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PI2025 #0508 – Further Foreign Policy Influence

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~ *Soren Kierkegaard*

Tuesday,

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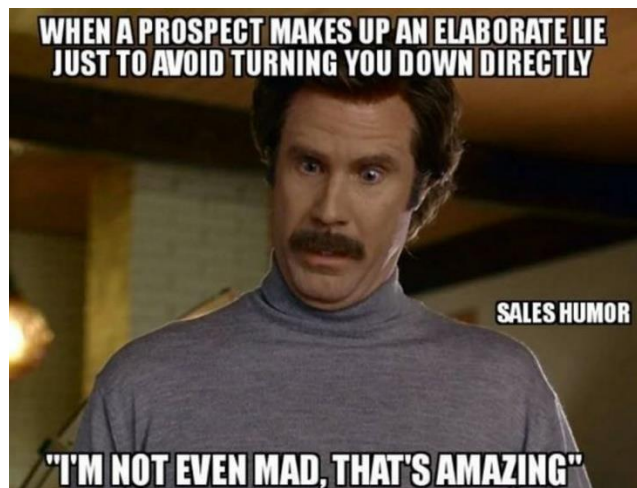
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"He who regulates everything by laws, is more likely to arouse vices than reform them."

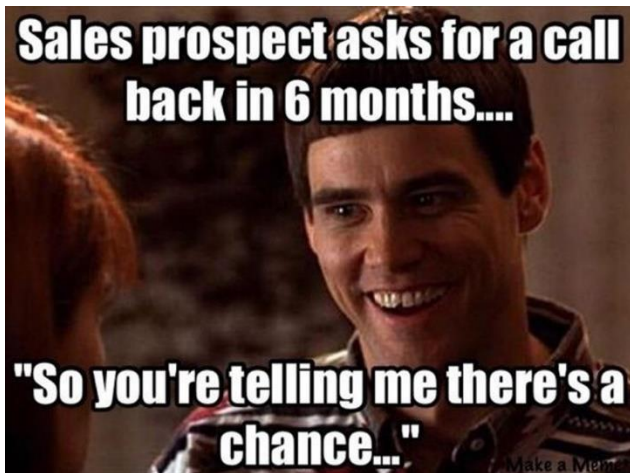
~ *Spinoza*



"Our, the American People's" Ford Motor Company (FMC) is on brink of extinction, given gravity of media reports on, supposed, tariff (trade tax) financial stress is taking as reported. A reported profit loss on order of 2/3 might cause investors to worry, even prompt them to dump Ford share in favor of something more reliable, even if return on investment (ROI) is comparatively less with less potential.

"Wherever standing armies are kept up, and the right of the people to keep and bear arms is, under any colour or pretext whatsoever, prohibited, liberty, if not already annihilated, is on the brink of destruction."

~ *St. George Tucker*



FMC Is A Substantial Enterprise, as enterprises go. Pertinent references put FMC net worth a bit over \$40B and FMC enterprise value at over \$170B. "WE, the American People" have little cause to worry FMC will go out of business anytime soon. Not to say a drop in business profit be arm waved. Running a business is not like making a birthday gift wish list. Business is lost without paying customers.

"Why is it that millions of children who are pushouts or dropouts amount to business as usual in the public schools, while one family educating a child at home becomes a major threat to universal public education and the survival of democracy?"

~ *Stephen Arons*



Businesses Can't Sustain Declining profits indefinitely. Cost of doing business is a reality for anyone who owns a business. All costs of running a business are born by customers. Business costs include taxes; tariffs (trade taxes) are a tax, therefore, a cost of doing business. Governments, bless their power-seeking hearts, levy tariff (trade taxes) to exert influence on other governments. Consumers pay.

"No legal tender law is ever needed to make men take good money; its only use is to make them take bad money."

