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The Fall of Nations

by Don Feder

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.

Nations too 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.

France was the thing 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 a perpetual twilight. Its 95-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 is aging so rapidly, that an industry has sprung up to remove the remains of elderly Japanese who die alone.

I was born in 1946, 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 over 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 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 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. We have men who marry men. 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 \$28-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 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 submitted to Fauci-ism (the regime of face masks and hand sanitizers) shows the 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 faith and family—the bulwarks social order.

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.

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Cubans Sick of Socialism

by Lloyd Billingsley

On Sunday, thousands of Cubans chanted "Freedom!" "Enough!" and "We want liberty!" as they marched on Havana's Malecon promenade. "People in Cuba are protesting 62 years of socialism, lies, tyranny & misery," tweeted Sen. Marco Rubio, "not 'expressing concern about rising COVID-19 cases/deaths.' Why is it so hard for @Potus & the people in his administration to say that?"

Sen. Rubio was referencing a statement by Julie Chung, acting assistant secretary of state for Western Hemisphere Affairs. As Chung explained, "Peaceful protests are growing in #Cuba as the Cuban people exercise their right to peaceful assembly to express concern about rising COVID cases/deaths & medicine shortages." The protesting Cubans, yearning to breathe free, might wonder what Chung is talking about.

"Cuban develops COVID-19 vaccines, takes socialist approach," proclaimed the *People's World* back in February. According to author W.T. Whitney, a former pediatrician, the technology used in the Pfizer and Moderna vaccines "may be less safe than the one used in Cuban vaccines." Cuba's production of four vaccines, is "grounded in science, in a dedication to saving the lives of all Cubans," and foreigners as well.

"Cuba is floating the idea of enticing tourists to its shores with the irresistible cocktail of sun, sand and a shot of Sovereign 2," the vaccine now being tested. During the early stages of the pandemic, according to Augustin and Kitroeff, Natalie Kitroeff in the February 17 *New York Times*, "anyone diagnosed with the virus was immediately hospitalized and put on a cocktail of Cuban and generic drugs." With everybody covered, and tourists flying in for a jab of Sovereign 2, the Cubans must be protesting something else.

As they understand, Cuba is a Communist dictatorship, one of the most repressive regimes in the world, and a bastion of white supremacy. Cuba's 800,000 African were more than twice the number in the United States. Cuba did not abolish slavery until 1886 and there was no equivalent of the historically black colleges in the USA. By some estimates, only one third of Cubans are whites, with two thirds composed of blacks and those of part African ancestry. That profile bears a stark contrast to Cuba's ruling Communist Party.

Sado-Stalinist dictator Fidel Castro and brother Raul were one generation out of Europe. Current Communist

boss Miguel Diaz-Canel is white as Frosty the Snowman, and on his watch the regime has added new political prisoners. “For decades, Cuba has stifled freedom of expression and assembly by locking up people for their beliefs and opposition to the government,” Amnesty International’s Erika Guevara-Ross explains.

As Nestor Almendros documented in *Improper Conduct*, Fidel Castro banished homosexuals to forced labor camps. As Orlando Jimenez-Leal showed in *8-A*, Castro held a show-trial for General Arnaldo Ochoa and fellow officers, all executed. Fidel Castro called American jazz the “music of the enemy” and jailed trumpeter Arturo Sandoval for listening to the Voice of America. Saxophonist Paquito D’Rivera defected in 1981 but it was ten years before the Castro regime would allow his family to join him.

The Voice of America report on the Sunday protest did not use the word “Communist” or “dictatorship” in regard to the Cuban regime. “President” Diaz-Canel, who blamed the protest on a “Cuban-American mafia,” is not described as a dictator or Communist, a word that does not appear in the report. Julie Chung and national security advisor Jake Sullivan invoked “universal rights” but indulged no criticism of the Communist dictatorship. This now seems to be the pattern at the Voice of America (VOA).

Biden quickly forced out Michael Pack, head of US Agency for Global Media (USAGM), purged Trump ally Robert Reilly, and installed as VOA director Yolanda Lopez, a Spaniard and “on-air talent” with the *Telemundo* and *Univision* networks. Biden USAGM boss Kelu Chao installed as head of the Office of Cuba Broadcasting Sylvia Rosabal, a veteran of the *Telemundo* network who worked on media logistics for the 2020 Democratic National Convention Committee.

