

“It does not require a majority to prevail, but rather an irate, tireless minority keen to set brush fires in people’s minds.” –Samuel Adams

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The Truth makes us free...We live in an Era of Lies

June 1, 2021

Flag Wave on the Bridge of Lions on this Memorial Day, in St. Augustine, Florida

City Officials Lied

Because the City would not dress the Historic “Bridge of Lions” with American Flags in remembrance of those who

gave their lives for our Freedom, local grassroots patriots called for citizens to bring their own patriotic flags to the Bridge of Lions on Memorial Day, May 31, 2021. Hundreds showed up.

The City of St. Augustine made no provision for American Flags to dress the Bridge of Lions on Memorial Day, their excuse...no flag holders on the bridge. Guess they never heard of “Zip Ties” or good old “Patriotic Can Do Spirit”. The City Officials LIED. There are eye bolts on the bridge, according to trusted observers, just like on the old bridge when American Flags were displayed.



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In fact, the City has disrespected patriotic holidays and Veteran's Memorials, for some time now, as they continue to join in favoring outside Communist radicals coming to town to commit acts of aggression and unlawful acts of racism against peaceful people.

City management just spent a huge sum of money to move a Veteran's Memorial with two Christian Crosses from the Plaza de la Constitucion. Ignoring the fact that Confederate soldiers have been declared American Soldiers by an act of Congress, they moved the oldest Veteran's Memorial in the State of Florida out of the Historic District. This is the evil of "Communist Cultural Warfare" on full display. The cabal will be made to pay. Communists lie, our City Officials lie.

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June 5, 2021

Is it Love or Hate?

By Calvin Johnson

Propagandists on the left continuously accuse conservatives of hate because of their opposition to the lifestyles and rights of those in the LGBTQ community. I find it very concerning that the left considers it hate to oppose the lifestyles LGBTQ community. On the contrary, opposition to these lifestyles is, by many, an act of love. What the Left fails to realize is that sexual perversion goes against God's moral law and that there are many negative consequences that will fall upon those who disregard what God lovingly says to stay away from.



Johnson Photo

I, for one, oppose alcoholism and drug addiction; does that make me hateful or loving to those who are caught up in lifestyles that are detrimental to their well being? Members of the LGBTQ community are far more likely to die from the AIDS virus than any other people group. They are far more likely to commit suicide than other groups. They are far more likely to get involved in illicit drugs or alcohol abuse. And they are far more likely to be sexually unfulfilled than heterosexual people. So how can the leftists tell conservatives that support for these sexually perverted lifestyles is an act of love when, clearly, these lifestyles create such devastating results.

The main problem that I see here is that the left has totally ignored the fact that our creator warns us not to go down certain paths and that they have rationalized the negative consequences of sexual perversion as someone else's fault. What they need to understand is that members of the LGBTQ community have distorted their natural sexuality and have turned to other forms of it as a coping mechanism because of past abuse or neglect, much in the same way alcoholics and drug addicts cope through substance abuse.

The job of conservative leaders and lawmakers is not to enable sexual perversion through legislation or other means, but to help those caught up in these life styles of sexual bondage to find help to overcome their distorted feelings and mindset and to restore them to healthy lifestyles. Certainly more can be done by our leaders to help find ways to restore these unfortunate souls.

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June 8, 2021

A Memorial to Steven L. Krieg

May 20, 1946 – June 1, 2021



Krieg Family Photo

I have been forced to accept the passing of one of my closest friends. This past Saturday there was a funeral service for Stephen Krieg at Greg's Funeral Home.

Stephen was born in the Midwest at a time when there were still substantial numbers of people on family farms. Many on farms, in those days, did not move on to the intellectual pursuits found in the institutions of higher learning. In place of university degrees they were endowed by their Creator with an abundance of "Common Sense" and one hell of a work ethic. It is the Same Common Sense and energy that propelled the American Revolution in 1776 according to Thomas Pane.

It was a revolution that exploded upon the world with the concept of individual sovereignty. It was a radical idea in 1775 at the outbreak of the war; it is still radical in 2021 as we prepare to once again defend Liberty. The so called radical ideas of Karl Marx of the 1800s

were not forward thinking. Marx's ideas, sugar coated within an industrial twist, simply called for man to go back to the age of serfdom.