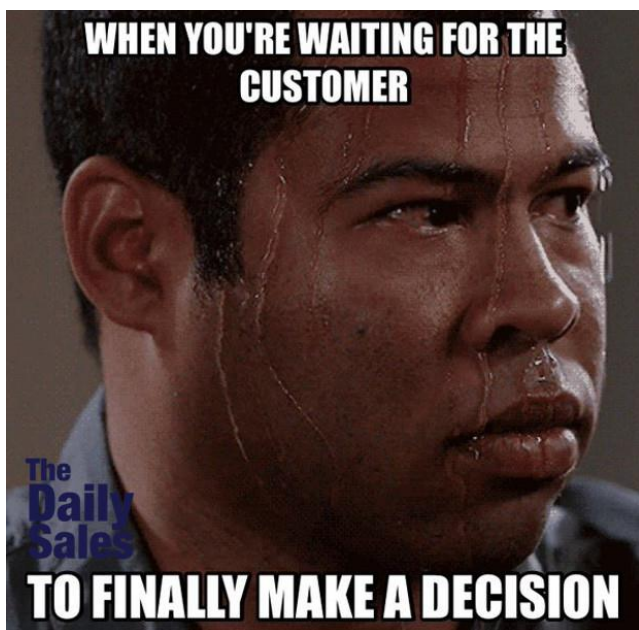
~ *Stephen T. Byington*



There Is No Reason Why Tariffs (trade taxes) have to be a burden for "Us, the American People." We, exercising power of sovereign citizenry, could stop America's government from putting tariffs (trade taxes) on imported goods. No tariffs (trade taxes) would mean consumers would decide virtual imports worth. Instead of government using tariffs (trade taxes) to further foreign policy influence.

"An important art of politicians is to find new names for institutions which under old names have become odious to the public."

~ *Talleyrand*



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"The king has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent Swarms of Officers to harass our People and eat out their substance."

~ ***(American) Declaration of Independence***

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PI2025 #0507 – Exercising Their Sovereign Clout

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~ ***Sinclair Lewis***

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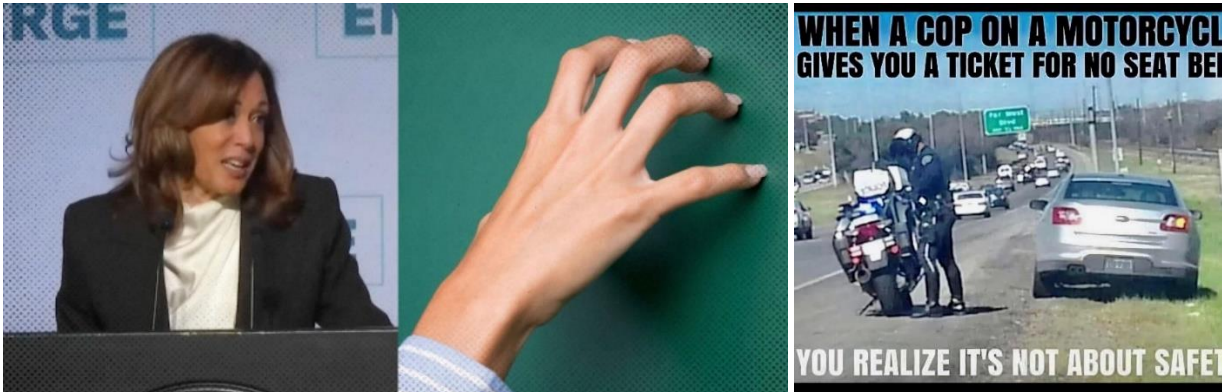
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"Do what thy manhood bids thee do,
From none but self expect applause:
He noblest lives and noblest dies
Who makes and keeps his self-made laws."
~ *Richard Francis Burton*



PEOPLE WHO **DON'T** WANT A BORDER WALL



Cancels National Day of Prayer.