“I do not think she is the right person to lead the OCB,” said a statement from New Jersey Democrat Bob Menedez, whose parents immigrated from Cuba. “I am concerned that she is of the view of accommodation with the Cuban regime rather than of challenging its human rights violations and denial of democratic freedoms to its people.”

That was the policy of the “composite character” David Garrow described in *Rising Star: The Making of Barack Obama*. In return for better relations, he made no demand that Cuba release political prisoners, respect human rights, or hold free elections. When Castro died in November, 2016, the composite character hailed “the countless ways in which Fidel Castro altered the course of individual lives, families, and of the Cuban nation.”

During the 2020 primaries, Bernie Sanders said Fidel Castro “totally transformed the society.” No word about mass executions, the rationing of food, political prisoners, and more than half a century of Stalinist

repression. For the Rip Van Winkle communist and his leftist “squad,” Cuba is the Buena Vista Socialist Club, the sort of arrangement they want to see in America.

The addled Joe Biden is only a figurehead, and the Sanders faction is now prevailing. That’s why it’s hard for anyone in the administration to say anything about Cuba’s 62 years of socialism, lies, tyranny and misery.

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Toying With Communism

by Kevin Downey, Jr.

A lefty friend acquaintance asked me why I write about the “nonsense” of pinko-Americans trying to take over the country. He/it suggested I was just trying to “rile up the rednecks” for clicks. Actually, I not only believe 100% that it could happen, I think it’s already begun.

Which of these things isn’t true? I believe they are all accurate,

- * Progressives have taken over the schools at every education level

- * Big Tech (Twitter, Facebook, etc.) silences those that disagree with their narrative

- * Progressive mayors allow Antifa and Black Lives Matter (BLM) to riot at will

- * Progressive prosecutors allow Antifa and BLM to skate despite the carnage they cause

- * High-ranking Democrat politicians deny that Antifa/BLM armies exist

- * Progressive prosecutors are coming down hard on Jan. 6 rioters even though they have caused far less damage than Antifa and BLM

- * The Democrats stole the election

- * Most of the media propagates lefty lies and denies the truth if it hurts their narrative

- * The Left is constantly chipping away at the Second Amendment because they know they can’t completely take over until it’s dissolved

- * A pandemic gutted the world and WE paid for the research that created it

- * Leftists are defunding the police everywhere

- * The FBI has become the Democrats’ Gestapo

- * Democrats have released thousands of criminals and repealed bail laws, resulting in the worst crime wave in decades

What did I miss? [Please post it in the comments for the follow-up article.]

One would have to be more than blind to not see the damage the leftists have caused in roughly six months of Gropey Joe’s reign. One would have to be a part of it, or at least down with the clowns creating it, and pretend they don’t see the chaos. Or, one would have to believe the *Pravda*-like CNN.

Before I continue, I must be honest. I used to be a Democrat. Of course, I was—I'm from a family of what is now three generations of union auto workers. Vilify me in the comments, I deserve it, then find it in your Christian hearts to forgive me.

Some people think I'm still a lib. Understandable—just check out my profile pic. I look like I was kicked out of Duran Duran. I'm on a comedy stage wearing a fake fur coat and drinking (while working). I wear the lib uniform to this day, but now, I THINK.

With the help of a conservative friend, I smelled the coffee and *then* I woke up. I passed the same knowledge onto my girlfriend, who is 100% Puerto Rican. She was a Hillary supporter. Now we don't miss a Trump rally on Long Island. We have eight Trump flags. We are both now "awake" but in the righteous, pro-American way.

Communism is rearing its ugly red head faster than we can hoard ammo. Gropey Joe Biden spews Marxism whenever his handlers AOC allows him to speak. The politicians push Marxism, the Left applauds, and the media pretends it isn't happening.

The Left has created the worst crime wave since the '70s. They let criminals out of jail and got rid of bail laws to keep them out, all in the name of fighting "systemic racism." They have to call it that to keep their voters on their side. But what happens when you stop arresting people? They commit more crimes. Thus the Dems are allowing black people to slaughter each other so the commies can say, "Look at all the gun crimes. Guns have to go."

Then they blame "white supremacists" for the crimes, again to play the racism card. The leftists are actually sacrificing black lives so that they can go after guns. They NEED the Second Amendment gone before they can achieve total victory. It's all a part of the commie playbook. Every move now is to kill the Second Amendment. We can't let it get that far. This is not a time to sit back and say, "It'll never happen here."

