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Silent Majority, Silent Minority (Part I)

By Sid Dinerstein siddinerstein@yahoo.com September 29, 2020

"It's a time for choosing," Ronald Reagan said in 1964. Indeed, it is. What's it gonna be? Blue or Red? The year 2020 is fascinating for oh so many reasons. The chaos is in

our collective face every day. But the story being written is stealth, silent, quiet; but very revealing.

Is there a Silent Majority? You bet. Big time. How do we know? What do the polls say? The polls are a good place to start. I'm a Rasmussen fan; have been for over twenty years. I saw them botch the Obama elections and I saw them score with the Trump election. I saw them have Trump at minus ten three months ago and I saw them put Trump into the plus column recently. And I saw them search for the Silent Majority; confirming that 17% of Republicans are not truthful, open or honest with pollsters.

Other indicators? My favorite is guns. There are five million first-time gun buyers in our country this year. You can bet every one will vote for Trump. Most probably voted for Trump in 2016 but many must have voted for Hillary or sat the election out. Right, Viginians? The "joke" is that Trump signs dominate the Pennsylvania landscape followed distantly by "Yard Sale" and "Biden" signs, in that order. I went to my first Trump boat parade recently; as a spectator, not a participant. It was fabulous. Almost a full hour of wallto-wall boats adorned with banners, flags and bikinied Trumpettes. The Florida Intracoastal never looked so good. And don't forget the motorcycle rallies. And the Trump rally roadside wavers; lines so long the cameras couldn't see its end. And how about professional sporting events? I'm a sports fan and I've yet to watch my first minute of the NBA playoffs. I'm a Heat fan. I used to like them. They used to like me. But I'm a patriotic American, white and Jewish. And they're Black Lives Matter. I'm a proud part of the 28% of their viewership that's missing. I don't watch my Miami Dolphins play football anymore. I'm part of the 18% of their viewership that's missing, just since last year's disappointing numbers. And last, but not least, I'm a regular at "Trump Corner," PGA Boulevard and Military Trail in Palm Beach Gardens, every Friday from 4:30 to 6:00 PM.

Three hundred of us are waving various forms of "Honk for Trump" signs, flags and banners. The horns never stop. Think of it as the "Deplorable Orchestra." The jealous local Dems tried to imitate us. They can't do thirty pretend enthusiasts. Think of "Weekend at Biden's."

While everybody is trying to quantify the Silent Majority, this election will be won by the Silent Minority. "The day a Republican gets 20% of the black vote is the day we won't have to open the polls." That's me quoting myself. November 3, 2020 is that day. Trump has lit a fire in the black community. Or, more accu-

rately, Democrats, literally, have lit many fires in the black communities and Trump is their firefighter. The single greatest opposition to the "Defund the Police" movement is the urban black community. Throw in one thousand daily black abortions and the NEA war on School Choice and you have the perfect storm. And, speaking of School Choice, the single most important data point in the 2018 midterms came in the DeSantis-Gillum recount-close gubernatorial race in Florida. According to CNN exit interviews, DeSantis got 18% of the black female vote against the charismatic black candidate. "Why," the CNN interviewer asked. "School Choice," responded the moms. "What have you got to lose?" candidate Trump asked in 2016. The answer is coming.

And let's not forget our Hispanic friends, especially here in Florida. We just ran the first of seven weekly centerfolds in *La Guia News* magazine. The ads are in Spanish. The funding came from volunteers, like me. The target: The South Florida Hispanic community. The Hispanic vote for



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President Trump will surprise all the pretend pundits. Miami-Dade County will go for Biden by less than half the plurality that Hillary got. Why? Because Latins know Castro/Ortega/Chavez/Maduro regimes when they see them.

And it's not just the elders. The entire Hispanic community is rising up to keep Socialism/Communism off shore. They have lived it. They're not going to live it again. No mas.

I'll save the rest for Part II, right before the election. It will include Ballot Harvesting, the Supreme Court, the debates the Corona virus and the latest polls. Buckle up.

Silent Majority, Silent Minority, Part II

By Sid Dinerstein October 23, 2020

Sounded J. Trump will win reelection as President of the United States. There, I've said it. That's the whole ballgame. This post will now consist of three parts: 1) Why I might be wrong; 2) Why I think I'm right; and 3) How to watch the returns on Election Night. Here goes.

One can make a strong case for Joe Biden. He has three huge assets that any candidate would want: Polls, Money and Likeability. There must be close to 200 national polls, from the major media companies to a long list of colleges and major universities. There are only two that have president Trump ahead of Joe Biden in the popular vote, and both by only one point. Even the legendary "Republican" poll, Rasmussen, has Biden ahead by three. And don't forget the Presidential betting markets. Biden is a solid 2–1 favorite right now. As for money, Biden is rolling in it. The billionaires have all signed on. Mike Bloomberg dropped a cool hundred million into Florida and Wall Street came up large. Just turn on your television. It's all Biden all the time, with an occasional Trump ad dropped in the middle. Likeability? Well, it's Good Ole Joe against schoolyard bully Trump. No contest. Social media? Conservatives are being censored, deplatformed and untweeted at a rapid pace. The social media giants and their Californian tech friends are all in for Joe. Not bad. Vote counting? Rest assured this will be the highest turnout election in American history. One hundred thirty-eight million Americans voted in 2016. We'll easily break one hundred fifty this time. And the Democrats own the mail, and the ballot harvesting, and the post-Election Day counting.

So why am I picking Joe to lose and Trump to pull off the second biggest political upset in American history? (2016 was numero uno). Leslie Stahl of "Sixty Minutes" asked President Trump: "Who are your supporters?" His response: "People who love America." It starts and ends there. President Trump loves America. I love America. Case closed. Joe has the polls but Trump has the issues. Presidents are elected for two reasons: To build and maintain a strong economy and to keep us safe. Trump wins both issues hands down. Trump has the highest "Better Off" numbers in reelection history, 56%, according to Gallup. Obama/ Biden was more than ten points behind. Safety? Only Democrat cities were burned and looted, and responded by defunding their cops. And only Democrats, including members of Joe Biden's campaign staff, bailed them out. Antifa? Trump wants them declared a Domestic terrorist organization. Biden said: "Antifa is just an idea." President Trump has the people: Campaign rallies, boat rallies, motorcycle

rallies, car rallies, truck rallies, sign waving. President Trump has ALL the people. His eight percent black vote in 2016 will more than double in 2020. That's winning all over the country. The Hispanic vote is all in for Trump. He could hit fifty percent, particularly in Florida. The Latin American immigrant groups, led by Cubans and Venezuelans, have seen Socialism up close. They're all in for Trump and their adopted America. Indeed, in the last year, Republican registration in Florida has added a net one hundred thousand voters. It's going to be all sunshine in Florida for Trump on Election Day. And remember all those pro-Biden polls? Consider this: Biden leads in the Real Clear Politics Battleground combined poll by three points. Hillary led by four. Biden leads in the betting markets 2–1. Hillary led by 3–1. Rasmussen. It's Biden +3 today. On Election Day 2016 it was Hillary +3. Get the picture? And what about all of those Biden unforced errors? In no particular order: Biden is closing all the Charter Schools; Joe picked Kamala Harris to be his Veep running mate; Biden is considering a frontal assault on our Constitution with Court-Packing; he won't open the schools or the economy; he plans on giving eleven million (it's really twenty) illegals citizenship and voting privileges; he will "transition" away from fossil fuels; and he'll tear down and rebuild large numbers of office buildings to fulfill AOC's "Green New Deal" insanity. And then there's Hunter Biden, the family's big money earner. The public is now aware that there is an untold story out there. The media tried to ignore it but President Trump used the second debate to shake the bushes. And that's my case for the reelection of president Donald J. Trump.

And that brings us to Election Night 2020. Settle in. It's going to get late early. But you can impress your friends with the following insights: First, watch New Hampshire. It's early, Eastern, small and easy to count and declare. If New Hampshire is called early for either candidate, that's a big sign that that candidate is looking at a happy ending. If New Hampshire stays open (as it did for ten days in 2016) we're in for a long dogfight. Next, watch Virginia. It always goes Democrat. If it flips or remains uncalled, Trump is on a roll. Next, watch Georgia. It always goes Republican. If it flips or remains uncalled, Biden is on a roll. And last, and maybe most important, watch it all on the New York Times Election Night statistical site. They tell you what's been counted, what's still open and what is the probability of either candidate winning the state. It updates all night long. You'll be way ahead of the TV guys and gals.

That's all I got. See you on the other side.

The Sword of Damocles Hanging Over This Election for the President We Elect—Part II

In part I of this two-part series we examined the growing concensus among geopolitical experts that China's long-declared "peaceful rise" is turning out to be anything but peaceful. In part II we get into the genesis of Chinese strategic thinking and the military developments in the Peoples Republic that are increasing the chances of war with the United States and its allies in the Indo-Pacific region. For this we turn to Peter Navarro, who presently serves in the Trump Administration as the Assistant to the President, Director of Trade and Manufacturing Policy, and the National Defense Production Act policy coordinator:

The argument that "America vastly outspends China" [on defense expenditures] is frequently used to discount any possibility of an emerging China threat. In fact, any comparison of total military expenditures is misleading. While the U.S. military must project its force globally, China focuses primarily on regional force projection in Asia.

Secondly, one dollar of defense spending in China goes much farther than one dollar of defense in the United States. Why is this so?

For starters, Chinese military personnel earn wages and benefits far less than their American counterparts. In addition, it is cheaper for China's factories to churn out weapons systems. It's also the lack of any meaningful environmental controls or worker protections—yes, the air and water in China are filthy and the factories are very dangerous, so it is a lot cheaper to manufacture everything from autos and home appliances to missiles and submarines.

As an added boost to China's cost advantage, China does not have to spend anywhere near as much on military research and development [as the U.S.] for new weapons systems. [Why?] Because they steal it from the Pentagon and private-sector defense contractors. Another reason is that China illegally reverse-engineers much of the foreign technology it buys.

All of this raises a very sobering question: Will China eventually be able to do to America what America did to Nazi Germany and Imperial Japan in WW II, and the Soviet Union during the Cold War? That is, will China be able to use its superior manufacturing might to defeat America on the battlefield? Or, as the great Prussian strategist Carl von Clausewitz once aptly referred to, will they win the "war by algebra"?

During the 1980s, when Deng Xiaoping was converting China into a mercantilist global trader, his right-hand man was Admiral Liu Huaqing, commanding China's navy. Liu was a "Mahanian" figure and the "father" of today's modern Chinese navy. In the nineteenth century, it was Alfred Thayer Mahan—himself forefather of the modern American navy—who pioneered the concept of global naval force projection as being critical to the economic prosperity of a nation. In Mahan's world, it was only through the command of the seas that such prosperity could be assured. Such command depended on two key parameters: (1) the industrial capacity of a nation to produce sufficient merchant ships and naval fleets to access vital trading routes, and (2) a system of forward bases that could service both merchant and military vessels. While Liu staunchly denied being a follower of Mahan, his actions belied his Mahanian

His goal was to break out of the bonds of the First and Second Island Chains [see map], and the now-carrier-equipped Chinese navy appears well on its way to hitting this target. The Second Island Chain starts at the midpoint of the Japanese home islands. It then swings out into the Pacific over to the Northern Mariana Islands, which include most notably Saipan. The line of the Second Island Chain next travels to its rough midpoint at Guam, and from there

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it moves over to Palau, finally ending at Indonesia's Papua Province and Papua, New Guinea.

