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PI2025 #0404 – (BA) The Secret of America's Greatness

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~ *Jose Saramago*

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AAH Reader (<bethannscstalkradio@substack.com>) **Circulates Periodic** perspectives under "Beth Ann From Beyond the Microphone." Recent (**The Secret of America's Greatness**) below.

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French writer Alexis de Tocqueville, after visiting America in 1831, said: *“I sought for the greatness of the United States in her commodious harbors, her ample rivers, her fertile fields, and boundless forests—and it was not there. I sought for it in her rich mines, her vast world commerce, her public school system, and in her institutions of higher learning— and it was not there. I looked for it in her democratic Congress and her matchless Constitution—and it was not there. Not until I went into the churches of America and heard her pulpits flame with righteousness did I understand the secret of her genius and power. America is great because America is good, and if America ever ceases to be good, America will cease to be great!”*

I’m all in for **Making America Great Again**, but what do you think Alexis de Tocqueville would find in America’s churches today, should he visit? I was taught as a very young girl that the church is the people; are the people of America attending church as they once did? America too, is **We the People**.

Several years ago Joe Biden made this statement, “We’re fighting for the very soul of America.” Joe wasn’t talking about restoring our churches or standing on those words from our Declaration of Independence, *“We hold these truths to be self-evident, **that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.**”* In fact, when Joe tried to quote that, he could not say creator... he said, *“**you know, the thing...**”* Really? The thing Joe?

That being said, I believe you should realize that we are in a war in America; I believe that is absolutely true! We are in a war to save the very foundation and soul of America, to restore the foundation, which is the acknowledgement of Creator God and His laws and blessings.

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~ The battle lies within the souls of each American ~

Satan hates what America once stood for; what many of us still believe America should stand for; God, Life, Liberty and Happiness. The Democrat party also hates what America once stood for, and they are the political party that refuses any greatness America once had, and they refute any move to restore those lost principles that once made America great. They've said it out loud, *"We're not going to make America great again. It was never that great,"* New York Governor Andrew Cuomo.

The Democrat Party stands for deception, destruction and absolute despotism. The Democrat party denies the Creator God, they abhor Life, and they despise Liberty. They will protect the life of a murderer, rapist, kidnapper or human trafficker, while fighting to murder the innocent life growing in the womb.

America is most definitely in a war, a war for the very soul of our nation. There are many battlefronts: the ballot box, in our state capitals, our city councils, and perhaps most importantly on our knees.

Did you know that today is National Transgender Day of visibility? What does that tell you about the health of America? I'm not sure who it is that makes up these days, hopefully Hallmark isn't selling special cards for this "special day" in our nation. Such tolerance, acceptance and acknowledgment is proof that this nation is spiritually anemic.

Because we are spiritually weakened, we are mentally unwell and openly accepting abnormal as normal. We are physically weakened because of gluttony and addictions. Because we focus not on what is righteous, our minds are distracted and naïve. Mankind was created to worship; therefore we seek to worship some-THING! The earth, ourselves, our favorite sports team, our home, our cars, even our families... We seek pleasure and satisfaction in things that have absolutely no power and give short-time limited pleasure that soon leaves us empty.

I am no saint, for sure and for certain, but I felt God tugging at me to start each of my radio programs with prayer, and I have done so since Sept 26, 2018. It was

then He directed me to pray for President Trump's protection. Let it be known that I did argue with my Heavenly Father about this idea, but he won out! I have not felt the call to stand down either. In fact, lately, I have realized the need to openly pray for the lost who are in high places in our government, which is something I should have always been doing in daily prayer time. Like most, I get lost in my "shopping list" of prayers.

As Americans, we have had life quite easy in comparison with most. However, we are spoiled and ignorant of our spiritual responsibilities, we are also ignorant of our responsibilities as citizens of this nation. We fail to study and obey the Scriptures, and we also fail to study and understand our own Constitution. If we do not prepare and equip ourselves with these tools and knowledge, we will be at a great disadvantage in the battles before us.

Yes, we are in a civil war here in America. The shooting has begun, the attacks are on many fronts; fires, bombings, attempted assassinations, the calling for more assassinations, and lawfare, as unelected judges puffed up to believe they can usurp the authority of the President of the United States. Judges, who took an oath to uphold and protect the Constitution of the United States of America, have now broken their oath and are participating in acts of treason.