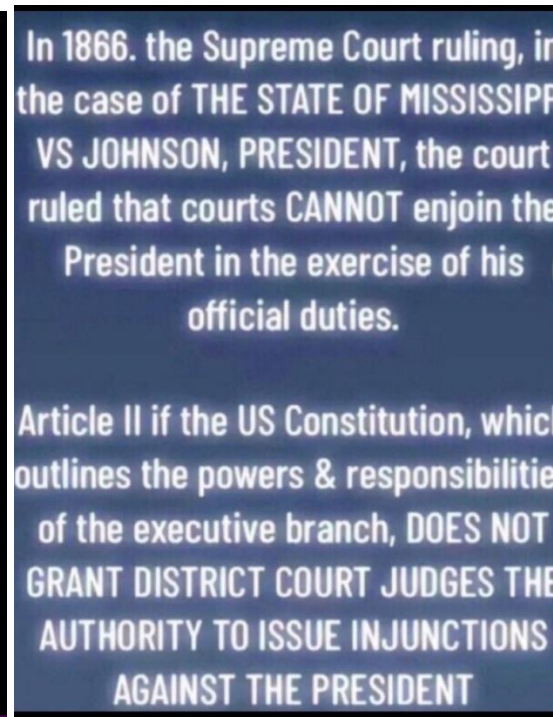
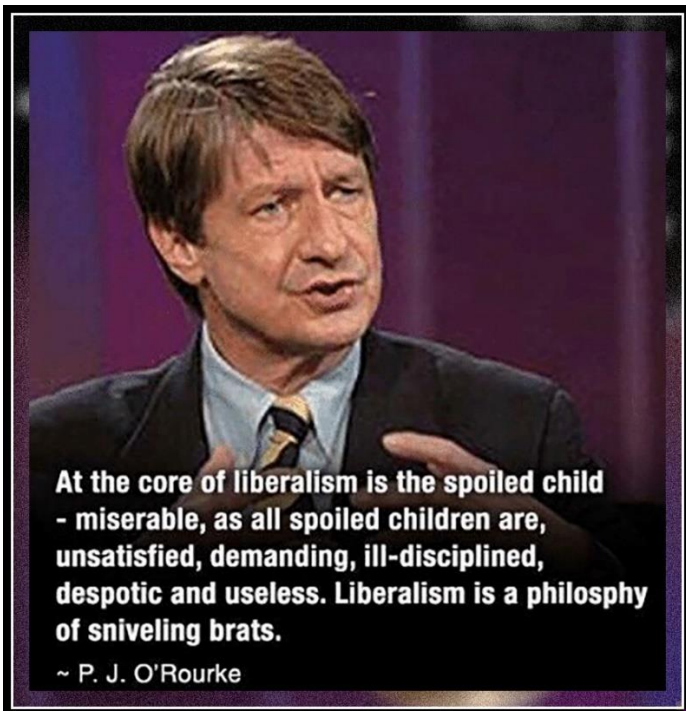
"America is no longer a Christian nation." ~B. H. Obama



"Our, the American People's" media coverage of President Donald J. Trump's tariff (trade tax) initiative has not been overly encouraging for people who are not investment professionals. There are, though, occasional glimpses from some observers who see President Donald J.'s tariff (trade tax) policy as having long term positive effects; they see recent fanatical market volatility as a correction.

"I think that every true reformer, every real friend of liberty, will agree with me in saying that if we must erect safeguards, they should be rather for the security of the individual than of the mass . . ."

~ *Richard John Cartwright*



A Major Benefit From President Donald J. Trump's tariff (trade tax) initiative will be, say tariff (trade tax) advocates, less dependence on imports to supply more critical needs like pharmaceuticals. Less foreign import dependency necessarily requires more domestic production, research, innovation, and related job expansion. Given there would be comparable export business, America's GDP would grow.

"[It is a basic principle of a tyrant] to unarm his people of weapons, money, and all means whereby they resist his power."

