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## FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK: Truth or Consequences

Some of you may remember the game show Truth or Consequences, hosted by Bob Barker and others, that aired in the 1950's and 60's. The premise of the show was for a contestant to tell the truth by answering a question correctly, or be forced to pay the consequences by performing a trick. The 21st century version of the old game show will present itself this November in the form of a presidential election. If the truth wins out, America wins and gets four more years of President Donald J. Trump. If it doesn't, the consequences will be a dirty trick named Joe Biden. A Biden presidency, along with a Democrat win in the House and Senate, will effectively mean the end of Western civilization as we know it.

We already know that the cognitively-challenged Mr. Biden has sold out to the far left progressives in Congress. It's no stretch to imagine Alexandra Ocasio-Cortez replacing Nancy Pelosi as Speaker of the House. The Senate would be quick to discontinue the filibuster, and the Electoral College would meet with the same fate. It also appears as though Mr. Biden would begin his presidency with the largest tax increase in the history of the world. His tax plan would raise over \$4 trillion by raising tax rates on both companies and individuals. Say it ain't so, Joe. Of course, a rise in corporate rates would send all the corporations that President Trump brought home back overseas again, effectively increasing consumer costs across the board. Then there's the Green New Deal, which has the elimination of fossil fuels in its crosshairs. America would lose a major source of income by no longer having oil and natural gas available to sell on the foreign market. Those energy dollars would be re-directed to Russia. Of course, the millions of gas operated vehicles in the US would then start to rust out due to inertia. Americans' depleted bank accounts would be further decimated by the need to buy an electric-powered car. Because Marxist governments have an insatiable appetite for money, they would then come after our property and our assets. Say goodbye to home and land ownership, as well as your bank accounts and retirement funds. Everybody in America would finally be equal. We'll all be poor. Except for the elites, of course. And they would maintain dictatorial power for as long as they could hold any opposition at bay. Which will be easy once they've confiscated our guns.

If you think none of the above can happen, you're sadly mistaken. It's happened elsewhere around the world, and as long as Americans continue to drift aimlessly and apathetically through life, not seeking the truth, first from God, and then from those who are exposing the evil in our land, then it will happen here as well. The easy way to resist this sea change in our land is to get out and vote in November. The hard way is to go to war. The last time Americans fought each other 600,000 lives were lost. This time the body count will be in the millions. The Bible says we reap what we sow. Now is the time to put good seed in the ground.

Rev. David Lewis

## **America's Christian Heritage** **Part II – America: Modern City of Refuge**

**By Robert Luthardt, Sr.**

It is reasonable to classify 21<sup>st</sup> Century America as a Christian nation since the vast majority of the citizenry claim that faith. During the settlement period (1607-1774) it was nearly 100% because Pilgrims and Puritans were men and women of fervent Christian faith and the Bible was their primary text for worship and education. Their children at adulthood were found still following the same spiritual path of faith, keeping the commandments and principles they were taught.

By the time their grandchildren were grown, the colonies had been assailed by subversive waves of Deism and Rationalism from Europe. Yet only a small percentage of America's Founders (1774-1789) digressed at all from Trinitarian Christianity. Some in youthful exuberance, expressed deistic views (ex: Jefferson, Franklin) but this faded by their older years. There is abundant written historical evidence that nearly all settlers and founders were of an unequivocal Trinitarian Christian orientation.

The Great Awakening (1738-1770) nurtured by Anglican Evangelist George Whitfield, Congregationalist Jonathan Edwards, Presbyterian William Tennent and Dutch Reformed Theodore Frelinhuysen, reignited fervency of faith in the colonists and the founders. A greater cooperative spirit swept the churches as they recognized they all professed the same faith.

In God's providence this greater cooperation proved a critical necessity at the Continental Congress and when militia were needed for defense against enemies. Would we have had at all a Declaration of Independence or an Army of defense without that God-ordained cooperation?

The United States from its inception is unique in history in that every citizen is equal and free (there is no class of nobles). What governs Americans is a document – the Constitution – which grew out of the Compacts, Covenants, Confessions and Colonial Charters, each of which contained statements of humility and obeisance to God and to the Lord Jesus Christ.