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Much like my experience in 2018, this weekend I was again slapped in the head (figure of speech) ... regarding my beautiful country, America! I often think that I'm not accomplishing much because I'm no Sean Hannity or Mark Levin, and I don't write as eloquently as Victor Davis Hanson, I "just" have a small network of radio stations and internet medias that air CSC Talk Radio. However, I have often believed this is my mission, "*For such a time as this,*" and it's more important for me to press on and obey what I feel God is asking and leading me to do at this time.

America was established as a Christian nation. I pray often that we can once again be His beacon throughout the world. **"Go unto the world and preach the gospel..."** *How can we go unto the world, when our own house is in shambles?*

The secret of American Greatness is **We the People!** When we realize that we are, **One Nation, One people**, and when we once again find ourselves willing servants (as a nation) Under God, we will again be a great nation.

America we are in a war:

It is a culture war, a political war, a war against our Founders, a war against our Constitution...it is a war against our families, against life in the womb, it is a war against women. It is a war against private property, your money, a war against education. It is a war to condemn you and to demean and blaspheme our God.

Scripture tells us to be prepared: *“Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.” **Ephesians 6:11-12** ...above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one. **Ephesians 6:16***

Our war is a holy war. While others will not say this, I am not afraid to speak the truth. When there are those screaming for death and violence, you must conclude this is war, it is not peace. The Democrat Party promotes policies that bring about slavery and death! Their principles are not that of righteousness or Constitution. The LEFT – the WOKE, the Democrats promote Totalitarianism and Marxism; they do not believe in the “separation of powers;” they do believe in separation of church and state; meaning no God is allowed. As I stated earlier, they want absolute; in one party rule; despotism!

Yes, we are in a holy war, and just because many Americans on the so-called “RIGHT” will not admit or do not believe we are in a war.... does not make it so.

Well – Satan might have a hold on many, but he has no ownership of us, and he will not win this war. Remember these are just battles, the war has already been won!

We the People serve a sovereign God, we are a Sovereign People and **We the People** will... Bring America Home, back to God!

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~ *H.L. Mencken*

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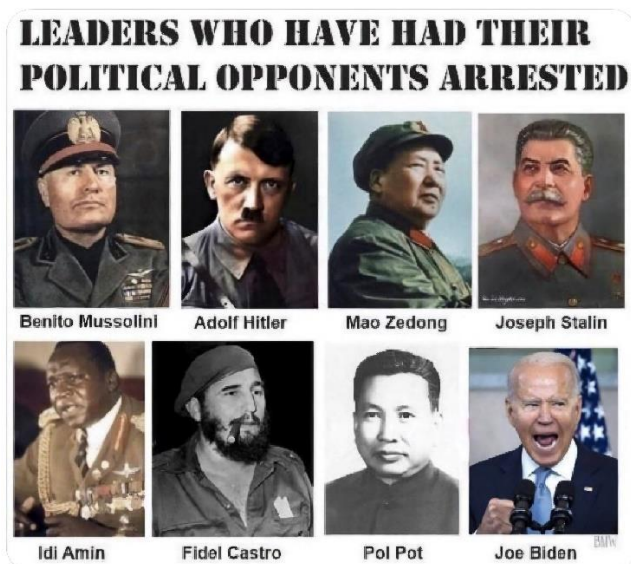
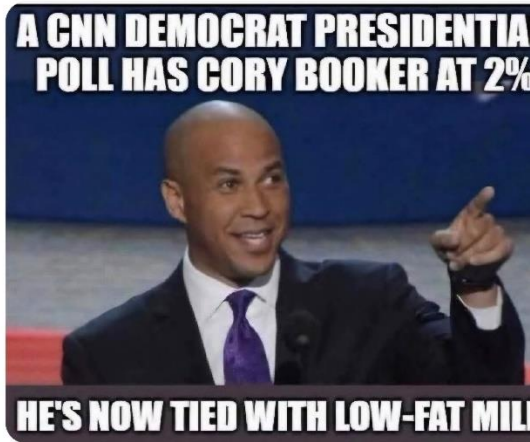
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"Government is a broker in pillage, and every election is a sort of advance auction in stolen goods."