What each of these Pacific Island links in the Second Island Chain have in common is their strategic importance as "stepping stones" that were used by the U.S. Navy to fight its way back from a bloodied Hawaii through the Pacific in WW II.

The last step in Admiral Liu's strategy was for China to achieve global naval supremacy by the year 2050. In fact, the scope of Admiral Liu's vision was absolutely breathtaking given that he articulated this vision back in an era when the Chinese navy was more akin to a coast guard than a global fighting fleet.

Today, there is considerable evidence, both from Chinese military documents and from Western military analysts, that China's strategic path is closely following Admiral Liu's three-step blueprint. Unfortunately for the cause of peace, this is a blueprint that by definition is a zero-sum game. To

U.S. military analysts, China is practicing a strategy of "anti-access, area-denial; that is primarily offensive, rather than defensive, in nature. This strategy is highly escalatory in that it both seeks to drive U.S. forces out of Asian waters (the area-denial component) and then ensures those forces don't come back (the anti-access piece).

To an American nation founded on the principle of freedom of the seas—and to a country that relies heavily on trade for prosperity—China's "anti-access, area-denial" gambit is simply unacceptable.

Indeed, if China succeeds in breaking out of the First and Second Island Chains and commanding global waters, it will only be able to so through the defeat—or acquiescence—of the U.S. Navy. [It is inconceivable that either country seeks nuclear war, but,] inevitably, red lines in the sand and seas are going to be drawn and crossed—and the prospect of [conventional] war will likely rise [during the next president's administration. Can anyone see Joe Biden being the man to make those kinds of decisions about war and peace?!]

—Tom Mullings



Jeremy Rodgers, Deputy Mayor of Boca Raton, on deployment with the U.S. Navy at Al Udeid AFB in Qatar, was promoted to Lieutenant Commander. Congratulations, Jeremy!



A couple of Trump supporters (Kimberly Guilfoyle and Donald J. Trump, Jr.) stopped by to say hello to Willie Guardiola's sign-waving group at the Trump Corner.

"The Backhoe Chronicles"

By Peter Feaman Florida National Committeeman

This just in from the RNC: RNC To Spend \$25 Million on TV in Final Weeks of Election

WASHINGTON, October 20—As part of the RNC and Trump campaign's \$55 million advertising blitz, the Republican National Committee announced today it will spend \$25 million on TV in five states in the final two weeks of the Election. The RNC will be launching ads in the battle-ground states of Arizona, Iowa, Michigan, North Carolina, and Wisconsin. Roughly \$14 million of this buy will be targeted ads to seniors with a focus on how President Trump and his Administration have protected Medicare, while Joe Biden's health care plan would raise taxes, jeopardize access to quality care, and lead to more government control.

"Joe Biden's health care plan would be an inevitable step toward single-payer health care, leading to higher taxes, less quality of care, and a complete upheaval of our health care system," said RNC Chairwoman Ronna McDaniel. "As part of the RNC's multi-pronged effort to target and turn out voters, we will be telling the truth about Biden's socialized health care plan while aggressively highlighting how President Trump has improved Medicare and lowered premiums. These ads will drive that message home in the final days."

The ads will direct voters to a website, www.SeniorsBeware.com, where they can learn more about the dangers of the Biden health care plan. The ads will begin airing today and will run through Election Day.

Big Tech Censorship

October 19—The Big Tech censored Biden laptop and emails that show corruption of the Biden family at the highest levels now morphs into yet another Russian collusion claim. . . .

The Russians are coming, the Russians are coming, again! One would think that after the so-called Russian collusion investigation proved to be an absolute hoax, that the Democrats would think twice before blaming the Russians, again, for somehow being responsible for the Biden laptop and the emails discovered therein, which emails show just how corrupt the Biden family is by profiting off of political power (showing themselves to be just as corrupt as the Clinton family).

But as shameless as they are, every American should be insulted and outraged as the Democrats claim that this latest Biden scandal is a Russian campaign.

On Saturday, Congressman Adam Schiff actually blamed all this on the Russians, again!

Our Director of National Intelligence quickly debunked that poppycock: U.S. Director of National Intelligence John Ratcliffe completely refuted Schiff's bogus claims that the Biden emails detailing Hunter Biden's business dealings in Ukraine and China when his father was VP are part of a Russian election interference effort.

"Hunter Biden's laptop is not part of some Russian disinformation campaign," Ratcliffe said during a Monday interview on Fox Business. "The intelligence community doesn't believe that because there is no intelligence that supports that," he added.

The Director's comments were a direct rebuttal of Congressman Adam Schiff, who claimed on Saturday, without any evidence, that the story about the Democratic presidential candidate's son was coming "from the Kremlin."

How could any open-minded American believe one word that is uttered by these Democrats or the media that does nothing but parrot the Democrat talking points?

The corruption of all of these career politicians explains why the D.C. swamp so opposes the outsider, Donald J. Trump.

We must continue to drain the swamp, shine the light of corruption on these career politicians and restore a government of the people, by the people and for the people!

Vote Trump!

Your RNC Gets Involved

October 16—The Republican National Committee (RNC) today filed a complaint with the Federal Election Commission (FEC) alleging that the censorship of the *New York Post* article about Hunter Biden's overseas business dealings and former Vice President Joe Biden's alleged knowledge of those dealings amounts to an "illegal corporate in-kind political contribution" to the Biden campaign.

The complaint, filed by the RNC today, states that the RNC "believes that Twitter has violated FECA and the Commission's Regulations by making corporate in-kind contributions to Biden for President."

Meanwhile, Twitter locks official Trump campaign account after sharing the Hunter Biden video.

This is a civil war, folks.

The RNC, in its complaint, said Twitter "is a partisan actor, run by partisan Democrats" and is "using its corporate resources to provide active support for Joe Biden's campaign in violation of federal law," and demanded the FEC "conduct an immediate investigation" into Twitter's "illegal in-kind contributions to the Biden campaign," and "impose the maximum penalty allowed under the law."

The complaint comes after Twitter prevented users from sharing a link to a *New York Post* report about emails shedding light on Hunter Biden's business dealings and contradicting the Democrat presidential nominee's past com-

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ments claiming he had no knowledge of his son's business activities.

The RNC claimed that Twitter is "engaged in arguably the most brazen and unprecedented act of media suppression in this country's history, and it is doing so for the clear purpose of supporting the Biden campaign."

The RNC claimed that Twitter has "taken unprecedented actions to suppress the articles from being shared on its platform."

"Democrat media consultants can only dream of such abilities," the complaint read. "Through its ad hoc, partisan oppression of media critical of Biden, [Twitter] is making illegal, corporate in-kind contributions as it provides unheard-of media services for Joe Biden's campaign."

The complaint references federal campaign finance law, which "strictly prohibits corporations from making contributions to federal candidates," and notes that "contribution" is defined to mean "anything of value made by any person for the purpose of influencing an election."

Great to see the RNC standing strong! Stay tuned.

NBA Edition

October 12—If you are outraged at professional sports athletes publicly supporting groups and causes with which you violently disagree, while playing their sport, you are in a lot of company. Most of the country is outraged too. . . .

Read this: The NBA was hoping for a Finals to remember, as league executives foresaw a supposedly sports-starved population turning to the Association for desperately needed entertainment relief.

Instead, it has been a Finals the NBA would love to forget. Friday night's Game 5 drew 5.7 million viewers, according to TVLine. While that very low number is actually very good compared to the viewership numbers earned by the first three games in the series, it represents a nearly 70 percent decline from the 18.22 million viewers who tuned in for Game 5 of the 2019 NBA Finals when the Golden State Warriors took on the Toronto Raptors.

That's right, Game 5 of the 2020 Finals (which included LeBron James and the Los Angeles Lakers) drew over 12.5 million FEWER viewers than a game last year which included a team from Canada.

Game 1 of the Finals brought with it the LOWEST viewership since 1994, ahem, 26 years ago! Game 2 was the lowest EVER ON RECORD.

Though, that was before Game 3 beat out Game 2 by becoming the least watched Finals game in NBA history, by peaking with a paltry 4.395 million viewers.

As Breitbart's Warner Todd Huston reports: "This horrific collapse should not be surprising after polls have found that many fans now believe that basketball is far too political."

A Sept. 2 Harris poll found that 39 percent of respondents who identified as sports fans felt that the league was too political. And another 19 percent said that they had turned off pro basketball because of the NBA's deep links to China.

The 2020 post-COVID season launched with the heavy-handed presence of the anti-American Black Lives Matter agenda.

Hey NBA league executives—you ain't seen nothing yet—wait til November 3rd.

Your Lyin' Eyes . . .

October 12—I keep hearing and reading about all these polls spelling disaster for the President and all Republican candidates.

I am reminded of the story of the man whose girlfriend caught him in the act of being unfaithful. He denied it straight to her face with the famous words, "Are you going to believe me or your lyin' eyes?"

And so I see all these polls and yet . . . what I see on the ground tells me a different story.

My first political job was as a statewide volunteer field coordinator for Congressman Skip Bafalis, who was running for Governor of Florida in 1982. Been involved in campaigns ever since, from Mayor to President to everything in between. Like the Farmer's Insurance TV commercials, I've "seen a thing or two."

NEVER have I seen such enthusiasm for a candidate running for office like there is for Donald Trump.

Despite the Russian hoax, the impeachment show trial, the lockdown lies, the debate rigging through obviously biased moderators, the Covid induced economic slowdown, and all of big corporate media bashing him daily . . . every single weekend, bikers, boaters, truckers, and just everyday folks, who feel that our President has their best interests at heart, gather by the thousands all over the country, carrying signs, waving and showing their support . . . it's like nothing I've ever seen.

But there is something else happening that goes utterly unreported by big corporate media—Did you see the White House meeting and march on Saturday involving THOUSANDS of minority voters standing up to the anti-police left wing narrative?

I had a radio interview on Saturday with a black radio talk show host out of Daytona—the Republican message of SCHOOL CHOICE, family values and defending the police, not defunding the police is resonating . . . bigly (lol). Ditto that for all first generation Americans, Hispanics and Asians.

Yet the so-called pundits keep saying, "Are you going to believe me or your lyin' eyes?"

I'll trust my eyes. . . . I've seen a thing or two. . . .

"There's something happening here. What it is ain't exactly clear. There's a man with a gun over there, telling me, I got to beware. Hey now, what's that sound? Everybody look what's goin down...."

Buffalo Springfield, "For What it's Worth," Circa, 1969

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So, there 'tis: Trump Triumphant in Last Debate

By Larry Horist October 23, 2020

Your opinion of the last presidential debate of this election season is likely to depend on whether you saw the full debate or whether you relied on the biased spin of those panels of Trump haters on CNN and MSNBC. Every talking head on MSNBC was stridently anti-Trump going back to Election Day four years ago.

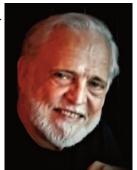
CNN had former Pennsylvania Senator Ron Santorum—who too often acquiesces to the narratives of the network's progressive Democrat team. He seems to be their counterpoint person because he does more agreeing with the Trump critics' preconceived narratives than counterpointing.

Many of the commentators did concede that Trump's performance was among his best—but that did not stop them from partisan nitpicking with biased editing and out-of-context analyses. One of the more intellectually insulting presentations was by Daniel Dale, CNN's resident fact-finder—more accurately, their resident Trump fault-finder. He sort of reminds me of the stereotypical elementary school tattle-tale that is begging for a well-earned wedgie.

Trump gets a "B" for his defense of his record. There was still room for improvement, but he made the best case for re-election he has made in many months—rallies notwithstanding. He was especially effective in making his case to the black and Hispanic communities. He not only talked about what his administration was doing for minorities—higher wages, enterprise zones, criminal justice reform, aid to minority colleges, etc.—but the positive results that have already been achieved.

