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A New Year is like a blank book, and the pen is in your hands. It is your chance to write a beautiful story for yourself. Happy New Year!

On this New Year, may you change your direction and not dates, change your commitments and not the calendar, change your attitude and not the actions, and bring about a change in your faith, your force, and your focus and not the fruit. May you live up to the promises you have made and may you create for you and your loved ones the happiest New Year ever.

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In Asia, 2024 is the year of the dragon. The dragon symbolizes authority, prosperity, and good luck. People born in the year of the dragon are often known for their captivating presence, unique personalities, and strong leadership skills.

The Things Americans Agree On



These days there seems to be a great divide of opinions among Americans, perhaps more than at any time in memory.

But instead of rehashing these clashes of opinion, I thought I would start the year with an article that reveals the many things that we Americans agree on. So here is a poll that was taken in 2022 by CBS News entitled "50 Surprising Things that Americans Actually Agree on" This poll was published on the Internet on September 27, 2022. And the last question in the poll shows the divide we have.

How many of these things do you concur with? Do you think that almost two years after this poll was taken, the opinion of American's have changed or not?

For your thoughtful consideration, I present the poll.

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We are experiencing the most economically unstable period and socially erratic period in the history of the modern world. This period is being marked with extreme fluctuations in the stock, commodity and currency markets accompanied by severe and sometimes violent and deadly social disruptions including historic pandemics, conflicts, wars, riots and even regime changing coups. As is typical of such times, many fortunes will be both made and lost during this period. After talking with many business owners, executives, professionals, scholars and government officials from around the world, the writer believes that for the financially astute investor, this is a time of unprecedented opportunity given the global trade unbalances and distortions in the commodity and currency markets that exists. The *Financial Crisis Report* is a free compilation of the opinions of David Miyoshi as well as of those advisors he himself subscribes to (with appropriate credits given) on how to survive and even benefit during this historic time of crisis in the world. The writer receives no compensation of any kind from any advisors whose articles or ideas may appear in this report. The reader is welcomed to check on all sources of information mentioned herein. Because the opinions and observations of this writer and other advisors are provided herein without charge, the reader is

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50 surprising things Americans actually agree on

By Jennifer Martin

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Nowadays, Americans seem to disagree on everything — even what our country stands for. But that's not true. On many issues — think spending, law enforcement, the military, even abortion — a majority of Americans are actually in agreement.

Here are 50 surprising topics where most Americans find common ground. We used YouGov polling data — surveys, polls, and trackers — to compile our list. All surveys took place between January 2022 to September 2022. For each survey, YouGov interviewed a mix of 1,500 people whose ages, genders, races and education levels correlated with the demographics of the greater U.S. population.

So what is it that we Americans agree on? The topics range from money (in lots of cases, money) to politics to food. And in every case, at least 60% of Americans were in agreement.

Teachers should get more pay



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Between school shootings, the COVID-19 pandemic, LGBTQ+ policies and controversies over race-based content taught in schools, U.S. teachers have been through a lot recently. And also: They're chronically underpaid.

Most Americans are in favor of paying them more. In fact, 73% think teachers should be paid more.

There should be policies preventing landlords from increasing rent



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A pandemic-era policy in 2020 prevented landlords from evicting tenants. After that policy expired, rent for many skyrocketed.

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Most Americans (61%) either strongly or somewhat support policies that would prevent landlords from raising rent.

Mitch McConnell isn't popular



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YouGov likes to track Americans' opinions about major political figures, such as Mitch McConnell, who is the Republican minority leader in the U.S. Senate.

McConnell is one of the least popular political figures — 65% of Americans have an unfavorable view of him as of Sept. 19, 2022.

Job security isn't a big worry



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Americans tend to have a lot of financial worries — debt, inflation, low salary and rising housing costs.

But most Americans aren't currently worried about job security. Of those polled as of Sept. 19, 2022, 61% say they're not concerned about losing their job, reflecting the tight labor market.

Spending on public housing should increase

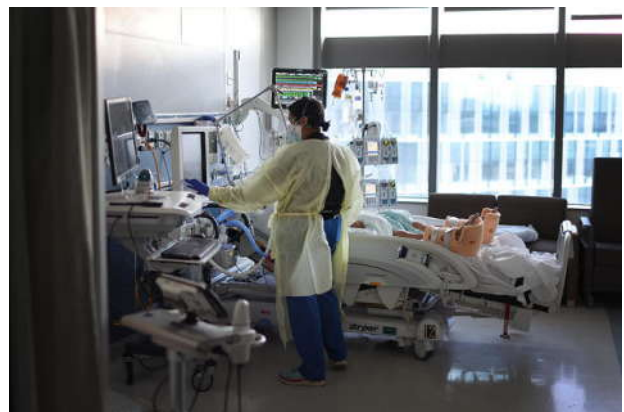


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With rent and mortgages increasing, along with homelessness, more people are turning to public housing, which is provided and paid for by the government.

Believe it or not, 60% of Americans support increasing spending on public housing.

The government should offer medical-debt forgiveness



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Americans remain divided on the latest push from the Biden administration to forgive student loan debt, but they like another kind of debt forgiveness: for medical debt.

In fact, 67% of people support the government offering medical-debt forgiveness, which makes them

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more supportive of that than any other kind of debt.

Inflation is serious



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Everything seems to cost more than it used to these days. Nobody likes paying more for things, especially when Americans say their pay isn't keeping up with inflation.

It's no wonder that 88% of Americans believe that inflation is a huge issue where they live.

Social welfare programs are fine



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Social welfare programs are often demonized by GOP politicians, but the majority of Americans overwhelmingly support those programs.

When broken down by government benefit program, 79% of Americans have favorable views of Social Security, 79% have favorable views of Medicare, 77% have favorable views of disability insurance,

76% have favorable views of Medicaid, 74% have favorable views of SNAP (food stamps), 71% have favorable views of TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families), 71% have favorable views of unemployment insurance, and 67% have favorable views of public housing assistance.

We see too many political ads



Adam Berry / Getty Images

Some countries have legal limits on candidate ads. For instance, Canada's campaign season is typically less than three months; in Mexico, it's 90 days; in Argentina, it's 60 days; and in France, election campaigning is usually about two weeks long.

Meanwhile in America, candidates announce they're running up to two years in advance.

But that doesn't mean we like it. The majority of Americans, 64%, believe that there are too many political ads.

Abortion should be legal in many cases



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On June 24, 2022, the Supreme Court overturned Roe v. Wade, which had legalized abortion federally. Since then, many states have outlawed or restricted abortion. But most Americans disagree with the court. According to this poll, 64% believe abortion should be legal in most or all cases — and 59% think that Roe v. Wade shouldn't have been overturned.

A solid 61% believe that illegal immigration is a problem in the United States. Furthermore, 59% of Americans see the situation at the border as a crisis.

Yes for the Presidential Records Act



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The Presidential Records Act, which say presidential records must go to the National Archives after a president leaves office, has certainly been in the news. Former President Donald Trump is in a legal battle with the Department of Justice over that very issue.

Of those surveyed, 69% support the Presidential Records Act.

Lowering flags to half-staff for Elizabeth II was the right choice



Chris Jackson / Getty Images

Queen Elizabeth II died Sept. 8, 2022, and Britain entered a period of mourning. But did that affect the United States?

A solid 64% of Americans strongly or somewhat supported lowering flags to half-staff in her honor. However, the same survey said that 78% were not affected or were only affected a little by the death of the late queen, and 80% did not cry at the queen's passing — so maybe we weren't that affected.

Illegal immigration is a problem



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PAC donors expect payback



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Many campaign donations go to super PACs — wealthy political action committees that advertise on behalf of a candidate.

Most Americans are suspicious of this, and 79% of them believe that the only reason someone would donate \$1 million to a super PAC is because they want something big in return.

Favorable views of law enforcement and the military



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Americans, by a large majority, have a favorable view of law enforcement and the U.S. military. Broken down by entity: 68% have favorable views of local police, 65% have favorable views of state police, 62% have favorable views of county sheriffs, and 60% have favorable views of U.S. Border Patrol.

For the military, favorability ratings are even higher, and 77% have good opinions of the Navy, the Coast Guard, the Army and the Air Force — while 78% have favorable opinions of the Marines.

The U.S. flag is a positive symbol



Gary Hershorn / Getty Images

In the U.S., opinions are mixed on the gay pride flag and the "thin blue line" flag, which indicates supporting police.

There's one flag, however, that garners a positive view from 77% of Americans: the stars and stripes. It's the one flag we agree on.

People don't want another civil war



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Some people have aired fears of a second U.S. civil war. But that doesn't mean that people think it's a good thing.

When people were asked if a civil war in the next 10 years would be good or bad, 69% believed it would be bad. For a civil war in the next 50 years, 66% of people still believe it would be a bad thing.