~ *H.L. Mencken*



America's Congressional Legislators Are Paid a salary of \$174,000; a typical American worker takes in \$53(+) to \$83(+). Members of Congress work on order of 140 days, yearly; average American workers toil 147 days, yearly. American workers produce or don't keep their jobs. Congressional legislators can do nothing other than bicker about who gets to make laws, and still get their paychecks.

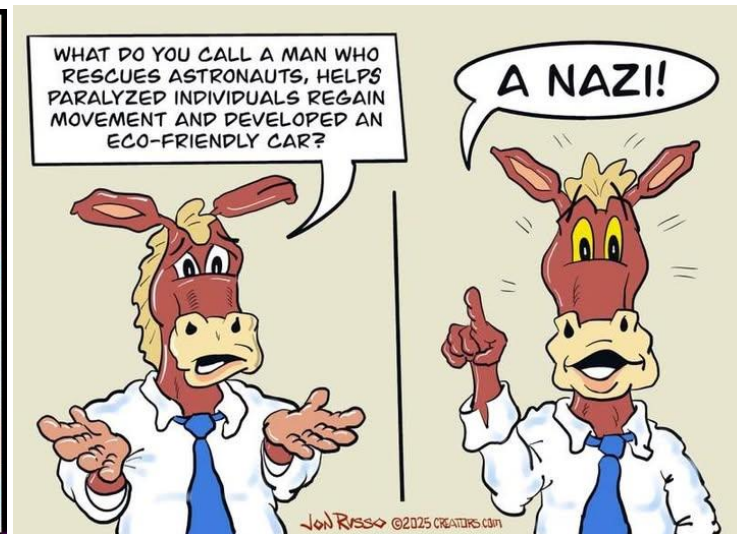
"Democracy is also a form of worship. It is the worship of Jackals by Jackasses."

~ *H.L. Mencken*



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Media Report “Our, the American People’s” Congressional GOP legislators are fuming at each other over coming up with a bill to fund President Donald J. Trump’s MAGA agenda. Media claim one House of Representatives legislator called House Speaker Mike Johnson a liar, and is said to have said to Johnson, ‘I rebuke you in Jesus’s name.’ “We, the American People” could clean house forthwith.

"It is the fundamental theory of all the more recent American law...that the average citizen is half-witted, and hence not to be trusted to either his own devices or his own thoughts."

~ ***H.L. Mencken***



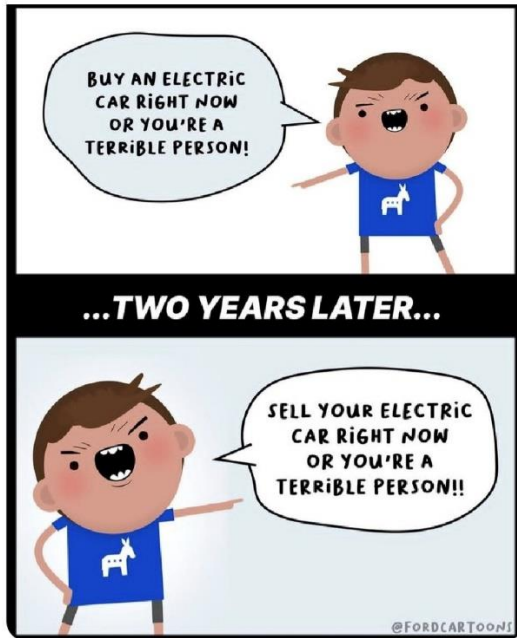
***"Righteousness exalteth a nation:
but sin is a reproach to any people."***
Proverbs 14:34