Trump also effectively prosecuted the case against Biden and his son, Hunter. He accused the Biden family—including the patriarch—of gaining millions of dollars from foreign interests. That is a story that is starting to roll out

despite the left-wing media's efforts to bury it for Biden. Of course, there was virtually no discussion of that subject in the CNN and MSNBC post-debate wrapups. And if it was mentioned at all, it was only to dismiss the story as some Russian dirty trick—something the entire United States intelligence community had refuted.



Trump may have stripped away

some of Biden's radical left-wing support. When Trump accused Biden of supporting socialized medicine and taking away private insurance—the heart of the Sanders/Warren/Harris faction of the Democratic Party—Biden said he supports private insurance, saying that he beat every one of his Democrat opponents on that issue. In a backhanded way, Biden revealed just how deeply committed his party is to government-run healthcare.

He also was forced to deny his past recorded statements in opposition to fracking. Biden said he will not end fracking—at least not now. You could almost hear the swoosh as the radical left activists were jumping off Biden's bandwagon.

Trump gained big points when he got Biden to admit that he would close down the oil and coal industries. That message will be coursing through Texas, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania and Ohio like a jet fueled rocket. That was the exchange that could make the greatest difference in how people vote—or come out to vote—in key battleground states.

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Biden had several of those "Biden moments" where his train of thought would go off the rails momentarily. At one point, he seemed to be searching his mind (unsuccessfully) for the name of the guy in North Korea—Kim Jong-un.

Biden was flat—as usual. He talked in generalities and platitudes—promising everything to everyone. He assured the audience that he had plans for everything but revealed no details of any of them. His most common response to accusations by Trump was a feeble, "That's not true."

Biden's rehearsed commercial-like speeches facing into the camera seemed out of context—drawing mocking criticism from Trump. In fact, he seemed to do less of it after Trump slapped him down.

At this stage it is difficult to determine what effect the debate might have on the few remaining persuadable voters. If there is a bump—even a little one—it is most likely going to accrue to Trump's benefit no matter how hard the New

York media cabal attempts to spin in the opposite direction. It is just unfortunate that Trump found his stride so late in the race.

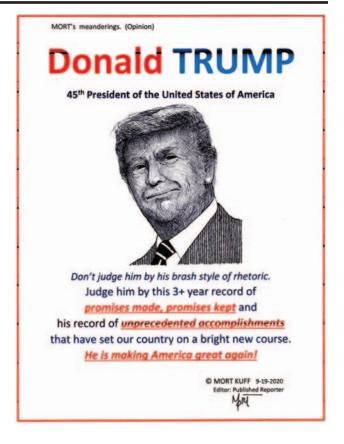
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Today's House Negro

By CS Bennett

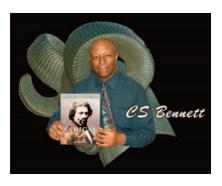
We rarely talk about House Negro in today's vernacular because to many it is a term, an old remnant, from the days of slavery and Jim Crowe, and its architects, the Southern Democrat Party, which had as its enforcers, the KKK, both supported vigorously by its northern counterparts. I am here to remind you that the House Negro is alive and well in America today. And like their forebearers, they are still doing the biddings of that corrupted and nefarious party. Anything related to conservatism or republicanism will not be allowed or tolerated by it. Conservatives going into our schools and educating Blacks and Whites about the historical bond between the Black community and the Republican Party is to be squashed whenever the opportunity for this side of the story to be heard arises. It will be labeled political, and, as such, unfit for discussion.

Like the House Negroes of the 1800s, whose job was to ensure that the field Negro remained on the plantation, today's House Negroes remain the vanguard of the Democrat Party's agenda. They are in place to see to it that conservative voices never infiltrate their propaganda outlets, to include their so-called Black American Free Press news journals and newspapers, and that conservative voices are kept off urban radio stations, at all cost, to include using ridicule and condemnation as a means to keep them at bay. It is a form of censorship, and brainwashing, you'd expect to find in a communist country, not the United States of America.

Just suggest to any Black liberal that they watch FOX News, or Newsmax, and they will look at you as though you were from Mars. Others will claim that, being the fairminded and all-encompassing thinkers that they are, do watch conservative news shows. What they will not tell you is that they watch these programs to scrutinize them, to later criticize them.

Voices such as Jesse Jackson and Al Sharpton are not the only voices that serve their White modern-day masters today, although they are at the forefront of the praetorian guard charged with protecting the progressive/socialist's agenda. You also have Black radio show hosts, Black businessmen, Black celebrities, Black athletes, Black actors, Black community leaders, Black clergymen, Black news anchors, Black educators, and Black politicians who also support these failed policies, policies that have left the Black community lost, ignorant, and in a constant state of enragement. Yet, they keep voting Democrat.

Our urban schools are failing and have been for decades under Democrat rule, thanks again, to their failed social and economic policies. Our urban streets are cesspools of violence and drug infestation. But do they address these issues? No, they continue to be focused on destroying this country and the principles it was founded on, much like they continue to be behind Blacks destroying the moral fabric of



their once-intact Black family, and now have convinced some Blacks that it is a good idea to go out and destroy their own communities. Proven conservative solutions are not welcomed and not allowed. What are they afraid of?

While conservative-run states and cities are putting COVID-19 behind them and moving forward, returning jobs and opportunities to their communities, liberal-run states and cities are host to businesses that are struggling to survive and citizens who are still on lockdown, all under the guise of protecting them from COVID-19. What they will not tell you is that they are doing this to retain control over their citizens and to influence their behavior. They accomplish this by keeping their citizens in a constant state of fear and panic over Coronavirus.

Those on our side, the side of freedom and prosperity for all, need to voice their disgust, and loudly, at what is going on in America and in our urban areas. We must speak truth to the big lie that this country is racist, that our President is a racist, and that our Founding Fathers were all racists. I can only guarantee you that those hailing from the South—who wanted to preserve and defend the institution of slavery—were racists, but the others had to deal with them in a way to preserve the fragile coalition of states, at that time. They knew that the issue of slavery would be confronted, head on, at a later date. The event that confronted it was the Civil War.

America racist? If that was the case, who changed the U.S. Constitution to abolish slavery, give freed slaves the right to vote and the right to become citizens and to own property, since Blacks could not vote back then. It was White people, yes, and the very White people Blacks have been brainwashed into hating—the Republican Party, the party of Lincoln. And who kept them in bondage? That's right, the Democrat Party. And no, they did not switch philosophies in the 50's.

Even still, our side needs to stand up for what we say we believe in, and prepare ourselves to defend it, much like the courageous Greek warriors, led by 300 feared Spartans, who stood firm and fearless, against the mighty Persian army numbering 200,000, at the Pass of Thermopylae, nearly all

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of the Greeks prepared to die in defense of Greece. It is in our best interest to not only expose these modern-day House Negroes, who are traitors to their communities, but to also confront them for what they are doing to their communities. It will not be long before this cancer reaches the middleclass areas and the rich suburbs of America.

As stated, the 1800s House Negroes served their White plantation masters well, and almost proudly. For their devotion, they were provided better accommodations, and slightly better food, than the field Negro. Today's House Negroes are compensated well for their loyalty and commitment in keeping other Blacks in line, and on the Democrat plantation. Many of them are well off, too. They are not ashamed to be in bed with the very political party that enslaved their ancestors, and have enslaved, and bankrupted, today's Black community morally, socially and eco-

nomically. I point the finger at the Left, the socialists, the progressives, the Marxists, and Establishment Republicans who have no conscience nor any true core values and are also traitors to their country for supporting those who would bring down this republic Our side knows who they are.

Despite this, we must get the word out to those who are still in bondage, although it remains bondage of the mind, that what they have been told to believe is a lie. Truth cannot be denied its day, nor can the voices of reason. We must bring light to a world lost in darkness. It's our Christian duty and our civic duty to defend that which was sanctioned by the Almighty God.

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Trump Boat Flotilla Heads to Jupiter

On October 17, a beautiful Saturday in South Florida, a Trump boat flotilla sailed from Jupiter to the President's home, Mara-Lago. A highlight of the day was a 175-foot barge honoring the police and fire department (*pictured below,lower left*), that was loaded with modern and antique fire trucks and police cars. Pictured upper left is the "Trump Boat" leading the flotilla, with Pam Bondi at the front. Pictured on the right are REC members Howard and Kathy Renson aboard Jupiter City Countilman Jim Davis's boat.







Counting Ballots Gets Complex

By William J. Skinner

It is the first day of Autumn 2020 as I start writing this article and the 2020 election is just around the corner. Voters in 50 states, thousands of traveling Americans, plus thousands of American troops have already started mailing ballots home, stopping by at early voting stations, and sending ballots by mail back to their home election office. You may be reading this newsletter in mid-October 2020 when we already know that courts are making rulings that some ballots can be counted after election day. Each state's vote has to be finalized before the vote totals are reported to the Electoral College and to the voters.

States also have restrictions on who can file or deliver someone else's mail-in or absentee ballots. Some states allow harvesting by people who knock on doors and try to collect signed or unsigned ballots sometimes using high-pressure persuasion techniques. Some call this "ballot harvesting" and some schemes for getting the ballots counted are deemed questionable or against the law. Lawsuits for clarifications or instructions are filed.

At this time, Federal Judge William Conley in **Wisconsin** has extended the date to receive ballots by six days. He expects his ruling to be appealed. (Later his ruling was overturned.) A **Michigan** state judge has ruled ballots received up to 14 days after November 3 may be counted, if mailed with a postmark of November 2 or before. A **Pennsylvania** state judge has extended the date to count ballots by three days. You can see that counting ballots is getting complicated.

Also, **North Carolina's** State Board of Elections recently on September 22, 2020 changed its rules on days to count ballots in an agreement with the North Carolina Alliance that says county board officials will now accept absentee ballots received through November 12, as long as they were postmarked or turned in by Election Day. The previous rules had limited their receipt through November 6. *See* https://apnews.com/article/election-2020-virus-outbreak-north-carolina-elections-raleigh-6798f202bccc5070c 1649b24c77b0bd1 Accessed: 9-24-2020

Newspaper editorials are commenting on these goings on with regularity, much more so than in past years it seems. On September 24, 2020, the *Wall Street Journal* editorialized about a federal court in **Minnesota.** "The lawsuit that led to the consent decree was filed by the Minnesota Alliance for Retired Americans Educational Fund. . . . The National Alliance for Retired Americans says its job is to mobilize 'retired union members, seniors and community activists' to advocate 'a progressive political and social agenda.' The legal muscle for the lawsuits comes from Democracy Docket, a progressive group with ties to the national Democratic machinery." *See* Source: https://www.wsj.com/articles/the-gop-lawsuits-fight-back-11600990544 ?mod=searchresults&page=1&pos=1 Accessed: 9-25-20

Other states also have cases disputing the application of voter registration laws and ballot counting laws as well.

Floridians might recall that former Governor Scott, in 2018, as a candidate for U.S. Senate, and Congressman Ron De Santis, as a candidate for Governor, each filed one



or more state lawsuits to get the Supervisors in several counties to stop recounting ballots, over and over. Florida ballot counters were not immune from attempts to get better results than the votes warranted. We should not be surprised if some candidates file state court vote counting cases this November.

Let us all hope that Florida counties with new Supervisors of Election will have a minimum of lawsuit disruption this voting season and avoid the mistakes that caused Governor Scott to fire the Broward County SOE and the newly elected Gov. DeSantis to relieve the Palm Beach County SOE. South Florida needs to get away from the voting season being known as the corruption or silly season.