We need to vote for real Republicans at every level. Attend school board meetings even if you don't have kids in school. You're paying school taxes, so you are allowed to attend. Hit them at the school level first. That's the future. Volunteer to be a poll watcher. Voter fraud is why we are in this situation in the first place. Buy ammo, just in case. American exceptionalism is real, but so are the Bolsheviks. Did you think there would ever come a time when apparatchiks like "The Squad" would be "legally" elected to office? The commies are using democracy, or their cheating version of it, to take over. Once they are in place, they will be harder to remove than bed bugs.

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Critical Race Theory Part XXII

by Lloyd Billingsley

On Tuesday, Kurt Schlichter tweeted a photo of a classroom scene headlined "CRT in one perfect photo." It promptly disappeared, so he tweeted again, under the headline "she's just teaching about slavery," and that too promptly vanished. The rapid takedowns are puzzling, given the photo's content. Consider the subjects on the left side of the board, starting at the top.

Diversity is a reality of the human condition but in critical race theory (CRT) it is code for proportionality. Under the proportionality doctrine, everything in society must represent the racial and ethnic proportions of the population. If proportionality does not exist, that can only be due to deliberate racial prejudice, and must be remedied by government action in the form of racial quotas, passed off as affirmative action, diversity, and so forth.

As Thomas Sowell has often noted, it's hard to find any place or time when any institution represented the ethnic proportions of the population. CRT ignores personal differences, effort and choice, which account for different outcomes, even among family members of the same race and ethnicity. Since proportionality is not a matter of law, "diversity" is a CRT dogma, at odds with reality, that must be imposed.

"Intersectionality," next on the list, involves the "interconnected nature of social categorizations such as race, class, and gender, regarded as creating overlapping and interdependent systems of discrimination or disadvantage." In other words, "intersectional theory asserts that people are often disadvantaged by multiple sources of oppression: their race, class, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, and other identity markers." The tacit assumption is that the "multiple sources of oppression," come from a single group, which CRT calls "white people."

CRT intersects with groups such as the Nation of Islam, which as the late Stanley Crouch noted, contends that "the white man was a devil 'grafted' from black people in an evil genetic experiment by a mad, pumpkin-headed scientist named Yacub. That experiment took place 6000 years ago. Now the white man was doomed, sentenced to destruction by Allah." As Daniel Greenfield explains a new generation dresses up the old black nationalism "in the obtuse academic jargon of intersectionality," and "that's where Tamika Mallory and Ta-Nehisi Coates come from."

Moving down the list, "Equality/equity" does not mean equality before the law for all people, regardless of race, ethnicity, or nation origin. CRT intends equality of outcome, regardless of personal difference, effort and choice, with the outcome enforced by state power.

“People of Color” is simply another way of dividing people into an oppressor class and a victim class. In this variation on Marxist dogma, the division is based on skin pigmentation, not the division between the proletariat and the bourgeoisie, workers and bosses etc. The People of No Color are the oppressor class and in CRT there’s no getting around it.

CRT is a subsidiary of DSM, the Dictatorship of the Subjunctive Mood. So the intersectional oppressed need a “Safe Space” from reality. Any statement at odds with CRT dogma is violent aggression, and as People of No Color have learned, even silence can be violence.

“White Privilege,” next on the list, is CRT’s default explanation for any achievement by the People of No Color. Effort, sacrifice, dedication, and so forth play no role whatsoever. Conversely, under CRT any problems that People of Color might have are entirely due to the moral deficiencies of the People of No Color.

“Capitalism,” next on the list, is a system of free economic exchange that has lifted nations from poverty better than feudalism, socialism and the like. In CRT, capitalism is simply another engine of oppression.

“Racism” is discrimination against a group of people based on factors they cannot control, such as skin color. As the teacher helpfully explains on the right side, marked with an asterisk: ALL WHITE PEOPLE ARE RACIST.

Blaise Pascal was from France, and what does that tell you? The inventor of *la machine arithmétique*, the first computer, had no idea that math was an oppressive construct of “whiteness” and that getting the right answer was racist.

William Wilberforce and all those People of No Color who worked to abolish the slave trade had no idea that they were racists. By the standards of CRT, so were the Freedom Riders and much of the Civil Rights Movement. But then, as the board proclaims, all white people are racists. Below that proclamation the class finds: Pay Pal me/ Ashleighthelion, and below that AshleighShackelford.com, a reference to the instructor telling the People of No Color they are all racists.

