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PI2025 #0716 – Harmful As Committing Crime

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"In matters of conscience, the law of majority has no place."

***~ Mahatma Gandhi***

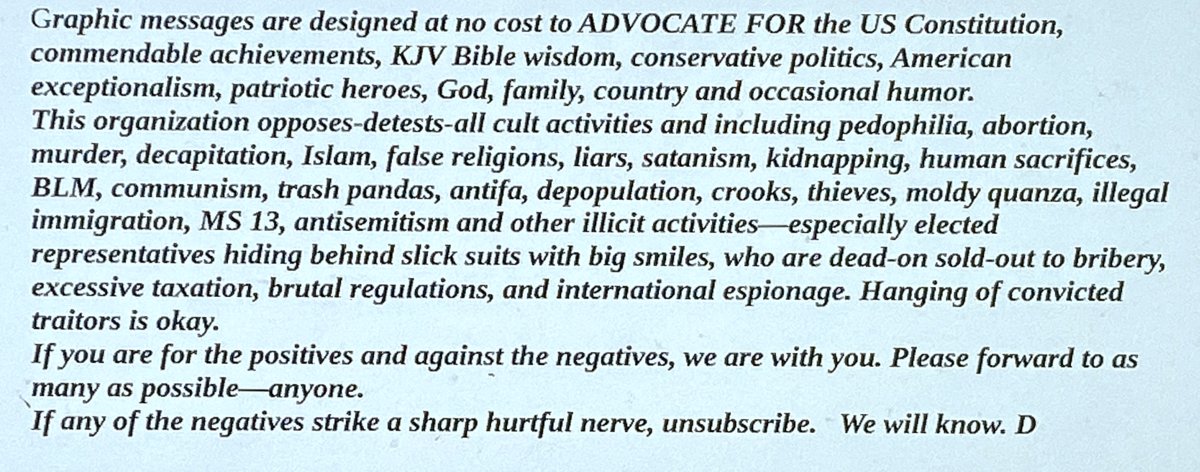
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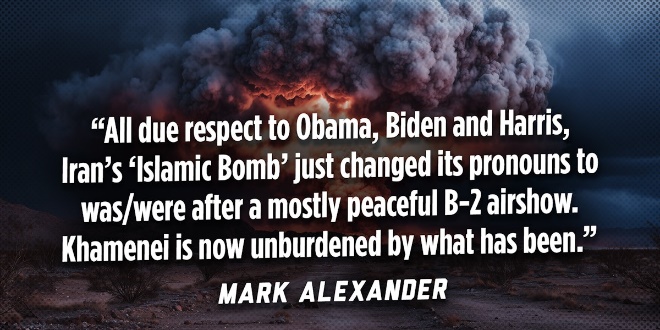
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***Media Reports Of Disunity*** in “Our, the American People’s” Supreme Court of the United States (SCOTUS) are not dropping off. No way to tell if SCOTUS split opinions bode well or ill for America’s Jurisprudence System credibility. SCOTUS Justices taking potshots at each other over split decisions, arguably, underscore SCOTUS frailty as an ultimate standard bearer for unequivocal justice.

"The only tyrant I accept in this world is the still voice within."

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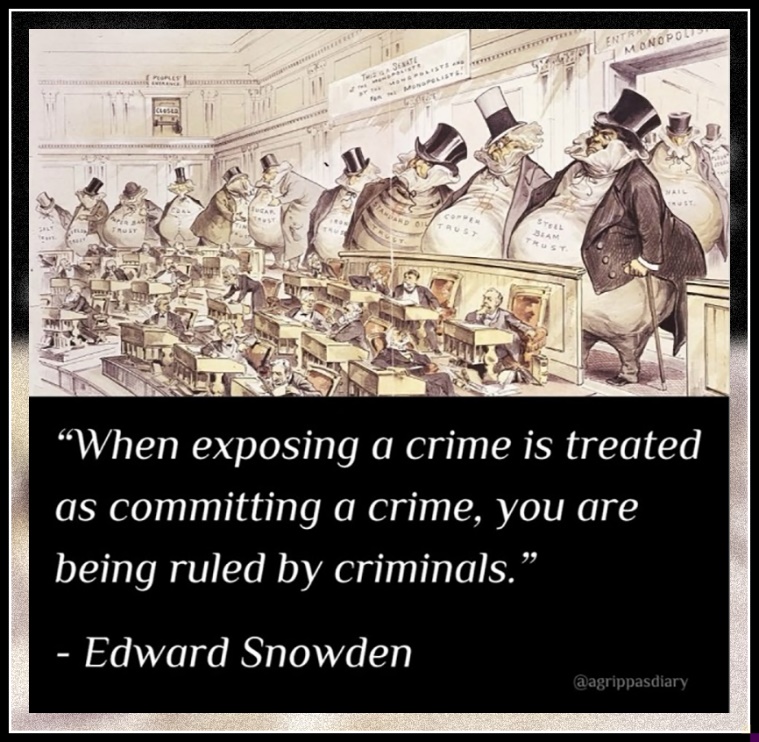
 

