## The Final Battle: Twisting the Constitution

We are in the Final Battle and the war is escalating rapidly. The Anti-word-of-God is attacking the Word of God and everyone who holds on to traditional values. Our Constitution is being manipulated and twisted to conform to the beliefs of Liberals who oppose Christianity and a free Republic. Communism and Socialism have always opposed Christianity, and now have become the "New Democratic Socialism," writing laws to silence Christians. David Barton in his book "Original Intent," states a "**revisionist**" are those who **distort historical facts** for their own political agenda.

ACLU American Civil Liberties Union: Roger Baldwin (a communist) founded the ACLU in 1917 as National Liberties Bureau. In 1935 with Communism as its goal, Baldwin started using the courts to interpret the Constitution "his way." Matt Barber "ACLU Communism is the Goal" <u>https://townhall.com/columnists/mattbarber/2011/03/25/aclu-communism-is-the-goal-n1167720</u> For over 100 years Communism and Socialism have been trying to re-interpret and twist (revise) the original intent.

**Federal Courts Assault on Christianity**: Over the past 50 years there have been many court battles trying to remove any mention of God from our public arena mostly due to twisting the intent of the First Amendment. Nowhere does the Constitution use the phrase "separation of church and state." The First Amendment; "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof;" Now the courts are on a mission to prohibit the "free exercise thereof." The "separation of church and state" phrase which they invoke, and which has today become so familiar, was taken from an exchange of letters between President Thomas Jefferson and the Baptist Association of Danbury, Connecticut, shortly after Jefferson became President. Manipulate and twist the truth.

**Mayflower Compact**: first government document ever created in America. It is also called **America's Birth Certificate**. It appeared in our history books for 150 years following the ratification of the Constitution. Now it is no longer in our history books. Why? It gives reference to God. Remove documents, change intent, twist the truth and change history.

**4**<sup>th</sup> of July: for 150 years after the ratification of the Constitution it was considered a **religious holiday** in which Americans were to stop and thank God for our independence. Now our original 13 colony flag offends people causing contempt.

**George Washington:** Some of the most famous portraits painted of Washington are of him kneeling in prayer. There are many written testimonies from the generals in his day about Washington's Christian faith. Today history calls him a deist (people who believe in a God but exclude a personal relationship with Him). So why would he be praying?

**Governor Morris**: wrote/penned the Constitution. His was the final signature. He was the **most active member** on the Constitution Convention speaking on the floor 173 times. He authored two works on the Constitution in which he wrote, *"Religion is the only solid basis of good morals therefore education should teach the precepts of religion* and the duties of man toward God." There is only one religion that is compatible with our Constitution and that is Christianity.

**James Wilson:** was the second most active member of the Constitutional Convention. He spoke on the floor 168 times. He wrote the first legal commentaries on the Constitution and he was one to the first **Supreme Court Justices**; *"Human law must rest its authority ultimately upon the authority of that law which is divine."* In other words, we can't separate God's law from civil law. Apart from Christianity, our Constitution will not work, and we lose our freedoms.

**"Time Clouds Intent"** is a ploy used by people who want to change the meaning of our Constitution. In a public library we can find 97 volumes of personal writings of George Washington, 18 for James Madison, 33 for John Adams, 23 for John Quincy Adams and the list goes on and on. Our Founding Fathers wrote extensively so we would know their **exact intent** for all of history. Our Constitution is the greatest document in history; but change its intent and we will crumble.

**L. A. Times:** reporter Stephen Morris wrote an article titled *"The Founding Fathers Were NOT Christians."* He claims they were deists, atheist, agonistic and that the Constitution reflects that. **Colleges teach** that none of our Founding Fathers were Christian...none. The book "Grave Influence" by Brannon Howse explains in great detail how communistic professors were intentionally placed in our colleges to subvert our Republic and attack Christianity. **Friedrich Nietzsche** has greatly influenced our education system and is considered the father of **Postmodernism** which states there are no "absolute truths" and that truth is subjective. He stated "God is dead" and hated Christians. Postmodernism is a demonic deception.