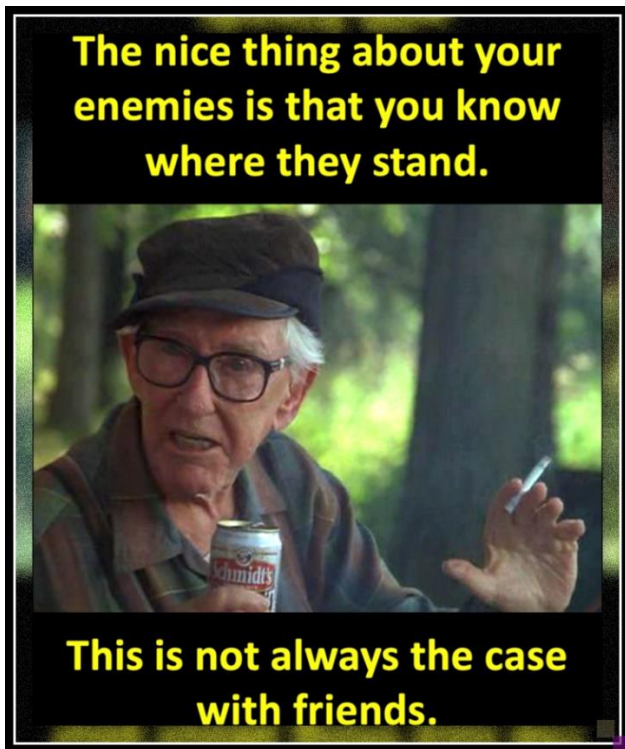


“Our, the American People’s” Congressional legislators are compensated on order of twice a typical American worker’s compensation, and work less time. Despite their comparatively lavish compensation and working conditions, our legislators act like spoiled children who can’t get their away. Why we tolerate their bickering is inexplicable. Unless we’re just too thick-headed to act smartly.

"A professional politician is a professionally dishonorable man. In order to get anywhere near high office he has to make so many compromises and submit to so many humiliations that he becomes indistinguishable from a streetwalker."

~ ***H.L. Mencken***





There Is A Remedy Available to “Us, the American People” who have had it with high-level legislators doing little more than confiscating people’s property (wealth) and restricting people’s choice (Liberty) to further their political ambitions. We could decentralize legislative authority and reposition it at America’s lowest political subdivisions where local legislators have nowhere to escape voter scrutiny.

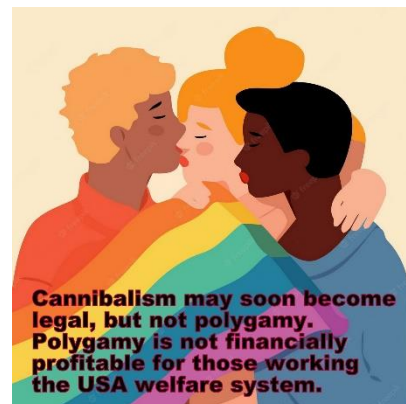
"Democracy is a pathetic belief in the collective wisdom of individual ignorance."

~ *H.L. Mencken*



Rep. Mike Collins  
@RepMikeCollins

It's ridiculous that a Democratic president can import violent gang members, but a Republican president can't deport them.



Please don't forget.
Tonight the moon will be visible from earth. The last time this happened was last night.



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"The most common of all follies is to believe passionately in the palpably not true. It is the chief occupation of mankind."
~ *H.L. Mencken*

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"Government is actually the worst failure of civilized man. There has never been a really good one, and even those that are most tolerable are arbitrary, cruel, grasping and unintelligent."

~ **H.L. Mencken**



"Our, the American People's" media report a case of a legislator pot calling a legislator kettle black. Case involves a Congressional Senate legislator blocking so-called 'unanimous consent' allowing a few hundred President Donald J. Trump high-level political appointees from being posted to their prospective positions. Senator in question admits tactic is intended to slow lawless Trump behavior.

"The state remains, as it was in the beginning, the common enemy of all well-disposed, industrious and decent men."

~ **H.L. Mencken**



Media ‘Unanimous Consent’ Coverage has it Senator in question has admitted to previously voted against a previous Congressional Senator taking similar action. Senator blocking ‘unanimous consent’ this time around declares this tactic different. America’s legislators have a peculiar proclivity for denouncing behavior they carry out when like behavior is carried out by opponent or rival legislators.

"The only kind of freedom that the mob can imagine is freedom to annoy and oppress its betters, and that is precisely the kind that we mainly have."

~ **H.L. Mencken**



“We, the American People” would be smart to not dismiss ‘unanimous consent’ case at hand as no more than how Congressional business gets done. Legislators seek legislative office for one overriding reason. To make their personal attitudes, values, and beliefs (PAVB) lawfully compulsory. We, sovereign citizenry voters, elect legislators to protect our PAVB, not subjugate out PAVB to theirs.