In 1954 Congress added to the Pledge of Allegiance the words, "under God." President Eisenhower signed the law saying, "our school children will daily proclaim ... dedication ... to the Almighty." In 1955 he also said, "Without God, there could be no American ... government ... with God's help it will continue." This should be the prayer of every American; today and for as long as the present era of God's watch care for us lasts.

What remains a blessing in our Country traces back to our original Judeo-Christian heritage. What is lacking in American culture has been a departure from that heritage.

In the late 1400's, God motivated Christopher Columbus to discover a "New World." Few know of Columbus' Christian witness. For seven years he defied ridicule and rejection to obtain funding. Once at sea, he defied mutiny and death in dangerous waters. He wrote later, "It was the Lord who impelled me to sail ... the Holy Spirit ... comforted me with ... illumination from ... scriptures" (taken from Colonel John Eidsmoe's book "Columbus & Cortez"). God swung wide open the door for colonization of America.

In 1607, an English landing party made shore in what was named Jamestown, VA. Their immediate official act was to plant a cross claiming the land for Jesus Christ. They had carried from England their Charter which stipulated, "... propagating the Christian religion to ... people ... in darkness and in miserable ignorance of the true knowledge ... of God."

The success of Jamestown lighted the way for the Pilgrims (Puritan separatists from England's State Church) to settle in Plymouth, Mass. (1620). They began their colony with their own written stipulations, "In the name of God" and ... "for the advancement of the Christian Faith." The later coming Puritans were those who had not separated but tried to "purify" the English Church from within. They saw and eventually acknowledged that the Pilgrims more truly followed scripture (2 Cor. 6:14-17). When the leadership becomes apostate, believers are to depart. Both groups were firmly committed to the God of the Bible. Both were persecuted for their "non-conformity" and thousands of these Bible-honoring Christians fled England for religious freedom.

When Civil War in England commenced (1640's – 1689) and only truly ended in 1689 with the signing of The Toleration Act which granted real freedom of worship, it yet generated more waves of Christians to America. They wanted no more of the oppression believers had endured since the death of Elizabeth in 1603.

Other providential events stirred Puritan Roger Williams to seek freedom of worship (1636) in his new settlement called "Providence," Rhode Island. He also strived to evangelize the Indian tribes. Queen Christiana of Sweden (1630-1640's) supported a colony in Delaware with certain stipulations, "all persons ... shall be instructed in the Christian Faith" and "wild nations [Indians] instructed in the ... worship of the Christian Religion."

Small groups of English Catholics were also seeking religious freedom and in 1632, Charles I granted George Calvert (Lord Baltimore) land which became Maryland. Before long Maryland was filled with protestants as well.

In the 1670-1680's, William Penn established a haven for Quakers but allowed his Pennsylvania to welcome all for religious freedom. He, too, made efforts to reach Indians with Biblical Truth.

In 1669, John Locke, author of the "Reasonableness of Christianity," was also the chief author of the "Charter of Carolina," which stipulated, "God is to be publicly and solemnly worshipped" and kindness is to be shown to the "Indians for Christianity's sake." He also charged that kindness be accorded all dissenters from Christ's teachings, nor any kept at a distance from His love meant for all peoples and races in the human family.

In 1773, when Georgia was founded by James Oglethorpe, that Charter stipulated that time and means be devoted to conversion of Indians, "through good discipline and example of just, moral, religious behavior." When Oglethorpe's settlers landed on Georgia's shore, their first official act was to kneel in prayer with thanksgiving to God.

In the 20<sup>th</sup> Century we witnessed the rise of anti-Christian bigotry from groups like, "Americans United for Separation of Church and State" (who falsely asserted this concept is in the Constitution) and the group of radical left-wing New York lawyers who formed the "American Civil Liberties Union" (ACLU).

These and other alt-left fundamentalists have been prime movers of unconstitutional hate-crime laws (Orwellian thought control) designed to shut down evangelism and to criminalize formerly lawful endeavors and enterprises (religious and secular) reclassifying them as being dangerous, terrorist or criminal in orientation. Christians have been prosecuted (and persecuted!) at law before tribunals because their faith forbids supporting open, aggressive sinfulness such as abortion and homosexuality. Christian florists, wedding photographers and bakers have been fined and threatened with jail time. It is George Orwell's "1984" in America. Such hate-crime laws in Sweden caused AKE-GREEN, a church pastor, to be sentenced to a month in prison for preaching in a Sunday sermon the Bible's condemnation of sin including homosexuality. Fortunately, a private American group, financed by Christians (Alliance Defense Fund) came to Pastor Green's defense and won the case on appeal. Radical left-wing jurists that, "legislate from the bench" are not only festering in the United States. Pastor Green warned, "Be aware that our Faith is under Fire."

