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*"We will walk on our own feet; we will work with our own hands; we will speak our own minds ..."*



## SECRETARY'S NOTE for August 30, 2023

By Mary Sears

Dear Patriots,

We live in a world where the ability to communicate seems to become more and more obtuse. I have tried for many years now not to use general or umbrella terms like liberal, conservative, fascism, socialism, etc. because an individual's understanding of terms depends on where he grew up, what kind of education he has or on what political side he falls on.

Today, our society struggles even with the most simplistic of definitions like those of woman or man. Man, as in the human race, is, without God, unable to determine right from wrong. He can and will, convince himself even the most atrocious actions and behaviors are in fact normal and worthy of praise and encouragement. America and the rest of western society has removed Christ from His rightful place as the head of nations and replaced themselves and their feelings in His place.

Since God was thrown out of the classroom as well as the town square, America has been searching for a new meaning for truth and like a boat without a rudder, they struggle to place the proverbial line in the sand. There no longer is truth but only one's perception, of any situation, creating an ever-darkening unearthly chaos destined to erupt in tribalistic social wars.

The only evil seen by the global humanist masses are of course, Christians who dare stand up and say that there is a Truth, there is a right and wrong and 2 + 2 must always equal 4. They are beginning to feel the wrath of those who refuse to be reoriented to natural realisms and demand that the world play along with their delusions, no matter how destructive the outcome for both them and society.

The Church with its alleged closeness to the Word of God should be the light shining in the darkness but instead we see a church for all flavors, leaving Truth at the door and adopting the perverse ideas of modern western society. Its anything goes attitude because its loose definition of "God forgives" has allowed sin to run rampant within the once hallowed walls.

Paul said in Romans 6 12:18

*12 Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body, that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof.*

*13 Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God.*

*14 For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law, but under grace.*

*15 What then? shall we sin, because*

*we are not under the law, but under grace? God forbid.*

*16 Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?*

*17 But God be thanked, that ye were the servants of sin, but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you.*

*18 Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness.*

I believe it to be evident that the Bible does not want churches to be tolerant of sinful behavior but to enlighten those that sit in their pews to the depths of depravity of our current society and teach them to guard themselves and their families from sin masquerading as normal and acceptable.

The churches must return to being the guardians of society. Steadfast in their Faith teaching their members to put on the full armor of God and stand firm on His Truth.

We are headed into a time of unsurpassed turmoil. The road ahead is treacherous but God who is forever faithful, will Shepard His people through.

Have a great end to your summer.

In Liberty, m

## WHY ARE GOOD MEN TARGETED?

The Honorable Curt Weldon | United States Representative, [R-PA, 7th District]

I have never alleged any wrong doing, conspiracy or cover-up. However, I have been bewildered by the response to Able Danger -- both by the 9-11 Commission and the Pentagon. Fundamental questions need to be answered --

1. Why was Able Danger a historically insignificant event even though we knew that Al Qaeda was responsible for

- o 1993 Bombing on World Trade Center
- o Khobar Towers
- o Embassy Bombings in Africa
- o USS COLE

2. Who ordered the destruction of 2.5 terabytes of data about Al Qaeda and why?

3. Any why wasn't the customer at SOCOM ever consulted or briefed?

4. Who stopped the meetings between the FBI and Able Danger personnel in September 2000 and why?

5. What was the extent of the 3 hour brief provided to General Shelton in January 2001 regarding Able Danger?

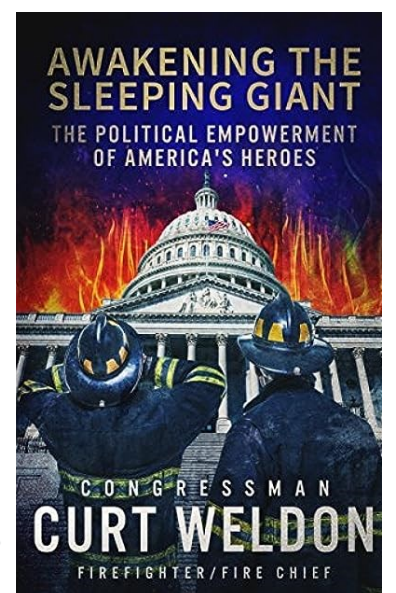
6. Why did the 9/11 Commission change their response several times when queried about Able Danger and attempt to spin Able Danger based on misinformation?

7. Why have threats been made to Able Danger witnesses who were simply telling their stories?

As it stands now, the 9/11 story has not been fully examined and told. The families of the victims and the American people deserve answers and we must not stop until we get them.

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### KEWEENAW EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS ALLIANCE (KEPA)

*No meetings until autumn! Be safe and vigilant!!!*

NARA Chalet in Houghton



**Energy Sec Granholm secretly consulted top CCP energy official before SPR releases | Jianhua was an executive at the state-run China Petrochemical Corporation which purchased oil released from US reserves last year**

By Thomas Catenacci | Fox News | **Published August 4, 2023**

**EXCLUSIVE:** Energy Secretary Jennifer Granholm engaged in multiple conversations with the Chinese government's top energy official days before the Biden administration announced it would tap the Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) to combat high gas prices in 2021.

Granholm's previously-undisclosed talks with China National Energy Administration Chairman Zhang Jianhua — revealed in internal Energy Department calendars obtained by Americans for Public Trust (APT) and shared with Fox News Digital — reveal that the Biden administration likely discussed its plans to release oil from the SPR with China before its public announcement.

According to the calendars, Granholm spoke in one-on-one conversations with Jianhua, who is a longstanding senior member of the Chinese Communist Party, on Nov. 19, 2021, and two days later on Nov. 21, 2021. Then, on Nov. 23, 2021, the White House announced a release of 50 million barrels of oil from the SPR, the largest release of its kind in U.S. history at the time.

"Secretary Granholm's multiple closed-door meetings with a CCP-connected energy official raise serious questions about the level of Chinese influence on the Biden administration's energy agenda," APT Executive Director Caitlin Sutherland told Fox News Digital.

"Instead of focusing on creating real energy independence for America, Granholm has been too busy parroting Chinese energy propaganda and insisting 'we can all learn from what China is doing,'" Sutherland continued. "The public deserves to know the extent to which Chinese officials are attempting to infiltrate U.S. energy policy and security."

In a statement, the DOE said the meeting was broadly part of the agency's effort to combat climate change, but didn't share what was discussed at the meeting.

"Solving the climate crisis means engaging with competitors and allies in clear and substantive discussions — especially among the nations emitting the most carbon pollution into the atmosphere," a DOE spokesperson told Fox News Digital. "We must all address the transnational challenge of climate change to our planet."



Energy Secretary Jennifer Granholm speaks about the Biden administration's decision to tap the Strategic Petroleum Reserve during a press briefing at the White House on Nov. 23, 2021.

((Photo by Brendan Smialowski / AFP) (Photo by BRENDAN SMIALOWSKI/AFP via Getty Images))

As part of its announcement in November 2021, the White House said it was releasing oil from U.S. reserves in conjunction with "other major energy consuming nations including China." However, President Biden said in remarks after the announcement that China "may do more as well" and Granholm told reporters during a press briefing that China "will make its own announcement."

Republican leaders have warned that China, instead of releasing oil stocks, has increased its own reserves since Biden and Granholm's announcement in November 2021. They have argued the SPR releases weakened U.S. national security and bolstered foreign adversaries' "geopolitical leverage."

"China ramped up its purchases of crude oil from Russia and the United States to boost its own reserves, even as oil prices surged and President Biden called for a coordinated release," House Energy and Commerce Chair Cathy McMorris Rodgers, R-Wash., and former GOP Rep. Fred Upton wrote to Granholm last year.

"As a result, China may now control the world's largest stockpile of oil, with total crude inventories estimated at 950 million barrels," they added.

In addition, the White House and Department of Energy has been heavily criticized for allowing SPR sales to flow to Chinese state-run energy companies. The White House then fired back in July 2022, arguing that its hands were tied since it is legally required to sell SPR oil to the highest bidder.

The administration has sold at least two million barrels of oil from the SPR to Unipech, an affiliate of the state-controlled China Petrochemical Corporation. Jianhua, who met with Granholm in 2021, served in a leadership role for years at the China Petrochemical Corporation, Reuters previously reported.