According to *Huffpost*, “Ashleigh Shackelford is a queer, nonbinary Black fat femme writer, cultural producer, and artist,” but according to a tweet, “she’s Hunter Ashleigh now.” Either way, the queer, nonbinary Black fat femme writer provided the perfect picture of Critical Race Theory.

“Critical” is a meaningless modifier for the hateful, racist indoctrination now going on in schools, government, the police and the military. “All White People are Racists,” is a justification for hostile action against the group CRT designates as oppressors. If CRT is not halted, violence will not be long delayed.

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The Red Plague

by Bruce D. Price

Here’s the problem with communism (and sometimes socialism). If you study these subjects, you will encounter lots of abstract theories about how best to organize society, money, property, and so on. Some ideas might sound appealing. But they have little to do with communism as this ideology has existed in the real world.

Better to think of these theories as maps and guidebooks for people who want to rule others. Communism appeals to dead souls hungry for power. These are not normal, healthy people. When they finally seize power, everyone else becomes a victim, even as never-ending propaganda promises the perfect society.

The last people you want in control of your life are control freaks eager to be your masters. They think it’s natural they should dictate your activities. The word *slave* does not appear in the contract, but that is your job in their world.

Everyone should reflect on the bloody history of socialism and communism, so often with beautiful banners and abundant promises, but a decade later, most of the wannabe bosses are dead or missing in action, replaced by others like themselves. The smell of death hangs over this history. The bigger the government, the more power is taken from the people and given to commissars and bureaucrats. These people work to increase the concentration of power in fewer hands— their hands.

If you were a follower of Germany’s Hitler, Russia’s Stalin, Cambodia’s Pot Pot, or China’s Mao, you naturally expected to participate in their success. But these four visionaries killed people, including devoted followers, by the millions. Indeed, the real common denominator of the top socialists and communists is their extreme comfort level with imprisonment, suffering, and death.

Here is the essence of the matter. Communists want you to think their theories and plans are concerned with you and your happiness. That’s a lie. Their theories are concerned with helping them gain control of you. A lot of these theories came from Karl Marx, a nobody around 1850, but he was the leader of a tiny socialist party. I think he saw his theories, grandiose and highly intellectual, to be his passport to the top of the pyramid. But he was not a nice man. Disagreeing with his fellow socialists, he often shouted, “I will annihilate you!” That arguably is the spirit of his teachings.

A U.K. historian writing about Hitler and Stalin concluded: “TWO SIDES OF THE SAME COIN.” These mass killers are described as “narcissistic and

antisocial.” Stalin, always thinking big, mused: “The death of one man is a tragedy; the death of a million is a statistic.” A leader like this won’t notice whether you live or die.

Wikipedia indicates that both men were comfortable with torture. The peak of totalitarian terror was reached with the Nazi concentration camps. These ranged from labor camps to extermination camps, and they are described as aiming to “eliminate all actual, potential, and imagined enemies of the regime.”

Experts refer to the camps as involving “extreme viciousness.” They also compare these camps with the Soviet Gulag system, and they highlight the use of such camps as a method of punishment and execution by Nazi and Stalinist regimes alike. Pol Pot and Mao were similar.

Another scholar focused on the violence and terror employed by Hitler and Stalin. The Stalinist USSR underwent an “extraordinary brutalization” of the relations between state and society “for the purpose of rapid modernization and industrialization.” Other experts discuss “mass violence, and the way that it was used by both Stalinism and Nazism.”

All levels of Soviet society were affected by Stalinist repression. At the top, high-ranking members of the Communist Party were arrested and executed under the claim that they had plotted against Stalin. At the bottom, the peasantry suffered the artificial famine that killed many millions in Ukraine.

Point is, normal people don’t want to torture people. *Live and let live*—that’s the central philosophy of Western culture. Sadly, normal people are slow to see the threat from totalitarian players. The essence of the people at the top of socialist and communist governments tends to be *exploit and let die*.

Looking at the track records of socialist and communist governments, you really appreciate how brilliant George Orwell was. Both of his famous books explore the monsters at the top. Think of the lead characters in *Animal Farm*: swine in every sense.

And consider the extraordinary candor of O’Brien, the Party boss in *1984*. He explains that constant pain is essential; otherwise, how do the bosses know that ordinary citizens are submitting, not merely pretending?

You probably have noticed that our public schools seem determined to teach everything that makes America look bad. In reality, American history contains almost nothing comparable to the vast, relentless Terror that is the norm in most historical socialist and communist countries.