~ *Walter Raleigh*



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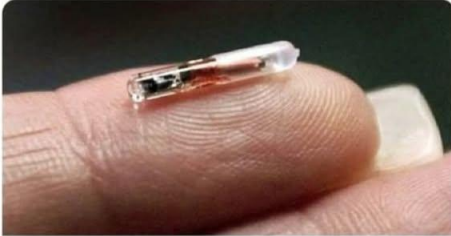
"We, the American People" who are entrepreneurial risk-takers may well have another benefit from President Donald J. Trump's tariff (trade tax) initiative. Increased share in foreign markets for U.S. goods. Not a sure thing, given labor costs are a major factor in manufactured goods pricing. High quality and reliability can offset labor costs by making higher pricing less expensive over long run.

"My mental faculties remained in suspended animation while I obeyed the orders of the higher-ups. This is typical with everyone in the military."

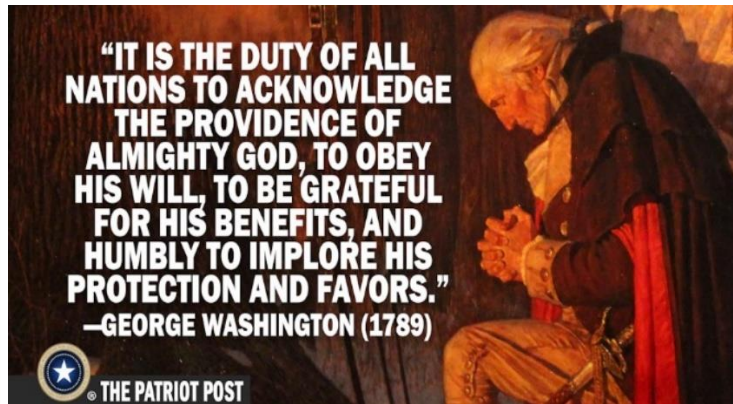
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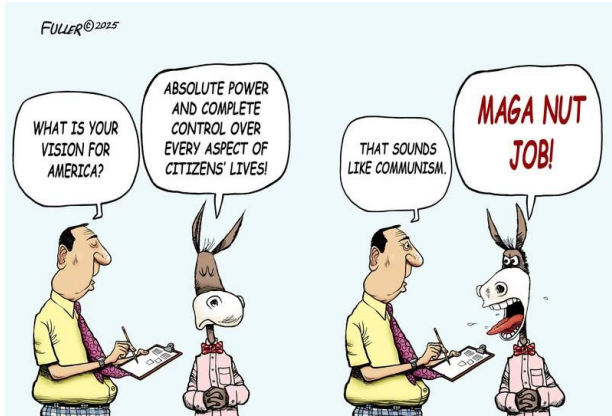
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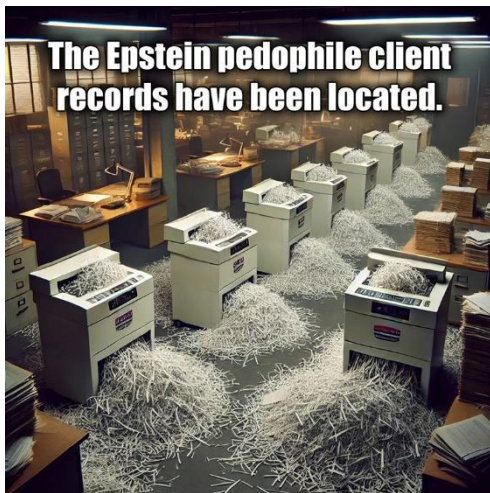
Tariffs (Trade Taxes) Would Be Less a problem, were tariffs (trade taxes) treated purely as a tax and taxing authorities prohibited by “Us, the American People” (and forceful citizenries elsewhere) from using tariffs (trade taxes) to influence policies of governments everywhere. As it is, ordinary citizens are sufficiently intimidated by government clout to refrain from exercising their sovereign clout.

"War is just a racket. A racket is best described, I believe, as something that is not what it seems to the majority of people."