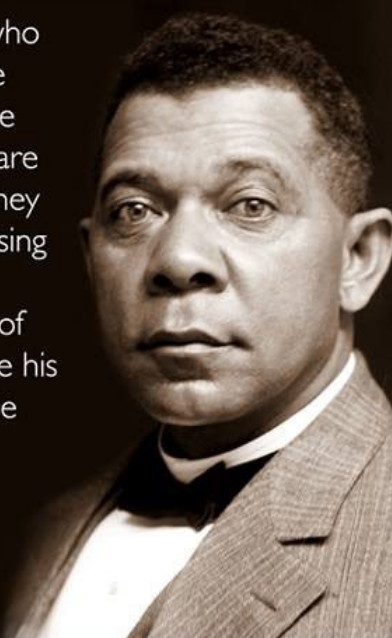
The first such sale was part of a 20-million-barrel SPR sale awarded to eight companies in September 2021. The other two — both sales for 950,000 barrels of oil — came in April 2022 and July 2022, respectively.

"China is profiting from President Biden's political abuse of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve," Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee Ranking member John Barrasso, R-Wyo., said earlier this year. "Meanwhile, America has become more vulnerable to true energy and national security emergencies."


Overall, Biden has ordered the Department of Energy to release a total of about 260 million barrels of oil stored in the SPR since taking office to combat record fuel prices hitting American consumers. In late March 2022, the president announced a draw-down of a million barrels per day from the SPR after Russia invaded Ukraine, roiling global energy markets.

The SPR's level has fallen to about 346.8 million barrels of oil, the lowest level since August 1983, according to Energy Information Administration data released on July 28. The current level is also 43% lower than its level recorded days prior to the November 2021 release.

“There is another class of coloured people who make a business of keeping the troubles, the wrongs, and the hardships of the Negro race before the public. Having learned that they are able to make a living out of their troubles, they have grown into the settled habit of advertising their wrongs — partly because they want sympathy and partly because it pays. Some of these people do not want the Negro to lose his grievances, because they do not want to lose their jobs.”




- Booker T. Washington (1865–1915)  
Educator, author, orator, advisor to American presidents, former slave



I'm tired of liberals dividing this country up into little groups, setting them upon each other, breeding spite and envy, and then having the nerve to accuse conservatives of hatred.

- Allen West  
(NCPA President & CEO)





## The Preponderance:

By Jim Hafeman



No one can explain why a person, educated or not-so-much, would vote for a Democrat. However, what we know is that a majority of people with an above average intelligence refuse to identify as a Democrat, therefore, smart people will never run as Democrat.

That single analysis provides an insight to the reason why very ignorant people vote for very stupid people on the Democratic Party's ticket.

There are no options for descension among those on the left, so with central planning in place to alleviate any inclination of free thought and speech, Democrats successfully herded their supporters toward common goals; ensuring elitists are placed in-charge to rule over the civilian population, those non-civilians, government employees, fall in line to operate as an entrenched Gestapo force to help fabricate, blame, convict and incarcerate opposition forces in unison with America's Pravda media.

Questioning any leftists, especially anything regarding their commitment to both vote-integrity and election honesty, will end up having indictments blowing from the anuses of the American Nazis across the political landscape like diarrhea on the sidewalks of San Francisco.

The plantation prosecutors put-out-front by the Democrats to do their dirty work against at the state-level have conspired to attack President Trump for his unwillingness to suck -up to entrenched elitists on the left. Are the Democrats' tactics a flashback from their days slave whippers, only now they use the power and authority of government at all levels, including courts?

To paraphrase an old adage, *they came for the conservatives, but I did not speak-out because I wasn't a conservative. They came for the Christians, but I did not speak out because I wasn't a Christian. Then they came for my children and no one was left to speak for them.*

So now comes RFK, Jr. in his delusional bid to be a nominee of the Democratic Party for President; he learned nothing from Bernie "The Marxist" Sanders. It's time to wave a farewell to the extreme leftist Party and run as an Independent. RFK, Jr. would fit the bill under the Libertarian Party banner in many aspects; watch the video after getting through Huckabee's blathering ineptitude dialogue about his viewers to his viewers.

Just as the Democrat-planted Republicans blocked Alan Keys, Herman Cain and Larry Elders from their debate stages, RFK, Jr. will be nothing more than a sideshow prop if he doesn't ween himself off the DNC.

Politics is a fickle beast. RNC reappoints losers before new state boards are elected, DNC represents K Street, third parties are the redheaded stepchildren of mainstream media and leftists of all ilk's are wanting to kill the will of American voters by subjecting them to the will off the leftists' states.

## Made for Relationship...And More

Genesis 2:19 and a Portrait of a Dog, Bellevue, Nebraska | Pasquale Minigarelli

*"Out of the ground the LORD God formed every beast of the field and every bird of the sky, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called a living creature, that was its name."*  
Genesis 2:19

I am going to go a little longer today, but you will probably want to read it. I have something personal I want to share with you.

### People and Animals: Created for Relationship

Genesis 2 tells us that in His original creation, God created animals with the purpose of having a relationship with people. When Adam and Eve sinned, they corrupted those relationships and eventually the fear of man entered all animals (Genesis 9). Yet even with the corruption of sin, people still sought relationships with animals. It's part of who we are and how both people and animals were created. As a result, we have forged strong bonds between some animals such as dogs.

The dog in this photo belonged to my family and me. We got him over 15-years ago and my wife and I named him Montana because of our fondness for the state.

He was our dog because God placed it in the human heart to have relationships with animals.

He was friendly to every person he met, loved to hunt and to be outside. He stood guard over our garden from any critter who dared enter our backyard.

For his efforts, we rewarded him with peas, peppers, strawberries, asparagus and other produce from our garden that he loved to eat.



### Two More Bible Verses

Before I tell you more about our dog Montana, I want to quote two more Bible passages. *"God blessed them; and God said to them, 'Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it; and rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over every living thing that moves on the earth.'" Genesis 1:28*

Romans 8:19-21, *"For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God. For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. (ESV)"*

Genesis 1:28 (and 1:26) tells us that God made us stewards over the rest of His creatures and He gave us responsibility over them. The passage in Romans tells us that all creation suffering is due to human sin and creation looks forward to the day that its suffering will end.

### Relationship and Biblical Responsibility

The morning of August 11, 2023, my family practiced our Biblical responsibility over our dog Montana, with whom we had a loving relationship with, and set him free from his suffering.

Shortly after 1 AM that morning, my wife and I were awakened by a thud in the kitchen. When we got there our dog was struggling to get up. It turns out he was in the midst of a violent seizure. As he moved around uncontrollably his head flopped. I grabbed him and held him. I didn't want his head to strike the floor. I struggled to hold it as he thrashed about for more than 15 minutes. The seizure finally calmed down but lingered on through

minor tremors and rapid eye movement for another 20-minutes. Those eventually stopped.

Our kids woke up with the commotion and saw him lying on some towels on the kitchen floor. They asked what happened. We told them. Fortunately, they didn't see him suffer the seizure.

We took the top off his kennel and placed him inside it and put him next to our couch. I stayed on the couch with my hand on his head the rest of the night. He laid there with his eyes opened just looking around. He never went to sleep (nor did I). He just stayed there and looked around and sometimes moved his head a bit but did not move much.

The long seizure left him completely immobile. He never recovered. At 7:30 am My wife, kids and I gently loaded his kennel in our SUV and brought him to the vet. Shortly after 8 AM, the vet gave him an injection to free him from his body and he was gone. He was less than one month shy of being 16-years old.

### Creation Waits

In Romans 8, the Apostle Paul says creation waits "in hope" that it will obtain *"the freedom of the glory of the children of God."* When the Apostle Paul uses the word *hope* (ekthemi in the original Greek) in reference to eternity, he proclaims that hope is in something that will definitely happen. (Colossians 1: 5, 23, 27). He tells us in Romans that the creation waits to live free again in relationship with the children of God. After all, that was God's original purpose in Genesis 2.

Because of these Bible verses and because God is just and loving, I believe my family and I will see our Montana again. When we do, he will be set free from his bondage and suffering and living in glory with the children of God. Amen and Praise God.

If you ever lost a beloved pet, take "hope" in these Bible verses as we do.