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The president should never lie



BRANDON BELL / Getty Images

What's the most important presidential quality? For the vast majority of Americans — 89% — it's honesty, followed by "fighting for what's right" at 88%.

Interestingly, when those responses were divided between Republicans and Democrats, the results were about the same either way; those attributes are important to all of us despite any political differences.

It should be legal to record police



Ivan Abreu/SOPA Images/LightRocket via Getty Images

A whopping 86% of people think recording cops on the job should be legal.

While 32% of survey participants think there should be a legal limit on how close you can be to an officer, 50% believe it should be legal in all cases.

American independence was the right call



Max Mumby/Indigo/Getty Images

We wouldn't have a United States without a war of independence.

A great majority of Americans — 78%, in fact — believe that declaring independence from what is now the United Kingdom was a fantastic idea.

Gas-powered cars contribute to climate change



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Americans have vastly different opinions on climate change — what causes it, what we should do about it, and how big of a problem it actually is.

But, the majority of Americans do believe gasoline-powered cars at least contribute to climate change. Around 34% believe that it contributes a lot, while 41% believe that it contributes a little.

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Catholic priests should be allowed to marry 9/11 attacks changed the world



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A full 69% of Americans believe that Roman Catholic priests, who currently take vows of celibacy, should be able to get married.

In fact, 64% believe that the celibacy vow is a factor in Catholic Church child sex abuse cases.



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Did the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks change the world? Most people believe so, and 40% of people believed it changed a lot, while 41% believe it changed a little.

When asked if it changed America specifically, the results were even higher: 61% believe it changed the country completely, while 27% believe it changed a little, for a total of 88%.

Antidepressants work



Getty Images

It may seem that a lot of Americans distrust big pharma — the opioid crisis hasn't helped — but most of us, at least, believe that antidepressants are always (6%) usually (26%) or sometimes (40%) effective at treating depression.

Since pandemic-borne isolation began in 2020, mental health has been a growing concern, with rising rates of suicide and depression.

The Founding Fathers would be disappointed



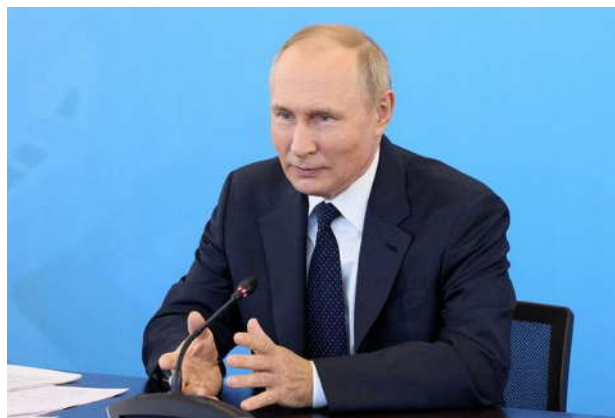
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Would the Founding Fathers approve of how things are going in the United States today? Well, 65% of Americans don't think so — though there are likely a wide variety of reasons why.

The same survey asked about the Bill of Rights, and found that 86% of Americans believe the First Amendment is "very important," and 57% consider it the most important amendment.

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Russia is our enemy



GAVRIIL GRIGOROV/SPUTNIK/AFP via Getty Images

We've never formally been at war with Russia, but we have a tense relationship dating back to the formation of the Soviet Union. As of Sept. 19, 2022, 85.3% of Americans believe that Russia is an enemy of the U.S. These numbers have risen since Russia declared war on Ukraine under President Putin.

White-supremacist extremism is a concern



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Out of all types of political extremist threats, the one Americans say they fear the most is white supremacist extremism. Of those surveyed, 43% are very concerned about white-supremacist extremism while 19% are somewhat concerned.

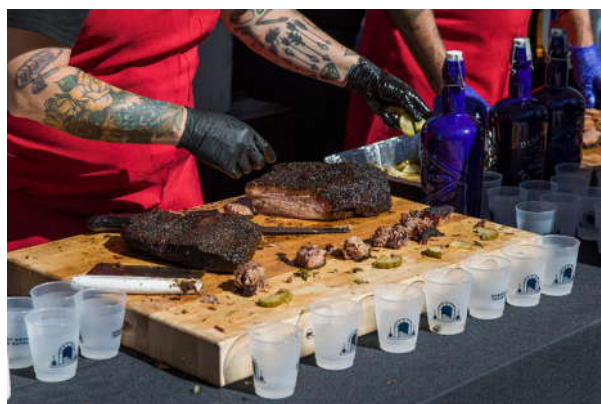
Protecting civil liberties



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What's more important, safety or liberty? For freedom-loving Americans, the choice is easy: We should focus more on protecting civil rights and liberties than protecting the country from terrorism. This conversation has been ongoing since the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks in 2001.

Texas has the best BBQ



RICK KERN / Getty Images

Most Americans agree that they think of Texas when they think of good barbecue. Texas is known for brisket and smoked sausages in particular. The Lone Star State outranked Tennessee, Louisiana, Kansas and South Carolina for the top state. And it's not even close — 73% think of Texas for the best barbecued meats, while the second-place winner, Tennessee, is only at 37% for the same question.

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The president should unite the country



Anna Moneymaker / Getty Images

The United States may feel divided, but maybe we don't want to be. In a survey about important presidential qualities, 87% feel that a president's ability to unite the country is extremely important. Of those polled, 67% believe it is very important.

Violent crime is a serious issue



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Fear of violent crime is a very serious issue for 60% of Americans, while 19% believe that it's a somewhat serious issue. Sadly, they may be onto something: Homicides in many cities rose in 2021.

The U.K. is our friend



Stefan Rousseau / Getty Images

The U.S. has fought two wars with the United Kingdom, but those grievances are long past — just look at President Joe Biden here with the U.K.'s newest prime minister, Liz Truss.

As of September 2022, 85.7% of Americans believe that the United Kingdom is a friend of the USA.

Racism is real, and it's a problem



Kent Nishimura / Los Angeles Times via Getty Images

Of Americans surveyed, 68% believe that racism is at least somewhat of a problem. Meanwhile, 59% believe that race relations are bad at the moment.

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Most people are patriotic



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Whenever there are heated tensions in political debates, folks may accuse the opposition of hating America.

But, that's not true. In fact, a whopping 76% of Americans consider themselves at least somewhat patriotic.

Limits should be set on rent increases



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How much is too much in rent? In some cities, a studio apartment costs \$2,000 a month or more.

A huge majority of Americans — 79% — support setting limits on the size of rent increases.

Our country is on the wrong track



Samuel Corum / Getty Images

There are a lot of disagreements on what our nation's priorities should be.

However, most Americans believe that our country is on the wrong track. As of Sept. 19, 2022, 63.5% reported that they believe things in the U.S. are generally on the wrong track. As to why and how — no definitive agreements.

Contraception should be legal nationwide



Peter Dazeley / Getty Images

Ever since *Roe v. Wade* was overturned, some have worried that access to birth control might be next. Some politicians want to pass a law that formally protects access to contraception throughout the U.S.

And 64% of Americans would support that; 21% aren't sure and only 15% are against it.

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U.S. representatives should compromise and be bipartisan



Drew Angerer / Getty Images

Americans seem firmly rooted in Democratic or Republican camps. So do we expect our representatives to hold firm to their values? Toe the party line?

No. Most of us want representatives to compromise with the other party, and be bipartisan. In fact, 60% want their representative to compromise more.

We should defend Canada in case of war



Pete Marovich / Getty Images

Our neighbors to the north haven't had any major issues with us since the War of 1812. Relations have been pleasant for the past century or so.

So what would happen if another nation threatened to take over Canada by armed force? Most Americans — 64% — would support using its force to rescue Canada.

Martin Luther King, Jr. was a great person

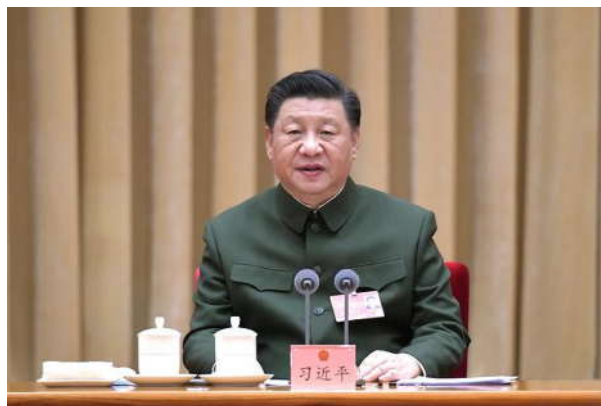


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Martin Luther King, Jr. was assassinated in 1968. But his legacy lives on.

Of all public figures included in one particular YouGov survey, he ranks the highest by far — 77% have a favorable view of King as of July 2022.