But alas, Florida made the news in the first few days of October when the state's internet voter registration system crashed and was off line. Democrats filed a new federal lawsuit to get some supervision. The state allowed another seven hours of time to register and the judge said that was enough. At least the fault lied outside of South Florida this time.

Florida election laws are complex and have been improved periodically over the years, but the laws still have some ambiguity that courts have to translate into English when voters bring the words to a court's attention. This situation could have been anticipated ahead of time by the legislature instead of waiting for it to happen.

Here is one issue that needs a continual push to get legislative upgrades. Cleaning voter rolls. The Florida statutes at Chapter 98 provide procedures to clean the deadwood from the rolls. Florida even joined ERIC at the beginning of 2019 by paying dues and designating personnel to work with the other states that are members to get data to unmask voters who are registered more than once in their residence state or another state, or who may have died, or who may have moved.

When Florida joined ERIC at a cost of more than \$1 million, Florida election officials argued that ERIC could save some money and allow checking for improper voter registrations with more ease. They argued that this would reassure the voting public that election rolls were as up to date at they possibly could be.

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Another aspect of Florida election law is for the Supervisors of Election to conduct education programs that will reassure voters are getting every opportunity to make the vote fair and square according to law, where to report problems, and how the public can rely on the accuracy of the elections.

So how is this working out? Earlier this year, the PBC Supervisor wrote to some voters and told them there would be more cleanings before November because Florida joined ERIC. So, after the August primary election, I asked PBC SOE Wendy Link about the progress with the voter roll cleaning. My e-mail congratulated her for winning the election and asked, "Could you let me know the results obtained from the voter rolls cleaning using the ERIC data? If it has not yet been done, do you know when it will be scheduled?"

My E-mail was ignored for more than a month, and after reminding Mrs. Link on October 8th that she had not answered my questions, her reply was simply this: "We are required to report all list maintenance activities to the State, and they are then available via public records requests."

This means I will have to compose a new specific request and wait for the Secretary of State's office to

research the files for an answer. Then I have to pay the office for their time to find the data and let me know the details. The last public documents request I filed for Palm Beach County voter roll cleaning data from the SOE (filed with Susan Bucher and answered under Wendy Link) took more than six months, several reminders, then payment of \$180 to the PBC SOE in two \$90 checks, which were not cashed for almost a year. The recent response from Wendy Link does not indicate to me that the use of ERIC was worth the time nor trouble.

Also, the effort looks like to another lost opportunity by an SOE to reassure voters that one South Florida SOE did something right.

The legislature ought to add a few choice words to the duties of SOEs and define for them how they keep the public up to date on their efforts to clean the voter rolls. That would be a good public relations move for the SOEs. Too bad this is not seen as an important part of the job.

William J. Skinner was a member of the REC from 2003 through September 2020. He was the REC Voter Fraud Chair during most of that time.

President Trump Hosted a Latinos for Trump Roundtable in Miami

The Latinos for Trump event in Miami/Doral on Friday, September 25th was one for the record books, as it was so awesome to see our President in such an intimate setting, with less than 200 people in the Doral Ballroom. The majority of Latinos in Miami love President Trump, and I for one (who was born in Cuba) admire, respect and appreciate everything he has done for our nation!

It will be the Latino vote, along with the pro-life vote, that will win this re-election race for Trump in Florida! Throw in the enthusiasm aspect and what we are doing at our sign-waving rallies, including Trump Corner, and it will be a Trump landslide on November 3rd!

—Willy Guardiola Christian on a Mission Bold Trump Supporter



(*L to R*): Armand Grossman, Cindy Tindell, Joe Gruters, Joe Budd, Christian Ziegler, Sue Snowden, and Richard DeNapoli.





Why I Am a Republican

By Colonel Arthur DeRuve (U.S. Army, Ret.)

We are now in the home stretch of the 2020 presidential election. Unsurprisingly to those who know me, I will be voting the Republican line for its candidate. What prompts me to do so is the horrible history of the opposition party and its prospects for the future.

I reached voting age in time to cast my first vote for President Eisenhower in 1956. What has made me a Republican? The following:

FOREIGN POLICY: Democrat Roosevelt was oblivious to the dangers of Soviet Communism. He talked of "handling Uncle Joe Stalin," but was, in fact, handled by him. As a result of his naïvety, half of Europe was swallowed up by the Soviets and generations of its citizens lived in virtual slavery.

Democrat Truman gave indication that he recognized the shortcomings of his predecessor—in Berlin, Greece and Turkey. However, he simultaneously turned a blind eye toward Asia. By failing to support Nationalist China he lost that part of the world (now over 1½ billion people) to a still enslaving Communist regime. In addition, when his secretary of state declared South Korea outside our area of vital interest, he invited a North Korean attack on that country. Proceeding to fight the invaders via a "no-win" war, thousands of American lives were lost as he displayed a lack of resolve which surely gave heart to the eventual invaders of South Vietnam.

Democrat Kennedy exhibited both weakness and inexperience. During his watch the Berlin Wall was built in violation of existing treaties. He did nothing! Although he campaigned against the Communist dictator Castro being "90 miles from our shores," he destroyed the attempt to liberate the island by calling off the Eisenhower promised air support for the Bay-of-Pigs Freedom Fighters. He compounded his felonies by sending the first U.S. ground combat troops to Vietnam.

Democrat Johnson continued three of the many devastating foreign policy failures of his predecessors: (1) He sent more American combat troops into an Asian land war; (2) he fought the war on a "no-win" basis; and (3) he failed to recognize Communism for the worldwide threat it posed, a deficiency of his party since the FDR days.

Democrat Carter continued the weak foreign policy tradition of his party, highlighted by the never-ending hostage situation in the Middle East.

Democrat Clinton proved the worst until his reign. A draft-dodger who demonstrated against his own country overseas; actions which helped prolonged the Vietnam War and extend the time our POWs spent in prison camps. He then involved us in multiple military enterprises in the world: Haiti, Africa, Bosnia, Iraq, etc. Either he was trying to soothe his conscience for his earlier disgraces or wanted us distracted from his current actions.

Democrat Obama reached an all-time low by apologizing to our fascist enemies around the world for the magnificent and noble actions taken by us throughout our history. He clearly had no understanding of the greatness established by our Founding Fathers in 1776. For eight years he



did nothing positive for our country. Rather, he did all in his power to separate racial, religious and ethnic groups from one another. He made it abundantly clear that he had no love for the United States of America. Shame on him forever!

DOMESTIC POLICY: The Democrats have always used scare tactics for domestic issues, which were equally always false. Democrats have set race against race, young against old, sick against healthy, and rich against poor. Why? Because the Democrats don't have a philosophy that will hold up before all Americans. They seek minority votes with charges of racism and by setting racial quotas which they later deny endorsing.

They seek senior citizen votes with charges that the Republicans will take away social security benefits, only to later endorse virtually the same Republican suggested changes in the program. They seek middle-class votes by charging that Republican proposals, such as cutting the capital gains taxes was for the rich, only to vote for the changes when Clinton took office. They sought votes of the sick and elderly by charging that Republican Medicare proposals were cuts (in reality, a raise from \$4,800 to \$7,100 annually). Only after the elections did they offer almost identical changes.

The Democrat Party is the voice of divisiveness! Republicans represent the voice of unity; family values for all Americans; equality of opportunity for all Americans (neither discrimination nor reverse discrimination); a good education for all Americans, not lowered standards; justice for all Americans (victims as well as criminals); and a strong defense of our country—the greatest, freest nation in the history of the world!

Col. Arthur DeRuve was commissioned a second lieutenant through the college ROTC program, and after serving with the 2nd Armored Division as a Cold War soldier in Germany, he remained an additional 28 years in the Army's active reserve, including 11 years as a military liaison officer for West Point. He is a graduate of the Army's Artillery and Guided Missile School, the Command and General Staff College, and the Army War College and holds a bachelor's degree in political science from Fordham University and a master's degree in public administration from New York University. He and his wife Dorothy have been married more than 60 years, and after being "snowbirds" for many years, now reside in Wellington.

Trump's Second Term Agenda Can Unite America

By George Blumel

Given the president's record in office plus his published agenda for his second term, this election should be a foregone conclusion. If we have a fair and honest election President Trump should win by a landslide! But...

Our opponents, the Democrat Party, are not fair and honest, plus they are so full of hate for our president they will do whatever—fair and foul—to defeat him. Voter fraud is a part of their basic election strategy. Why else would they oppose photo ID to vote? Why else would they not want to clean the voter rolls of the deceased, felons and illegals? And now we are seeing mail-in voting schemes in many states.

In my years of political activism—first voted for Richard Nixon in 1960—I was immensely proud of Ronald Reagan and now Donald Trump. In between, we enjoyed some ups, mostly downs, economically with wars and dirty politics. None dirtier than today.

This election should be a no-brainer referendum on President Trump but it is being distorted by the now far-left socialists in control of the Democrat Party, the bulk of the media and academia who have brainwashed recent generations. Consequently, we could lose the election to Biden/Harris—and even lose the Senate. God forbid!

But a vote for Trump is not only a vote against the Democrat agenda. It is a vote *for* the Trump second term agenda. He has shown that he makes and keeps promises, so his published goals should be taken seriously by voters. They can be found at https://www.donaldjtrump.com/media/trump-campaign-announces-president-trumps-2nd-term-agenda-fighting-for-you/

He has laid out those plans for the next four years in detail at that link. Here are the headings: JOBS + ERADICATE COVID-19 + END OUR RELIANCE ON CHINA + HEALTHCARE + EDUCATION + DRAIN THE SWAMP + DEFEND OUR POLICE + END ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION AND PROTECT AMERICAN WORKERS + INNOVATE FOR THE FUTURE + AMERICA FIRST FOREIGN POLICY.

The first promise under the "Drain the Swamp" heading is to "Pass congressional term limits."

Let's consider the importance of draining the swamp, whether Trump prevails or not. The efforts to term limit Congress must proceed because Congress continually consisting of professional politicians dooms the chance of ever recovering our Republic. Of course, with President Trump's official support the chances are so much greater to regain the constitutional legislative branch.

So, whether common sense prevails and President Trump wins or if the Democrats win by hook or by crook, we the people must continue the job of draining the swamp.

What—who—are the main obstacles to enjoying a citizen legislature as the Founders foresaw? Here are a few of

them: Rep. Nancy Pelosi, 33 years in Congress; Sen. Chuck Schumer, 40 years; Sen. Patrick Leahy, 46; Sen. Dick Durbin, 38 years; Sen. Chuck Grassley, 46 years; Sen. Mitch McConnell, 33 years; Sen Ed Markey, 44 years. I could fill the page with those of over 30 years tenure. For Posters of more arguments for term limits, please see my blog.



Just this month a bipartisan duo of Pennsylvania political giants, former Democrat Governor Ed Rendell and Republican Senator Pat Toomey, co-authored a manifesto in the *Philadelphia Inquirer* making substantial arguments for congressional term limits. They wrote:

... We recall a time not too long ago when the House and Senate could regularly put divisions aside to address the big issues facing our country. Think of the early 2000s when, in response to the terrorist attacks on Sept. 11, Congress overwhelmingly approved several measures that created the Department of Homeland Security, established more stringent safety guidelines at airports, and helped Ground Zero first responders.

Now, in the midst of another crisis, members of Congress frequently focus more on blaming each other than on finding solutions. Entrenched politicians have been steering the ship of state for decades and—don't look now—we're about to hit a \$25 trillion national debt iceberg. It's time for a new approach.