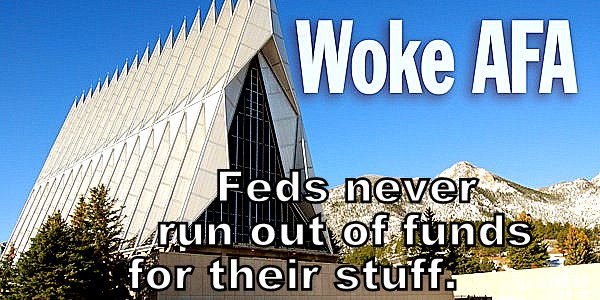
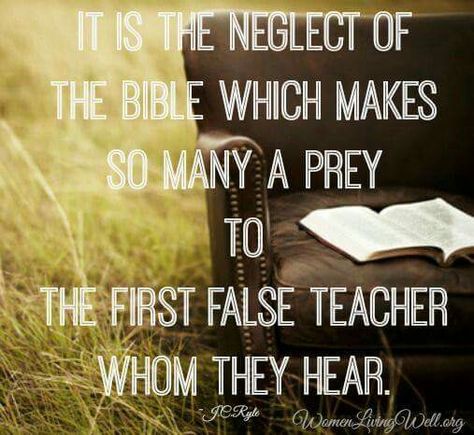
 

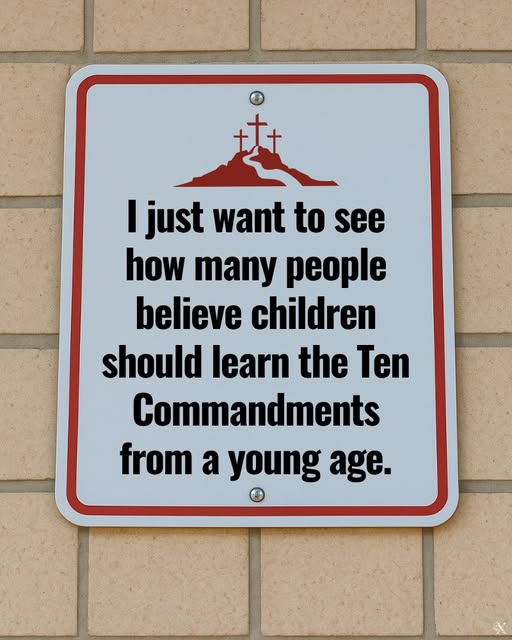
***It’s Not Only Squabbles Between SCOTUS*** Justices over who’s on point, who misses objectivity marks in deliberation and case pronouncement. Media report SCOTUS Justice Clarence Thomas is not a little bit upset over how he and his wife have been treated. Bringing disrepute on SCOTUS can be as harmful as committing crime. So, media tell “Us, the American People” Justice Thomas contends.

"An eye for an eye makes the whole world blind."

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***SCOTUS Is America’s Top Level*** in America’s federal Judicial Branch. Legislative and Executive branches share more-or-less co-equal power with America’s federal Justice Department. There is a difference between how America’s federal (U.S./National) Constitution articulates government organization, and how government operates to impact how “We, the American People” live our lives,

"The force generated by nonviolence is infinitely greater than the force of all the arms created by man’s ingenuity."

***~ Mahatma Gandhi***

***Co-Equal Power Between America’s Federal*** government branches would, arguably, mean no one branch can do anything unless both other branches cooperate. Realistically, courts, legislatures, and executive branches can get caught up in who haw jurisdictional authority. Running litigation through America’s appellate court system, with SCOTUS at final stage, doesn’t mean reconciliation prevails.

"The only devils in the world are those running around in our own hearts – that is where the battle should be fought."