All Americans should thank God that He founded our nation for religious liberty first and foremost. We can still challenge the invented "facts" of "revisionist historians" infesting our colleges. Our weaponry to defend truth are found in the documents of the settlers (Compacts, Charters, Colonial Constitutions, State Constitutions) and acts of the Continental Congress (ex. Days of prayer and fasting, etc.) and of our founders (Declaration of Independence, Articles of Confederation, The Northwest Ordinance, the Constitution of the U.S. and Bill of Rights).

George Washington wrote that we could, "remain a free and happy people" so long as our citizens, "strived to live in imitation of Jesus Christ" (inscribed June 1783 in a letter to the governors of all the States).

Bill Federer, conservative author and speaker reported, "Tolerance is the unique Christian contribution to the world. Tolerance from Puritans first to other protestants, then to Catholics, then to liberal Christians and Jews. Finally, toleration was allowed to atheists, secular humanists and even hostile anti-Christians. Now, however, these last ones in, have decided to work against the advocates of toleration so that now anything and everything must be tolerated except those who extended the kindness in the first place. Everything is tolerable to extremists and radicals except Bible-based Christianity."

Bill Federer concluded by showing how America's Christian heritage counts greatly because it alone defines properly the United States at its core. Our future depends upon our beliefs and our actions. To forget or to hide America's true past history jeopardizes our future and our God-given liberty. Now's the time to fight and prayer is our armament. Keep looking up (Luke 21:28).



## The Christian Life – Pt. 7 – Faithfulness

By Nancy Long

Heb. 12:5-7 – *“And ye have forgotten the exhortation which speaketh unto you as unto children, My son, despise not thou the chastening of the Lord, nor faint when thou art rebuked of Him.”*

Romans 5:12 – *“Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned.”*

Romans 8:16-17 – *“The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with Him, that we may be also glorified with Him.”*

1 Cor. 6:20 – *“For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God’s.”*

2 Cor. 12:9 – *“And He said unto me, **My grace is sufficient for thee: for My strength is made perfect in weakness.** Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.”*

Phil. 1:6 – *“Being confident of this very thing, that He which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ.”*

Phil. 1:29 -- *“For unto you it is given in the behalf of Christ, not only to believe on Him, but also to suffer for His sake,”*

Lastly in our exploration of the attributes of God, let’s look at His characteristic of faithfulness.

Jesus Christ **willingly** left His home in glory, *“made Himself of no reputation. And took upon Him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men. And being found in fashion as a man, He humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross”* (Phil. 2:7-8).

The Lord had a purpose, that being to shed His precious, perfect, sinless blood for the remission of sin, for an elect people, chosen **by** God, in order that they might be able to be brought back into a right relationship **with** God, that had been previously

broken by Adam's disobedience (Rom. 5:12). Jesus Christ was steadfast, constant, and faithful in His allegiance to that one purpose and objective!

We, who are born again, have been quickened (made alive), where once we were dead in trespasses and sins (Eph. 2:10). We have been bought with a price, therefore we are no longer our own, but God's. We are exhorted to glorify Him in our bodies as well as in our spirits (1 Cor. 6:20). We have been given a reason for living, part of which is to tell others the good news of the gospel and to comfort and encourage others in the faith. It is imperative that each of our testimonies is solid and constant, so that those whom we touch will not be drawn away, but closer to, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We can be absolutely confident that the faithful One who has begun that good work in us will carry it through to the end,, complete it, and bring it to fruition (Phil. 1:6).

The Christian however, is not destined for a "bed of roses" in this life (Phil. 1:29). The Christian is a co-heir with Christ (Rom. 8:16-17), and should be prepared to suffer. This is the way God teaches us to be reliant on Him. This is one of the methods He uses to school and train us, His children.