Our elected representatives seem afraid to do anything that would jeopardize their reelection. Term limits allow them to operate without that pressure, secure in the knowledge that they are not risking the position that could be a lifetime career. They would be able to cast votes knowing that the risk they are taking would not jeopardize their entire future.

Polling shows that the idea is favored by a supermajority of Republicans, Democrats and independents.

With the country so bitterly divided right now, policies like terms limits and others in Trump's second term agenda are the kind that can bring voters together. Term limits is the kind of policy idea that can attract undecided voters to choose Trump, if his second term agenda is brought to their attention in time.

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Donald J. Trump—Israel's Greatest Friend

By Rep. Randy Fine

There are 2.4 billion Christians in the world—they make up 29% of the world's population. Of the 195 countries in the world, approximately 118 are majority Christian.

There are 1.9 billion Muslims in the world—they make up 24% of the world's population. An estimated 49 countries in the world are majority Muslim.

And then there are the Jews—14.7 million—that's million, not billion—of which I am one. Jews make up a mere 0.18% of the world's population. No, that isn't 18%—it is less than one-fifth of 1%. There are 163 Christians in the world for every one Jew. And there is exactly one Jewish state in the world, whose territory is equal to 0.004% of the world's land.

And that State is Israel.

Yet despite its small size—despite its infinitesimal population—no country in the history of the world has been so challenged by circumstance. Because we are Jews, because Israel is a Jewish State, it is targeted in the same way Jews have been for thousands of years. No one country has ever been so persecuted, so surrounded by those who sought its destruction. No one country has ever been created—literally—from the ashes of the world's greatest crime against humanity, the Holocaust.

No country has needed a better friend.

And no country has stood with the Jewish State of Israel more than the United States of America. President Harry Truman was the first world leader to recognize the State of Israel in 1948. President Jimmy Carter negotiated the first diplomatic recognition with one of its Islamic neighbors, Egypt, in 1979. Landmark achievements

that would have never happened without the United States.

Yet in all these years—72 to be exact—Israel has had no better friend than President Donald J. Trump.

You don't need to take my word for it. You can take the word of the leader of Israel, speaking to Trump at the White House earlier this year at an event I was privileged to be at: "You have been the greatest friend that Israel has ever had in the White House. . . . [I]t's not even close."

In a time after which Barack Obama stood with Israel's enemies in signing an appearament deal with the terrorist nation of Iran, Trump ripped it up.

In a time when Israel is constantly threatened by attack from across its border, Trump recognized the Golan Heights as a permanent part of Israel.

In a time where anti-Semitism has come roaring back across the world, in its modern day incarnation, the BDS Movement, Trump has adopted a zero-tolerance policy, forcing colleges and universities, where BDS is at its most insidious, to treat BDS as it treats systemic racism.

After a time when U.S. President after U.S. President promised to do for Israel what every one of the other 194 countries gets without thought or hesitation—putting the American Embassy in that nation's capital—Trump did what he said he would do and moved our Embassy to the eternal, undivided capital of Israel, Jerusalem.

And today, Trump will host the signing of not one, but two sovereign recognitions of Israel. The first in decades the Abraham Accords, in which the United Arab Emirates and Bahrain will both formally recognize the Jewish State of Israel.

Each of these achievements is monumental; the totality is extraordinary.

I often ask myself why Trump has done so much for Israel. I know one thing—it isn't for the votes. No matter what he does, most Jews won't vote for him.

Perhaps he does it to honor the memory of 6 million Jews that were exterminated in places like Auschwitz and Bergen Belsen.

Perhaps he does it because he recognizes the immense financial, artistic, scientific, and commercial achievements of this tiny land.

Perhaps he does it because he is the first American President to have three Jewish grandchildren that he loves and cherishes.

Perhaps he does it because G-d spoke to him when he was the first U.S. President to ever pray at the Western Wall.

I don't know the answer. But

what I do know is that he does it. He has been the friend to Israel that Israel has been waiting for. He has been the friend to Israel that Israel had needed. And I pray, and I hope my fellow Jewish Americans will join me, that he will remain that friend for four more years.



A billboard honoring President and Melania Trump in Israel.

Rep. Randy Fine represents House District 53 on Florida's Space Coast. During his four years in the legislature, he has successfully sponsored new laws that create a zero-tolerance policy for BDS in state and local government, requires colleges and universities to treat BDS in the same manner as racism, and dramatically expands Holocaust education to all Florida students. This article was originally published in Florida Politics, September 15, 2020.

MAGA Mania: The Not So Silent, Silent Majority

By Joshua Perry

In a shocking defeat over the Democrat nominee Hillary Clinton, Donald Trump became the 45th President of the United States of America. President Trump's 2016 victory melted political consultants, news anchors, and late-night comedy hosts to tears as they questioned reality. Hillary Clinton herself continues to deny defeat, even to the point of writing the book titled, What Happened? So, what did happen? What was the driving force behind the seemingly unlikely, and to some, the unfortunate election of the most criticized candidate in American politics? The passing of the torch to the next Clinton Dynasty was intercepted. In new hands, it was thrust high and proud as Lady Liberty herself holds the torch that lights the way to the freedom to be embraced in America. The 2016 election outcome is easier to explain and a lot shorter than a novel of excuses from the former First Lady.

President Trump was an outsider, plain and simple. The billionaire, real estate mogul, and self-made man related to the American people as Washington lost connection with real-life voters. Unlike the typical politician, President Trump is not owned by bureaucrats or indebted to the wealthy's favors. Exiting two terms of President Obama's globalist policies, the American worker bet on a New Yorker with a no-nonsense personality and an America First agenda. For the first time in years, Americans witnessed a sitting President deliver promises when empty rhetoric was the standard practice. Our country is once again influential, wealthy, and respected around the globe. However, four years of making America great again has quickly passed us by as the 2020 election approaches. In many ways, things feel the same as they did in 2016, such as the pandering of identity politics from the Democrat Party. Conversely, two significant factors are characterizing this year's race for the White House: patriotism and transparency.

The Trump presidency brought about a change, but not the 2008 kind where the Free World leader embarked on an international apology tour. In fact, it's quite the opposite. The love for America has skyrocketed to new heights. American flags are prevalent in front yards, the Pledge of Allegiance is frequently seen on the back of vehicle windows, and there's a renewed opposition against Socialism. Not only did Trump bring about an affinity for the country, but he forced the Democrat Party to reveal itself. The Party has kicked out all of its Moderate Democrats in favor of the Progressive Socialists. The overtaking has been ongoing for quite some time, but Trump's election forced the fraction to come to light. These two features are shaping 2020 to be a blockbuster event in the fight for American identity.

Although the term "Silent Majority" was popularized by President Richard Nixon in a 1969 televised address, it was



Donald J. Trump who polarized the expression. Pollsters were unable to factor in the unvoiced voters four years ago for several reasons. Many conservatives and JFK-type Democrats weren't willing to publicly announce their support for a highly controversial figure out of fear of being shamed. Others were afraid of being physically assaulted or labeled -phobic, bigot, or a racist. If the current climate of politics is revealing at all, these truths are not as resembling today.

The Silent Majority is continuing to grow in numbers and decibels. If you are tired of political correctness ruining everything, then don't back down to the virulent intentions of Cancel Culture. Stand firm against the Radical Left when they try to instill fear into you for supporting your county. Fly your flags, wear your MAGA hats, speak openly about your support for Trump's re-election. Never before has our country been so vulnerable to the voices of those who seek to undermine our way of life. President Trump didn't bring such politically turbulent times; rather, We the People brought Trump for the times. Included in our nation's bedrock are freedom, liberty, and a government that works for us, not the other way around. May we preserve our Republic.

My name is Joshua Perry and I am a 5th generation Floridian and the first registered Republican of my once Dixie-Crat, but now Republican family. I registered as a member of the Republican Party at the age of 18 and have never changed parties. I am active in local politics, having served as a campaign manager and field director on a congressional campaign. I hold a bachelor's degree in theological studies, and a master's degree in business administration. Writing is a passion of mine that I have enjoyed from childhood. American politics is my niche of choice.

Navajo Code Talkers on Iwo Jima in World War II

[Ed. Note: Peter MacDonald is the former Chairman of the Navajo Nation and one of the last surviving Navaho Code Talkers, whose unbreakable secret code was a critical factor in America's victory in the Pacific War. According to a story in February of 2020, posted in Native American Veterans by Reynaldo Leal, "Twenty-nine Navajos were recruited to develop the code in 1942. Code-Talkers used native languages to send military messages before World War II. Choctaw, for example, was used in World War I. The Marine Corps, however, needed an 'unbreakable' code for its island-hopping campaign in the Pacific. Navajo, which was unwritten and known by few outside the tribe, seemed to fit the Corps' requirements." What follows is Mr. Macdonald's explanation as to how it actually worked and why it was so important.

Over two hundred Navajo Code Talkers participated on the landing of Iwo Jima. The 5th Marine Division were on the north side of the island and a company of Marines were pinned down badly. They were being fired upon from three different directions. Mortar shells were being dropped on them and they were hunkering down desperately in their foxholes. The company commander wrote down a message, asking for help and he handed it to a Navajo Code Talker. This is what the code talker said. This is the actual message that was sent on Iwo [without accents]:

Dibe anaa achi I'h biih ah-del-tahi deeh na' asts oosi tazhii tl'oh chin lii da atsaah taa hasta a naaki shash What does that mean? This is what he said in Navajo:

Sheep, eyes, nose, deer, destroyer, tea, mouse, turkey, onion, sick horse, three, six, two, bear.

As each Navajo word came through the air, the Code Talker down at the beach command post, he writes it down in English. What did he write down?

"Send demolition team to hill 362 B." There were three hills on the north side: 362 A, 362 B and 362 C. Beneath 362 B was the problem. This message took 20 seconds. After 20 seconds, beach command post organized a rescue team to save that company of Marines. If that message was sent in English code it would have taken 30 minutes. 20 seconds in Navajo—30 minutes in English code. Those guys pinned down on the north side didn't have 30 minutes. Without Navajo, Marines would have never taken the island of Iwo Jima.

That's how critical Navaho code was to the war in the Pacific. And we should never forget what war is. War is something that nobody wants. It's bad, it's ugly. But, so long as we are together, no matter what nationality you are, if you are American and love this country, we all have to stick together to keep this nation strong! Our freedom and liberty mean so much, meant so much for those who never made it home. So, it's up to us now to keep this nation strong and prosperous.



(*Left to right*) President Donald Trump hosted Fleming Begaye, Thomas Begay, and Peter MacDonald, Navajo Code Talkers from World War II, in the Oval Office at the White House on Nov. 27, 2017. (Oliver Contreras-Pool/Getty Images)

"Transition Joe": It's Not Just Oil, Gas and Coal, Joe!

By Ed McCarthy

Despite his statement to the contrary that he will not ban fracking to extract natural gas, Joe Biden is lying. Throughout the entire campaign he has repeatedly said there is no room in the Biden Administration for fossil fuels. Natural gas is a fossil fuel. Fossil fuels will be "transitioned" out. That means COMPLETELYGONE. Gone along with the jobs, and the value of the stock of those energy companies.

So as he destroys entire energy industries, how are we going to fuel aircraft and ships, power plants and steel mills. Does he think the energy necessary to smelt aluminum can come from a solar panel? How about a replacement for roof shingles or tar paper? Is he going to replace asphalt used to pave our roads with paper mache or formica? Ooops, no; formica is a plastic made from oil, sorry! How about cat litter and Elmers Glue? Hey, that's it, stick with the cat litter, Joe.