~ *Smedley Butler*



**In 2024, China donated
175 MILLION to Harvard.
So we know who owns
Harvard, Columbia, & all
our Anti-American
Universities!**



**The Epstein pedophile client
records have been located.**

**"He knows
nothing and
he thinks
he knows
everything.
That points
clearly to
a lifetime
political
career."**

~ George Barnard Shaw



People Intending To Live In Liberty do not allow legislators – or other public officials within These United States of America, to subsidize private enterprise with public money. They refuse to allow legalized political ideology to order their way of life.

"Let him who would move the world, first move himself."

~ **Socrates**

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"A standing army, however necessary it may be at some times, is always dangerous to the liberties of the people. Such power should be watched with a jealous eye."

~ ~Samuel Adams

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"The worst crime against working people is a company which fails to operate at a profit."

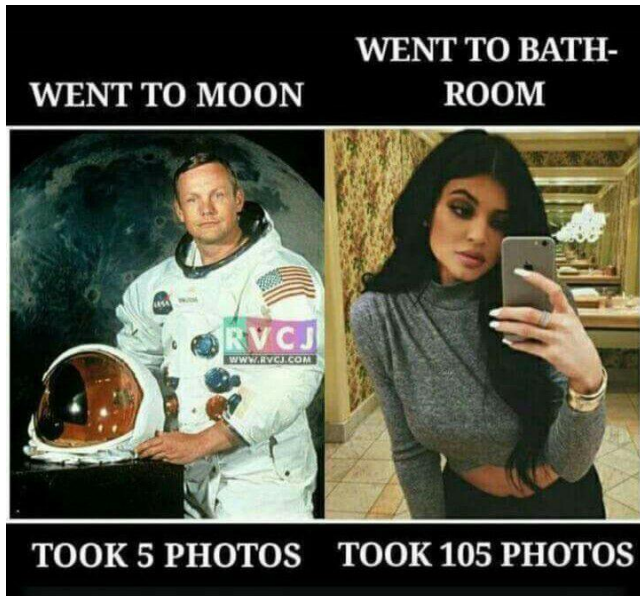
~ **Samuel Gompers**



"Our, the American People's" media circulated articles on writer opinions on Presidents Donald J. Trump and Joe Biden. Trump article proclaims President Donald J. is destroying his own presidency, and our task ought to be to pitch in and help him get it done. Biden article is along same lines, except there is a different culprit. Articles questions why journalists ever believed President Joe.

"...the most reprehensible fraud in this great jambalaya of frauds is the systematic and total ransacking of the Social Security trust fund....in the next century...the American people will wake up to the reality that those IOUs in the trust fund vault are a 21st-century version of Confederate bank notes."

~ *Sen. Ernest Hollings*



"We, the American People," as usual, find ourselves smack dab in between believing media coverage and closing ranks behind politicians-legislators who, good intentions notwithstanding, make decisions for ordinary people, and ordinary people end up picking up tabs. Both situations are avoidable. Or, at least both situations can be inconsequential by ordinary people culling and decentralizing lawful power.

"We have defrauded our country to get ourselves elected."

~ *Sen. John Danforth*



There Will Be Uncertain Political-legislative outcomes for "Us, the American People" until we decide to be masters of our own political-legislative destiny. There is no reason why we should subject ourselves to legislative whim brought about by legislators who make their personal attitudes, values, and beliefs (PAVB) lawfully compulsory. Legislators work for us, not we for them - if we make it so.

"Laws do not persuade just because they threaten."