The promise of Heb. 12:5-7 explains that the Lord loves us. We **are** His children! Because of this we can expect His discipline. Christ Jesus understands and knows our needs, and will give us what is suitable and right and sufficient, not only to strengthen us, but also to glorify Himself. His grace is then revealed and made greater. As we continue to be humbled by our weakness, we come to rely on His strength all the more (2 Cor. 12:9).

Paul, who suffered much, speaks of "*light affliction*" or minor difficulties during our sojourn on earth (2 Cor. 4:17-18). I believe he means to say, it's all in the outlook! It may seem that we have much trouble as we walk through our journey on earth, but compared to what awaits us, our afflictions are "light", superficial, and trivial. For this reason we are not to fix our eyes on things which are seen, because they really are passing away, but focus on that which is eternal ..... things that will last! Afflictions, or trials, are reminders to keep the believer focused on Christ ..... to learn more about Him and His ways, to refine our obedience, and to bring our relationship closer.

God is sovereign and in control of all things! **What a comfort!!** There *is* a big picture!!! Our God is working "***all things***" ..... good, bad, easy, hard, pretty, and not so pretty, prosperity, poverty, health, sickness, comfort, pain, and more, for the good of "*those who love him, and who are the called, according to His purpose*" (Rom. 8:28). There are no accidents!! Be grateful!! We, who are children of the Almighty, have a purpose in life, and we can only remain constant and steadfast in that purpose, when we subject ourselves to our loving Heavenly Father, and totally put our faith and trust

in Him!! Daily we must commit ourselves to His divine care and submit to His divine, and perfect, guidance. Only then do we have the hope of leading a life that's truly above the average! Only then, can we have a life that's truly beyond amazing! We serve a God who *"is able to do **exceeding abundantly** above all we ask or think"* (Eph. 3:20a). Ponder that, if you will!!!!

In the verse that concludes John, chapter 16, Jesus speaks to His disciples, *"**These things I have spoken unto you, that in Me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.**"* There's no way around it. We live in a world of turmoil and chaos. Yet the Lord Himself tells us to *"**be of good cheer**"*..... even in the midst of trouble!! Again, think on that, for more than a minute!!!!

Peace!!! Isn't it interesting that our Lord closes this chapter with peace!! You and I, who are the children of God, can have peace in our hearts, because peace is not found in material things, or even circumstances, but true peace is only found in the Prince of Peace, in the person of our unchangeable, unfailing, trustworthy, dependable, constant, and faithful Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!!

Do you know Him? If not, the good news is that Jesus Christ shed His perfect sinless blood, as the only full and finished payment for sin. He died and was buried, and rose again from the grave, for your redemption. By placing your faith and trust in Him alone, you can be saved, born again from above, becoming a new creation in Christ, and be assured of an eternity in Heaven! Please don't delay. Trust Him today!



# STAND FIRM AGAINST THE DARKNESS

By **Diane Hussey**

“Wherefore, take unto you the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand” (Ephesians 6:13).

Events seem to be accelerating and changing at a faster and faster pace with each passing day. It is challenging to stay informed, but increasingly clear that we are in the beginning stages of a major cultural revolution. This new revolution has the potential to overturn our American Revolution.

Mark Levin commented on June 28, 2020, “**This is not America. It is something else.**”

On March 4, 1802, President Thomas Jefferson offered *A National Prayer for Peace* in which he said, “Almighty God, Who has given us this good land for our heritage . . . Save us from violence, discord, and confusion, from pride and arrogance and from every evil way” (America’s God and Country, William J. Federer).

According to Harlan Hill, Real Clear Politics.com (ZeroHedge, 7/1/2020), “Dark forces have been unleashed in this country. Even now, we are only seeing the tip of the iceberg.” The author adds, “these people are not seeking change at the margins. They are demanding a total cultural revolution, and cowardly public officials are giving it to them.”

The “protestors” quickly moved beyond riots and anarchy based on racial issues after the death of George Floyd. When they began destroying and defacing statues of Columbus, George Washington and abolitionist leaders, it was no longer about racial injustice. In fact, “. . . most Americans don’t realize the ‘protests’ have been engineered and largely co-opted by openly Marxists/communist revolutionary groups including Antifa, Black Lives Matter and Refuse Fascism” (World Net Daily/WND, Whistleblower Magazine, 7/5/2020).