**Signers of the Declaration of Independence**: of the 56 people who signed the Declaration, 27 had seminary degrees, all were Christian but Jefferson and Franklin, they founded over 121 different Bible societies of which some still exist today such as the American Bible Society. Francis Scott Keys was the first president of the American Sunday School Union for 52 years and penned the Star Spangle Banner. The list goes on and on. The Declaration of Independence was written with total dependence on God knowing they could all be put to death. They had no army, no navy, no military and were coming against the most powerful military in the world; Great Brittan. They pledged their life, possessions and loyalty.

First Official Meeting of Congress: September 7, 1774 opened with a 3-hour prayer.

**1952** Supreme Court Case: "Separate religious instruction from public education? Inconceivable. That violates all of our history, all of our laws, all of our traditions, all of our precedence. We are not going to separate religious instruction from public education." The "revisionists" are casting a new vision; one without the God of Abraham Isaac and Jacob.

**State of Mississippi:** a federal court case over student-lead prayer at graduation; the judge said, "This court will allow prayer if it is a typical non-denominational prayer. It can refer to God or the All Mighty but it must not refer to Jesus."

**1782 The First Bible Printed in America:** Prayer welcomed in schools by the Supreme Court for 172 consecutive years. The first Bible printed in English in America was printed by Congress and written inside the cover is *"This is a Bible printed for the use of schools."* Today the "revisionists" have twisted the original intent, not allowing the use of Bibles.

**Supreme Court Judge David Souter**: in a more recent Supreme Court case Judge Souter was presented evidence from historian David Barton about how our Founding Fathers incorporated prayer. The Judge said, "We've seen here that the Founding Fathers participated in graduation prayer, condoned prayer, even advocated prayer. That just goes to prove the Founding Fathers didn't understand the Constitution." The vote was 5 to 4 not to allow prayer in schools; revisionist.

## The intent of our Forefathers is quite clear:

The first two sentences of The Declaration of Independence (opening statement) give reference to God.

The top front of the Capital Building which houses the Supreme Court, Moses is holding the Ten Commandments.

The two main doors to the Supreme Court are engraved with the Ten Commandments.

In the court room where the judges sit is a display of the Ten Commandments.

Bible verses are etched in stone all over the Federal Building and Monuments in Washington D.C.

"We have staked the whole of all our political institutions upon the capacity of mankind for self-government, upon the capacity of each and all of us to govern ourselves, to control ourselves, to sustain ourselves according to the Ten Commandments" –James Madison 4<sup>th</sup> President of the U.S.

"It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great nation was founded not by religionists but by Christians, not on religions but on the **Gospel of Jesus Christ**." –Patrick Henry

Since 1777, Congress opens with a prayer, by a minister whose salary is paid for by the federal government. One of Thomas Jefferson's greatest concerns was that the courts would overstep their authority and instead of interpreting the law would begin making law. Abortion and gay marriage should have been laws enacted by congress. 70% of the Founding Fathers were against slavery, but the media are now trying to portray them as racists. Thomas Jefferson supposedly fathered children with slaves. Major headlines said DNA testing proved this fact, but this was proven wrong and the statement was retracted, but **nobody reported on the retraction**; lies changing history. Thomas Jefferson completely supported the use of the Bible to help shape our Constitution. He passed a law in Virginia that if you didn't go to church on Sunday, you received a fine. The fine is a bad idea, but it proves a point.

"Religion is deemed in other countries incompatible with good government and yet proved by our experience to be its best support." –Thomas Jefferson

We hold these truths to be self-evident that all men are created equal, that they are endowed **by their Creator** with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. —That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed...

Top politicians have recently quoted this and left out "by their Creator."

All 50 states Preamble for their Constitutions give reference to God.

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