China is our enemy



Li Gang/Xinhua via Getty Images

Tensions with China have risen, especially in the past three years. As of Sept. 19, 2022, 79.9% of Americans consider China to be an enemy. In December 2017, only 43.5% believed that.

Americans have grown distrustful of President Xi Jinping, seen here, in relation to the COVID-19 outbreaks, a friendship with Russia, and treatment of Taiwan.

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Americans under 65 should be screened for anxiety

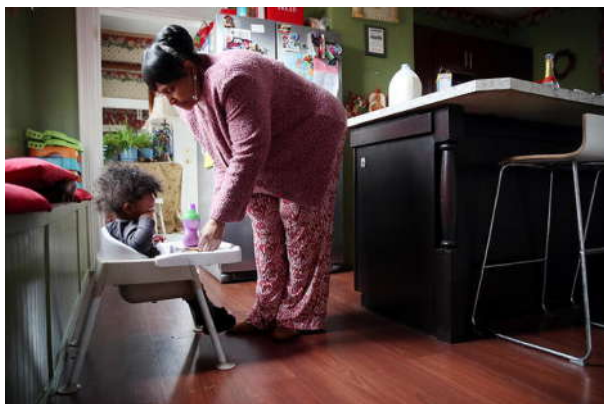


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The U.S. Preventive Services Task Force recommended in September 2022 that all adults under 65 should be screened for anxiety and depression. They didn't find sufficient evidence that it would be effective for people over 65.

Americans by-and-large agree. In fact, 63% somewhat agree or strongly agree that these screenings should take place.

A lack of child care is a problem for working moms



Craig F. Walker/The Boston Globe via Getty Images

If child care access and affordability feel a lot harder for you these days, you're not alone.

Americans agree that a lack of child care often prevents mothers working outside the home when they want to.

True crime content helps us understand criminal justice



British Podcast Awards via Getty Images

Thanks to podcasting, TV shows and documentaries, true crime content seems to be everywhere.

But is that a good thing? Most people have a positive view of true-crime content, and 63% of Americans believe that it gives people a better understanding of how our nation's criminal justice system functions.

Writers can depict characters with backgrounds other than their own



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In the publishing world, there's often a lot of talk about whether, say, straight authors should write gay or lesbian characters, whether cis writers can write trans characters, or whether White writers can write people of color.

However, most Americans accept authors sometimes depict characters with diverse backgrounds. The sur-

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vey revealed that 58% believe a female author can write about a male character; 59% believe that a gay or lesbian author can depict a straight character; 57% think it's okay for a White person to depict a racial minority character; and 61% think it's okay for a member of a racial minority to depict White people.

Monarchy would be bad for us



MARCO BERTORELLO/AFP via Getty Images

Despite the photo scene here in London after the passing of Queen Elizabeth, most Brits generally accept the monarchy.

Not so in the U.S. Of Americans surveyed, 67% think a monarchy would be bad here; 12% say it would be neither good nor bad, and only 8% think it would be good.

Drug abuse is a serious issue



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America has been ravaged by an opioid epidemic, and it affects every state. So it's no wonder that so many of

us consider it a major problem in our communities. Of those surveyed, 73% believe it's a serious problem.

Most Americans approve of Barack Obama



Kevin Dietsch / Getty Images

The most popular American politician isn't even in office anymore. As of July 2022, former President Barack Obama is the highest ranked political figure in the country — 61% approve of him.

No other political figure has a favorability rating higher than 53%.

Senators who want to block legislation should do it in person



Anna Moneymaker/Getty Images

The filibuster is a news mainstay, especially anytime a big piece of legislation and faces one.

But most Americans don't support the way the filibuster

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ter currently functions in the Senate — in fact, 61% think that senators who want to block legislation via the filibuster should have to do so by speaking in person to hold the floor of the Senate.

The country has grown more partisan

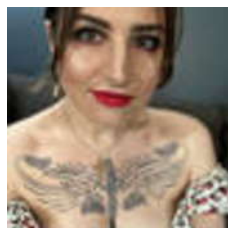


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The last decade has seen political divides in America grow more tense, and 71% of Americans believe the country is more divided and more partisan than ever over the past few years.

But if these results prove anything, that might just be an illusion. We may be less divided than we think.

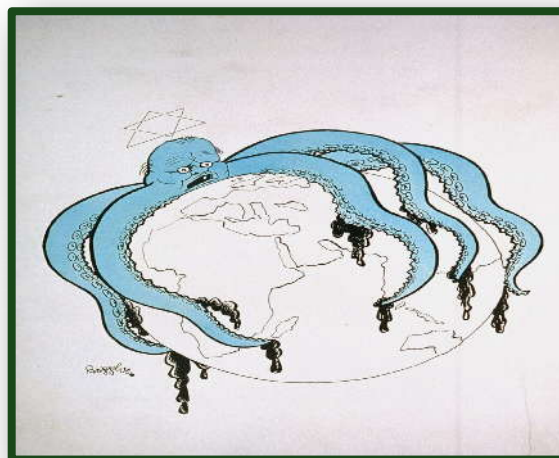
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The Reason Why There is Anti-Semitism



In a recent YouTube interview Thomas Sowell was asked his opinion on why there is the phenomenon around the world of hatred against the Jews.

Here is Mr. Sowell’s reasons for this hatred of Jews based on his *New York Times* Best Selling Book *Black Rednecks and White Liberals*.

I think you will find his answers quite observant.

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Why there is Anti-Semitism Around the World



Thomas Sowell on The Rise in Anti-Semitism Around the World

“If a person is given the choice of hating others and hating themselves, they will hate others.” Thomas Sowell

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Throughout the world, among all of the “middlemen minorities” the Jews are the most prominent.

Around the world the hostility against the Jews by people is out of all proportion to any other group I can think of.

In terms of violence, the number of Chinese killed in one year by mob action exceeds all the blacks lynched in the entire history of the United States.

And the number of Armenians killed in Turkey during the First World War is greater than that. Of course, the number of Jews slaughtered on a number of occasions in history, even before the Holocaust is greater than that.

So, the question is why this particular kind of people (the Jews) are the targets of so much venomous hatred. And I think the answer is because they succeed and also that they succeed in a way which is a threat to the egos of other people.

You can envy a Rockefeller, but he's no threat to your ego. Anybody can be rich if he's born a Rockefeller.

But the guy who comes here, let's say from Vietnam or Korea and arrives here with little more than the clothes on his back and a few broken words of English, and a decade later, he has his own little business. And you see his son a few years after that, getting ready to go off to Harvard or MIT. You got to ask yourself, you have to hate yourself and you will say my God I have been stagnating. This guy was nothing, and now he has risen up. Or you are going to have to hate him. And most people, when they have a choice between hating others and hating themselves, they hate others.

Interviewer: Where does the hatred for the Jews come from in history?

A number of places but there are people who have succeeded an

awful lot in the midst of other people who have not. Years ago, an official and one of the Jewish organizations in New York asked me “Well, what can Jews themselves do in order to minimize the hostility they face.”

I gave him a one-word answer: FAIL. Because as long as you succeed, you're going to be hated.

Interviewer: So the source is success?

It's not only success, it's success starting in poverty, as the Jews did in the United States and in many other countries. And so you not only see them succeed you see them rise up from the bottom and past the other people and these people don't like it.

But there's also the fact that the role they play economically has never been understood. You know, they're middlemen or they're money lenders. And the argument of the people is the Jews are really not producing anything. You can't see anything tangible that they produce, they don't stand at the production line churning out widgets. And so the argument is that they're not producing anything. They're simply gratuitously inserting themselves between the producer and the consumer. And they are parasites.

And this argument has been made not only about the Jews, but about similar groups around the world. And a number of places they have expelled these people or forced them out by mob action or forced them to flee and after they left, the economy has collapsed. But it never teaches the lesson that the Jews were doing something.

The typical Jewish peddler as written in *Black Rednecks and White Liberals*:

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According to the history of the Jews in the United States staggering numbers of Jews in the decades before and after the Civil War first experienced America through peddling, which became the nearly universal American Jewish male experience.

While Jewish peddlers worked as isolated individuals, their supplies came from a wider network. Each peddler functioned in a long Jewish economic chain, linking shopkeepers to Jewish wholesalers in the larger cities on whom they depended for credit.

The Jewish peddler on the road served as the agent of the Jewish town shopkeeper and the Big City jobber. This trading network depended on intra-communal trust. Wholesaler and peddler understood each other, spoke the same language, and knew the same people.

Jewish wholesalers in port cities from New York to San Francisco supplied Jewish peddlers with merchandise which they carried on their backs into the hinterlands to farmers, miners, railroad crews and others working far from the big cities and often in places where there were few or no stores.