# Paw Prints in the Snow Ode to CJ

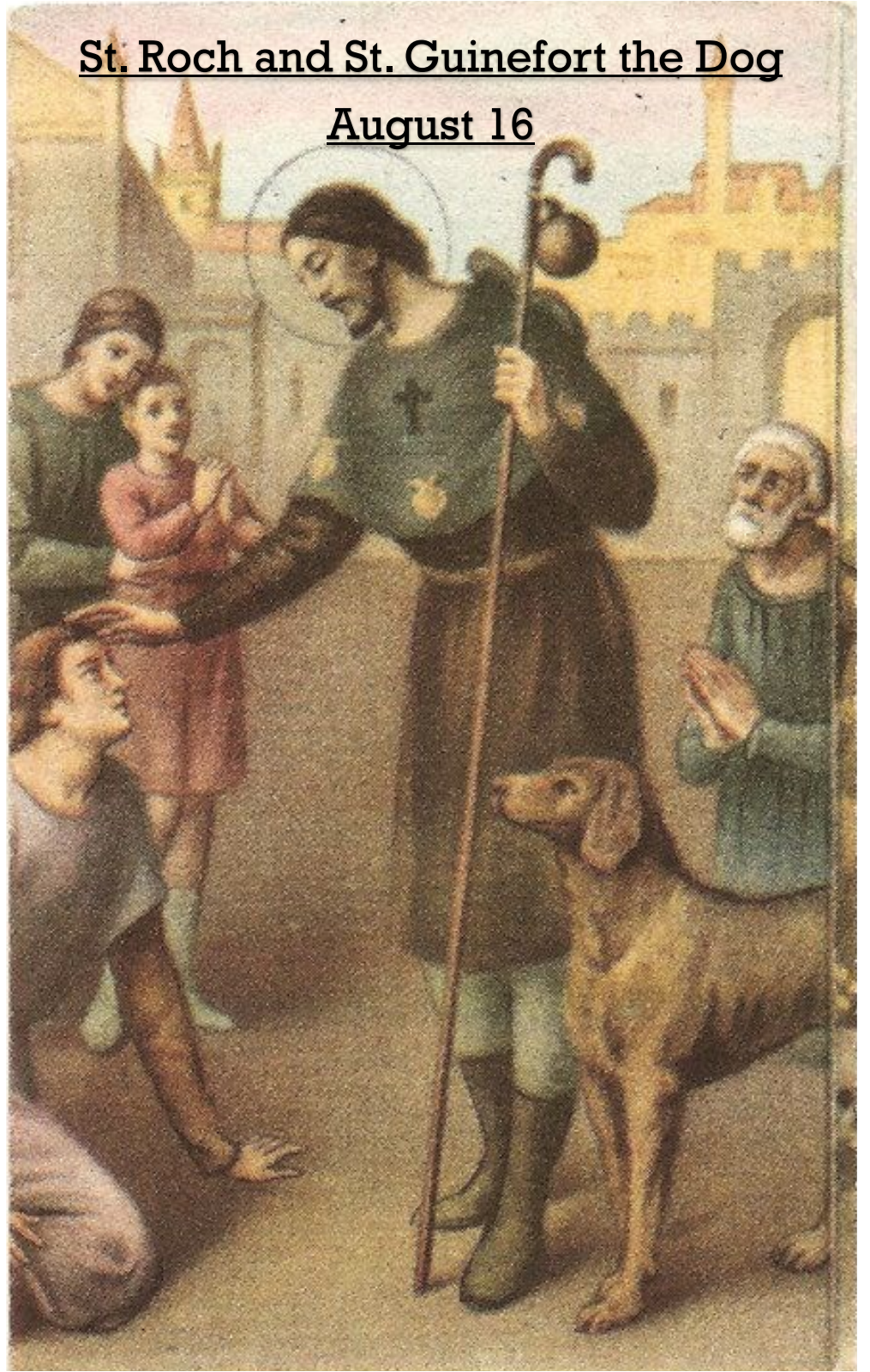
There they were, his paw prints in the snow.  
His final prints we wouldn't know.  
Paw prints in the snow after his trip to the vet.  
We still had hope, but just weren't sure yet.

Then late that evening his breaths became shallow.  
He climb-up on the sofa and soon took his last swallow.  
Finally at peace and looking content.  
Never again to greet us at the door; our CJ went.

Carrying his body to vet he'd go.  
There we looked down and saw the footprints in the snow.  
His final ride in the morning to cremate his remains.  
He'd go to the vet without any more pains.

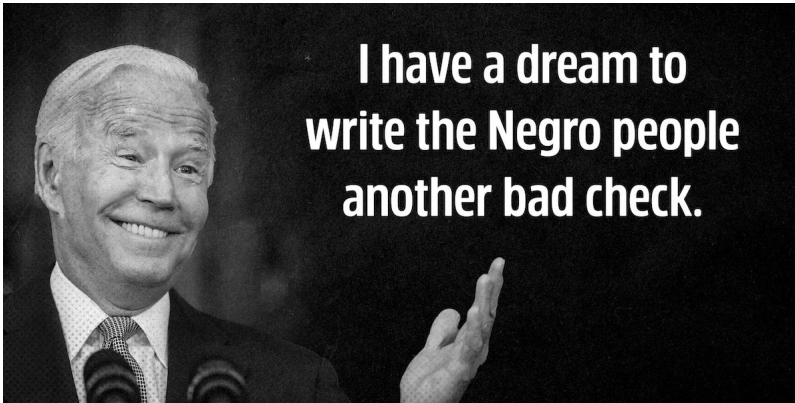
Good-bye our good and faithful friend.  
You'll be buried with one of us when we meet our end.  
Til we meet again at the water's edge to toss your toy,  
Please continue to watch over us,  
and know you shared with mommy and me,  
a great love and an eternal joy.

**CJ**  
09-14-2000 to 03-14-2014



## 1 Corinthians - Chapter 6

<sup>1</sup> Is one of you with a complaint against another so brazen as to seek judgement from sinners and not from God's holy people? <sup>2</sup> Do you not realise that the holy people of **God** are to be the **judges** of the world? And if the world is to be judged by you, are you not competent for petty cases? <sup>3</sup> Do you not realise that we shall be the **judges** of angels? - then quite certainly over matters of this life. <sup>4</sup> But when you have matters of this **life** to be judged, you bring them before those who are of no account in the Church! <sup>5</sup> I say this to make you ashamed of yourselves. Can it really be that it is impossible to find in the community one sensible **person** capable of deciding questions between brothers, <sup>6</sup> and that this is why brother goes to **law** against brother, and that before unbelievers? <sup>7</sup> No; it is a fault in you, by itself, that one of you should go to **law** against another at all: why do you not prefer to suffer injustice, why not prefer to be defrauded? <sup>8</sup> And here you are, doing the **injustice** and the defrauding, and to your own brothers. <sup>9</sup> Do you not realise that people who do **evil will** never inherit the kingdom of God? Make no mistake -- the sexually immoral, idolaters, adulterers, the self-indulgent, sodomites, <sup>10</sup> thieves, misers, drunkards, slanderers and swindlers, **none** of these **will** inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>11</sup> Some of you used to be of that kind: but you have been washed clean, you have been sanctified, and you have been justified in the name of the **Lord Jesus Christ** and through the **Spirit** of our God.



**AP NEWS IS BANK-ROLLED BY THE LEFT**

*The massive, money-grubbing news agency is now beholden to an array of notoriously left-wing foundations.*

# Imprimis



*"The powers delegated by the proposed Constitution to the federal government are few and defined. Those which are to remain in the State governments are numerous and indefinite."*

*– James Madison, Federalist 45, 1788*

## Welcome to Hillsdale College's FREE



# **Only God Knows if America's Day in the Sun are Over**

By John Gassman

Men, like nations, think they're eternal. What man in his 20s or 30s doesn't believe, at least subconsciously, that he'll live forever? In the springtime of youth, an endless summer beckons. As you pass 70, it's harder to hide from reality....

as you lose friends and relatives.

Nations also have seasons: Imagine a Roman of the 2nd century contemplating an empire that stretched from Britain to the Near East, thinking: This will endure forever.... Forever was about 500 years, give or take.... not bad, but gone!!

France was pivotal in the 17th and 18th centuries; now the land of Charles Martel is on its way to becoming part of the Muslim ummah.

In the 19th and early 20th centuries, the sun never set on the British empire; now Albion exists in perpetual twilight. Its 96-year-old sovereign is a fitting symbol for a nation in terminal decline.

In the 1980s, Japan seemed poised to buy the world. Business schools taught Japanese management techniques. Today, its birth rate is so low and its population aging so rapidly that an industry has sprung up to remove the remains of elderly Japanese who die alone.

I was born in 1945, almost at the midpoint of the 20th century - the American century. America's prestige and influence were never greater. Thanks to the 'Greatest Generation,' we won a World War fought throughout most of Europe, Asia, and the Pacific. We reduced Germany to rubble and put the rising sun to bed. It set the stage for almost half a century of unprecedented prosperity.

We stopped the spread of communism in Europe and Asia and fought international terrorism. We rebuilt our enemies and lavished foreign aid on much of the world. We built skyscrapers and rockets to the moon. We conquered Polio and now COVID. We explored the mysteries of the Universe and the wonders of DNA...the blueprint of life.

But where is the glory that once was Rome? America has moved from a relatively free economy to socialism - which has worked so well NOWHERE in the world.

