

"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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St George Street Poll

On January 28, 2023, a Town Crier pollster conducted a St. George Street Poll in the historic district of St. Augustine, Florida. St. Augustine is the oldest European-founded city in America. Consequently, the city draws a steady stream of tourists, creating a very unique demographic population. Based on their experience, the Town Criers have come to the conclusion that people who visit St. Augustine's historic district are a middle class focus group. The group has a strong bias towards Republican and Independent voters, with few Democrat voters present. If you consider the struggle between urban and rural communities and the presence of the Electoral College, it is this middle class that determines Presidential elections. The Saint Augustine Tea Party's Town Crier Committee has been conducting polls on the city's historic St.



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George Street for the past 12 years. The poll is conducted as a random selection. The results of these polls over the years have given the Town Criers the ability to make some very accurate predictions. For example, in 2012, before Romney was nominated, the Town Criers predicted that he would win the nomination and lose the general election. In early 2016, the Town Criers predicted that Donald Trump would be elected President. In fact, so strong was Trump's lead in the St George Street Poll, had the Republicans nominated Jeb Bush, the party's favorite, Trump would have won as a third party candidate. Is the poll scientific? No. But no focus group is. The Town Criers have found the middle class voice in the historic district reliable for making accurate political predictions.

Results of the poll conducted on January 28, 2023:

Trump	41%
DeSantis	49%
Biden	10%

This is the first poll ever, involving Trump, where he was not a clear winner.

Evaluation

From the time Trump came down the escalator, his greatest strength was his ability to speak directly to the American people. From his Presidential announcement forward, Donald J. Trump dominated the media. His enemies could not restrain themselves and his friends sang his praise. Two days before leaving office on January 18, 2021, there was a St. George Poll, asking the question, "Do you still support Trump"? The result showed 92% yes and 8% no. In Washington DC all had turned against Trump. On June 4, 2022 a three-way poll showed Trump 51%, Biden 11% and DeSantis 38%. During this same period, Trump was off Twitter; Fox News had switched from Trump to DeSantis, much to the jubilation of the GOP leadership; and MSM sang the praises of Biden and the Communist agenda. The Direct-TV loss of 13 million News-Max viewers adds to Trump's loss of media dominance. The most recent St. George Poll was conducted at a time of the year when the historic district has a preponderance of northern visitors. DeSantis and the GOP have been raising money from Republican PAC sources. There are reports of this dark money being used by the Republican Party to promote DeSantis in the North. This is particularly true in Iowa.

The loss of media dominance and the GOP PAC money are the major reasons for Trump's poll decline.

There are many questions we need to ask our focus groups before we can make any predictions. And, of course, there is the factor of the fraudulent election of 2020, which repeated itself to some degree in 2022. What will future elections look like? Both parties fanatically deny the prospect of a flawed election process—a manipulated process that has been going on for six or more decades. It's a way of life for politicians of both parties and the Deep State. It is entirely possible that the American public and their opinion no longer have any relevance in an election.

George Washington warned us about the nature of political parties; in the end they destroy individual liberty. Washington's prediction appears to be upon us.

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Because of DeSantis' rise in the polls, the opinion of "Grassroots Patriots" who engaged him early in his political career may be of value to the voters of this nation. The editor

Who is Ron DeSantis?

On February 19, 2009, from the floor of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Rick Santelli's live spontaneous outburst on CNBC inspired those watching to launch what was to become "The Tea Party Movement."



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Immediately after the rant, inspired activists organized small groups and bands; the number is impossible to estimate because of the decentralized nature of the Tea Party movement. One such grassroots group would come to be known as the Saint Augustine Tea Party (SATP). The SATP is being singled out because it was located in the 6th Congressional District when Ron DeSantis occupied the seat. The SATP Officers, pictured above, frequently visited his Congressional office which gave them the opportunity to evaluate DeSantis' early political behavior and values.

DeSantis described himself as "a native Floridian with blue-collar roots. Ron attended Dunedin High School and worked his way through Yale University, where he graduated with honors and was the captain of the varsity baseball team. He also graduated with honors from Harvard Law School. While at Harvard, he earned a commission in the U.S. Navy as a JAG officer."

In 2010 DeSantis left active duty but remained in the U.S. Navy Reserves. DeSantis also worked as a federal prosecutor. In the same year, he married Casey Black, a local TV news anchor. In 2011 he published a book...*Dreams from Our Founding Fathers: First Principles in the Age of Obama*.

DeSantis' pre-election résumé looks as if it were written by the same authors who created John Kennedy's résumé. DeSantis and Kennedy both presented exciting military careers, graduated from Harvard Law School, didn't have a non-governmental job of consequence, and both wrote a book prior to their bid for office. Without doubt DeSantis was positioning himself to run for high office. It is clear

for all to see that we are dealing with a very ambitious, focused politician, who is preparing to play the game using establishment rules.

Congressman

When Congressional Districts 6 and 7 were redrawn incumbent, John Mica, chose to run in District 7, leaving a vacancy in the newly redrawn District 6. Ron DeSantis jumped into the race and won the primary with only 39%. He easily won the general election because it was a red district. During his first year Congressman DeSantis established a conservative record. On August 22, 2013 the SJC-REC organized a coffee clutch for certain Republican elites at the City Coffee Shop in St. Augustine, Fl. [The restaurant only seats 35.]