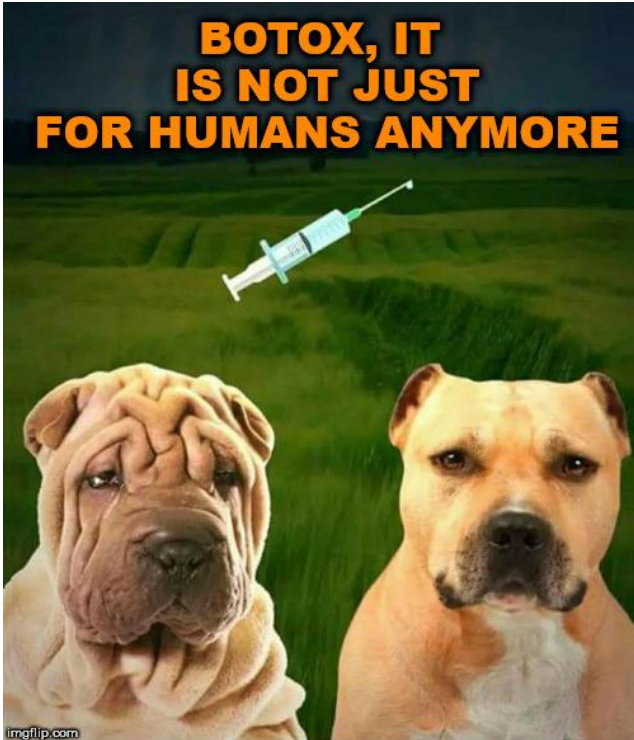
~ *Seneca*



We, As A Sovereign Citizenry, have power to force legislators to do our bidding, not theirs. Legislators will, without fail, make laws befitting legislators' PAVB. It is an impossible task for legislators to make universally acceptable socio-economic legislation satisfying all folks with diverse PAVB. Legislators thus, must convince voters they, legislators, alone, can remedy socio-economic ills, real or imaginary.

"Do we desire to be cradled, and then carried throughout life to our graves by this partisan propelled bureaucratic monstrosity?"

~ *Sergei Hoff*



People Prepared To Live In Liberty do not allow legislators - or other public officials within These United States of America, to require parents to enroll their children in public (government) schools. They protect their children's intellectual freedom and raise them to be thinking adults.

"I was guilty of judging capitalism by its operations and socialism by its hopes and aspirations; capitalism by its works and socialism by its literature."

~ **Sidney Hook**



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PI2025 #0505 – (BA) There is No Rest For A Patriot... Liberty Doesn’t Come Easy My Friends_____

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“As citizens, we all have an obligation to intervene and become involved - it’s the citizen who changes things.”

~ *Jose Saramago*

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AAH Reader (<bethanncsctalkradio@substack.com>) **Circulates Periodic** perspectives under “*Beth Ann From Beyond the Microphone*.” Recent (*There is No Rest For A Patriot... Liberty Doesn’t Come Easy My Friends*) below.

AAH Considers Beth Ann’s Observations on point in “Our, the American People’s” clash with those who would undermine Liberty.

Please Help Spread Beth Ann’s message far and wide.

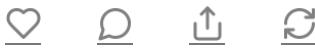
Liberty Relies On Strength in numbers.

There is No Rest For A Patriot... Liberty Doesn't Come Easy My Friends

"Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty." Thomas Jefferson

BETH ANN

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9-16-2024

Yesterday there was another assassination attempt on President Donald John Trump. In my lifetime, I have never seen another person (in the political arena) that is willing to sacrifice so much for his country. Patrick Henry's great speech is remembered for that famous last line, **"Give me Liberty or give me death."** It would appear to me that is exactly the way President Donald Trump is living his life. While all the democrats and never-Trumpers want you to believe he is nothing but selfish, he is the only President in my lifetime that left the presidency with less wealth than he had when he became president. President Trump is the only president, to my knowledge, who did not accept a salary during his time in office. President Trump has endured a great deal of political abuse and has been subject to lies and false charges, yet he continues to make himself available to help lead this nation back to prosperity. Unlike his adversaries, he loves this nation and respects all the people. Claiming Trump is mean, they continue to hurl insults at him and all Americans who believe in God, Country, Family and who respect Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness.

Liberty doesn't come easy my friends, it requires commitment and dedication, it requires bravery, it requires action, diligence, and perhaps some stubbornness; Liberty is always in the hands of the people, but it requires a lust in the hearts of mankind, yearning to live free! As Alexander Hamilton put it; **"There is a certain**

enthusiasm in Liberty, that makes human nature rise above itself, in acts of bravery and heroism.”