All the bad things done in these countries result in massive rates of alcoholism, depression, divorce, suicide, and early death. Every good thing is promised, but in reality, there is a slow, grinding desperation in these far-left paradises, as in Venezuela today.

Teachers who seriously want to teach the history of this planet have to include material about communism. Some say communist governments killed 100 million people; some estimates go as high as 150 million. Schools should teach students how to recognize the oncoming catastrophe.

Another resource is a museum in Washington, D.C. called Victims of Communism. Its website contains lots of interesting information.

The corruption and decline of our schools are thoroughly exposed by the increase in students supporting totalitarian tendencies. It’s disgusting, at least to me—young people who have everything working to take everything away from everybody else.

Black Lives Matter announced they were “trained Marxists.” That’s enough to know you want to stay far away from them.

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Admiral Preaches WOKE

by Steve McCann

America’s top military leaders have thrust themselves into the national spotlight by their overt politization and cowardly acquiescence to the radicalized Democrat Party. The Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General Milley, in Congressional testimony, defended the teaching and promotion of Marxist based Critical Race Theory throughout the military. He also linked what he categorized as rampant “White Rage” to the 75+million supporters of President Trump. The Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Gilday, defended the Navy-wide dissemination of an anti-White virulently racist screed.

Further, the Secretary of Defense, Lloyd Austin, ordered a purge throughout the military of those he considers “extremists” (i.e., the supporters of President Trump) while tacitly agreeing with Joe Biden that the most lethal threat to America is domestic violent extremism, in other words, the untold millions of “White” people that supposedly advocate nearly non-existent “white supremacy”.

Beyond the pandering to the radicalized Democrat party is the sheer folly of deliberately defaming and alienating an entire segment of the population. One that currently accounts for nearly 60% of all active service members. As among the tenets of Critical Race Theory is the proposition that all White people are inherently and irredeemably racist. Thus, they are predisposed to racial violence and domestic terrorism.

The generals and admirals who cannot bring never-ending wars to a close, in their self-serving scramble up the ladder, have chosen to ignore the fact that the US military is dependent on volunteers and that operational readiness is their primary mission. What will they do when the enlistment and re-enlistment rates inevitably crater as they continue to force feed anti-American indoctrination on those in the active military? What will they do when they are given a command to set upon or isolate American civilians under the pretext of domestic terrorism? Or told to use their offices and advanced technology to surveil certain segments of society on behalf of “Big Brother”?

Will they, as generals and admirals have done in the past, refuse to carry out unlawful and unconstitutional orders and resign? Or will they, in order to protect their exalted positions, acquiesce to the demands of their masters in the hierarchy of the Democrat party?

The founders of the United States were profoundly aware of the pitfalls of a politicized professional military. In fact, the issue of maintaining a standing army was a major area of contention among the framers of the Constitution. James Madison, perhaps the most vocal proponent of a strong but limited central government, was extremely alarmed at the prospect of a standing army. Addressing the Constitutional Convention, he said: “A standing military force, with an overgrown executive, will not long be safe companions to liberty. The means of defense against a foreign danger, have always been the instruments of tyranny at home.” Those that opposed a standing army assumed that the individual states and their militias could be quickly mobilized to construct the needed military to thwart any threat from a foreign power.

On the other hand, Alexander Hamilton in Federalist 25 argued that a standing army was a necessity as relying on the states was fraught with political intrigue and potential chaos. While Hamilton conceded that a standing army could pose a threat to individual liberty, he asserted that the Constitution provided the ability to maintain a standing army and prepare defenses while preserving the necessary checks and balances to prevent the military from endangering the liberties of individual citizens. Hamilton’s views prevailed over time due in large part to ever-changing military tactics, weaponry and technology.

Hamilton’s assessment that constitutional checks and balances would prevail was accurate for many decades, not because of the written words in the Constitution or because of any of the occupants of the White House or Congress, but because for 200 years, until the 1990’s, the senior leadership of the military resolutely maintained their oath to defend and uphold the Constitution and not allow the military to be politicized by any political party.

The current overt politization and determination to ostracize and demonize over 60+ per cent of the population has also informed America’s enemies of the turmoil in the Pentagon and the indecisiveness in the White House as well as the potential inability of the United States to field a viable military force in the future. In some ways these actions are tantamount to treasonously exposing the nation’s military secrets to the enemy.