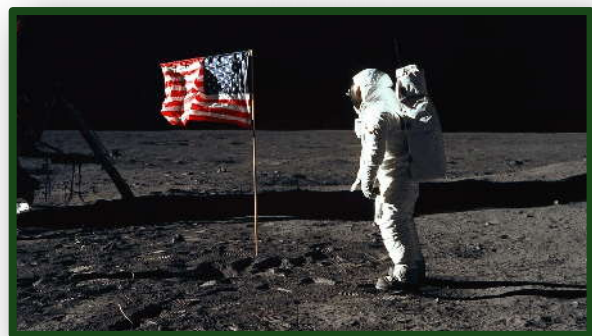
Peddlers, of course, also worked in cities and in every region of the country from the southern plantations to the California mining camps where Levi Strauss first began to sell the rugged trousers that were to make his name famous. While Jewish peddlers often worked in isolation among a non-Jewish population, they were nevertheless tied to a wider Jewish community, not only by commercial ties to Jewish wholesalers and manufacturers, but also to family members in Europe and America. They often

saved money to pay for transatlantic passage for relatives in Europe to come and join them. These savings at some point also allowed the peddlers to set up a little shop in town, settle down, get married and raise a family. The wives and children then worked in the same little business. Often the Jewish shopkeeper or other small businessmen and his family lived above or behind the store.

Milton Friedman's family lived this way when he was growing up. A pattern that he described as common among the immigrants to America in that era. Yes, this pattern was by no means confined to Jews or to America. Similar economic and social patterns could be found among the Lebanese and Sierra Leone and among other middlemen minorities in other parts of the world. The overseas Chinese storekeeper in the Philippines was likewise willing to live in a small corner of his store. As among the Jews, Lebanese children were initiated into their family businesses in the United States, as were the children of other middleman minorities in other countries.

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Arguments that We Did Go to the Moon



In a previous newsletter, I presented an article taking a neutral position on the question did the Apollo 11 astronauts land on the Moon. That article was followed by another article I wrote arguing that Apollo 11 and the later Apollo mission astronauts did NOT land on the Moon.

Arguments that We Did Go to the Moon

In order to be fair, this third article supports the claim that the U.S. DID land on the Moon. This article is a transcript of a YouTube video entitled “What If the Moon Landing Was A Hoax?” that aired on the program *LifesBiggestQuestions.com* in 2022. I suspect this video was compiled under the auspices of NASA and/or a similar government agency.

The transcript presents arguments in support of the claim that the U.S. did go to the Moon, but it does not truly answer in convincing detail HOW the astronauts breached the deadly Van Allen Belts so easily and WHY it makes any sense for NASA to have destroyed all their rockets, equipment, machinery, plans, records and data for the Apollo project.

It would be a very simple matter to explain how the astronauts went through the Van Allen Belts without any harmful effects instead of dismissively saying they went through the Van Allen Belts in a little over an hour without suffering any harmful effects. Other arguments in support of the moon landing claim that the astronauts (mind you every mission) went through a “hole” in the Van Allen Belts without showing even a basic diagram of the actual course of the rocket through this hole. For us to accept their word that the astronauts went through the Van Allen Belts without harm and that NASA destroyed ALL the equipment, machinery and records of the Apollo missions without further rational explanation is completely counter intuitive.

Nevertheless, I present this article for your reading consideration. It should be noted that most Americans believe that American astronauts did land on the Moon as compared to many (if not most) people outside of America who doubt it happened.

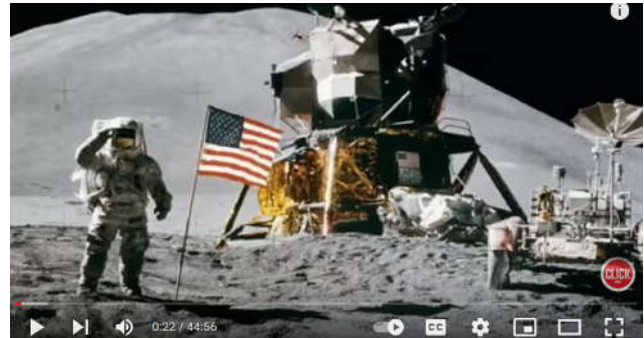
I hope you find this article interesting and informative. Perhaps if you are interested in the subject of the Moon landings, you will be inspired to investigate this question further on your own.

I suspect this issue is not dead and considering the coming expected geo-political clashes between the U.S., NATO, Russia and China, more revealing articles will likely be published. I will keep you informed of these new developments as they occur.

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On the 21st of July 1969 NASA's Apollo 11 Mission landed the Eagle Lunar Module on the surface of the Moon. Astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin stepped out and made history. They were the first humans to ever walk on the moon. Six hundred million people watched the whole thing unfold on televisions around the world. There were a further five more moon landings until the last one in 1972.



Now, in the years since then, nobody has returned and discussions about the moon landings have shifted in tone. Where there used to be praise for NASA's historic achievements, there are now a number of loud voices that claim all of the moon landings were totally faked. In fact, studies have shown that between 5 to 10% of Americans think the moon landings were staged. They say they have the proof and know the reasons why it happened.

My name is Danny Burke and were the moon landings a hoax?

Arguments that We Did Go to the Moon



Firstly, why would NASA and the US government want to fake the moon landings? Well, for many conspiracy theorists out there, it was all because of the space race. In the late 1950s, the USA and the Soviet Union were the 2 great superpowers on Earth.



As the two rivals tried to outmatch each other technologically, space became the new proving ground. Both countries felt that whoever could master Space Flight first would show the rest of the world that their way of life was superior. The two nations began launching their own unmanned satellites into space and then in 1961, Russia made a huge leap by a successfully getting their cosmonaut Yuri Gregoran to complete an orbit of Earth and return safely.

America, fearing that the Soviets were getting ahead, decided to step things up. The following year, President John F Kennedy made a speech to the American people and the world that the USA would do the unthinkable, land an astronaut on the Moon by the end of the decade, in just seven years.



Conspiracy theorists say that as the years went on, the US realized that they would not be able to develop the technology quick enough to achieve their goals. And so they enlisted the help of directors and film makers to fake the famous footage so that they could say they won the space race and show the world that they were stronger than the communist Soviet Union.

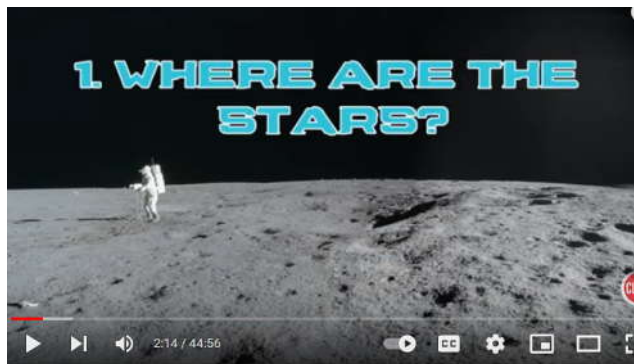
But conspiracy theorists say that there were a number of clues in the Apollo footage and pictures that prove they were a fake.



In this video we're going to focus on four of these, the main ones that come up in almost any discussion about the legitimacy of the Moon landings.

Claim One where are the stars?

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If you look up at the sky on a clear night here on Earth you can see thousands of stars. Yet the pictures from the moon landing show a jet black sky with not a single star in sight. Is this because it was filmed in a studio and the film makers forgot to add them in afterwards?

Well, no. Stars are visible in the night sky on the moon. But just like on Earth, they are still very faint points of light in the sky. Just like our eyes need time to let in light and adjust to see dim objects, cameras also need time to let in light and expose fainter objects. Compared to the bright lunar surface and astronaut space suits, the distant starlight was simply not visible. Now, if they had let the camera sit and expose the image for longer, they would definitely have seen these stars.

Claim Two, when Buzz Aldrin of Apollo 11 placed the US flag into the Moon soil, it fluttered. Now, how could it do that if the Moon is a vacuum and there is no air?



Strangely, it's actually the lack of air that caused the flag to flutter. On Earth, objects slow down as they move through the air because of air resistance. On the moon however, no air means no air resistance, so any force exerted on an object isn't going to be slowed down nearly as much. This is why, when the astronauts handled the flag on the moon, the force of their moving the flag left it fluttering for a lot longer than expected because there was no air resistance to slow it down.



Claim Three, in some of the pictures taken on the Moon, there appears to be multiple shadows coming from the astronauts, their equipment and the lunar module, sometimes in completely different directions. There should only be 1 shadow because there is only one light source, the Sun.



In this argument, the conspiracy theory suggests that the shadows are actually caused by studio lights used to fake the Moon landings. In reality, though, the shadows are behaving exactly as expected. Shadows will sometimes have the appearance of going in different directions depending on the surface the object is on. On

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flat surfaces they all face the same direction,



but on uneven surfaces the slant can give the appearance of shadows coming from multiple different light sources.



Mythbusters worth did an excellent demonstration of this exact phenomenon.