We've gone from a republican government guided by a constitution to a regime of revolving elites. We have less freedom with each passing year. Like a signpost to the coming reign of terror, the cancel culture is everywhere. We've traded the American Revolution for the Cultural Revolution.

The pathetic creature in the White House is an empty vessel filled by his handlers. At the G-7 Summit, 'Dr. Jill' had to lead him like a child. In 1961, when we were young and vigorous, our leader was too. Now a feeble nation is technically led by the oldest man to ever serve in the presidency.

We can't defend our borders, our history (including monuments to past greatness) or our streets. Our cities have become anarchist playgrounds. We are a nation of dependents, mendicants, and misplaced charity. Homeless veterans camp in the streets while illegal aliens are put up in hotels.

The president of the United States can't even quote the beginning of the Declaration of Independence ('You know - The Thing') correctly. Ivy League graduates routinely fail history tests that 5th graders could pass a generation ago.

Crime rates soar and we blame the 2nd. Amendment and slash police budgets.

Our culture is certifiably insane. Men who think they're women. People who fight racism by seeking to convince members of one race that they're inherently evil, and others that they are perpetual victims. A psychiatrist lecturing at Yale said she fantasizes about 'unloading a revolver into the head of any white person.'

We slaughter the unborn in the name of freedom, while our birth rate dips lower year by year. Our national debt is so high that we can no longer even pretend that we will repay it one day. It's a

\$30-trillion monument to our improvidence and refusal to confront reality. Our 'entertainment' is sadistic, nihilistic, and as enduring as a candy bar wrapper thrown in the trash. Our music is noise that spans the spectrum from annoying to repulsive.

Patriotism is called an insurrection, treason celebrated, and perversion sanctified. A man in blue gets less respect than a man in a dress. We're asking soldiers to fight for a nation our leaders no longer believe in.

How meekly most of us submitted to Faucism (the regime of face masks, lockdowns, and hand sanitizers) shows the impending death of the American spirit.

How do nations slip from greatness to obscurity?

- Fighting endless wars they can't or won't win

- Accumulating massive debt far beyond their ability to repay
- Refusing to guard their borders, allowing the nation to be inundated by an alien horde
- Surrendering control of their cities to mob rule
- Allowing indoctrination of the young
- Moving from a republican form of government to an oligarchy
- Losing national identity
- Indulging indolence
- Abandoning God, faith and family - the bulwarks of any stable society.

In America, every one of these symptoms is pronounced, indicating an advanced stage of the disease.

Even if the cause seems hopeless, do we not have an obligation to those who sacrificed so much to give us what we had? I'm surrounded by ghosts urging me on: the Union soldiers who held Cemetery Ridge at Gettysburg, the battered bastards of Bastogne, those who served in the cold hell of Korea, the guys who went to the jungles of Southeast Asia and came home to be reviled or neglected.

This is the nation that took in my immigrant grandparents, whose uniform my father and most of my uncles wore in the Second World War. I don't want to imagine a world without America, even though it becomes increasingly likely.

During Britain's darkest hour, when its professional army was trapped at Dunkirk and a German invasion seemed imminent, Churchill reminded his countrymen, 'Nations that go down fighting rise again, and those that surrender tamely are finished.'

The same might be said of causes. If we let America slip through our fingers, if we lose without a fight, what will posterity say of us?

While the prognosis is far from good. Only God knows if America's day in the sun is over."

Read it and weep, forward or erase it! I read it and am now forwarding it to you, believing that we in America are at the moment in time to stand up, or let it fall! We now may soon beat the next step in our country's future. I believe that it might be closer than we think.

Dear Lord,

*Thank you for the promises that you give us in your Word. Thank you for saying that I can have peace in my heart. Thank you that I can walk away from anxiety. Help me to keep my eyes on you in the midst of all my difficulties. Help me to trust you more each day. Thank you that you are my cornerstone, that as I lean on you and believe your promises, I can be strong in my faith. You are my God, and I will learn to rest on you today. Draw me close to you as I walk through all of these situations.*

*In your name I pray, Jesus,  
Amen*







## We Have Been Sold a Lemon

By Dave Daubenmire | August 25th, 2023

Christianity is legal in America again!

Those in the used car business certainly understand the phrase "I was sold a lemon." Being sold a lemon means that the outside appearance of something does not necessarily reveal the condition on the inside.

In other words, outward appearance is not always indicative of what is at the heart of the matter.

Since at least 1947 the US Supreme Court, with the approval of the other two branches of government, we have sold the lie that there was a separation between the Church and the State. For over 75 years, Christians in America have been sold that lemon. The Supreme Court decision Everson v Board of Education criminalized the teaching of the Gospel of Jesus Christ in the public square...especially in our "public" schools.

Our Government has lied to us. Our courts with black robes have betrayed us. Our nation has suffered from the banishment of Christianity to the back of the bus. Our nation is adrift in sewer-level morality as a result of this separation between morality and State. If there is no standard of right and wrong, how does one make value judgments? What is the standard by which something is judged right and another behavior judged wrong? Who decides?

From the day the Pilgrims landed on Plymouth Rock in September of 1620, with the official signing of the Mayflower Compact, America was established as a Christian nation. The Document reads in part:

**IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN. We, whose names are underwritten, the Loyal Subjects of our dread Sovereign Lord King James, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. Having undertaken for the Glory of God, and Advancement of the Christian Faith...**

America never was intended to be a secular country. Christianity was the midwife of the birth of this nation. No amount of rewriting of American History can change that. The Declaration of Independence declares that "the laws of Nature and of Nature's God" produce God given, inalienable rights.

Let us stop kidding ourselves. Even though Jesus Christ nor Christianity is mentioned in the Declaration or the US Constitution there can be no doubt that the organic roots and purpose of the Pilgrims arrival was the "advancement of the Christian Faith." What other CREATOR could they possibly be referring to? Our Constitution PROTECTS individ-

ual liberty, it does not restrict it. In fact, the first God-given right mention in the Bill of Rights was Religion. Christianity secures the "right of conscience." No other religion in the world does that. Remove Christianity and individual rights begin to disappear as secular government becomes the law-giver.

Have you looked around lately at the "rights" that are under assault in America? The removal of Christ from the American equation has opened the door to untold debauchery and crime. From 1620 until 1947, **326 years**, the consensus was that America was a Christian Nation. Five *terrorists in black robes* overturned **THREE CENTURIES** of Christian GOVERNMENTAL authority.

One decision, by a vote of 5-4, made the Christian religion illegal in the public square.

What, you may ask, does this have to do with Lemons? Patience, my friends, patience.

There is a principle in law know as the COLOR of law. "*Color of law refers to the appearance of legal authority or an apparently legal right that may not exist. The term is often used to describe the abuse of power under the guise of state authority, and is therefore illegal.*"

The enforcement of any statute under the COLOR of law is a crime. In other words, if they tell a person that it is illegal to pray at a public meeting because it violates the Constitution, they have committed a crime. Read it for yourself.

*"Whoever, under color of any law, statute, ordinance, regulation, or custom, willfully subjects any person in any State, Territory, Commonwealth, Possession, or District to the deprivation of any rights, privileges, or immunities secured or protected by the Constitution or laws of the United States...shall be fined under this title, or imprisoned for any term of years or for life, or both, or may be sentenced to death."*

Enforcing a law that is NO LAW AT ALL is a serious crime. ANY restriction on the rights secured by the FIRST Amendment is a CRIME!! Restrictions on individual expressions of religion, speech, press, assembly, or petition is a crime. Period. Congress shall make no law...

By the way, Court opinions are not LAWS. They are simply opinions ABOUT the law. Courts CANNOT make laws. Congress makes laws. Abortion was NEVER le-

gal. The Courts simply opined that it was.

However, just recently, the SCOTUS ruled the previous Court "opinion" regarding abortion was wrong. Since 1973 anyone convicted of a "crime" outside an abortion clinic has been a victim of the COLOR of law...convicted of a crime that was NO CRIME AT ALL. In fact, millions of Americans have been injured by the LIE that illegally banned Christian speech in Government affairs. Please take a couple of minutes and watch this brief video.

The video explains that in the recent case involving prayer at a football game public Christianity was legalized once again.

Which brings me back to the lemons. The Lemon test was a standard created by the SCOTUS in 1971 by which they would judge whether "religious" speech had a "secular" purpose. Our current SCOTUS ruled that the LEMON TEST used to evaluate speech was illegal. Watch this short vid. Religious express is free speech and cannot be censored.

(Sorry if your head is spinning). Here is the take home. Our Government has sold us a bunch of malarky under the COLOR of law. It is time we woke up and understood the great shift that has taken place.