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PI2025 #0715 – With A Power Plug

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"Truth resides in every human heart, and one has to search for it there, and to be guided by truth as one sees it. But no one has a right to coerce others to act according to his own view of truth."

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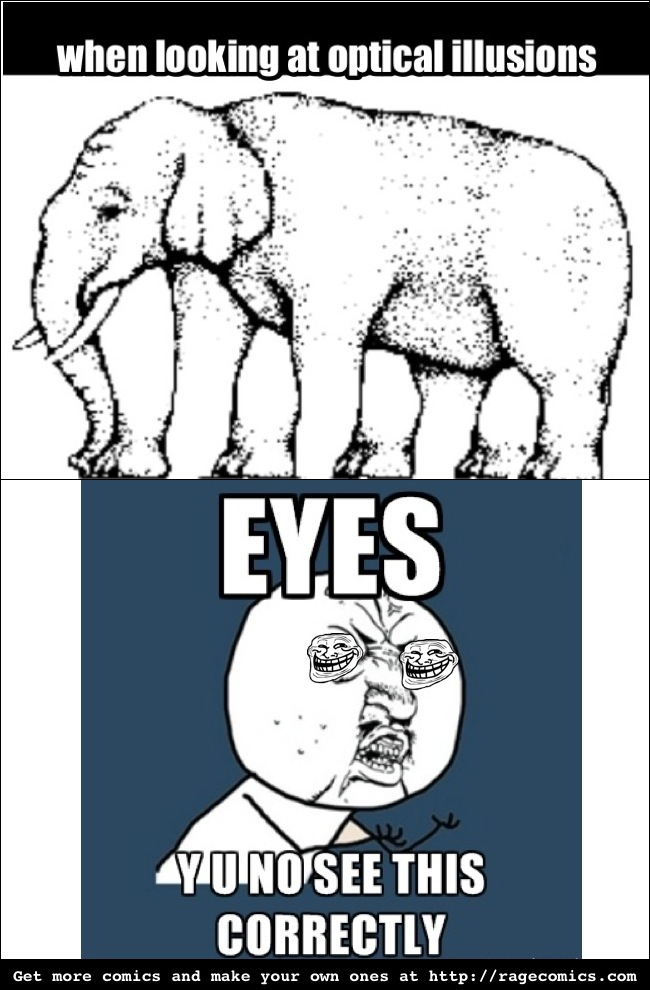
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"The Rothschilds, and that class of money-lenders of whom they are the representatives and agents -- men who never think of lending a shilling to their next-door neighbors, for purposes of honest industry, unless upon the most ample security, and at the highest rate of interest -- stand ready, at all times, to lend money in unlimited amounts to those robbers and murderers, who call themselves governments, to be expended in shooting down those who do not submit quietly to being robbed and enslaved."

***~ Lysander Spooner***



***Pope Leo XIV Is None Too Happy*** about how international leaders are ignoring internation law and humanitarianism. His Holiness, possibly taking his Holy Father role to heart, is warning parents about how AI will affect children. Given Pope Leo is atop Catholicism’s billion-plus congregation, no stretch to include His Holiness among Planet Earth’s eight-billion-plus wayward human creatures – as a leader.

"It passes my comprehension how human beings, be they ever so experienced and able, can delight in depriving other human beings of that previous right."

***~ Mahatma Gandhi***



***“We, the American People,”*** in part due to how we disregard or refuse to acknowledge life’s realities, are, like as not, conditioned to pick leaders for their promises to deliver aims we hold near and dear. Then, hit by repeated election remorse, go about looking for other leaders to make and fulfil promises. We have – we will – find virtually all leaders passing bucks to some form of indoctrinating authority.

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***International Law, As Can Be Inferred*** by “Us, the American People” as a prong of Pope Leo’s fix for world peace and unconditional love, is all but powerless when other laws, like national laws or religious edicts, do not mesh with international law precepts. Understandable, how Planet Earth’s Christians and Muslims, each numbering over two-billion, could find themselves intractably at war.

"I am prepared to die, but there is no cause for which I am prepared to kill."