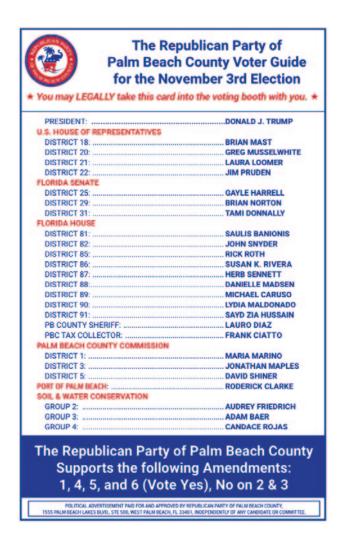
Oh, and by the way, kiss the plastics and petrochemicals industries goodbye They all use oil and natural gas as a basic raw material. More lost jobs. More loss of stockholder

investments. No more 2-liter plastic Coke containers either. Too bad!

Kiss the glass industry goodbye too. Glass needs high temperatures in order to to smelt silica (sand) into glass. You cannot produce glass from solar or wind power, so don't think we can replace the plastic Coke bottles with glass ones. There will be no glass bottles for Coke or tomato sauce or vegetables or beer. There will be no glass vials for medications, there will be no glass for window panes or windshields on all those electric cars because there will be no glass without the petroleum necessary to produce electricity or to generate very high temperatures needed for the smelting process.

Look around your place of employment. Look through your garage, your closets and your pantry. Look at all the structure, all your possessions and consumables that wouldn't be there without the output of our energy companies.

Then think about what will happen. What Joe Biden is really up to!





Doc Norton

Fact check this...I dare you..

Prior to 1983, social security was not taxable. In 1983, Joe Biden voted in favor of taxing 50% of social security - and it passed. In 1993, Joe Biden doubled down and was the deciding vote in raising the percentage taxed on social security from 50% to 85%. Joe Biden is not a friend to working folks - and certainly not to retirees. His voting record on social security over the years is one slap in the face to retirees after another. Now he wants to tax our 401k's and IRA's (it's on page 78 of the Dems' platform) and he also wants to introduce a 3% annual tax on our homes. The record of Joe Biden shows he never misses an opportunity to raise a tax or introduce a tax to hurt the middle class and retirees.

It's Starting to Look Ugly for Democrats

By Alan Bergstein

t's crunch time for the challenging Democrats. We're Lecoming down to blastoff-like countdown numbers 'til Nov. 3. The real leaders of the Dem Party—not those shock troops carrying placards in the streets, but the real mavens of policy, who call the shots from behind their desks—are starting to sweat. They have smarts. How long before their candidate goes completely off the wall and is no longer able to be protected by the accommodating media? Biden has already twice repeatedly claimed to nationwide audiences that he's running for a Senate seat. His behavior to both fans and interviewers has increasingly shown his mean side. He's ready to implode under the pressure. In addition, Trump's almost miraculous recovery from the coronavirus and the massive crowds cheering him on at his open-air rallies indicate another 2016-like disaster for the left. Leftists know it. And this frightens them.

Throw in the exposure of Hunter's exploits that have his dad's fingerprints all over the scandals that are slowly leaking out and raising the awareness to those who have yet to cast their ballots. The laughably rigged "polls" reminiscent of those in 2016 are fading in relevance. It's clear to the left's top brass that the Donald Trump of today is nothing like what he was when he faced off against Hillary. He was then a big question mark in the mind of every citizen. He had no political history at all. He ran solely on promises, which politicians rarely keep once they attain office. Trump kept his every one. People noticed. Not only did blue-collar Democrat workers retain their jobs, but employment opportunities increased. America became not only energy independent, but the major producer and exporter of such power sources. Trump lowered taxes, made peace in the Middle East, rebargained trade agreements in our favor, sent shivers down the spines of dictators, hung Putin out to dry, and is pulling out of our age-old wars. All this and much more in less than four years with the Democrat jackals at his throat 24/7. Throw in the ludicrous spectacle of his impeachment by the House, which began a few days before his swearing in—which, unfortunately for the left, raised his stature as a winner.

The unruly and unprofessional recent handling of the NBC Miami "town hall" by Savannah Guthrie, that went off the wall, did not sit well with the crucial voters on the fringe. Amy Coney Barrett's hearings unveiled the bias of the left toward her Christian beliefs. Christian voters, especially those millions who sat out 2016 because of Trump's brashness, noticed, nodded, and have been inspired to vote.

The foundation of Biden's campaign is cracking. Something drastic has to be done, now at the finish line, to panic the voters, to short-circuit the voting process, to divert voters' attention, to basically destroy the election and eventually declare the outcome null and void. How to do this and what to expect in the days ahead? Nothing's off the table for the radical left.

Look for those vandalous thugs in the armies of the BLM and Antifa, who, in recent years, were in Spring Training, to be called out in the next two weeks to strike fear into the hearts of America. If polling places were to be vandalized and destroyed prior to Nov. 3, could there not be a demand by the Schumers and Pelosis to call the election null and void due to "the denial of voting opportunities"? If vehicles toting completed ballots were hijacked, what then of a reliable count? Do you recall the two Black Panthers in Philadelphia during the 2008 voting process who physically and verbally intimidated voters in front of a polling station to vote in support of Barack Obama? They were exonerated by Obama's wing man, Eric Holder. It worked then for the Democrats, and look for more like that to occur by Nov. 3.

The Democrats cannot afford to lose this election. If they do, they have no one else to blame but their leaders. The effrontery to all of us to put an obviously ailing and incoherent Joe Biden for the top spot and for the V.P., Kamala Harris, who couldn't even carry her own state in the primaries, indicates their lack of judgment. They are at wit's end and will risk the destruction of the nation to regain power. They are capable of anything. And that's scary. Watch out!

Alan Bergstein is the President of the Judeo/Christian Republican Club of Palm Beach County. This article is reprinted from the American Thinker, October 17, 2020.



Club 45 USA billboard along I-95 in Palm Beach County.

Letters

Why Would Congressman Ted Deutch and Democrats Welcome One of South Florida's Leading Jew Haters on Your Ballot?

In 2012 and 2013, many of you were on hand to hear Congressman Ted Deutch publicly condemn extreme anti-Semitic activities at Florida Atlantic University that were led by Noor Fawzy and her Students for Justice in Palestine campus group.

Today, Noor Fawzy is a Democrat candidate running on the same ballot as Congressman Deutch without his objection!

The documentation of Noor Fawzy's many anti-Semitic activities remain available to the public at www.noor-fawzy.com

Noor Fawzy's anti-Semitic harassment and intimidation of Jewish students included many high-profile incidents:

- Fawzy led SJP in suppressing the civil rights and free speech of Jewish students on campus by storming their events and attempting to shut down pro-Israel speakers
- Fawzy led SJP in harassing and intimidating Jewish students by posting mock eviction notices on campus dorms that included classic antisemitic blood libels
- Fawzy led SJP in calling for a violent Intifada and Israel's destruction in front of the Israeli consulate in Miami
- Fawzy led SJP in inviting a Holocaust denier to speak on campus
- Fawzy led SJP in placing public displays across campus that accuse Israel of killing babies

How can Congressman Deutch claim he is fighting to protect our community from Jew hating when he hasn't lifted a finger to keep Jew haters out of his own party and off ballots right here at home? We deserve answers!

Please join me in asking Congressman Deutch to explain why he is remaining silent about Noor Fawzy now that she is running as a Democrat alongside him. Simply email Congressman Deutch at ted19@mail.house.gov and bring this issue to the attention of local media.

Thanks!

Alan Bergstein Judeo/Christian Republican Club President

My Humble Advice, Mr. President

If I had any advice to give the president, and I do, forreaching out to the Black community, since Biden is flooding the airwaves of the Black community with his assembly-line lies, I would advise the president to do likewise, flood the radio stations Blacks are known to listen to, like the Michael Baisden Show, the Steve Harvey Show, and televisions stations like the Black Entertainment Channel (BET), but provide them with truth.

In his advertisement, Trump may want to share the things he has done to give them a hand up, not a handout, as far as policies and initiatives he's implemented. And he may want to tell them he understands the hardships, the drug culture, the drug violence, high pregnancy rates, abortions, and the Black on Black crime they go through daily, thanks to decades of failed Democrat policies, and say it in a way that they will believe that this billionaire truly cares. He may even want to talk to them about the historical bond between the Republican Party and the Black community, going back to when the Republicans liberated their ancestors, and telling them that it was the Democrat Party that instituted slavery and Jim Crow Laws and poll taxes, and had as their enforcers the KKK.

He needs to stress this point because the Left have Blacks thinking they were the Black community's benefactor and that the Republicans have never cared for them. Then he may want to explain to them his plans to turn this around. If he follows this advice, I have no doubt he will make inroads to that community and increase his appeal, and chances, that more Blacks will vote for him, and for America, to include those in the massive and frustrated silent Black majority

Democrat Party Beware!!!

CS Bennett

Oh No, Joe!

Every single day, Joe Biden is telling us that he will roll back the Trump tax cuts, and that he will only increase taxes on those making over \$400,000 per year.

Those two statements are mutually exclusive. Check it out yourself. For those making less than \$400,000, go back and check your pay stubs just before, and just after the Trump tax cuts. For most, taxes went down and take-home pay went up after the tax cuts kicked in.

So if Biden cancels the Trump tax cuts, the middle-class taxpayers (YOU) will have to pay more in taxes.

Ooops. "Caught ya," Joe!

Ed McCarthy Boca Raton

Wake Up, America

This is what resulted from having eight years of a closet Muslim, socialist Democrat, with his anti-America cabinet in the White House! Blame the brain-dead Democrats, the

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RINOs who have been working with them for years, and all the stupid people, who wanted to see an incompetent Kenyan, leading our great country!

Amazing, now we have a non-professional politician, Donald Trump, in the White House, as a result of the eight years of weakening America, and true American patriots waking up!! President Trump has done more in the last four years for America than any other president in my lifetime, while being under constant attack with lies, falsehoods, phony impeachments, and just delay and obstruction from the Democrat Party!!

Wake up, America, we want what President Trump wants: "no socialism" and America always first!! Vote Trump, our only way and our only answer!!

Bill Petraglia Vice President Judeo/Christian Republican Club of Palm Beach

Trump Talking Points

Here are some interesting points to think about prior to 2020, especially to our friends on the fence, like moderate Democrats, Libertarians and Independents, the never-Trump Republicans, and those thinking of "walking away" from the Democrat Party

- 1. Women are upset at Trump's naughty words—they also bought 80 million copies of *50 Shades of Gray*.
- 2. Not one feminist has defended Sarah Sanders. It seems women's rights only matter if those women are liberal.
- 3. No Border Walls. No voter ID laws. Did you figure it out yet? But wait . . . there's more.
- 4. Chelsea Clinton got out of college and got a job at NBC that paid \$900,000 per year. Her mom flies around the country speaking out about white privilege.
- 5. And just like that, they went from being against foreign interference in our elections to allowing non-citizens to vote in our elections.
- 6. President Trump's wall costs less than the Obamacare website. Let that sink in, America.
- 7. We are one election away from open borders, socialism, gun confiscation, and full-term abortion nationally. We are fighting evil.
- 8. They sent more troops and armament to arrest Roger Stone than they sent to defend Benghazi.
- 9. Sixty years ago, Venezuela was fourth on the world economic freedom index. Today, they are 179th and their citizens are dying of starvation. In only 10 years, Venezuela was destroyed by democratic socialism.
- 10. Russia donated \$0.00 to the Trump campaign. Russia donated \$145,600,000 to the Clinton Foundation. But Trump was the one investigated!
- 11. Nancy Pelosi invited illegal aliens to the State of the Union. President Trump invited victims of illegal aliens to the State of the Union. Let that sink in.