Once again, prayer in school is legal. Bible reading is legal. The posting of the 10 Commandments is legal. Abortion is NOT legal. Every Christian statue, every copy of the 10 Commandments taken down from public buildings, should be returned! Christmas can be about Jesus again. Freedom OF religion...not freedom FROM religion. Our schools can teach **Christian morality** again!! The religion of Humanism no longer has a monopoly on the minds of America's children!

The courts have spoken and they have legalized Jesus once again. The schoolhouse door has opened to Christianity. The WELCOME mat is on the threshold. Will the CHURCH take the ball and run with it? Will we once again demand our place at the table?

Let us crush the Lemons into Lemonade!!

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## Trump faces four criminal counts as six co-conspirators listed in January 6 indictment – as it happened

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## Judge dismisses most of claims by LaVoy Finicum's family in wrongful death suit against state police, FBI

Updated: Aug. 13, 2021, 8:52 p.m. | Published: Aug. 13, 2021, 3:41 p.m. | By [Maxine Bernstein](#) | [The Oregonian/OregonLive](#)

A federal judge has dismissed most of the civil claims brought in a wrongful death suit by the family of Robert "LaVoy" Finicum, the Arizona rancher who served as spokesman for the armed takeover of Oregon's Malheur National Wildlife Refuge in early 2016.

Finicum, 54, was fatally shot by Oregon troopers after he crashed his truck near a roadblock as state police and FBI agents arrested key figures of the anti-government occupation.

U.S. District Judge Michael W. Mosman dismissed the suit's claims against Oregon State Police, the former state police superintendent and the two state troopers who fired at Finicum.

He also dismissed all claims filed against the federal government, the FBI, Harney County and former Harney County Sheriff Dave Ward. He threw some out because the Finicum family didn't properly serve notice to the defendants.

"After all this time, Plaintiffs have yet to identify any facts or theories that, properly pled, would support a finding that any negligence or wrongdoing on behalf of the United States was not grounded in policy judgments," Mosman wrote in [his opinion](#) Thursday. His ruling accepted most of the recommendations of U.S. Magistrate Judge Patricia Sullivan made in July 2020.

Mosman kept alive a single civil rights claim against Gov. Kate Brown, noting that the state didn't move to challenge it, and gave the plaintiffs until Sept. 15 to amend a conspiracy claim against the governor, the state of Oregon and state police.

Finicum's family alleged he was shot "assassination style" by "one or more militarized officers of the Oregon State Police and/or FBI" as he was trying to drive across the

Harney County line to seek the protection of then-Grant County Sheriff Glenn Palmer on Jan. 26, 2016.

The suit contended FBI agent W. Joseph Astarita fired at Finicum after he crashed and stepped out of his white Dodge pickup "with his hands in the air in a surrender position."

The lawsuit followed an indictment against Astarita, who Oregon investigators alleged had lied about firing twice at Finicum's truck. The investigators concluded that neither of the shots hit Finicum, finding that one hit the roof of his truck and the second shot missed. Astarita denied firing his rifle.

Seconds later, state troopers shot Finicum three times after he walked away from his pickup and reached for his inner jacket pocket, where police later said he had a loaded 9mm handgun, according to the investigation.

Mosman denied the challenge to the government's handling of the arrests.

"Here, Plaintiffs take issue with the FBI operation that ultimately led to Mr. Finicum's death. But an 'undercover national security operation is a textbook example of discretionary action that Congress meant to insulate from judicial second-guessing,'" Mosman wrote in his opinion.

Finicum was shot in the left upper back, left shoulder and right lower back. A bullet pierced his heart, an autopsy found. An investigation by local law enforcement authorities found the state police shots that killed Finicum were justified.



A federal jury in August 2018 returned not guilty verdicts in the trial of Astarita, acquitting him on two counts of making a false statement and one count of obstruction of justice.

In a separate matter, the attorney for the Finicum family, Morgan Philpot, posted on his Facebook page that he was scheduled to go

before the Utah Bar screening panel Thursday in Salt Lake City. He claimed in the post that the bar's investigation into him was because he "dared" to defend Ammon and Ryan Bundy, who were acquitted of all charges in the Malheur occupation, as well as defend Ammon Bundy's lawyer Marcus Mumford and Finicum's widow Jeanette Finicum.

It wasn't immediately clear what the Utah bar case on Philpot involves, but it may be related to the work of Rick Koerber, Philpot's litigation consultant, according to [the Salt Lake Tribune](#). Koerber allegedly claimed he had submitted an appeal notice to an Oregon court by a certain date, when Koerber had created the commercial delivery service and not officially registered it, according to the Salt Lake newspaper.

Philpot didn't immediately return a phone message for comment.

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*Editor's Note: Finicum advised FBI and State Police he was going to the Sheriff's Office, but they set-up a blockade to stop him from seeing the top law enforcement officer in the County. Was it an ambush?*

[State police officer who fatally shot LaVoy Finicum outed by slip-up in court](#) | [New Oregon State Police leader is one of the troopers who shot, killed Robert 'LaVoy' Finicum](#)

## Homes Raided in Rep. Weldon Influence Probe

By Carol D. Leonnig and R. Jeffrey Smith | Washington Post Staff Writers | Tuesday, October 17, 2006

Federal agents raided the homes of [Rep. Curt Weldon's](#) daughter and one of his closest political supporters yesterday as part of an investigation into whether the veteran Republican congressman used his influence to benefit himself and his daughter's lobbying firm, according to sources familiar with the investigation.

The investigation focuses on actions the Pennsylvania congressman took that may have aided clients of the business created by his daughter, Karen Weldon, and longtime Pennsylvania political ally Charles Sexton, according to three of the sources.

A grand jury, impaneled in Washington in May, has obtained evidence gathered over at least four months through wiretaps of Washington area cell-phone numbers and has scrutinized whether Weldon received anything of value, according to the sources. They spoke on the condition of anonymity because of the sensitive nature of the investigation.

The investigation focuses on Weldon's support of the Russian-managed Itera International Energy Corp., one of the world's largest oil and gas firms, while that company paid fees to Solutions North America, the company that Karen Weldon and Sexton operate.

The congressman, for example, intervened on Itera's behalf when U.S. officials canceled a federal grant to

the company. He also encouraged U.S. companies to do business with Itera at a time when its reputation had been sullied by accusations of Russian corruption.

Weldon said in a prepared statement that he had done nothing wrong and would cooperate in the investigation "100 percent." Michael Puppio, a campaign spokesman, said Weldon hoped that "reliance on leaks would cease and the media would rely on facts that are verifiable."

Weldon said that the House ethics committee looked into the allegations in 2004 "and found that I had engaged in no wrongdoing." He said he was "extremely disappointed that we are discussing this topic three weeks before an election that could determine control of Congress."

Yesterday's raids of six locations in Pennsylvania and Florida were moved up in part because of leaks about the investigation late last week, according to two of the sources. Top federal prosecutors supervising the inquiry concluded early this month that they were progressing significantly on another front in the investigation and did not want to make their work public too soon by conducting searches, especially so close to the [Nov. 7 elections](#).

McClatchy Newspapers reported Saturday that the FBI had recommended that Justice Department officials investigate Rep. Weldon's actions, leading to yesterday's searches.

Debra Weierman, a spokeswoman for the FBI's Washington field office, confirmed that the locations included the homes of Karen Weldon and Sexton; the suburban Philadelphia offices of Solutions North America; and the downtown Philadelphia offices of John Gallagher, a lawyer who represented Russian companies linked to Itera.

Two other sites searched were the U.S. headquarters of Itera International in Jacksonville, Fla., and a Jacksonville home, the sources said.

Prosecutors are usually loath to conduct raids against a public official so close to an election. But some involved in the investigation debated whether holding off could also appear to have been influenced by the election, sources said.

September 21, 2005

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## EMERGENCY NUMBERS

- When in sorrow.....John 14
- When men fail you.....Psalm 27
- When you have sinned.....Psalm 51
- When you have worry.....Matthew 6:19-34
- When you are in danger.....Psalm 91
- When God seems far away.....Psalm 139
- When your faith needs stirring.....Hebrews 11
- When you are lonely and fearful.....Psalm 23
- When you grow bitter and critical.....1 Cor. 13
- When you feel down and out.....Romans 8:31-39
- When you want peace and rest.....Matthew 11:25-30
- When the world seems bigger than God .....Psalm 90
- When you want Christian assurance.....Romans 8:1-30
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- When your prayers grow narrow or selfish.....Psalm 67
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- If your pocketbook is empty.....Psalm 37
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- If people seem unkind.....John 15
- If discouraged about your work.....Psalm 126
- If you find the world growing small, and you great.....Psalm 19

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# CDC accidentally admits common masks are totally useless against COVID virus and other infections

By Lance D Johnson // Aug 28, 2023

For the fourth year in a row, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends that individuals comply with strict public masking protocols to "prevent the spread of COVID-19." Even after the expiration of the federal government's Public Health Emergency Declaration on May 11, 2023, the CDC still recommends universal masking for everyone 2 years of age and older. These insane masking recommendations continue, even after the CDC promised that the COVID-19 vaccines would stop the infection and prevent its spread. Five booster shots later, the CDC continues to push masks, in a desperate attempt to control the public with lies and propaganda.