“Tis the business of little minds to shrink, but he whose heart is firm, and whose conscience approves his conduct, will pursue his principles unto death. Those who expect to reap the blessings of freedom must, like men, undergo the fatigue of supporting it.” Thomas Paine

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Can you imagine just how President Trump must feel each time he steps out into the open? His family, I'm sure, are anxious with each event, until he returns home. Exercising freedom, in Trump's situation, is a dangerous thing to do.

Many would have him stay out of sight and exercise all kinds of precautions, but is that freedom? Is that how Americans behave? It was after 9/11 when then President GW Bush told Americans to go out and be about your business and your play; hold those high school ballgames and congregate!

Does America not have a security force capable of keeping one man safe?

On December 23, 1776, Paine wrote:

“THESE are the times that try men's souls. The summer soldier and the sunshine patriot will, in this crisis, shrink from the service of their country; but he that stands by it now, deserves the love and thanks of man and woman. Tyranny, like hell, is not easily conquered; yet we have this consolation with us, that the harder the conflict, the more glorious the triumph. What we obtain too cheap, we esteem too lightly: it is dearness only that gives every thing its value. Heaven knows how to put a proper price upon its goods; and it would be strange indeed if so celestial an article as FREEDOM should not be highly rated.”

I was talking on the phone last week to one of my radio listeners, she paid me a great compliment as she referred to me as a “winter soldier.” Of course, she was taking that thought from Thomas Paine’s **“The Crisis.”** If I am a “winter soldier,” then surely President Trump is my Commander in Chief, leading me and all of us to a victory that will indeed be a glorious one for this country.

But my friends, we cannot allow our Commander in Chief to stand alone.

Perhaps today’s modern Americans take too lightly the Liberty we received from the pain and sufferings of long ago. What sacrifices have the average Americans made in today’s crisis?

Are Americans willing to stand up for Trump during these trying and dangerous times?

Trump is standing up for you!

Are Americans willing to sacrifice?

Trump obviously isn’t hiding from danger!

Are Americans willing to speak out?

Trump is speaking up for all Americans!

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Freedom is truth and truth will set you free. I stumbled upon this quote a week ago, **LIES: “If you tell a lie big enough and keep repeating it, people will eventually come to believe it. The lie can be maintained only for such a time as the State can shield the people from the political, economic, and /or military consequences of the lie. It thus becomes vitally important for the State to use all of its powers to repress dissent, for the truth is the mortal enemy of the lie, and thus by extension, the truth is the greatest enemy of the State.”** Joseph Goebbels

The truth is the greatest enemy of the state! Say it again, **“The Truth is the greatest enemy of the state.”**

Because truth is the enemy, the state (deep state, Democrat Party, RINOs...) will keep the truth from the American people and they will continue to fill the news media with lies and propaganda.

There has been very little truth told about the January 13th assassination attempt on President Trump. Will we ever know the truth of the September 15th assassination attempt? They caught the man, but will that make a difference? They had Lee Harvey Oswald in custody too...

As Liberty loving patriots we cannot rest, and we must demand protection for President Trump, and truth about what has already taken place. **We the People** must unite, we must exercise our free speech and speak up, tell the truth and not be afraid; our Commander in Chief should not be carrying this burden alone.

One man cannot save or restore our great Constitutional Republic. We must work together. Calvin Coolidge once said, **“Unless the people, through unified action, arise and take charge of their government, they will find that their government has taken charge of them. Independence and Liberty will be gone, and the general public will find itself in a condition of servitude to an aggregation of organized and selfish interest.”**

There is No Rest For A Patriot...Liberty Doesn't Come Easy My Friends.

“Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty.” Let us now commit to one another to stand with President Donald John Trump for truth and freedom, and to **Bring America Home.** ©

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