- 12. A socialist is basically a communist who doesn't have the power to take everything from their citizens at gunpoint. . . . Yet!
- 13. How do you walk 3,000 miles across Mexico without food or support and show up at our border 50 pounds overweight, money in your pocket, clean clothes and a cellphone?
- 14. Alexandria Ocasio Cortez wants to ban cars, ban planes, give out universal income, and thinks socialism works. She calls Donald Trump crazy.
- 15. Bill Clinton paid \$950,000 to Paula Jones to get her to go away. I don't remember the FBI raiding his lawyer's office
- 16. The same media that told me Hillary Clinton had a 95% chance of winning now tells me Trump's approval ratings are low.
- 17. Words to remember: "The problem with socialism is that sooner or later you run out of other people's money." —Margaret Thatcher.
- 18. Maxine Waters opposes voter ID laws; she thinks that they are racist. You need to have a photo ID to attend her town hall meetings.
- 19. President Trump said, "They're not after me. They're after you. I'm just in their way."

Don't Believe the Polls

Warning Again!! Do not believe the fake news polls as they are skewed and slated way left! We just need to turn out at the polls!

Trump is going to win in a landslide with 315 electoral votes!! The next "doubting Thomas" who calls me to say that this election is over and that Trump doesn't have a chance—I am going to call you out publicly via email and send you to church to pray!!

When these "biased" polls are taken, they are deliberately geared to favor the Despicable Dems each and every time. They are set up to ask the majority of the Dems these questions and when it comes to the small minority of Republicans, many of them refuse to even entertain these slanted questions. Therefore, you will never get an accurate poll. They will always be slanted left; thus you have these ridiculous numbers!

For an example, if I were to visit one of the big Planned Parenthoods in Texas and show up at their lobby that is full of women who are about to have an abortion, and along with their boyfriends, husbands and mothers (big maybe), and I took a poll with the 100 people in that lobby asking them if they were pro-abortion or pro-life, what do you think the responses would be? Would you not say that this survey or poll would be skewed, slanted and overbiased towards those who believe in the atrocity of abortion? The polls would say: pro-abortion 99%, pro-life 1% (maybe that one boyfriend who is still trying to convince his girlfriend not to have the abortion).

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This, my fellow Pro-Lifers, is what the Despicable Dems, the Lame Stream Media and all the Liberals base these bogus election polls on!

So, when you see that Sleepy Joe is beating President Trump by 14 points nationally, how in God's name can anybody even believe that nonsense? When these slanted polls say that Biden is beating Trump in our beloved state of Florida by 8 or 9 points—what do you think these polls are trying to accomplish? Simply to demoralize the Trump supporters from even voting and volunteering to work as poll watchers. "What the hell for?" they ask themselves! So, quit paying attention to these fake news polls—call one of our five Republican Party offices today, and get involved with this election because the harder we all work as one terrific Trump team, the bigger the Trump landslide will be on November 3!!

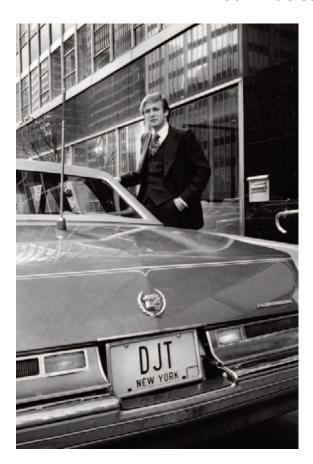
I set the bar two years ago when I said "Trump landslide in 2020," and I continue to put that bold slogan on all of my emails and text messages. I have even gone as far as saying that Trump will win with a solid "315" electoral votes. We have to believe, we have to pray and we have to work that much harder when we set the bar that high! Let Us Pray!!!

It's not the economy, stupid—it's the enthusiasm! Stay positive! Work like there is no tomorrow! Share your energy and enthusiasm with everybody you know! Pray as hard as you can! Call our offices and get involved! Show up these last few days for sign waving at any of our nine sign waving locations! Help pay for the Trump Jumbotron truck! Help pay for the five Trump billboards!

In God we must!! In Trump we trust!!

Willy Guardiola Christian on a Mission Chairman of Trump Sign Waving Rallies in PBC

Our "Racist" President



Here's a story of our "RACIST" president. You're all welcome to Fact Check it.

The 14th of June, 1946 is the birthday of a boy born in the Jamaica district of Queens, NYC.

In 1995, his car has a flat tire. A black man walking by notices its owner is wearing a suit. So he fixes the flat. "How can I repay you?" asks our birthday boy. "My wife has always wanted some flowers." A few days later, the black man's wife gets a beautiful bouquet of flowers with a note saying, "Thanks for helping me. By the way, . . . the mortgage on your house is paid off."

A USMC Sargeant spends seven months in a Mexican prison for a minor charge. He is beaten. The man from Queens sends him a check for \$25,000, "to get you started."

A black bus driver saves a suicidal girl from jumping off a bridge. Our Queens man sends him a check for \$10,000.

A rabbi's critically ill son needs to get from NYC to California for specialty care. No airlines will fly him. The generous man pays for a private flight for the child.

This kind man from Queens commits many other "quiet acts of random kindness." A wise man once said, "If a man's heart is good, nothing else matters. And if a man's heart is bad, nothing else matters."

Who is this kind man? #DonaldJTrump, a man with a good heart.

We Are All Rooting for Your Second Term

Book Review

America: The Last Best Hope, One-Volume Edition, by William J. Bennett. Nashville: Nelson Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Christian Publishing, 2019. ISBN #978-1-4002-1284-2. Hardcover, 905 pp.

If you want someone to write an American history book, there is no one more qualified than William J. Bennet. All that is good and decent about America is in this man and it comes shining through in *America: The Last Best Hope*. And I can't think of a better book to review on this, the eve of one of the most important elections in decades, than one that reminds us what we in the Republican Party are trying to preserve.

Mr. Bennett's resume is as long as your arm, but, suffice to say, all you need to know is that he's written over twenty-five books and is one of America's most influential and respected voices on culture, political and educational issues. So, let's dig into this wonderful book and see why it's so worth reading. But I'm not going to do that in the manner I usually do on these pages. Don't get me wrong, I read the entire book and loved it, but I'm not going to take samples from it to tell its story as I usually do and for very good reason. There is no need to. All you need to be enticed is to become familiar with Mr. Bennett's reasons for writing the book, so here we go.

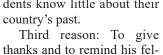
Abraham Lincoln once warned that the further we get from the miracle of the American Revolution, the less likely we are to appreciate it. The scenes of the revolution, like everything else, "must fade upon the memory of the world, and grow more and more dim by the lapse of time."

Our freedoms will crumble, Lincoln said, unless we make efforts to sustain it, to "furnish all the materials for our future support and defense." Those materials, Lincoln believed, included "general intelligence, sound morality, and, in particular, a reverence for the Constitution and laws." And, of course, an appreciation of our past.

The first and most important reason Mr. Bennett wrote the book is because of our need for hope in America today. When President Lincoln wrote to Congress in December 1862, shortly after he issued the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, he wrote, "We shall nobly save, or meanly lose, the last best hope of earth." For nearly a century before that message—and easily for a century afterward—Americans would not have doubted that this country was indeed, that last best hope. Democrats, Republican, Federalist, Antifederalist. . . . It hardly mattered. An abiding sense of American greatness, of American purpose, of American exceptionalism has long characterized many of our leaders and tens of millions of the rest of us as well.

Mr. Bennett believes America still represents the world's best hope. But he also believes that we have to make explicit efforts to nourish that hope and to keep our grasp of it from—in Lincoln's great word—fading. It is Mr. Bennett's wish that those that read his book will find reason to reclaim some hope when the national discourse seems full of division and distrust as it does today.

Second reason: To give Americans an opportunity to enjoy the story of their country, to take pleasure and pride in what we have done and become. Many books not only fail to counter criticism and hopelessness, but also don't encourage anything positive in their place. They do not engage, entertain, educate or encourage. History textbooks are often the worst in this regard. National tests repeatedly show that many high school (and college) students know little about their country's past.





low citizens of their obligation of gratitude for those who made it possible for us to lead free and happy lives. Obscurity and oblivion are not what they deserve. Think of those Americans at Philadelphia in 1787 who devised the most miraculous political document in history just as the young nation seemed to be falling apart. Or Americans coming together to rebuild the nation after the devastating Civil War. Or Americans standing fast against totalitarianism during the Cold War. Or of leaders like Frederick Douglass and Dr. Martin Luther King, who rose to prod our consciouses and forced us to look in the mirror of our own souls, however belatedly, and right the old wrongs of slavery and the Jim Crow segregation laws. It is important to note that both Frederick Douglass and Dr. King appealed to the ideals of America's Founding Fathers. They reminded Americans that this country, in order to be true to itself, had to attend to the business of establishing justice and respecting the inalienable right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all its citizens. Those who would deny fundamental rights were, as Lincoln said, "blowing out the moral lights around us" and dishonoring our Fathers. We need to remember [ALL] the Fathers and the lights that showed them the

Fourth reason: To tell the truth, get the facts out, correct the record, and put forward a reasoned, balanced presentation of the American story, warts and all, but not follow the fashion of some who see America as nothing but warts.

Fifth reason: To encourage a new patriotism—a new reflective, reasoned form of patriotism. The kind that Ronald Reagan was proud that he helped to spark during his two terms, something even his opponent Fritz Mondale was gracious enough to praise him for.

Sixth reason: Finally, he wrote our story to kindle romance, to encourage Americans to fall in love with this country, again or for the first time. Not unreflectively, not blindly, but with eyes wide open.

America was, is, and—we pray—will continue to be, more than anyplace else, where dreams actually do come true. And let us hope that dream and its reality, to recall Lincoln once more, never fades.

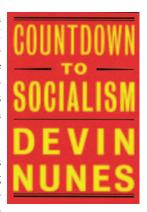
Book Review

COUNTDOWN TO SOCIALISM

By William J. Skinner

A copy of this booklet arrived at my address with the letter I have reproduced below. I read both and wrote another contribution check to Devin Nunes, who is one of the most honest, hard-working members of Congress. (He is worth every penny we pay him.) The booklet was published as an Encounter Broadside Special Edition by Encounter Books, 900 Broadway, Suite 600, New York, NY 10003 in 2020. ISBN 978-1-64177-186-3. The booklet is 5×7 and only 92 pp.

The letter reflects what is in the booklet much better than I can. Just let me tell you it contains only five chapters. These are: Outside the Swamp, Collusion Delusion, The Fake News Complex, The Disinformation Funnel, and Information Dessert. The booklet fills in some gaps. For the past four years Nunes has been chairman and ranking Republican on the House Intelligence Committee. I highly recommend the booklet.





Dear Fellow American,

I've written a booklet, *Countdown to Socialism*, to offer my perspective on these challenging, history-making, nation-defining times. It's my gift to you in appreciation for your loyal support, conservative commitment, and patriotic spirit.

America is under attack by an unholy alliance of the mainstream media, the Democrat Party, and gigantic tech companies like Facebook and Twitter.

Their goal is to convince Americans that a separate reality exists in which leftists are good, virtuous and peaceful even when they're rioting and attacking police officers—while conservative Republicans are violent racists whose speech needs to be suppressed. Although America spent decades leading the worldwide battle against communism, resurgent socialists are now fighting hard to impose on our nation an economic system that has failed everywhere it's been tried.