Antifa, “the violent, intimidating paramilitary organization is strikingly reminiscent of Mussolini’s notorious Black Shirts” (WND). Its members include Marxists, Leninists, social democrats and anarchists (Mark Moore, 6/1/2020). They seek “to bring down the United States by means of violence and intimidation” (Guy Milliere, 7/5/2020).

The co-founders of Black Lives Matter are trained Marxists. The BLM leader in New York, Mark Newsom “openly promised a violent revolution” (WND).

Not as well-known is a third group, Refuse Fascism, which was formed by the Revolutionary Communist Party headquartered in New York City (WND).

Guy Milliere of the Strategic Culture Foundation states, “What basically appears to be at work has nothing to do with either black lives or the police. It is a will to overthrow the United States. This desire includes American institutions, everything on which the United States is founded and the United States itself.”

In an article entitled, “Think the Cancel Mobs Can’t Get any Worse? Think Again,” Harlan Hill continued the theme of what is actually taking place in America. The author states, “We’re now in the midst of a full-force, totalitarian remolding of our society, one that seeks to place the petty resentments of an outraged minority of leftist activists above everything else in American life. Because of their willingness to riot, loot and assault anyone they perceive to be insufficiently sympathetic to their cause, leftists are able to bully ordinary people into submission.”

Not only do Black Lives Matter and Antifa call for defunding the police, but they also call for abolishing them. BLM supports murdering police officers, and a majority of the members of Antifa “wholeheartedly support militant self-defense against police and targeted destruction of police” (Mark Moore). Recent news stories reveal the staggering death toll and surging violence in Chicago, New York City, Detroit, Seattle and Portland when police presence has been reduced or is absent.

**“The face of the Lord is against evildoers, to cut off the memory of them from the earth.”**

**Psalm 34:16**

On July 10th an article was posted on ZeroHedge by Peter Van Buren in which he asks the question: “Is America on the Edge of a Cultural Revolution? The historical namesake and obvious parallel is the Cultural Revolution in China, which lasted from 1966 to 1976.” The author reminds us that the Chinese Cultural Revolution “destroyed China’s economy and traditional culture, leaving behind a possible death toll ranging from one to 20 million. Nobody really knows. It was a war on the way people think.” Mr. Van Buren states that there are similarities between our potential revolution and China’s: “the hate of the old, the need for unacceptable ideas to be disappeared [sic] in the name of social progress, intolerance toward dissent, violence to enforce conformity . . . In China you showed conformity by carrying around Mao’s Little Red Book. In America, you wear a soiled surgical mask to the supermarket.”

In recent weeks reports of attacks on churches and Christian statues have been increasing. In Boston, Florida and New York statues of the Virgin Mary were toppled or defaced. In New York a statue of Jesus was decapitated. In Florida a man drove a car into a church, poured gasoline inside the church and set it on fire with the parishioners inside. When he was arrested, he laughed about the incident. A 249-year old historic church in California was almost completely destroyed by fire on July 11th.

On July 19th, at a Bible study in a church in Chantilly, VA, a 32-year old man in the group attacked and stabbed the pastor. The police chief, who was present at the study, and two other church members were all injured when they subdued the attacker. None of the injuries were life-threatening.

Eric Metaxas appeared on Tucker Carlson’s Fox News program on July 13, 2020 and provided some insights about these attacks on Christian symbols. He stated that these actions reveal a “hatred of God and any kind of authority;” they want “to be their own authority.” They have “a sense of deep injustice.” It reveals an “unbridled” almost “Satanic fury.” Mr. Metaxas added, “They are a violent Marxist organization and want to burn down everything that has been built by good people over centuries.”

Tony Perkins, President of the Family Research Council, stated, “Marxism has no place for God.”

**“Religion is the sigh of the oppressed creature, the heart of a heartless world, and the soul of soulless conditions. It is the opium of the people.”**

**Karl Marx, February 2, 1844**

Are the trials we are encountering the beginnings of God’s judgment upon this nation? Are we at a crossroad, or perhaps a turning point in our history as a nation? Has truth fallen in the street in America? (paraphrase of Isaiah 59:14c).