Funny enough, the CDC's latest memo on wildfire smoke debunks all their insane masking recommendations for COVID-19.

### CDC's masking guidance has been a sham from the beginning

Even after masks failed the public in 2020 and again in 2021 and 2022, the CDC still contends that the following is true and should be followed by virtually every person:

- Masking is a critical public health tool for preventing spread of COVID-19, and it is important to remember that any mask is better than no mask.



- To protect yourself and others from COVID-19, CDC continues to recommend that you wear the most protective mask you can that fits well and that you will wear consistently.

- Masks and respirators are effective at reducing transmission of SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, when worn consistently and correctly.

Ironically, on August 26, 2023, the agency put out a memo accidentally admitting that masks are totally useless against the covid virus and other common infections. "Cloth masks that are used to slow the spread of COVID-19 offer little protection against wildfire smoke. They do not catch small particles found in wildfire smoke that can harm your health. Limit your time outside when it's smoky. Learn how you can protect yourself from wildfire smoke," the memo states.

### CDC admits that masks cannot stop wildfire smoke (that is 100 times larger than coronavirus)

The average particle of smoke is at least 10 microns. Strangely enough, coronavirus particles are approximately 100 times smaller than the average toxins found in wildfire smoke. Coronavirus particles are roughly .1 microns in size. If a mask cannot

block a particle that is 10 microns in size, then it cannot block a single coronavirus particle that is 100 times smaller. The science here is elementary level.

Even common bacterium are approximately 20 times smaller than the toxins found in smoke particles. Bacillus bacterium are roughly .5 microns in size. If masking is not effective for blocking toxic smoke particles, then masking is 20 times less effective at stopping common bacterial infections and 100 times less effective at blocking coronavirus infections.

Masking has been a sham from the beginning and the people working for the CDC know this, but they continue to pretend that masking will somehow block something that is completely out of the control of the individual.

Long term mask usage has only strained cardiovascular and respiratory systems, depriving individuals of the oxygen they need to overcome inevitable exposures and infections. The mask is an illusion of control, a false virtue. Going into the Fall of 2023, the mask has become nothing more than a symbol of obedience to the very institutions that are abusing and killing people.

*Editor's Note: Using a mask to filter microorganisms is like using chicken fence wire to stop a BB pellet.*



To begin promoting the upcoming NCM and Issues Conference in St. Louis, Donna Brandenburg (MI) has created a video for us to spread far and wide. We are the distribution network for the Party.

Donna is one of the most energetic and enthusiastic persons I have met. She is an outstanding, positive-minded spokesperson for the Constitution Party. She has been invited to participate on the September 14 conference call to keep us updated, and she has also agreed to be a guest speaker at the Saturday Issues conference on "Building Your State Party and Candidate Campaigns on Social Media and the Internet for FREE".

Now, we all must turn into "Digital Warriors" by sharing this video (and future videos in the making) with our friends and family and every social media network we can think of. **Click: [HERE](#)**

**IMPORTANT:** Donna wants to create a video every week. She suggested first interviewing members of the Executive Committee - either as a group or one at a time. Then, we will include all State Leaders so they can be included in this national campaign. We are all part of the equation to "Save the U.S.A." and to help pack the room with patriots for General Flynn. **Please "TEXT" her with your available days/times to (616) 430-4410. She will schedule you and help you make a strong presentation. .... Believe me, if I can do it, anybody can. It's only a couple of minutes of your time.**

**P.S. She is creating a video library of content that you will have access to download and use for your own party website or social media.**

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### 'Joe The Plumber,' who rose to fame after confronting Barack Obama on 2008 campaign trail, dead at 49

Joe Wurzelbacher, a plumber, became key part of Republican John McCain's presidential campaign

Samuel Joseph Wurzelbacher, who became known as "Joe the Plumber" after garnering national media attention for confronting then-presidential candidate Barack Obama on the 2008 campaign trail, died Sunday, his wife, Katie Wurzelbacher, confirmed Monday in an email to Fox News Digital. He was 49.

... Joe Wurzelbacher announced in July that he had been diagnosed with an aggressive form of pancreatic cancer.

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# To Everything There Is a Season

Rambling, from a Yooper farmer's perspective by [James Niemela](#)

"Pa and Laura stacked the last load of slough hay on a hot September afternoon. Pa intended to mow another patch next day, but in the morning, rain was falling. For three days and nights the rain fell steadily, slow, weepy rain, running down the windowpanes and pattering on the roof. 'Well, we must expect it,' Ma said. 'It's the equinoctial storm.'" (Excerpted from 'The Long Winter', by Laura Ingalls Wilder)

It's not quite the fall equinox, not by 3 weeks or so yet, but it is starting to have that fall feeling some days now. On this the morning of August 29, rain was very gently pattering outside. We picked up a nice 1/2 inch plus of rain overnight, which is nice- no irrigation needed for a while again.

The gardens are in full swing, making their rush to ripen before the fall frosts. We had 37 degrees Saturday night into Sunday, a bit close to frost for the end of August, 43 degrees the following night, then a nice warm 61 last night, and it looks like a chilly one this evening. But it's OK- to everything there is a season.

Soon, frost will coat the grass in the morning, and the air will feel even more fall-like than it has here and there, for the last week or so. The crops we like to focus on here, roots and greens, are loving this weather. The winter carrots are looking radiant, late planted kale and other greens types are loving it, and the late planted snap peas are about a week, maybe less, out from starting to go to market.

The pumpkins and squash held their own this summer, mostly. And the tomatoes are really coming in now, especially the little cherry types. I pruned them quite a bit in the beginning this year, trying to force earlier, heavier yields, and am happy with the yields coming off, even being outside, in this rather dark, overall, not too hot, summer we had.

Soon here, we'll have to top the brussels sprouts; usually around the beginning of September or so, we cut out the growing point, to make them grow the little sprouts on the sides of the stalk. They think summer is gonna keep going, and they want to keep growing taller; we show them it's not, by stopping the upward growth, and telling them, now it's time to grow out, not up, and make some sprouts. That was key when we started doing that.

We've been planting cover crops in areas that the ground has been cleared of crops (that is, those areas that haven't been, or won't yet, be planted with fall crops like radishes, turnips, spinach, baby cut lettuce, and things like that); these cover crops of field peas, purple top turnips, and winter rye, will help feed the soil as they die down or are eaten down by

grazers we'll run in those areas if the plants get big enough in time.

The rye will persist into next spring, to continue collecting early spring solar energy, making sugars to feed the soil life. Then, before it's time to plant crops, we'll work the whole lot in, and give it time to decompose. When growing organically, not using the conventional, bagged fertilizer, that's one way to build the soil for next year.

If you look out into Creation, God designed it that the ground be covered with plants, or organic matter, everywhere, all the time. If there is something that happens, like a landslide or something, plants quickly start colonizing to cover that wound. In a garden, when we till, either the crop that we plant grows, or if it's left bare, weeds start to grow there. Even with the crop we planted, they still start growing, to fill the area. So, rather than let the ground lay bare and start growing just weeds, why not plant some "weeds" there, to grow and feed the soil life?

The little meat birds are growing well, as are the new egg layers. We were able to hatch out several chicks under the hens and a turkey mom here and we bought a bunch more as well. Turkey mom also hatched out a couple guinea fowl too, Edward was able to get a couple eggs under her. Our guinea pair was eaten by an owl or something, over a couple nights; the male snatched from his tree roost; the mom apparently snatched off her nest on the ground under a stump that was torn out and put on the edge of the woods by the north field. Maybe an owl got the dad, and a raccoon or skunk got mom.

I dunno- those stinking varmints are a bothersome thing. Guineas are kind of annoying, they're so noisy, but are kind of cool to watch. Our pigs, Hammie and Lardo, are well on their way to becoming....well, ham, sausage, and lard. We have them in electric fencing, moving them as needed; they are working up an area of pasture I'm trying to take back. Once they get it worked out, eating plant roots, digging with the wonderful plows on the end of their noses, and fertilizing as they go, we'll clear out the rocks and stuff, level it out, and plant pasture seed there; clover, trefoil, and grasses. Then, it'll be a nice area to run the meat chickens and maybe rabbits through in future years, in little moveable pens.