It was an age where people were bound to the land; where a king, flouting divine right, owned the land and everything else. Well, God's idea of divine right has never been about slavery. It has been about Liberty.

Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness are the declaration of Divine Rights. My dear friend, Steve, understood these precepts thoroughly. He was a patriot. He served the Country in Vietnam opposing the Communists. He came back from Vietnam to be spat upon by the Communists posing as Americans.

His service in Vietnam and the resulting exposure to 'Agent Orange' caused him to experience a heart attack at age 60. This resulted in poor circulation and he lost both legs while still recovering from the heart attack. Add to his disabilities, Parkinson's disease. And, it seems the VA was always cutting out cancerous skin tumors from him. The VA recognized him as a "Combat Disabled Veteran".

When this ordeal started, he was only expected to live six months. He survived for 15 years as a cheerful and optimistic servant of God. Never once did I ever hear him complain about his circumstances or ask the question, why me? Not once.

Steven Krieg was a Democrat. He was born into a family of Democrats. It was his heritage. He voted for Obama in 2008, but soon lost all respect for the first black man to occupy the White House. He registered as a 'Non Party Affiliate' joining the grassroots movement. He voted for Trump in 2016 and 2020.

Because of his weakened heart condition, Steve used his energy for his daily activities, rarely engaging in evening activities. Consequently, he never attended a single Tea Party meeting, but he knew your names because I often spoke of you. From time to time he donated to our cause. I never asked for him to donate. He was the essence of the Tea Party to Trump movement, a great American who wanted his country to be great again.

The Republicans didn't trust this former Democrat. When I tried to get a Trump sign for his front yard from the President of the Republican Club, I was told they don't give signs to Democrats. That will, for sure, be a losing strategy for the GOP.

For this former Democrat, God, Country, family, the Bible and guns were very important to him. Clearly, in the eyes of the Democrats, these values qualified him for the title of a "White Supremacist". Hell, just being an aged old white man is enough.

But there's a hitch in the White Supremacist claim. This *great* American's funeral was presided over by no less than three black pastors and a black vocalist. Democrats want you to believe that America is institutionally racist. The fact that black people came out to show respect for this white man who befriended them, as he befriended all, shows that institutionalized racism died years ago. It is only the deceitful Communists that try to keep it alive. I hate the Communists for their deceit and their denial of everything good.

I started this conversation with Common Sense and an incredible work ethic as the qualities of Americans and my friend, Steve. It was not possible for Steve to not have a project... hear the word work. Being wheelchair bound and living with a pacemaker and a weakened heart did not deter him from the joy of production and creation. It only meant that it took him more time than it would otherwise require. This past winter Steve devoted his time to creating an agricultural project in his backyard, a major garden. The vegetable garden was completely enclosed with a screened structure that he fabricated himself from raw materials. He brought water lines out for irrigation and power to prevent freezing during the winter. He had already purchased the heat lamps, but they were not yet ready for installation. This phase of utility construction was not completed, but the garden was planted and producing.

Steve often had trouble negotiating his power chair in the soft sandy soils of Florida. He would get stuck and have to crawl back to the house on his belly. Recently the VA provided him with a four-wheel-drive power

chair. Steve could go anywhere with that chair. I looked forward to the time when he could transport the chair to Camp Liberty so that we could enjoy the woods together. That was not to be.

Steve reached a little too far and fell from his chair breaking his femur which required intrusive surgery. While he survived the surgery, they had to pin the femur, the whole process was too much for him. Steve reached a little too far in the way Americans have always set goals other Nations couldn't or wouldn't.

We Americans have reached for the stars. We can do so because our founding documents created a system of reward for our efforts, coupled with our God-given rights to Liberty to protect those rewards. Capitalism and the ever-expanding wealth it creates, on one side and the Communist's enslavement of the people on the other, with people living at a subsistence level, so the enrichment of the supreme leader can be achieved. Those are your choices.

It is the eternal struggle between liberty and tyranny. The Bible, of which Stephen was a full time student, is full of accounts of the struggle for Liberty. Steve lived by these principles. Our Country was built by people like Stephen Krieg.