Apparently, America’s generals and admirals have forgotten what they studied in *The Art of War*, the seminal work by Sun-Tzu, a Chinese general, philosopher and military strategist who wrote in 500 B.C., “It is the business of a general to be quiet and thus ensure secrecy; upright and just, and thus maintain order.” Also, “In all history, there is no instance of a country having benefitted from a prolonged war. Only one who acknowledges the disastrous effects of a long war can realize the supreme importance of rapidity in bringing it to a close”

Order is not currently being maintained and chaos reigns among the ranks as anti-American indoctrination of active service members runs rampant. Meanwhile, this nation is still involved in never-ending wars as China inexorably marches unabated toward global hegemony.

If there were any honor among America’s current military leadership, they would resign their commissions for allowing not only the overt politization and misuse of the military to happen but also for betraying the trust of the American people who for decades have viewed the military as the most reliable and trustworthy of all the nation’s institutions. Over the decades until 2019, 70-80% of all Americans had a great deal of trust and confidence in the military, today it is at 56% and rapidly declining.

But there does not appear to be honor among those that wear the stars of top rank and privilege as they are vociferously defending the dishonor they have heaped upon themselves and by default upon on those patriotic and brave Americans of all races that they command.

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Transgender Children

by Andrea Widburg

Joe Biden's obsession with the whole LGBT thing is creeping me out. Please note that I didn't say LGBT people are creeping me out, although I certainly have a strong disagreement with transgender madness. I also dislike intensely people who use their sexual orientation to achieve hard-left political goals. What you do in the bedroom doesn't matter to me, but what you do to schools, the military, children's television, etc., matters a great deal. But back to Biden. Given his bizarre behavior with little girls, when Biden "celebrates" LGBT stuff, all I can think of is...well, I don't want to think of it. His latest weirdness was to proclaim that "Pride is back at the White House"—where it has no business being in the first place.

Biden's weirdness about the LGBT spectrum began in October, during a town hall when a woman claimed that her eight-year-old was a member of the opposite sex. Biden, probably listening to a voice funneled into his ear, thought that was awesome and imagined a world in which children could have free-floating gender identities:

"The idea that an eight year-old child or a ten year-old child decides, 'you know I decided, I want to be transgender. That's what I think I'd like to be, it'd make my life a lot easier.' There should be zero discrimination," Biden said.

He also said he would "eliminate" the Trump administration's rules affecting gender transition.

"I will flat out just change the law. Eliminate those executive orders, number one," Biden said.

True to his word, practically the first thing Biden did when he sat down in the Oval Office was to say that those who are confused about their biological sex—in other words, not the most emotionally stable demographic—should have unfettered access to places aligned with their claimed "gender identity." Thanks to Title VII, this affects all schools receiving federal funds. In any place into which federal money extends, men and boys will have free access to girls' and women's restrooms, locker rooms, dorms, prisons, etc. In one swish of the pen, Biden began the process of deleting women.

On Friday, Biden marked Pride Month at the White House with an hours-long ceremony. Think about that. A sitting president of the entire United States took time out from official business to celebrate people's sex lives. And along with celebrating Pride Month, Biden once again said creepy things that seemed to include some weird form of self-love along with all the other non-traditional pairings:

President Joe Biden declared on Friday that pride had returned to the White House as he marked the month that celebrates LGBTQ+ rights.

"Pride is back at the White House," he said. "Pride Month stands for love, you know, being able to love yourself, love whomever you love."

Biden marked the occasion by designating the site of the Pulse Nightclub shooting a national memorial and named a special envoy for LGBTQ+ rights around the world.

Biden was joined by Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg, the first openly gay Senate-confirmed Cabinet secretary. Jill Biden and Chasten Buttigieg also were on hand.

The president was introduced by Ashton Mota, an openly transgender teenager from Massachusetts.

"It takes courage to be true to your authentic self and face the face of the kinds of discrimination," Biden said of transgender youth.

"We know more than half of transgender youth to seriously consider suicide," he said, encouraging people to support them.

Biden appointed Jessica Stern to be the US Special Envoy to Advance the Human Rights of LGBTQI+ Persons at the Department of State.

I wouldn't mind if Biden ensured that non-heterosexual people are not harassed, discriminated against, or denied their civil rights. Indeed, I heartily agree with that. Biden's constant pandering to and wallowing in LGBT sexuality, though, is just wrong. It's wrong that Pete Buttigieg, a glib man of no accomplishments, should be so celebrated just because he prefers sexual activity with men over sex with women. And it's very, very wrong to pretend (as Biden did) that transgenderism is real and that society has to bow before it.

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