Another issue some people have with the lighting is this famous picture of Buzz Aldrin stepping out of the lunar module and ap-

pearing lit up despite being in the shadow of the craft.



Now this isn't because of an external light source but rather the fact that the lunar surface is so reflective that it lights up objects even when they aren't in direct sunlight.

Claim Four, Radiation would have killed the astronauts here on Earth. We are protected from deadly space radiation thanks to our magnetosphere. Out in space, there is no such protection. Conspiracy theorists argue that the astronauts would have been killed as they pass through a concentrated area of radiation from the Sun, known as the Van Allen belts.



And the truth is, yes, the Van Allen belts and space, in general, do emit lethal levels of radiation. This is definitely something we need to overcome if we want to eventually make it to Mars which could take many, many months, but not the week-long trip it took to get to the Moon. The Apollo Crafts got through the radiation belt in a little over an hour. And although their spacecraft would-

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n't protect them forever, it absorbed most of the radiation over that short amount of time.

There are a number of other factors that conspiracy theorists hold up as proof that we could be here all day debunking them. So the main ones will have to do.

Instead, it's easier to start asking Hoax believers some questions. There were over 400,000 people involved in the Apollo space programs and conspiracy theories maintain that since 1969 the government has managed to keep every last one of them quiet and stop anyone from coming forward and providing concrete proof that the Moon landings were a hoax. Thousands of independent observers around the world also monitored the Apollo missions as they went to the Moon. Are we supposed to believe that all of these people were somehow kept silent by President Nixon's administration? Bear in mind that's the same one responsible for Watergate, one of the greatest leak scandals of all time.

And who do you think had the most to gain from showing the world the US had not gone to the moon. The Soviet Union, of course. And yet, over the three years of the moon landings they observed the US land its astronauts on the moon time and time again and they confirmed that it happened even if they wanted nothing more to embarrass the US by exposing them. In fact, not a single country on Earth capable of monitoring the telltale signals of a moon standing claimed that the US did not send people to the Moon.

The astronauts also brought back many moon rock samples that have been studied by independent observers around the world who had nothing to gain by lying, unless you want to extend the cover up by a few more 100,000 people. These experts all confirmed that the samples are the same as the ones brought back by Soviet Rovers and are like nothing here found on Earth.

Still, after all this there are usually some die hard conspiracy theorists hanging on. And so perhaps it's best then that we save the best for last. In this video there are pictures of the lunar modules that landed on the moon.



In 2009, NASA launched the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter, or LRO, for short. It orbited the Moon and, among other things, took pictures of the Apollo landing sites. Every single lunar module has been caught on camera exactly where they should be.



In 2011, NASA lowered the orbiter to even capture images of the tracks and marks the astronauts left behind on the Moon surface and the following year they confirmed through pictures that all of the flags were still standing except for one that had been knocked over by an exhaust launch.



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An Indian probe took very similar pictures as well. Now, unless conspiracy theorists want to claim that this too is all part of the grand cover up, they look like they are on increasingly shaky ground. At the end of the day, there is a monumental amount of undisputable evidence for the Moon landings versus claims that have all been debunked at some point over the years.

For some people, they want to observe it themselves, somehow prove it to themselves. And you can. Apollos 11, 14 and 15 placed retro reflectors on the Moon.



Now these are small prisms that reflect light back to where they came from. Observatories around the world have demonstrated to people that if you shine a powerful enough laser where the retro reflectors are said to be, you get a signal back. This is not happen if you shine it at any other part of the Moon that doesn't have a retro reflector. Sometimes this mistrust of authorities is correct. It's true that governments have lied to people a lot in the past. But to pull something on this scale would be at best a monumental effort and if you take all the evidence against the hoax totally impossible. To fool millions of people's, rival nations with the ability to expose them, keeping hundreds of thousands of people quiet and somehow managed to plant every Apollo mission's lunar module and flag on the Moon, would be so mind-blowingly absurd and difficult that going to the Moon in a rocket ship is actually a far easier option.

Now don't get me wrong, having a skeptical mind is healthy. And you shouldn't always believe things at face value.

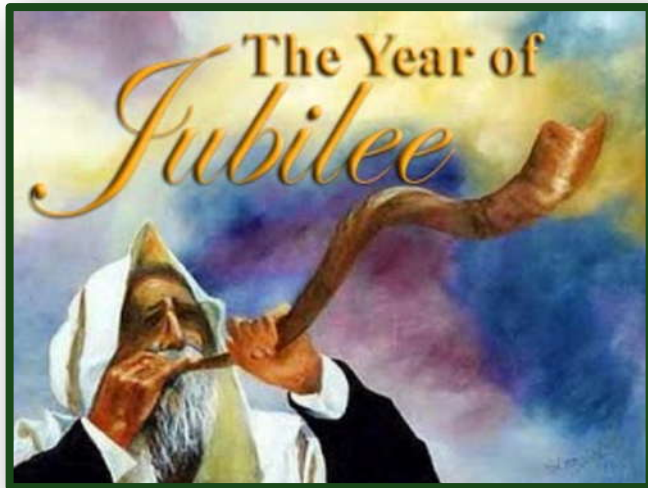


The skeptical mind should also be open to empirical and logical evidence like we've discussed in this video. To suddenly deny is not only objectively wrong at this point, but arguably undermines the hard work of hundreds of thousands of people who spent years of their lives dedicated to achieving a goal that seems so fantastic, so brilliant and so inspiring that some people doubt if humans ever could have done it.

One final question people tend to have is if the moon landings were real, why have we not gone back to it since? When Apollo 11 landed on the Moon and won the space race, the Soviet Union lost interest. They weren't interested in being 2nd place, and the US soon realized that near Earth satellites were a lot more valuable. Going to the Moon was much more of an ideological achievement, but that doesn't mean we won't be back one day. And when a new generation of astronauts land on the Moon surface and films the old Apollo lunar modules still present in time, conspiracy theorists will either have to expand their conspiracy goal post or come to realize that in the end, hard evidence will always back up one of the greatest human accomplishments walking on the Moon, no matter how unimaginable it may be. To still claim the Moon landings were a hoax in this day and age, would require one small narrow mind, one giant leap of the imagination.

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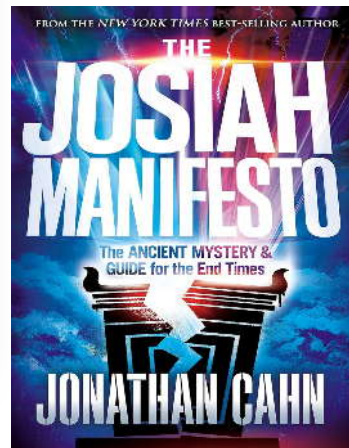
A Jubilee is defined as a complete socio-economic refresh that occurs every fifty (50) years in Israel. In fact, Jesus enacted a Jubilee when he announced his ministry.

The word "jubilee" is derived from the Hebrew word "jobel", which means "ram's horn"; since it was precisely that horn which was used as a trumpet (called a Shofar), whose sound indicated to everybody the beginning of the jubilee year. The book of Leviticus, in the code of holiness, is the source which tells us of the significance of the jubilee year, a year of liberation "par excellence," which is at the end of seven weeks of years, the fiftieth year.

«And you shall count seven weeks of years, seven times seven years, so that the time of the seven weeks of years shall be to you forty-nine years. Then you shall send abroad the loud trumpet on the tenth day of the seventh month; on the day of atonement you shall send abroad the loud trumpet throughout all your land. And you shall hallow the fiftieth year, and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants; it shall be a jubilee for you, when each of you shall return to his property and each of you shall return to his family» (Leviticus 25, 8-10).

One of my very favorite authors is Jonathan Cahn, a New York Times bestselling author, who is a Messianic Jewish Rabbi and pastor best known for his best-selling novel *The Harbinger*, in which he compares the United States and the September 11 attacks to ancient Israel and the destruction

of the Kingdom of Israel. In particular, he sees Isaiah 9:10 as a prophetic warning to the United States. The Harbinger was followed with his other best-selling books, *The Harbinger II*, *The Return of the Gods*, *The Paradigm*, *The Book of Mysteries*, *The Oracle*, *the Mystery of Shemitah* and his latest best-selling book *The Josiah Manifesto*.



I bought and read the book *The Josiah Manifesto*.

This article will outline the interesting lessons and message of God's Jubilee contained in the book, as explained by Jonathan Cahn..

I think you will find these lessons very interesting, if not intriguing and quite compelling.