"I believe that any man who takes the liberty of another into his keeping is bound to become a tyrant, and that any man who yields up his liberty, in however slight the measure, is bound to become a slave."

~ ***H.L. Mencken***

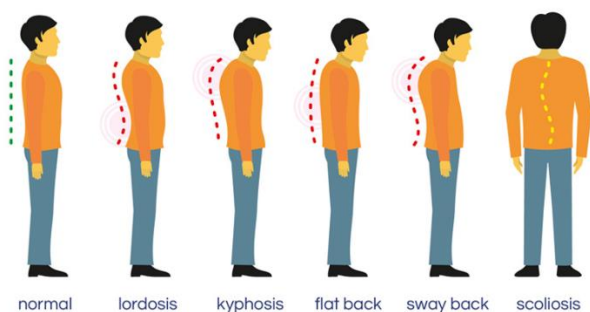
When you just got a new country
and you leave your kids alone
with it for a couple centuries and
they've already broke it.



How Senator In Question Constituents voted in Election 2024 would be something said Senator might think about when time comes for said Senator's reelection. Moreover, should said Senator's constituents have voted to seat President Donald J. Trump, said Senator's constituents might give serious thought to recalling said Senator on grounds said Senator is rejecting constituent sovereignty.

"Under democracy one party always devotes its chief energies to trying to prove that the other party is unfit to rule – and both commonly succeed, and are right."

~ ***H.L. Mencken***



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"Democracy is the art of running the circus from the monkey cage."

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“We, the American People” heard him pontificate, “It’s the economy, stupid.” Circa, 1992. We heard him declare President Donald J. Trump’s Administration would collapse in thirty days. Media have it Feb 28, 2025. He, Democratic Strategist, James Carville, now says America is in a state of collapse. Because President Donald J. Trump “... does not “like the United States or respect the Constitution.”

"Demagogue: One who preaches doctrines he knows to be untrue to men he knows to be idiots."

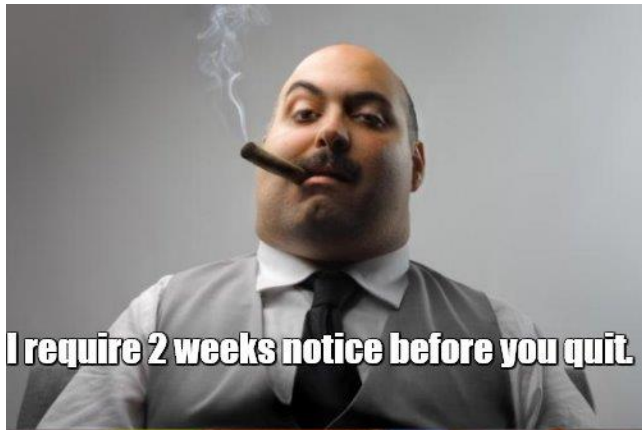
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Given Strategist Carville Is Correct, we could legitimately wonder how it is President Donald J. Trump and his MAGA agenda cohorts are still working on their MAGA agenda, and have not been strung up, tarred and feathered, or, at least, run out of town on rails. It is well within "Our, the American People's" capability to take down ogres like Strategist Carville claims Trump to be. Without awaiting an election.

"All government, of course, is against liberty."

~ *H.L. Mencken*



It Would Be Supremely Naïve for “Us, the American People” to believe Strategist Carville is not lambasting President Donald J. Trump’s MAGA agenda and MAGA loyalists because Strategist Carville is of a different political bent. Trump detractors, wherever they speak their minds, are, like as not, any of us who vociferously decry people in lawful political power. They have power, we don’t.

"I believe that all government is evil, and that trying to improve it is largely a waste of time."

~ H. L. Mencken

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President Donald J. Trump, Like Him or hate him, has shown how someone in a position of extraordinary authority, be such authority lawful or not, can disrupt entrenched establishment, and put people so entrenched on their heels. It would be no surprise, if President Donald J. Trump is on a collision course with collapse, as Strategist Carville maintains, it will occur long before Election 2026.

"If, after I depart this vale, you ever remember me and have thought to please my ghost, forgive some sinner and wink your eye at some homely girl."

~ ***H.L. Mencken, epitaph***

WHEN YOU FIND OUT THAT VANISHING CREAM



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