It wasn't socialism and big government that made America the freest and most prosperous nation in history, it was free enterprise and individual entrepreneurship. But the Democrats clearly don't agree. I don't often believe what I hear from the likes of Joe Biden, Kamala Harris, Bernie Sanders, Elizabeth Warren, Nancy Pelosi or Adam Schiff, but when they tell us they intend to "transform America," I do believe they're telling the truth.

For those who say, "It can't happen here," I say: "Look around. Take stock of where we are. Think of how far we've strayed from our Constitution and Founding ideals. Imagine what the future holds for our children and grandchildren if we're led by socialists and quasi-socialists who believe Americans are mostly racists, our history is shameful, and our only hope is to fundamentally transform into an entirely different nation."

We conservatives are not helpless. Information is power, which is why the Democrats, the media, and the tech oligarchs are trying so hard to ban conservatives from the public square. I wrote this booklet as a way to completely bypass what I call the "disinformation funnel," and get my thoughts and perspectives direct to you without biased reporters or leftwing tech billionaires acting as intermediaries.

You've got the power to win the debate with the far-left fringe in your hands. Enjoy the booklet, my friend. Let me know what you think. Please stay in touch. I hope we'll be celebrating great victories together on Election Night.

God bless you always, Devin Nunez

Editor's Postscript

Why We Republicans Are Upset, Come What May in the Election

By Tom Mullings

I don't think Republicans have ever been more upset about an election than the one coming up. I mean, just consider the facts of what has happened in the past four years:

- 1. In the leadup to the 2016 presidential campaign, Hillary Clinton and the DNC paid Fusion GPS millions of dollars to come up with phony "proof" (the infamous dossier) from Russian sources that Donald Trump colluded with Vladimir Putin to steal the presidency from Hillary Clinton! Failing that, once Trump won the presidency, they continued this illegal, nefarious operation, with the cooperation of high-level officials in the FBI and Justice Department, launching a spying operation on the Trump Campaign and repeatedly lying to the FISA Court to get warrant after warrant to do so!
- 2. Coverage of this illegal, made-up story by the drive-by mainstream media, day after day for years, was fed to the American public, creating a widespread belief that President Trump was guilty of these made-up charges, when in fact he was the victim of them.
- 3. When, finally, the true facts slowly were revealed and irrefutable evidence of the culpability of the high officials, in and out of government, was presented, those irresponsible so-called journalists were no longer interested in the greatest political scandal in American history and dismissed it as "discredited right-wing conspiracy theories."
- 4. As if that wasn't enough to infuriate and frustrate the sixty million Trump supporters in this country, who'd waited all these years for the wheels of American justice to catch up with those who perpetrated this fraud on our president, they learned that the investigation looking into this, by prosecutor John Durham, who had the power to indict perpatrators guilty of law-breaking, was not going to come out until after this presidential election cycle!
- 5. Then there was the economy that went from riches to rags in seemingly a heartbeat through no fault of Donald Trumps. At the begining of this year, after three years of effort, his policies of lowering private and corporate taxes for everyone and steep deregulation had created the biggest economic boom in history, revitalizing American manufacturing, enticing businesses to come back home, and registering record-breaking low-unemployment figures for blacks, Hispanics and women in the country. Then the Covid-19 virus struck and the economy went into free-fall.
- 6. The virus originated in Wuhan, China and was intentional unleashed on the rest of the world by the Chinese Com-

munist Party (CCP). When President Trump stopped all travel from China, he was condemned by both Joe Biden and Nancy Pelocy as being a racist. But to this day, despite leading Dems' blatant hypocracy on the matter and the real culprits among the CCP, the drive-by media has helped create the fictitious



impression in tens of millions of American minds, that the deadly pandemic is all Donald Trump's fault!

- 7. The Black Lives Matter movement (BLM), started with an obvious case of police brutality that needed to be prosecuted, but it was morphed into a dishonest war on the police forces of the United States, who have done their best to keep the peace in this country as city neighborhoods have exploded in nightly violence for months. Cases of illegal police killings of blacks in America are exceedingly rare, but Democrats have created the fiction that it is endemic and they've used it as a political weapon to hammer their opponents with. Ground-zero for all the destruction that has occurred has been in cities that have been governed by Democrats for decades, but guess whose fault they and their media mouth-pieces have blamed it on? You got it—Donald Trump, who else!
- 8. People, at the very least, have suspected Joe Biden of influence peddling abroad. But when, recently, an owner of a computer repair shop (the identified source for the story) produced a laptop computer that he said was left at his shop for repair and never retrieved, owned by Hunter Biden, the former Vice President's son. It contained copies of emails and agreements, seemingly proving the Biden family's corruption. But once again, the drive-bys were not interested in this explosive story, even though the FBI confirmed that they were in possession of the laptop computer!

Clearly, if President Donald J. Trump loses this election, it will be through no fault of his own. He's done a great job for the American people and richly deserves another four years in office. If he doesn't get it, it will be the fault of a despicable, arrogant left-wing media, who have been, like never before, unabashed lapdogs for the Democrat Party, who've eroded freedom of the press in this country so badly

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that the Founding Fathers would no longer recognize what passes for it anymore.

Like I said, come-what-may in this election, Republicans are upset and we have ample reason to be.

Tom Mullings is a decorated Army infantry combat veteran of the Vietnam War, who served as a scout dog handler with the 173rd Airborne Brigade. He was one of the three original incorporators of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, DC, and is a long-time Republican Executive Committeeman from precinct 5154 in Palm Beach County.

Coach Bobby Bowden Releases Statement on Beating Covid-19



TALLAHASSEE, FL—Today, Coach Bobby Bowden released the following statement on defeating Covid-19 that included an important message for all Americans:

"I want to thank all the many, many people who were thinking of and praying for me over the last few weeks. I just went through a battle with Covid-19, and God just wasn't ready to take me Home yet to be with Him.

"Most of you know I'm 91 years old, and the fight was tough. But thanks to the help of Dr. Michael Forsthoefel, and the support of Ann and all my children, I beat it.

"I've had the chance to get a lot of wins in my life, but I really wanted to win this one because I wanted to be around to vote for President Trump.

"I have always said that the only thing you can take to Heaven with you is your kids, and for 71 years of marriage, Ann and I have tried to live or lives and share our Christian Faith with them so that one day we will all be there together. "But until that time, we are here on earth, and America is the greatest country this die of heaven. We have the freedom to pursue our faith in God, our dreams for our career, and our love for our families. For too long now, politicians in Washington have run America down and apologized for our greatness. I'm tired of it.

"Like President Trump, I had the opportunity to be treated for Covid-19 with drugs to include Remdesivir. At the age of 91, in many other countries, I might to have even been treated. In America, I was.

"The one thing that all of us parents and grandparents can do for our children and grandchildren in these next couple weeks is vote. We have to get out and vote for President Trump because re-electing him is our only chance to leave the next generation with the same heritage, beliefs, and opportunities that Ann and I had and that many of you had"

"There are about 45 of us Bowdens around. Most of us live in Florida, and I promise you that almost all of us will be voting for Trump, and the ones that don't won't be telling me about it.

"So please, take the time, dadgumit, for the sake of our children and grandchildren, to Keep America Great and vote for Donald Trump."



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Mission Statement

The Republican Party of Palm Beach County is committed to promoting Republican ideals and principles; recruiting and electing qualified candidates for public office; developing a grassroots organization that will motivate the electorate to vote; and raising the funds necessary to complete these objectives.

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Republican Executive Committee Membership Application

The Republican Executive Committee (also known as the REC) is the governing body of the Republican Party of Palm Beach County. The REC elects the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, and Treasurer of the Party. Members of the REC also approve the Party's constitution; Rules, Policies & Procedures; and budget.

Members of the Republican Executive Committee represent registered Republicans who live in their precinct and serve as the Party's liaison to the Republicans within that precinct. REC members are expected to maintain contact with Republicans living in their precinct and to keep them informed as to what is going on in the Republican Party. This can be done through E-mail or other means like regular mail, phone calls and/or walking your precinct. The REC is the basis for our grassroots efforts and we rely on REC Members to organize and develop their precincts, recruit new volunteers, recruit candidates to fill vacancies on the REC, find sign locations for Republican candidates, register new Republican voters and work to get out the Republican vote in their precincts during elections. The role of committeeman or committeewoman is essential to Republican Party's and our candidates' success in Palm Beach County.

REC Committeeman & Committeewoman Duties and Responsibilities

- 1. Expected to donate financially to the Republican Party of Palm Beach County
- 2. Attend REC Meetings
- 3. Organize your precinct and carry out the policies and programs of the Party within your precinct. Active participation in the various programs of the Party is expected.
- 4. Serve on a Party Committee.
- 5. Develop a presence in the broader community by joining a Republican Club; serving on a local board or committee; or monitoring local media for

ALL APPLICANTS FOR THE REC MUST BE A REGISTERED REPUBLICAN IN PALM BEACH COUNTY. PLEASE COMPLETE THIS REC APPLICATION FORM AND RETURN IT ALONG WITH A PHOTO COPY OF THE FRONT OF YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION CARD. ANY APPLICATION RECEIVED WITHOUT A COPY OF THE APPLICANT'S VOTER REGISTRATION CARD WILL NOT BE PROCESSED. YOU WILL ALSO NEED THE SIGNATURES BELOW OF TWO CURRENT REC MEMBERS. THE DEADLINE FOR ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS IS 11:00 AM, 14 DAYS PRIOR TO THE REC MEETING.

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am applying for the position of: Committeeman	Committeewoman	
Two Current REC Members' Sponsor Signatures:		
1)REC Precinct #	2)REC Precinc	ct #

Please return your REC Application to the Republican Party of Palm Beach County Headquarters, 1555 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd., Suite 500, West Palm Beach 33401 Phone (561) 686-1616

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Republican Party of Florida Party Loyalty Oath

, swear and/or affirm that during my term of

(Name of Member – Please write clearly)					
office I will not actively, publicly, or financial	lly support the election of any candidate other than the				
Republican Candidate in a partisan unitary, general or special election, or a registered Republican in					
non-partisan elections, other than Judicial race	es governed under chapter 105, Florida Statutes, if				
there is a registered Republican running for th	e same office.				
Further, in a contested Republican prin	mary election, I will not support the nomination of one				
Republican candidate over another in my capa	acity as a Republican County Executive Committee membe				
unless the Party has voted to endorse under RI	POF Rule 8. This rule does not preclude me from				
supporting in any manner my personal Republ	lican candidate of choice, provided I do not express				
such support with public reference to my title	or office within the Republican Party of Florida.				
Signature of Member	Signature of Witness				
County/Precinct #	Date				
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(State Committeeman, State Committee Alt. Precinct Committeeman, Alt. Precinct	eewoman; Precinct Committeeman, Precinct Committeewoman cinct Committeewoman)				
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City, State, Zip	Phone Number				

CANDIDATE OATH – Committeemen and Committeewomen Check applicable one: Precinct Committeeman or Committeewoman District Committeeman or Committeewoman State Committeeman or Committeewoman Candida		OFFICE USE ONLY				
(Se	ctions 99.021(1)(a) a	nd (2), Florida Statutes)				
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Laws of Florida to hold the office to which I desire to be nominated or elected; and I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Florida.						
Statement of Party (Section 99.021(1)(b), Florida Statutes)						
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Candidate's Florida Voter Registration Nu	mber (located on yo	ur voter information card):				
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