God's 50-year Jubilee

In the beginning let me remark about the most recent Jubilee that has occurred. It happened on October 7, 2023 (well after *The Josiah Manifesto* was published) when the Palestinian militant group Hamas led a surprise attack against southern Israel that killed 1,400 Israelis which turned out to be the bloodiest massacre of Jews since the Holocaust. Jonathan Cahn mentioned this in a recent YouTube podcast he had made about God's Jubilees. This Oct 7 attack occurred at the very time Cahn was announcing the publication of his book *The Josiah Manifesto* at his home church Beth Israel Worship Center in New Jersey on Oct 6, 2023 (at that time it was Oct 7, 2023, in Israel). In his announcement Cahn mentioned that the moment was the exact 50th anniversary of the beginning of the Yom Kippur War when a coalition of Arab states led by Egypt and Syria attacked

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Israel in the Sinai Peninsula and Golan Heights. This Yom Kippur attack was made on a Jewish holiday and on a Sabbath Day. The very next day, fifty years later the exact Sabbath Day in that Jubilee year, Hamas attacked Israel in the bloodiest massacre of Jews since the Holocaust. Jonathan Cahn believes God's 50-year Jubilee paradigm continues to operate unabated in Israel.

Abortion and Covid

God is precise in his orders. The dates of God's events happen in exact precision. The Jubilees (50 years) that have occurred are exact, often to the day if not the second. As an example, one of the Jubilees in the book deals with the date abortion (the taking of young lives) came to America and the date that the Covid pandemic (the taking of old lives) came to America, exactly one Jubilee later.

Specifically, the exact day that abortion entered America was Jan 20, 1970 and the Jubilee of that day is 50 years later on Jan 20, 2020, which is the exact day patient zero of the Covid Plague came to America.

On March 11, 2020, President Trump went on national TV to announce the plague, America's stores, offices, enterprises were all shut down, a quarantine was declared and the stock market fell. From that day go back 50 years to March 11, 1970, which is the exact day that abortion began on American soil by the filing of the legal case Roe v Wade.

On April 10, 2020, there are more Covid deaths in New York than in any other nation in the world including China.

Go back 50 years to April 10, 1970, that was the day New York legalized abortion.

For abortion (the taking of young lives) it came to America through two gates, the eastern gate of New York state and the western gate of Washington state. In the Bible, gates are prophetic because things enter and begin to happen through "gates."

Fifty years later (one Jubilee later) to the exact day, Covid (the taking of old lives) comes back to America through those same gates. They found this by tracing the genetic Covid markers, one genetic marker came through the gate of New York (as most of the Abortions happened in New

York) and the other genetic marker came through the gate of Washington (from the first Covid patient zero in Seattle).

Is there a correlation between the number of children who died by abortions and the number of old people who died by Covid?

There is a three-year window from the time Roe v Wade came into existence and the first abortion. The number of children aborted during this time was 1.3 million. Precisely fifty years later we had the Covid plague that lasted three years. The number of old people who died during this three-year period is 1.3 million. In fact, if you take the CDC statistics, the figures match by over 99%.

In Jubilees God both takes, and God gives back in redemption

Roe v Wade was sent to the Supreme court in 1970. It was decided by the Supreme Court in May 1971. Go forward 50 years to the Jubilee in May of 2021 and that is when the case of Dobbs v Jackson which eventually overturns Roe v Wade is heard by the Supreme Court.

In December 1971, the Supreme Court hears the case of Roe v Wade. In the Jubilee of December 2021, the other case Dobbs v Jackson is decided by the Supreme Court which makes abortion illegal.

In exact fashion to the day, God takes and then redeems.

Moses and Amy Cony Barrett

In the Bible, the very first killing of children in mass took place in Egypt during the time of Moses. The Pharaoh decreed that all male Hebrew children be thrown into the Nile River. Moses was one of these male children and was cast into the Nile. We all know the story of Moses being saved by an Egyptian princess and he grows up to eventually break the power of those that were out to kill his people, the Israelites.

The principle of the child of the Nile is "the one who is born in the slaughter is going to be the one who overturns it."





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So, in America do we have a “child of the Nile?”

Well, we do. That is Amy Coney Barrett the last Supreme Court Justice, whose vote was the one vote that was needed to overturn Roe v Wade.

Amy Coney Barrett was born in that crucial period when they legalized the killing of children, she could have been killed. She was born in that three-year period from 1970 to the decision of Roe v Wade. In fact, she was born right during when Roe v Wade was being heard in the Supreme Court. So, she is the “child in the Nile” who grows up and enters the Supreme Court and casts the crucial deciding vote to overturn Roe V Wade. And when does she do it? She does it in her Jubilee year of 50.

The message is God is in charge, all the time and exactly in time.

The January 6 Capital Demonstration

There is a “template” that God has ordained for our leaders to follow without the leaders even knowing it.

Donald Trump is following the template of the former Jewish king Jehu who overthrew the wicked kings Ahaziah of Judah and Ahab of Israel to rid the country of the worship of Paganism. Jehu, who was an unpredictable leader and not very revered, vied for the throne against the former Queen Jezebel who was in the political limelight in her country for 20 years and was heavily favored to win. In his vying for the throne Jehu makes an alliance with the religious conservatives of his time to help him win. Jehu asks of the religious conservatives to join him in his chariot. Against all odds Jehu wins the Kingship and the throne.

Donald Trump, the enigmatic, pompous and strong-willed businessman turned politician who out of nowhere came into power by defeating the former and heavily favored first lady Hillary Clinton who herself was in the political limelight of the U.S. political scene for 20 years, recreated what King Jehu did thousands of years before. Trump makes an alliance with the religious conservatives to help him win. Trump asks a religious conservative Mike Pence to join him on the party podium. And Trump wins the presidency against all odds.

Trump’s agenda was to “drain the swamp” of the capital

city and Jehu’s agenda was to rid the kingdom of the worship of the Pagan God Baal.

Here is God’s parallel template for a shaking event. Jehu calls a meeting of his supporters to the Temple of Baal where there is child sacrifice made and has them go into the Temple and disrupt the proceedings. The Bible says that 80 men went into the Temple to disrupt the event.

In the U.S., the place where abortion was legalized is the U.S. Capital Building, which was designed in the image of the religious temples in the ancient world.

On Jan 6 at the U.S. Capital Building, after the demonstration, the capital police reported that 80 people were arrested in the Capital Building.

When Jehu rose into power the Temple of Baal fell.

When Donald Trump announced his candidacy, two months later, an ancient Temple of Baal in Syria fell (collapsed to the ground). During his presidency, with the help of his three appointed conservative Supreme Court Justices, the practice of abortion is outlawed, figurately destroying the modern Temple of Baal in the U.S.

Just before Trump was about to rise in political power, in the presidential election between he and Hillary Clinton (one of the issues being abortion in the election), the arch of the Temple of Baal that collapsed in Syria appeared in New York City in front of the city hall. There was a Pagan like ceremony around the arch with a sign that said “Temple of Baal” that was filmed by Jonathn Cahn. The ceremony of Baal was linked to child sacrifice (which is professed by the Pagan God Baal).

Later when Trump appoints the conservative Justice Kavanaugh (who opposes abortion) to the Supreme Court, a recreation of the arch of the Temple of Baal appears in front of the Capital Building in Washington DC in which the hearings on abortion were being conducted at the time.

In the Bible Jehu brings down the Temple of Baal which was where the sacrifices of children were conducted.

In the modern era, the U.S. Capital Building is the Temple of Baal where modern day abortion was ruled to be legal.





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Trump was the president who brought in the conservative justices to the Supreme Court who overturned abortion in the land and thus figurately brings down the modern Temple of Baal in the U.S.

The Ancient Hebrew Shaking Calendar

For every “shaking” from Covid and later, there is a corresponding day Holy Day in the Hebrew calendar.

In the Bible, the only Holy Day that has to do with a plague over a country (Egypt during Moses) and a lockdown where the Jews were forbidden to venture outside during the plague is the Passover.

In Israel, the most intense period of the Covid plague in 2020 happened during Passover when the Jewish people were observing it. This is the first time in 3,000 years (from the time of Moses) that the Israeli government tells its people to stay in their homes.

The next shaking day experienced on the exact day was Shavuot (also known in Greek as Pentecost) the time of the anointing and the baptism of fire in the form of judgement.

As Shavuot comes to America on May 28 in the year of shaking during Covid, there are riots throughout the land and American cities go up in flames during the summer of Rage. That was the night the police station went up in flames.

The next one to happen is the Feast of the Trumpets or the Day of Judgment in which the Jewish people believe that God sits on that day and passes judgment over the people for that year. On that day of the Feast of Trumpets or Day of Judgment, Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg passes away. And just as sundown comes, they announce her passing. That was the very event that opened the door for Amy Coney Barrett to be appointed to the Supreme Court to overturn Roe V Wade. The Feast of Trumpets Day is the day that God says start repenting of your evil, turn from you evil ways. One can say it was on that day that the nation began turning from its evil ways of abortion. On that day as the Jewish people were praying for God to remove the evil from their nation, the change of Supreme Court Justices came into being.