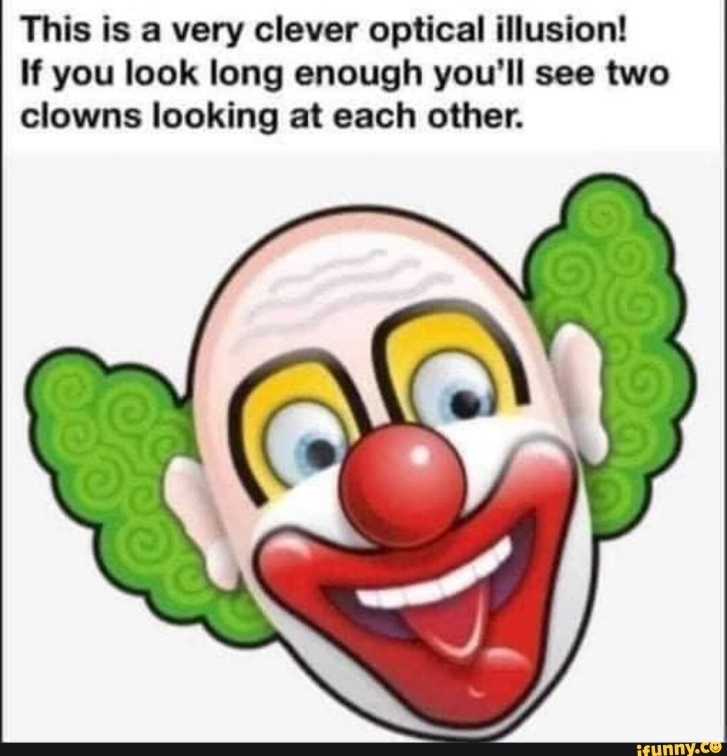
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***Pope Leo, Given He Is Immutably Devout,*** might find respite in Revelations. Revelations lays out who shall win out in good versus evil. Pope Leo might also, given he is immutably devout, find solace in pursuing truth as a pathway to freedom. Parents, at least those who were taught to release their intellectual power and share it with children, know AI is but an informational tool – with a power plug.

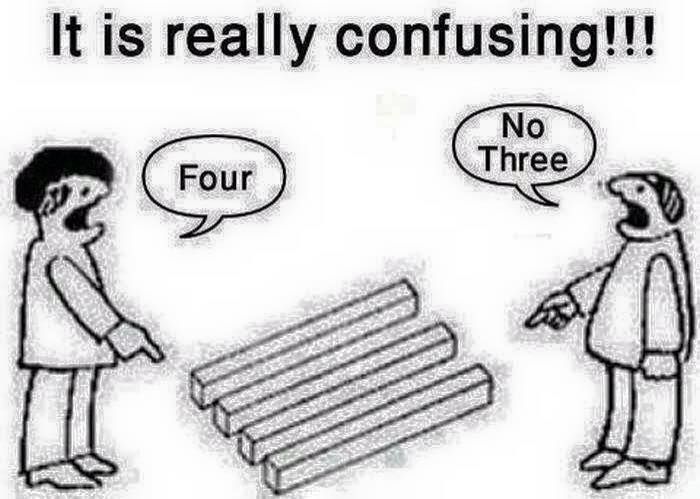
"Freedom is not worth having if it does not connote freedom to err."

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***People Aiming To Live In Liberty*** do not allow legislators – or other public officials within These United States of America, to give quarter to, offer sanctuary to, or negotiate with terrorists.  They dismiss elected leaders who put them at risk.

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PI2025 #0714 – (BA) Removing The Second Amendment Is Not For Your Safety – It is For Theirs!

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

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***AAH Reader (*<**[bethanncsctalkradio@substack.com](mailto:bethanncsctalkradio@substack.com)**>*) Circulates Periodic*** perspectives under “*Beth Ann From Beyond the Microphone*.” Recent ***(Removing The Second Amendment Is Not For Your Safety – It is For Theirs!)*** 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.

Perhaps we are late, but that doesn’t mean we should capitulate.  ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌ ‌