In 1997 William Strauss and Neil Howe wrote a book entitled, *The Fourth Turning*. By analyzing history and “identifying contemporary markers” the authors “determined an astoundingly prescient forecast in which they saw a cascade of incidents that would ultimately lead to chaos and the “Fourth Turning” (article by Tom Horn, SkywatchTV). Bear in mind the authors’ claims were made over 20 years ago: “Just after the millennium, America will enter a new era that will culminate with a crisis comparable to the American Revolution, the Civil War, the Great Depression and WWII. The very survival of the nation will almost certainly be at stake.”

In his video broadcast on June 30th Michael Anthony Peroutka stated that there are three things we need to do:

1. We need to pray. Remember, God is sovereign. Pray for His will to be done.
2. We need to study and learn so we know what is going on and be able to discern and understand the times in which we are living, as did the men of Issachar.
3. Then, we must act, which will take bravery, courage and resistance. We have come from a long tradition of courage. We need to be guided by a belief in God and a commitment to the rule of law.

Ron Paul in a recent Campaign for Liberty letter reminds his readers, “The American Revolution proves that an irate and tireless minority can accomplish great things. Stay active in the battle.”

Remember the “black-robed regiment of preachers” from the Revolution who were “strong heroes and responded to God’s divine call” (David Barton, 7/3/2020, on Dr. James Dobson, Family Talk).

Do we have what it will require to take our country back from the forces of evil encroaching day by day? Are we willing to reclaim the ground taken by the enemy recognizing that the battle is “not against flesh and blood, but against . . . powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places” (Ephesians 6:12)? Will we stand firm on God’s principles and do what is right and just? Do we have the bravery and courage to do what God would have us do . . . or will we be silent and allow the forces of darkness and anarchy to destroy what God has given us? We have a decision to make, one with eternal consequences.

**GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH, A VERY PRESENT HELP IN TROUBLE. BE STILL, AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD; I WILL BE EXALTED AMONG THE HEATHEN, I WILL BE EXALTED IN THE EARTH. THE LORD OF HOSTS IS WITH US; THE GOD OF JACOB IS OUR REFUGE.**

**Psalms 46:1, 10-11**

## **Moment of Truth (6/15/20)**

In the Bible Jesus said “Every Kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation—and every city or house divided against itself shall not stand.”

1800 years later, Abraham Lincoln said “A house divided against itself cannot stand.”

Jesus was speaking of the sinful nature of humanity—guaranteed to separate us from each other and from God. Lincoln was speaking to the state of the nation prior to the onset of the Civil War. Both apply to America today.

Many believe we may be on the verge of another civil war—as the progressive agenda of divide and conquer is playing itself out by using racial differences to divide us. At its core—however—there are no distinctions—as God created only one race—the human race. And we better learn to get along. Scripture asks the question “He who does not love his brother—whom he has seen—how can he love God—whom he has not seen?” Think on that, America.



## **Moment of Truth (6/16/20)**

Josef Stalin is reported to have said that a single death is a tragedy; a million deaths is a statistic.

That quote has certainly manifested itself in the ongoing drama of the hate group—Black Lives Matter.

This racist organization—which really doesn’t think that black lives matter at all—has fomented unrest in America’s cities over the tragic single death of George Floyd—while ignoring the 25+ million murders of black babies at the hands of Planned Parenthood over the last 45 years.

Where also is their outcry over the deaths of 2,500 black men in the city of Chicago since 2015? Could it be because that horror is generated by black on black crime—which doesn’t fit the racist agenda of BLM?

God’s law says it’s wrong to murder anyone—whether they’re black, white, brown, or green. So I guess all lives matter. It’s why Jesus instructed us to take the gospel to the four corners of the earth. He created all men. And they all matter to Him.

*Our mission through the broadcast of In Defense of Truth and the publication of The Defender newsletter is to earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints (Jude 3). Our vision today is just as strong as it was back in 1963 when Dr. John Dekker began this outreach. We pray that you will continue to stand with us as we hold true to God's holy Word.*

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If you are in or around the Baltimore area, we'd love to have you join us for these upcoming events!

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Sunday Morning Worship & Children's Church	11:00 AM
Tuesday Afternoon Bible Study	1:30 PM
Wednesday Evening Bible Study	7:00 PM
Outdoor Movie (Friday, Aug. 28th)	8:00 PM