An event that shows God has a sense of humor

More than two years before, Jonathan Cahn planned to hold a Day of National Day of Prayer and Repentance in the month of September in Washington DC. Cahn named it the Day of Return. The event was held in the National Mall and Daystar Broadcasting did the filming and everyone was praying. But no one realized that it was the day of the ancient calendar of Israel called Shabbat Shuva which means literally the day of the Return. So, they had the Day of the Return on the Day of the Return of God without knowing it. But coincidentally, on that day President Trump decides to announce the person who will replace Ruth Bader Ginsburg to the Supreme Court (who is Amy Coney Barrett) at the White House. So, the Day that begins the overturning of Roe v Wade is the day of turning that God appointed as the day for the Turning of the Nation (which President Trump did not realize at the time). And to show how exact God is, on that day at the conclusion of the Day of Return event, Johathan Cahn calls for six people to come on stage and blow 6 Shofars (Jewish Holy Trumpet) on stage to officially seal all the prayers for the past 50 years to let the power of God go forth. And so, the 6 Shofars were blown. The time that happened was at 5 O’ Clock, 4 minutes and 33 seconds.

Meanwhile at the White House, the American Jehu President Trump, standing next to Amy Coney Barrett, the child of the Nile, announces his appointment of Barrett which sets in motion what will become the overturning of Roe v Wade. President Trump’s announcement came at 5 O’ Clock, 4 minutes and 33 seconds. The exact same second that the 6 Shofars were blown at the Day of Return event across town.

Jonathan Cahn wished he could have had a perfect number of 7 Shofars blown at the event. But he then realized there were 7 Trumpets blown, The Presidents name is Trump which means Trumpet. When the president opened his mouth, it was the 7th Trumpet sounding in the year of Jubilee. So, Jonathan Cahn says it was no accident that the president himself has the name Trump in the year of Jubilee.

So why is the book called the Josiah Manifesto?

Josiah was the 16th King of Judah (c. 640–609 BCE). According to the Hebrew Bible, he instituted major religious reforms by removing official worship of gods other than Yahweh. Josiah is credited by most biblical scholars with



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having established or compiled important Hebrew scriptures during the "Deuteronomic reform" which probably occurred during his rule. Josiah became king of the Kingdom of Judah at the age of eight, after the assassination of his father, King Amon. Josiah reigned for 31 years, from 641/640 to 610/609 BCE.

Jonathan Cahn named the book the Josiah Manifesto because Cahn believes Josiah came at a time when his nation and its culture was dark. The country was killing children. They were sexually immoral, and yet Josiah was a light to his country. He changed their core and history by bringing down the temples of the pagan gods Baal, the possessor, Ishtar, the harlot and Malik, the destroyer. Literally one man went against the flow. Cahn believes God is calling us to live as Josiah, to be believers of a new generation. And so Chan has written the last 100 pages of the book to cover what he believes are the secrets of Josiah. Cahn believes God is pointing us to these secrets that enabled Josiah not to get tainted by the darkness around him and allowed him to breakdown the altars of his culture and of his life with powers anointed from God to face the end times. What are the powers? How do we protect our families? What do we do if the government tells us we have to disobey God? What are the keys and the secrets that we need to prevail? Cahn says we need these lessons because Cahn believes this could be our greatest hour when things become their darkest.

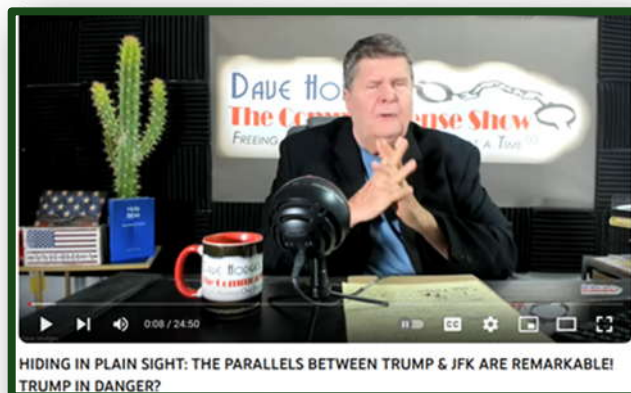
These lessons are for everyone. Not just for super pastors or super authors but for everyone.

I heartily recommend you read the *Josiah Manifesto*.

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HIDING IN PLAIN SIGHT: THE PARALLELS BETWEEN TRUMP & JFK ARE REMARKABLE! TRUMP IN DANGER?

Nov 24, 2023



Are there parallels between what JFK was embroiled in that led to his assassination and what surrounds Donald Trump today?

According to Dave Hodges, he believes so. On his *Common Sense Show* that aired Nov 24, 2023, he divulged why he thinks Trump is now in big jeopardy.

THE FOLLOWING IS A TRANSCRIPT OF HIS STATEMENTS ON THAT SHOW:

“Donald Trump is in very grave danger, not just legally but for his life. And if they can’t get him politically, once he is out of politics, they will destroy him financially. He has already spent \$20 million on his legal defense.

The Dangerous Parallels of Trump and JFK

But to best understand what Donald Trump is now going through, we can simply look at what John F. Kennedy went through with the same type of forces having the same mentality and what JFK experienced and suffered.

Let's look at it. JFK verses the Deep State. Six reasons that separated John Kennedy from the Deep State of his time, how they led to JFK's demise and then how that relates to Donald Trump and the Deep State today.

One: Kennedy refused to bring the country into combat in South Vietnam. He announced in early 1963 in the National Security Memorandums 222, 223, 224 that the US would have all troops out of South Vietnam but instead would provide continued Aid. President Diem and his brother agreed with this because they did not want to be colonized by America. They wanted the military help, and they appreciated it, and so the Diem brothers and Kennedy were on the same page.

But then the Diem brothers were assassinated by the CIA in the first week of November 1963, and then Kennedy was assassinated on November 22. And then suddenly things changed and nine months later, there are 100,000 ground troops in South Vietnam after the false flag Gulf of Tonkin incident brings the US into combat in Vietnam.

It is no secret that Vietnam made a lot of money for the military industrial complex, Bell Helicopter, Rockefeller Industries, the banks and many other large and small corporate and financial interests in America. The media shared in the largesse and attention professing in the news that we must stop Communism from spreading and prevent the proverbial dominos in the Domino theory from falling.

Chrysler Corporation got 90% of all US defense contracts for the Vietnam War and they farmed them out. Guess who owned Chrysler Corporation in 1963? David Rockefeller.

But the Domino Theory was a false claim. Nuclear Weapons negate the Domino Theory. We threw away 58,000 American lives and 4 million Vietnamese just so some people and institutions in the Deep State could get a little richer.

Does Trump have an equivalent Vietnam issue? Yes, he does.

The Deep State wanted a full-fledged war to break out in Ukraine. Trump blocked the war. A lot of people don't know about this. This is part of the reason he was impeached. Trump told Zelinsky that he should not get involved in the issues with Russia and Zelinsky initially agreed with Trump. The Democrats then went after Trump, not because Trump was pushing for Zelinsky to investigate Biden and his son Hunter during a July 25 phone call, but that Trump was blocking a war, that eventually happened on Biden's watch. In Trump's final year he was drawing down in Afghanistan to the chagrin of the military industrial complex. They did not want that. This was Trump's Vietnam.

Issue #2 Above the Ground Nuclear Testing. Nikita Khrushchev (through emissaries like Norman Cousins) and John Kennedy, wanted to stop above ground nuclear testing. Russia could not afford it and Kennedy said no to above ground nuclear testing. He asked, why are we making people richer and the environment more toxic? This would be the ultimate climate change violation. This created the situation where the military industrial complex was going to lose a lot of money. Did Trump have the equivalent issue of nuclear testing. No, he did not. But the issue is not about nuclear testing as it is about whatever you can do in the military industrial complex to waste more money and build more stuff. Trump tried to get the military more efficient, and he hardened the forces, he improved the military efficiency, but he did not do it with wasteful spending. He did not like that.

John Kennedy and Nikita Khrushchev were writing notes back and forth to each other which were complimentary and have become public now. "We have fundamental differences, but we agree on one thing, we don't want to go to war. We need to learn how to tolerate each other, work with each other, put limits on our own desires, so we don't end up in a war." Well, that's not what the military industrial complex wanted, that's not what the CIA wanted, it's not what the generals in the Pentagon wanted. They were "pissed" at Kennedy.

Kennedy was trying to end the Cold War. Trump was trying to end conflict in the Middle East. He had the Saudis where he wanted them, he had Israel in check, he had Afghanistan in check. He had Pakistan so scared they did not know whether to poop or wind their watch. He was very effective, and this was Trump's equivalent action to calming down the Cold War.



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This was NOT what the military industrial complex wanted. They want perpetual war. And for most of our history they have had their way.