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The original Ten were put in place to let those in government positions know that there are boundaries for which they may not cross! Recently Supreme Court Justice Ketanji Brown Jackson made the following absurd statement*; "My biggest concern is that your view has the First Amendment hamstringing the government in significant ways."* It is troubling to think that a Supreme Court Justice has the belief that it is okay, and even the duty of government to usurp the rights of the people, when of course, our Constitutional Republic is exactly the opposite of that principle opinion.  **“… The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States.**(excerpt the Declaration of Independence)  The very purpose of the Bill of Rights is to hamstring the government! Now you’d think that a highly educated Supreme Court Justice would know that fact. I believe she does know that fact, but she is a “big government-socialist” who would rather throw out your rights and allow “government” to walk all over **We the People** and limit Liberty, as they “eat out our substance!”  [**Upgrade to paid**](https://substack.com/redirect/2/eyJlIjoiaHR0cHM6Ly9iZXRoYW5uY3NjdGFsa3JhZGlvLnN1YnN0YWNrLmNvbS9zdWJzY3JpYmU_.i2EGI1LdOtxlhaopFlNrHVABsh29G2ysmbpbSrDYI7w?&utm_medium=email&utm_source=subscribe-widget&utm_content=143392606)  It was April 8, 2021, when President Joe Biden made this statement from the Rose Garden *“…today, we’re taking steps to confront not just the gun crisis, but what is actually a public health crisis.  Nothing — nothing I’m about to recommend in any way impinges on the Second Amendment. They’re phony, arguments suggesting that these are Second Amendment rights at stake from what we’re talking about.    But no amendment — no amendment to the Constitution is absolute. You can’t yell crowd — you can’t tell [yell]\* “fire” in a crowded movie theater and call it freedom of speech. From the very beginning, you couldn’t own any weapon you wanted to own. From the very beginning that the Second Amendment existed, certain people weren’t allowed to have weapons. So the idea is just bizarre to suggest that some of the things we’re recommending are contrary to the Constitution.”*  Of course crying fire in a crowded theater is not free speech, however disagreeing with an opinion of a government official or even questioning an election outcome, is free speech; and it is absolute! As long as you are not violent or inflicting pain or injury to others, you have the right to speak freely and candidly.  **Removing The Second Amendment Is Not For Your Safety – It Is For Theirs! There is only one reason for a government to want to disarm its citizens, and it is called TYRANNY!**  What would our Founding Fathers have said to such a statement claiming that you have no absolute right to speak, or to “bear arms.”  Patrick Henry put it this way, *“O sir, we should have fine times, indeed, if, to punish tyrants, it were only sufficient to assemble the people! Your arms, wherewith you could defend yourselves, are gone; and you have no longer an aristrocratical, no longer a democratical spirit. Did you ever read of any revolution in a nation, brought about by the punishment of those in power, inflicted by those who had no power at all?”*  Noah Webster stated it this way, *“Before a standing army can rule, the people must be disarmed; as they are in almost every kingdom of Europe. The supreme power in America cannot enforce unjust laws by the sword; because the whole body of the people are armed, and constitute a force superior to any band of regular troops that can be, on any pretence, raised in the United States.”*  After suffering from a tyrannical king and his governors, our Founding Fathers knew that the way to keep a government “in check” was for the people to have the power to object! Just knowing that the people are armed stifles the tyrants to some degree. Removing power from **We the People** gives full-speed-ahead to the tyrants and their injustices, who no longer rule via our Constitution.  *"A free people ought not only be armed and disciplined, but they should have* ***sufficient arms and ammunition*** *to maintain a status of independence from any who might attempt to abuse them, which would include their own government."  George Washington*  That statement doesn’t seem to me that our Founding Fathers believed we should be limited in ammo or type of weapon.  [**Upgrade to paid**](https://substack.com/redirect/2/eyJlIjoiaHR0cHM6Ly9iZXRoYW5uY3NjdGFsa3JhZGlvLnN1YnN0YWNrLmNvbS9zdWJzY3JpYmU_.i2EGI1LdOtxlhaopFlNrHVABsh29G2ysmbpbSrDYI7w?&utm_medium=email&utm_source=subscribe-widget&utm_content=143392606)  **Armed mercenaries!**  It seems that we have military aged men crossing our borders (or being flown in by Biden’s regime) ready to take up arms. While they are beating up and shooting our local police, it was recently determined that these illegal aliens have a “right” to be armed but Americans citizens, not-so-much, according to Joe Biden.  While visiting South Carolina, I stumbled on to this little ditty. I realize this is just a copy of what was seen back in the day of our declaring Independence away from King George III. However, today we are in a tyrannical fix once again. We’re not dealing with one king an ocean away but an ocean of little-king-wannabes living among us and, unfortunately, in government positions of power. Oh, and they really-really-want to remove the 2nd Amendment and disarm you.  Here is the piece of paper I found folded up and in my pathway. I’m not suggesting this is what we need today, I am suggesting we should always be prepared.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  |  |   Liberty is always **in the hands** of the people… but so should be the guns!  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Sunday,