We work so hard to take the land back from forest, into usable farmlands. It always makes me sad to see former productive farmlands, go back to forest. We need forest of course, but we also need farmlands.

As farming goes away, so does food.

The field across from my dad and mom's used to be farmed; I recall as a child, the farmer had oats growing, to feed his dairy cows. Now, it's growing a nice "crop" of evergreen trees of some sort and probably tag alders in the swales.

I get sad when I think how hard the old farmer and his parents or perhaps grandparents or someone else had to work, to clear that land. Who knows- perhaps blowing each stump out with dynamite, or digging and pulling them out with mules or horses. Now it's going back to trees, and all that work to make it a productive farmland, is gone down the drain, and along with it, another link in the local food supply. Really disrespectful to the forefathers, in fact. Perhaps, hopefully, someday folks will take it back for farming, and start rebuilding the local food chain. Who knows- but we do have a mandate to work the land, stewarding it and subduing it to make food and basic necessities of life for humans and our animals that in turn feed us, all while respecting and working within the designs of Creation.

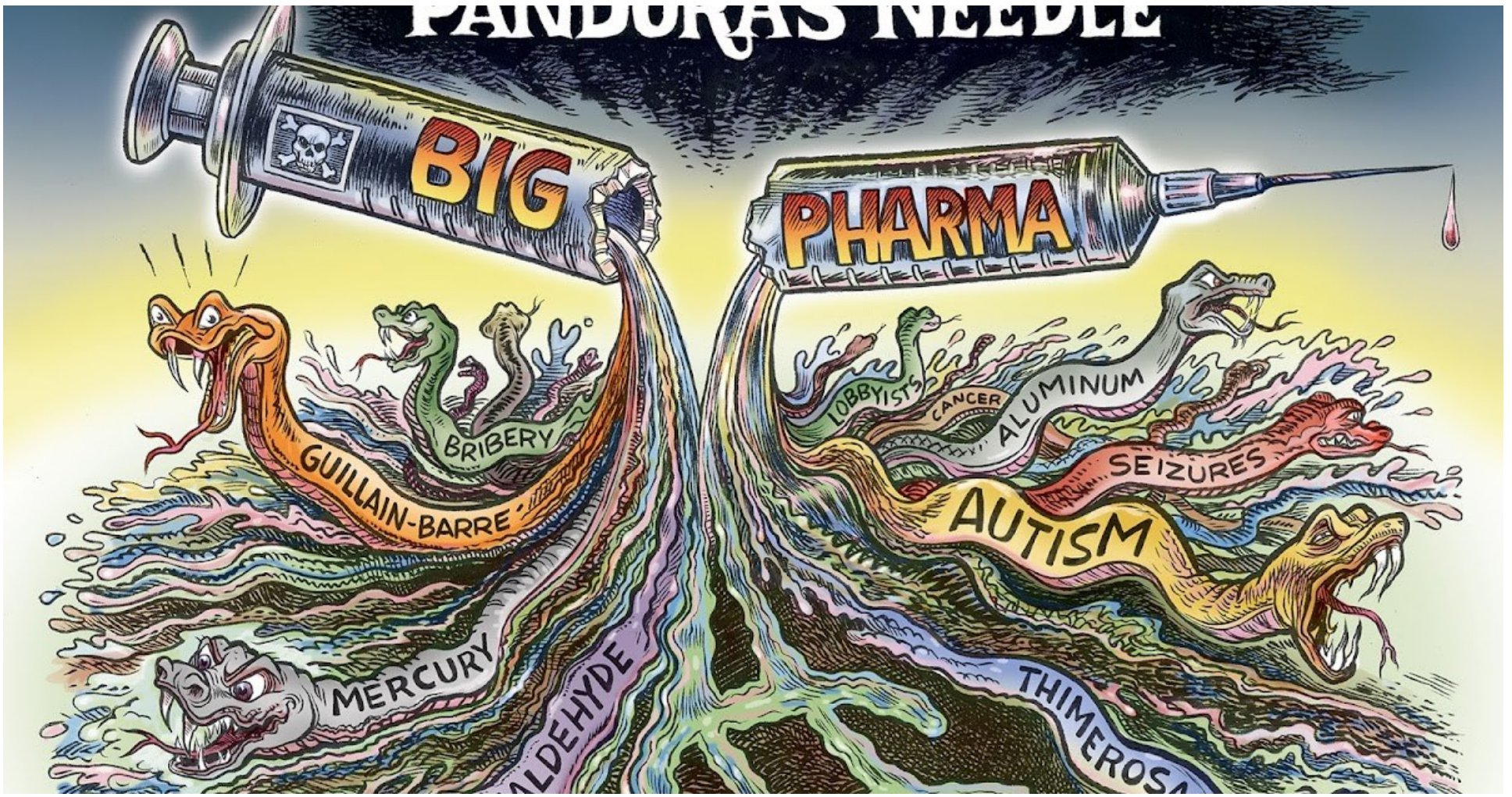
Hopefully someday Americans will realize the great blessing we have in the land! God has designed it that everything we need for this body and life, comes from the land. Food, fuel, clothing, etc.- everything comes from Creation and the land.

And for the other, even more important part of us, our souls that will spend eternity in one of two places, heaven or hell, God has provided everything we need there too; salvation through the sacrifice and death of His Son, Jesus Christ. He died on the cross to pay for the sins of the whole world, every man, woman, and child, from eternity to eternity. And He offers that free gift to anyone who will take it- free for us, but He paid dearly for our souls on the cross.

Oh, why would anyone turn away from the love and salvation that He offers, through repentance and faith in Him and the blood He shed on the cross? As our son John's confirmation teacher rightly preached during the sermon that day, (I'm paraphrasing here, can't remember his exact wording), if anyone perishes in their sins and goes to hell, it is because they rejected the salvation that is freely offered to them. What a great salvation is offered to us all!

If you don't know Him, today is still the day of grace; God invites you to repent, turn from your sins, and believe in Jesus! He paid a big price, the death of His own Son, and He wants us all in Heaven with Him!





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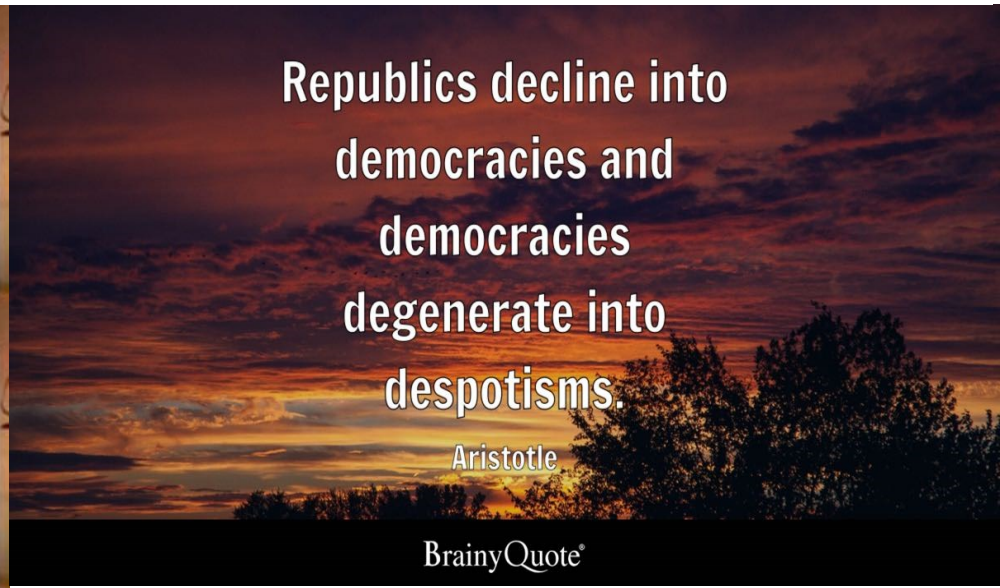
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# The Blade Of Perseus

Universal suffrage does not contain any real right, not even the right to choose between parties, because the powers nourished by the suffrage use money to dominate all the spiritual means of the word and the press, and in this way they divert opinions about the parties. José Ortega y Gasset



# Marco Polo

Recall language filed for 2 MAPS board members for retiring Redmen, Redette nickname



## Apricot-Glazed Chicken and Corn

### INGREDIENTS

- 1/4 c. apricot jam
- 1/2 tbsp. fresh lime juice
- 1 tsp. hot sauce
- 1/8 tsp. red pepper flakes
- 4 small chicken legs, split (4 thighs and 4 drumsticks)
- Kosher salt and black pepper
- 4 ears corn, shucked
- Lime wedges, for serving

### DIRECTIONS

Step 1: Heat grill to medium. In small bowl, combine jam, lime juice, hot sauce, and red pepper.