Steve's ashes are being sent to his home State of Illinois. The ashes will mingle with the rich soil of the Midwest farm belt. The soil he worked as a young boy and young man on this father's rented farm. In my mind I find myself envisioning the land covered with deep, blowing and drifting snow, when the colors tend to be gray and white with the black trunks of the barren trees in silhouette, the winter landscape. Sometimes the sky bursts forth in blue, but then it is miserably cold.

But there is the promise of the return to vibrant color in the spring. A time of bounty when green is upon the land. A resurrection, if you will and Steven will be there in that glory.

Stephen Krieg was my hero; he was the essence of the common man in America, but there was nothing common about him. There is nothing common about Americans. America is exceptional, because in the whole world there are no sovereign citizens, only in America.

For all the Steven Kriegs and all those who have given their all, we cannot let this concept die. The souls of the generations of Americans are calling. It is time to rise up and defend our Liberty.

It is the true divine right.

Lance Thate
TCCR Editor and Publisher

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June 24, 2016



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Tea Party Chairman Retiring

Members will Elect New Chairman at their Annual Meeting

The St. Augustine Tea Party's Chairman, Lance Thate, has made it clear that he will not stand for reelection. Thate has served as Chairman for about eight years. During his association with the Tea Party, Thate founded the Town Criers, the activist wing of the Tea Party in St. Johns County, Florida. He is also responsible for the creation of the Town Criers' publication "The Town Crier Committee Report". Most of the Town Criers' efforts have been the awakening of the public to the dangers associated with the globalist agenda perpetuated by the two dominant political parties.

At Thate's last Tea Party Open Meeting as Chairman, during the Chairman's Report, Thate made, in part, the following comments on June 22, 2021:

"On May 25, 2021 at a meeting in this room, I announced my desire to retire from the position of Chairman. Living alone at Camp Liberty is taking more and more time to tend to my personal needs. The result of growing old. Some have suggested that I hire help with the manual tasks. Working with smart phones and laptops most of the day without the therapeutic relief of physical work would be a hell for me. I have reached a point in my life that prevents me from devoting the time necessary to be Chairman.

I expressed a desire that a younger man step up to assume the Chairmanship responsibilities. Such a man has responded to my call. Bubba Lewis has expressed willingness to serve. His patriotic activities are well known among the younger Patriot members of various groups. Bubba is a 3% Militia activist. Others interested in serving can be also placed in nomination at the Annual meeting.

Our Recording Secretary, Joyce Ferrigno, has also expressed a desire to retire for health reasons. She has not been attending our meetings in recent months because she is confined to her home. Although our bylaws only provide for a Recording Secretary, Joyce has also functioned as an unofficial Corresponding Secretary.

She creates the email blasts and promotions of our open meetings. Since she can do that from home she is willing to continue in that capacity for as long as she can.

I believe Dave Heimbold is willing to serve another term as Treasurer.

I am willing to serve, at the pleasure of the new SATP Chairman, in the capacity of Town Crier Committee Chairman. The Town Criers will continue to engage the public on St George Street from time to time. I am also willing to continue publishing the Town Crier Committee Report for the time being.

I wish to thank you for the support that you have so generously provided over the last eight years. It was an honor to serve as your Chairman.

My involvement with the Tea Party movement goes back to the glory days of 2009, 2010 and 2011. It was the time when there were Tea Parties in nearly every County across America. There were over 100 Tea Parties in Florida. And we were capable of creating rallies with tens of thousands of people across multiple cities at the same time. All this was accomplished as a grassroots movement with no centralized leadership. It is why the Communist social media networks are shutting Conservatives down today. They have seen this before.

On the day of our birth, April 15, 2009, the Tea Party had a half million people across the country rallying. And it grew from there. There were Tea Party demonstrations even greater than Trump has ever held.

The Communist group, the Indivisibles, who tried to copy the Tea Party model after Trump was elected, generated, at their birth, only 20,000 in rallies across America. The Communists are actually a minority which perpetuates the image of being the majority. The Indivisibles shut down, locally, a few months ago.