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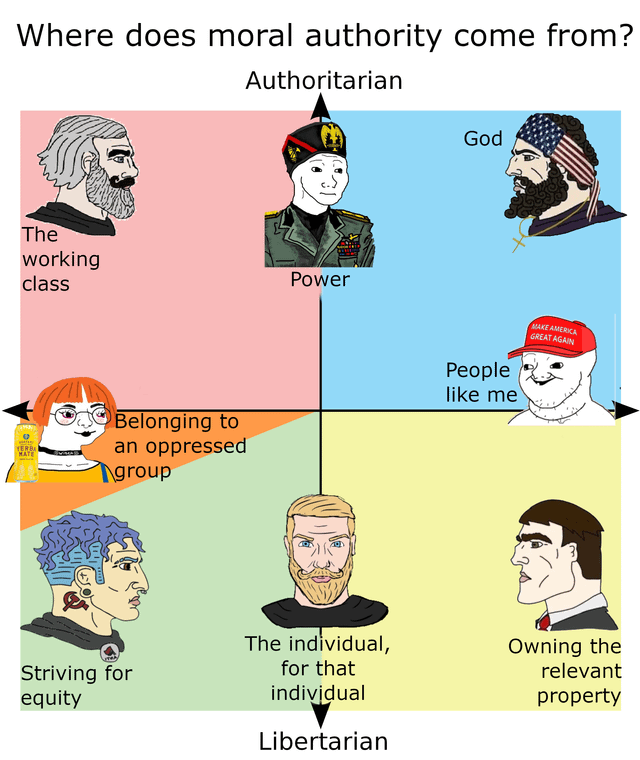
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"When they took the 4th Amendment, I was quiet because I didn't deal drugs. When they took the 6th Amendment, I was quiet because I am innocent. When they took the 2nd Amendment, I was quiet because I don't own a gun. Now they have taken the 1st Amendment, and I can only be quiet.”

***~ Lyle Myhr***



***“Our, the American People’s” Supreme*** Court of the United States (SCOTUS), media coverage a measuring stick, could bs easily seen as coming apart at its seams. SCOTUS Justices are reported casting verbal barbs at each other. SCOTUS majority-voting Justices are held in disdain by dissenting Justices. SCOTUS is seen by some Justices as having a duty to reevaluate long-standing statutes.

"Vices are simply the errors which a man makes in his search after his own happiness. Unlike crimes, they imply no malice toward others, and no interference with their persons or property."

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***Societal Discourse And Dissent Make For*** diversity development. When “Our, the American People’s” jurisprudence system peruses discourse and dissent, unintended consequences are manured. “We, the American People,” in theory, look to America’s SCOTUS for final say on how we shall conduct our affairs by force of law. Law, like education (good, bad, or indifferent), has a sole aim. Behavior control.

"Man, no doubt, owes many other moral duties to his fellow men; such as to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless, care for the sick, protect the defenseless, assist the weak, and enlighten the ignorant. But these are simply moral duties, of which each man must be his own judge, in each particular case, as to whether, and how, and how far, he can, or will perform them."

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***It Would Be Smart For “Us***, the American People” to constantly remind ourselves America’s courts, SCOTUS included, render opinions. No American court officer sallies forth to enforce court rulings. Law (and court opinion) enforcement rests with America’s government executive branches. There is no government power to force government executive branches to do anything. Conceptual dissonance.

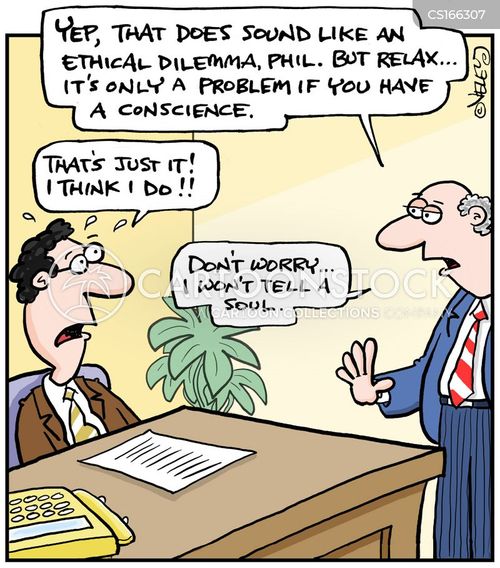
"If taxation without consent is not robbery, then any band of robbers have only to declare themselves a government, and all their robberies are legalized."