Step 2: Season chicken with 1/2 tsp black pepper and grill, covered, turning occasionally, 20 min. Uncover and continue grilling, basting with sauce, until chicken is cooked through, 5 to 7 min. more.

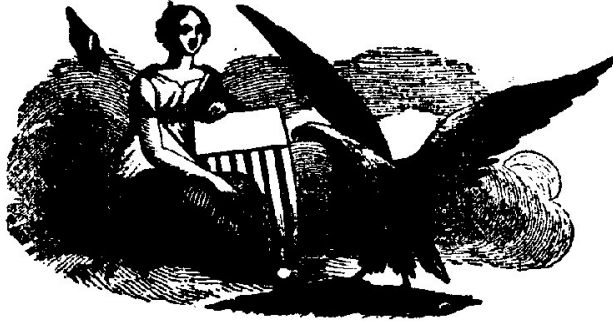
Step 3: Meanwhile, bring large pot of water to a boil. Cut each ear of corn into 3 or 4 pieces. Add corn to pot with 2 tsp salt and simmer until just tender, 3 to 4 min. Drain, transfer to platter, and serve with chicken and lime wedges.



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### BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC.

BY MRS. JULIA WARD HOWE.

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord:  
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath  
are stored;

He hath loosed the fateful lightnings of His terrible swift sword:  
His truth is marching on.

CHORUS—Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
Glory, glory, hallelujah!  
His truth is marching on.

I have seen Him in the watch-fires of a hundred circling camps;  
They have builded Him an altar in the evening dews and  
damps:

I can read His righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps:  
His day is marching on.  
CHORUS—Glory, glory, hallelujah, &c.  
His day is marching on.

I have read a fiery gospel writ in burnished rows of steel:  
“As ye deal with my contemners, so with you my grace shall  
deal;

Let the Hero, born of woman, crush the serpent with his heel,  
Since God is marching on.”  
CHORUS—Glory, glory, hallelujah &c.  
Since God is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat:  
He is sifting out the hearts of men before His judgment seat:  
Oh, be swift, my soul, to answer Him! be jubilant my feet!

Our God is marching on!  
CHORUS—Glory, glory, hallelujah, &c.  
Our God is marching on!

In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea,  
With a glory in His bosom that transfigures you and me;  
As he died to make men holy, let us die to make men free,  
While God is marching on.

CHORUS—Glory, glory, hallelujah, &c.  
While God is marching on.

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**PAT COLBECK**



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FBI Document Reveals Joe Biden Forced Burisma to Pay Him and Hunter for "Protection"

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Disturbing Video: What Tucker Carlson Missed in the Andrew Tate Interview

Congress to Hold Public Hearings on UFO Disclosures



Why don't anarchists drink good tea? Property is theft. – Fee



### Election Integrity

If you missed Patrick Colbeck when he was in Calumet, click on the link below for a audio/video



<https://rumble.com/v2xz14y-election-integrity-influence-operations-focus.html>

**HE HAS THE PROOF BUT CAN WE HALT THE TAKE DOWN OF AMERICAN ELECTIONS?**

For a readable format click [HERE](#)

*Editor's Note: Have you checked your name through <https://www.mylife.com/? I'm a DEMOCRAT!!!>*

*Have your tried <https://www.officialusa.com/>*

*I don't know this guy! [James](#)*



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## SIMPLY AMAZING!!! When morons vote, we all lose.

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There are only two people responsible for open borders, Social Security being taxed as income, government agencies used as leftists' enforcers, high home and auto fuel prices, escalating interest rates, compromised elections, EV battery fires, automaker CAFÉ requirements, federalization of big pharma and central banking, expansion of the IRS Gestapo, \$32-trillion in free-for-all spending, homeless competing with illegal aliens for a place to sleep and benefits, normalizing mental illness and promoting freak shows, *quid pro quo* appeasement funding of Ukraine, China and Russia, 13-murdered service members in Afghanistan, skyrocketing cost of used cars, the Anti-Christian movement, gun and ammo control: Paul Ryan and your congressman, who should have vacated the Speaker's Chair on day two of Ryan's demonstrated ineptitude; replace your Congressman!!!





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- 5. HANCOCK Thursdays**  
June 15th - October 12th  
3:00 - 6:00 PM  
Quincy Green  
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June 13th - October 10th  
3:00 - 6:00 PM  
Houghton Waterfront Pier  
Houghton, MI 49931
- 7. LAKE LINDEN Fridays**  
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4:00 - 7:00 PM  
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Luke 22:36  
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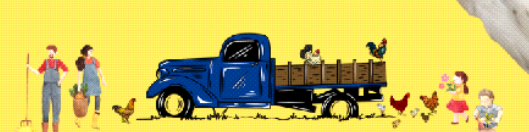
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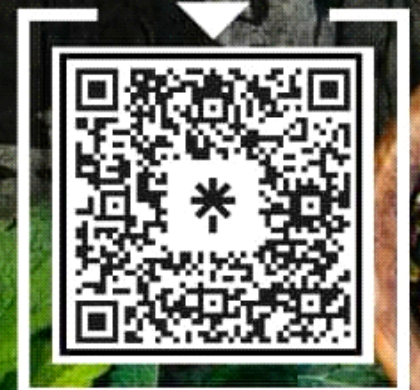

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June 23rd - September

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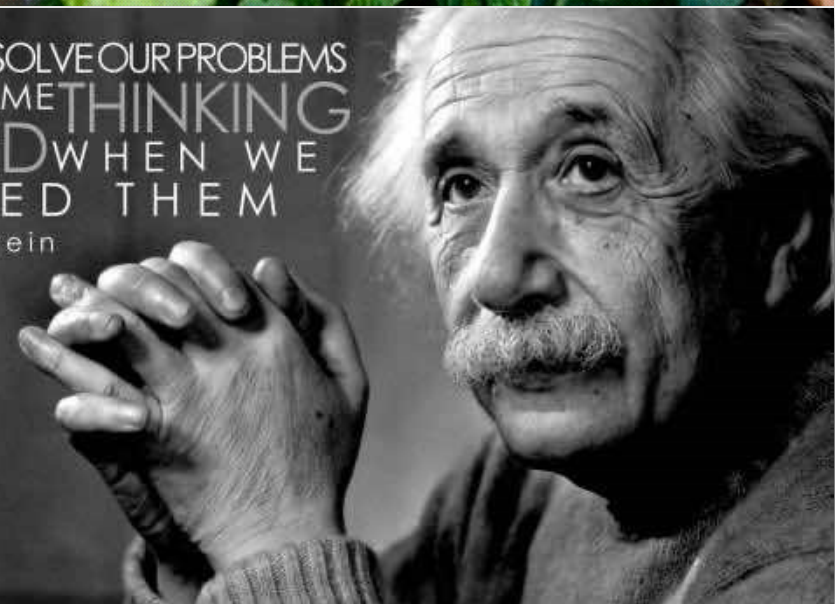
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**"A popular Government without popular information, or the means of acquiring it, is but a Prologue to a Farce or a Tragedy, or perhaps both."**

**James Madison**

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-Albert Einstein

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**Copper Country Christian School** is a small Christian based school that offers individual attention. Our very own Pastor Brian oversees the daily activities there and the children have a deep understanding of global issues and a Christian World View.

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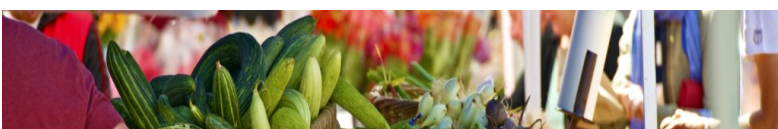
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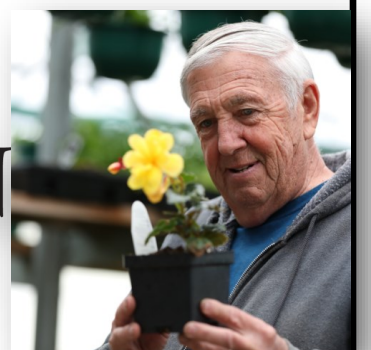


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Alger County Patriots meet on the second Tuesday of the month 6:30pm at the

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## BARAGA COUNTY PATRIOTS

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### UP PATRIOTS of Dickinson-Iron County

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