Issue #3 The Federal Reserve. First, the Federal Reserve is not Federal, and it does not have reserves. This is a huge ongoing misnomer. It is not a government organization. They pose as one, but it has nothing to do with the government. They operate independently. Did you know the president does not get to pick the head of the Federal Reserve. In a roundabout way he does, but not so. The Federal Reserve nominates 5 candidates, and the president selects one of them to be the head. For any other agency, the president selects the head without any qualifications.

The Federal Reserve is a powerful agency. They decide how much money there will be, they decide what the interest rate will be, they operate outside of the control of congress, outside of the control of the president, the Supreme Court is too chicken to do anything with or against them. So, they are totally independent and autonomous and can wreck our economy which they are now doing with their high interest rates and their effect on bonds, retirement accounts, 401k's, and IRA's which have lost 25% of their value. The Federal Reserve is harmful and controlled by men who want power, wealth and influence. In 1913, the Federal Reserve came to power illegitimately through false pretenses, by sending congress home so that a secret cabal could have just enough votes to pass a law bringing the Federal Reserve into existence. If you read the book "*The Creature from Jekel Island*" you will understand what happened. It's a great book.

John Kennedy had a plan. He was not going to allow these guys to wreck our economy when they felt like it to their benefit. So, Kennedy started to print \$4 billion of silver certificates. Suddenly, now this was like the Bitcoin of the day. The Federal Reserve had no answer. People liked the certificates; business liked the certificates. Wall Street liked the certificates. They didn't like the stranglehold that the Federal Reserve had on the economy.

And when Kennedy was suddenly killed, President Johnson totally reversed and cancelled all of the silver certificates. Surprise, surprise. Just like he reversed Vietnam, just like he reversed nuclear testing, just like he initiated the largest nuclear arms proliferation in history.

The Federal Reserve and Donald Trump. He did not take on the Federal Reserve directly. He did something better. The Federal Reserve almost had their way. There was an

agreement that passed Congress. Congress was not allowed to read it. They only allowed the speaker of the house and globalist RINO Paul Ryan to read it. And then they passed it. Can you believe it? Would you sign a contract that you did not read? Would you sign a contract to purchase a car or house without reading it? Who in their right mind would allow something to be passed without reading it. This contract was the Transpacific Partnership, the TPP. And it was drawn up during the Obama years for Hillary Clinton to finalize. Because that is how convinced they were that she was going to win the election.

Trump comes in and he says No to the TPP. Let me tell you what the TPP would have done. It masqueraded as a "trade agreement." In part it was but the real thrust of it was to enable America to be run by a 22-member business panel that is not answerable to congress, not answerable to the Supreme Court and not answerable to the president of the United States. Trump came in and said, nope this is done! He saved us from a corporate oligarchical dictatorship. He was more effective in this than John Kennedy who tried to create competition to the Federal Reserve and their dollar. Trump came in and just said you are not doing this. And do you know how much press this got? Nothing. I (Dave Hodges) covered it incessantly. Some of my colleagues covered it but not enough.

4 Oil Taxes. For the next one, I don't have a parallel for Trump, but it deserves to be mentioned. David Rockefeller (Chrysler Corporation, Bell Helicopter, Vietnam, nuclear testing, ran the New York Fed, which is part of the Federal Reserve, involved in the military industrial complex and so forth) was becoming a very powerful enemy of Kennedy. Now Kennedy was faced with a big decision. The oil industry proposed a 100% deduction when they drilled for oil and didn't find it. No other business gets this. They called it the "Oil Depletion Allowance" Kennedy was opposed to it. He wanted to totally obliterate it but finally he cut it in half. That "pissed off" the oil industry like never before. Who controlled oil in 1963? The Rockefellers. Do you see a pattern here?

Donald Trump does not have a parallel for this, except for one thing. You can make an analogy and say that for businesses that were going overseas and hiring 10-year-old kids not to go to school and work for 10 cents an hour in the sweatshops in the Pacific Rim nations, Trump said no, no we are stopping that. But we will give you an incentive. If you manufacture it in America, you will get great tax breaks. Go over there, we will kill you. Your taxes are going to eat you up. The tariffs we are going to impose are



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going to be horrendous. That would be the closest parallel for Trump.

#5 Starting a War. Finally, Trump would not let the war start that was brewing in Ukraine. This war had its roots in 2014. This was well covered by me (Dave Hodges) in previous articles. Trump blocked that war. Trump calmed tensions in the Middle East and avoided another war there. But the military industrial complex wanted everything to be a bloodletting. Trump wouldn't give it to them.

The parallel. Allen Dulles was head of the CIA. Totally out of control, like it is today. The CIA initiated the Bay of Pigs operation in Cuba to overthrow Castro against Kennedy's orders. The CIA put Kennedy in a midnight position where he had to decide whether to provide air cover or no air cover for the operation. Kennedy decides no we are not doing it. We are not risking a war with the Soviet Union over the Bay of Pigs. And so the invasion failed on the beach and Kennedy's enemies piled up. That was big and the Pentagon hated him. The Joint Chiefs of Staff wanted his job.

And then there was the Cuban Missile Crisis. Kennedy avoided nuclear war. They wanted Kennedy to invade Cuba and send 100,000 troops. If they did, the troops probably would have all been killed because Cuba had limited nuclear weapons at that point because we now know they were already smuggled into the country. The Pentagon should have had egg on their face, but they didn't. The Pentagon hated Kennedy, they thought he was a traitor and that we were soft on Communism. He took the sting out of war, just like Trump did and in doing so made very powerful enemies.

So when you want to look at motive for the assassination of JFK, and if you are one that says, yes there are a lot of things in the weeds that we need to look at, I would say this:

Like Kennedy, like Trump, the parallels are scary. Six Deep State Issues with Donald Trump, Six Deep State Issues with John Kennedy.

I pray that history does not repeat itself.

#6 Affairs. Kennedy had two affairs. I am convinced that unbeknownst to him, the women's backgrounds were not

known. One woman was Ingrid Arvid. She had been a member of the Nazi party. The OSS later to be the CIA brought her husband here to the US to work on the nuclear bomb. Ingrid and her husband became estranged, and she had an affair with John Kennedy while he was in the military service. J Edgar Hoover was tailing her at the time. As John was the son of Joe Kennedy, the former ambassador to England, Hoover tells Joe Kennedy to have your son John stop seeing Ingrid. John would not listen, so they transfer him to South Carolina from Washington DC. But Ingrid would take a train every weekend to South Carolina to see John. So, they transfer John to the South Pacific where he is awarded a medal for bravery in combat and becomes well known. Without that he might not have become president which would probably have saved his life.

So, in 1963 they were going to bring out this affair to destroy him. As it turns out, and I (Dave Hodges) have never been able to confirm this happened although my friend the late Jim Mars believed it to be true, that JFK had an affair with an East German Spy.

And this reminds me of what they are trying to do to Trump. There are four cases against Trump now in court. In these cases, they have nothing against Trump. But they are trying to keep him from campaigning.

The difference between 1963 and 2023 (60 years later), is that in the case of Kennedy, they forego the legalities and went straight for the kill. With Trump at least they are going through the legalities they have. But the direction curve is quite clear. This what history tells us is next. People don't want to hear this. But you look at history and it is pointing in the same direction. I have a sick feeling in my stomach.

And here is why this is important and why I did this explanation today. If we can get a million views, then people could say, I am not going to believe that lone assassin story anymore. JFK, MLK, RFK, I am not going to believe it. This limits the options of the other side. They have to have plausible deniability to get away with any executive action like this. So, what I am saying to you, if we look at motive, we have established that.

Will it come to fruition? If history is the judge, the answer is yes. Number one we can pray. Number two you can share this information as far as you can. Because, my opinion is (and I believe a lot of you agree with me) the

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Left will stop at nothing to keep power. And I think the question you have to ask yourself is, what is it they won't do? These days, the Left is saying Trump will execute his enemies. Trump never gave an anti-democratic speech with a red background with Marines standing in a threatening pose like Joe Biden's anti MAGA speech in September of 2022. Trump never did that. But the Democrats have. Trump never declared that Democrats were nothing but domestic terrorists while he was in office. But Biden has declared his political enemies to be domestic terrorists while in office just for daring to disagree with him. Trump never had people kick down the doors of people who opposed his policies. But Biden has had the DOJ and FBI do that. So, I ask you a very important question, what will the Democrats and the Uni-party allies with them not do to hang on to power? Personally, I see no limits. What's your thought? "

End of Hodges Transcription

I hope you found this transcript informative, thought-provoking and that it has piqued your interest in finding out more about what is really happening in and to our government today. Mind you, in our government it's both sides that are guilty of nefarious acts. Their purpose is obvious, to secure maximum control, power and wealth for themselves and their principals at the expense of everyone else.

So shouldn't we find out what is really going on so that we can protect ourselves before its too late?

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