aspect of all life. Just a kind of survival of the fittest that causes changes and evolution in all orders of life. Physical, mental and "spiritual" change caused by "accidental" decisions based on the necessity of the moment.

Let's just forget the foolish idea that the Bible is the inspired, eternal, immutable word of an all powerful and all knowing God. We'll ignore Prov. 3:5-7, Romans 1:28, Ps. 2:1-3, Prov. 14:12 and Ps. 14:1.

Good! That's settled! Just one question please? How do we live then? Who gets to make the rules? Whose rules or laws are the final solution and answer to moral or ethical questions? Gosh, what is morality then anyway? You know the God thing rules like, it's a sin to murder, steal, commit adultery or to fornicate, to bear false witness, or dishonor your parents. How did we live with such an old-fashioned idea as "sin"? Golly, we were so stupid! I mean, to believe and think that mankind should live by a set of rules or laws that would dare judge them for doing wrong!! How absolutely ignorant! Oops, I forgot, there is no absolutes! I mean how silly of us to judge others by standards that we believe in!

Gee, just think! Fifty years ago we actually thought that we could tell a woman that she couldn't kill that "blob of tissue" in her womb! How arrogant and self-righteous! And who am I to expect my wife to not have an "extra marital affair". After all, what set of rules say it's wrong? Even if she or I want a same sex partner, whose business is that? It's not a sin! There is no more sin! It's what I desire! Who dares to judge either of us for fulfilling our "natural born" tendencies!?

Isn't that a damned foolish way of thinking?!! Psalms 14:1! Romans 1:28! But as a society we have allowed by our silence, God's word and laws to be ignored to our destruction! You can't build an individual life or family without the absolute, immutable and "fundamental" laws set by a Holy God, much less a whole society! There is no foundation without an unchanging base to build it on!

Don't blame Obama, your legislators, your courts or white house for America's destruction. The blame lies exclusively in the church house! Even more precisely, the pulpits have damned the nation! The pastors have become stupid, insensible and cowardly! They have scattered the flock, caused mass confusion and compromise! They have become dumb dogs! Lazy and apathetic to evil. Jer. 10:21, Is. 56:10 Again, the question, "How shall we live then?" If you are truly a blood bought, spirit-filled child of the only living God of all creation, you will live by His laws and directions as much as you are capable of understanding, or you will be damned. For all eternity! John 14:15, Matt. 10:33. Thank God for His marvelous grace! But don't misuse or abuse His grace! You will damn yourselves!

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