The Republican Party was obsessed with the idea of gaining control of this groundswell of patriotic fervor. From the beginning, however, the Republican leadership hated the Tea Party because of our rejection of the Bush Family's New World Order agenda. However, they loved the popularity of the Tea Party that they themselves could not generate.

After two election cycles, 2010 and 2012, our popularity began to wane. When Tea Party rallies began to fail in 2012, this Tea Party took the rally to the people who come to St. Augustine's Historic District.

In 2014, the RINO, Karl Rove, started the final campaign to destroy Tea Parties. We, like Trump, interfered with the Republican's true agenda. However, in our part of the world, we kept the grassroots movement alive and before the public by taking to the streets. Our Town Criers reached tens of millions of people over the past 10 years. We also created a forum for various Conservative groups with our open meetings, about 250 meetings in total, drawing Patriots from across five Counties. Sorry to say, that we did not save the Country or get any national recognition. But we did what we could do with the resources that we had. We did our part. We saw the awaking of America.

When we first took to the streets, Americans thought Reagan's defeat of the Soviet Union was the end of the Communists. Republicans and Democrats propagated that belief. The media aided them. Even the late, great

Rush Limbaugh avoided identifying the enemy by name until shortly before his death. But those associated with the Tea Party movement have always known who their enemy was. Today, large numbers of people know who and what our domestic enemy is.

The Tea Parties, in general, and the SATP, in particular, were instrumental in making it clear to the public. Enemies domestic are Communists; they are not Liberals, Progressives, Marxists, Socialists, Leftists or Democrats. They are the Communists. We are in the middle of a Communist transformation of America.

Phase I: was the Obama Administration. Phase II: is Obama's Shadow Government with Biden pretending to be President. The political pandemic has made Phase II possible. The fake pandemic has been perpetuated by the Chinese Communist Party through their agents, World Health Organization and CDC Deep State allies.

Phase III: will be the collapse of the economy, in one hand and a financial collapse of the dollar in the other hand. It will bring chaos; that's their plan! It was formulated at Columbia University decades ago.

There will be no political solution. The 2020 election sealed that. A Communist takeover of the White House was assured in the early morning hours of November 4, 2020. The Republicans joined in with the Democrats and simply accepted the results of that fraudulent election. We thank you, Mr. Pence! It's what the GOP has been doing for over 60 years.

The Republicans, again, joined the Democrats on January 6 and 7, 2021, betraying the duly elected 45th President of the United States, Donald J. Trump. I don't believe that the election in 2022 will be any more effective than the election of 2010. In 2010, the Republicans took control of the House but failed to exercise their Constitutional responsibility to shut down the Communist in the White House. The Republicans funded Obama's agenda for eight years.

It is now time for a new generation of patriots to carry on. I think that the younger Patriots will focus their attack on local authorities. This Tea Party once was active at City and County Commission meetings. We were not very successful at making any lasting change. But, times change. The situation is more urgent now. Patriots are showing up in greater numbers. Pressure at recent School Board Meetings has shown some initial success.

I think the most effective thing that can be done is to expose officials, where appropriate, as Communists and/or 'Fellow Travelers'. Cities and Counties are, almost universally, tied to Agenda 2030 programs. These programs come straight out of the UN's Communist playbook and the New World Order agenda.

Republicans tell us that we need to avoid being confrontational. Confrontation will play into what Communists want, chaos. It is true that Communists believe that they will win in chaotic times. Maybe that was true in Europe and other places where the people were defenseless.

The American people are armed. The Communists in America have made a serious miscalculation. They should have come for the guns before they came out in the open. The Communists betrayed themselves with their overwhelming arrogance. Americans are now arming for the coming conflict.

It is only fitting that the oldest member of this Tea Party should turn the reins over to one of the youngest members. For what is coming will be a young man's fight, as it was at Concord and Lexington on April 19, 1775. It is my hope that the new leadership of this Tea Party will not slide in the wishful thinking that we only need to get the right people into the Republican Party to save the Country. That has been the party line that has been promoted since 1865.

The Deep State swamp is too deep and corrupt for such an easy solution. A second revolutionary war is 'Blowing in the Wind'."

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