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***Media Report One Of America’s SCOTUS*** Justices is of a mind SCOTUS ought take a look at merits of a century-and-half-old federal law allowing state and local officials to be sued for Constitutional violation. Key word, allow. We, as a sovereign citizenry, would be putting ourselves at risk for not taking a jaundiced view when America’s legislatures/courts presume authority for legislative validity.

". . . but that it is also their right, and their primary and paramount duty, to judge the justice of the law, and to hold all laws invalid, that are, in their opinion, unjust, oppressive, and all persons guiltless in violating or resisting the execution of such laws."

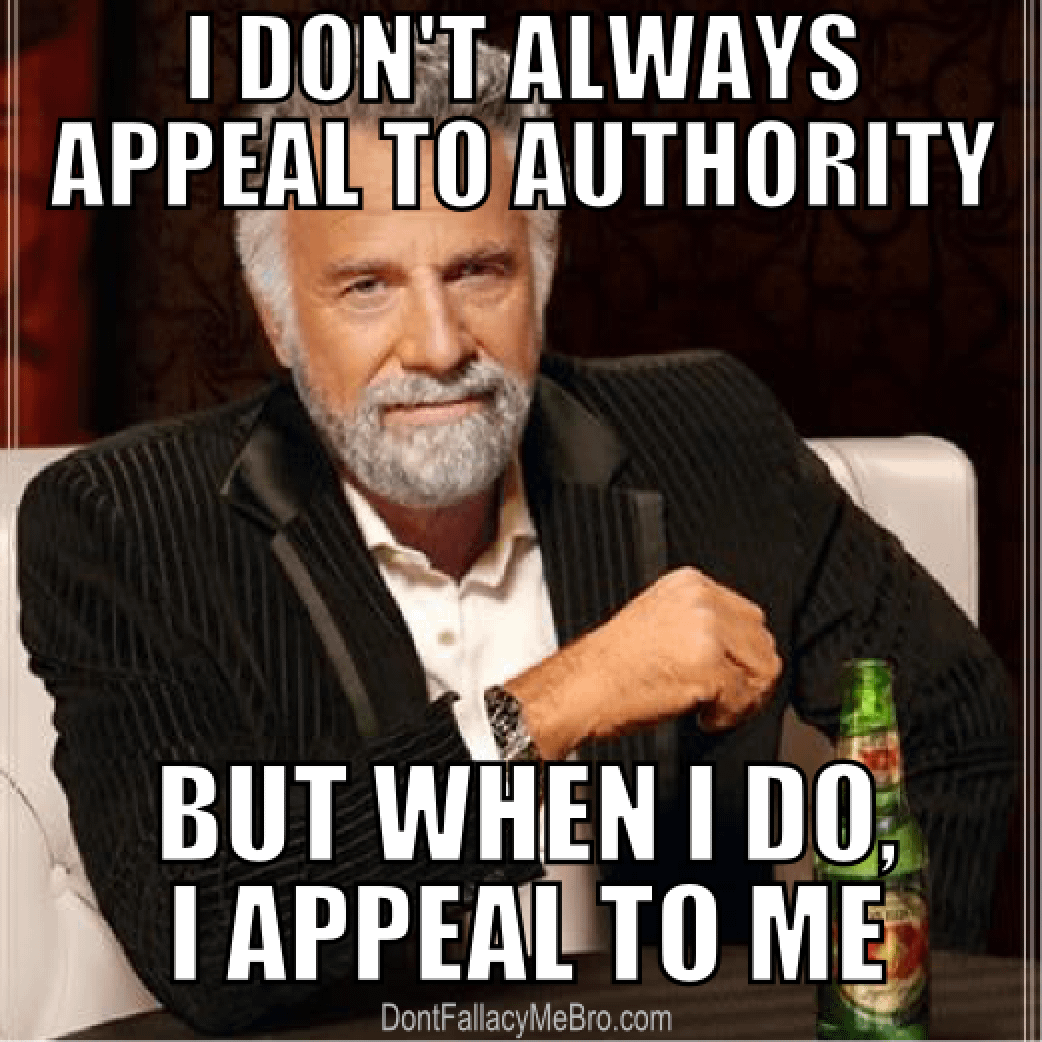
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