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The SATP showed up with 125 additional Patriots to show their support for the Congressman. While the Tea Party supported DeSantis, the Congressman did not reciprocate with any help. The Tea Party's numerous requests for support against the National Park Service's First Amendment tyranny went unheeded. The Tea Party was in the middle of the struggle to eliminate the free speech zone at Castillo de San Marcos and open the entire park to free speech. Also during this same time period, the Tea Party was struggling with the Republican Party of Florida and the SJC REC for autonomy and for the return of embezzled funds. At no time did the Congressman extend any assistance to the SATP regarding these issues – only promises. Furthermore in a meeting on August 21, 2014, which was sponsored by the Heritage Foundation, the Congressman went out of his way to explain why the Tea Party's agenda items would never be passed. In less than a year the Congressman abandoned the very principles he claimed to support. Perhaps he was facing a reality those in attendance could not accept. The twelve Tea Party and 912 leaders who made up the audience expressed feelings of abandonment. This failure to show a fighting spirit was coming from a Congressman who would join the House Freedom Caucus in January 2015.

U.S. Senate Race

When Marco Rubio announced that he was going to run for President in 2016, his Senate seat was a target for the ambitious Ron DeSantis. As it turned out Donald Trump eliminated Rubio and Rubio decided to run for reelection. At this point DeSantis withdrew from his senatorial bid looking for greener pastures. Tea Party members believe that DeSantis should have stayed in the race and eliminated Marco Rubio from the Senate. They considered Marco Rubio a RINO. "A patriot would have run in the

primary against Rubio. A politician would move on to what he perceives to be an easier campaign,” one Tea Party member commented.

Governor

Having given up on being a U.S. Senator. Ron DeSantis set his next site on the Governor’s mansion in 2018. In the gubernatorial primary, DeSantis defeated State Agriculture Commissioner, Adam Putnam, and six other candidates. DeSantis received 56.5 percent of the vote compared to Putnam's 36.5 percent. In the general election Ron DeSantis went up against Andrew Gillum, a known Communist, drug abuser and sexual pervert. In spite of his opponent’s shortcomings DeSantis did not hold his own. He reached out to Donald Trump for support. Even with Trump's support DeSantis barely squeaked out 31,463 more votes than Gillum with more than eight million votes cast. **There would be no Governor DeSantis without Trump.**

In DeSantis’ re-election victory in 2022, he captured 59.38% of the vote running against Charlie Crist. Ron DeSantis is very popular in Florida because he has done some things right. The Governor has pushed back against the Communist forces that occupy Washington, DC. He has done this loudly and often. **DeSantis saved Florida from COVID**; clearly his greatest achievement. But, like all politicians, it's all about image and sometimes the details get swept under the carpet. Ron DeSantis is an establishment politician who caters to the Republican Party of Florida. You need only look at his appointments to confirm this.

President

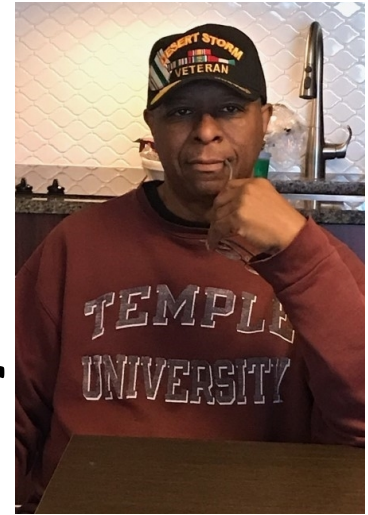
The mainstream media is asking the question, “Will DeSantis once again succumb to his political ambitions to reach for ever higher office in 2024?” The leadership within the GOP must be putting incredible pressure on the Governor in an attempt to purge Trump’s influence from the Republican Party. **Trump was a great president pre-COVID.** Unfortunately **Trump surrendered his presidency to the COVID Virus in 2020.** In spite of this serious error in judgment, he was reelected in 2020. Donald Trump knows it; Joe Biden knows it; and the American people know it. **The 2020 election was a fraud.**

The Paul Ryans and the Mitt Romneys of the Republican Party want to use Ron DeSantis’ popularity to further their “New World Order” agenda. The MAGA base, the America First movement, and the legacy of the 2009 **Tea Party Movement will see a Ron DeSantis run in 2024 as a stab in the back of Donald J. Trump.** In DeSantis’ bio, you will find him in his “Navy Whites” proudly displaying his ribbons. Surely this man understands the concept of loyalty and duty. It is time to set aside personal ambition for the time being and support the 45th president of the United States. DeSantis' presidential time should be in 2028. **Ron DeSantis was elected to be the Florida Governor for the next four years. His place is in Florida keeping the State of Florida the freest State in the Union.**

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A Founding Father/Vice President Who Killed Another Founding Father



By CS Bennett

Being that this country was shaped and molded by way of protest, defiance, and a sense of self-preservation, Americans have always been known to take one of two sides politically, and battle it out motivated by the agenda their side was pushing. It's no wonder why George Washington never encouraged the rise of political parties since he felt that political parties would only serve to divide the country and the American people. But since our republic was set up as a bicameral governing system, meaning a two-party system, we were off to the races with opposing sides with opposing views going at it. As we see in today's political climate, between the two parties, and internally within the two separate parties, there is a fight to the finish mindset that is prevalent and ongoing. Bad blood is bad blood, no matter the group involved, or the two or three people involved. The harm in this is that we oftentimes forget what we have been charged with, as public servants, and have taken an oath to perform, and that is doing what is in the best interest of our republic. Bad blood so raw can cause a deep fission in the political forum and one's own psyche, sometimes running several generations. And that is one of the reasons why we still feud.

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Speaking generations, America has had its famous feuds, one being the Hatfield-McCoy feud, which ran from 1863 thru 1891, and had deadly results. Another infamous case of bad blood was between the Earp brothers and the Clanton-McLaury gang, which accumulated in what is better know as the 'Shootout at O.K. Corral,' which in reality, had nothing to do with the O.K. Corral. The showdown took place in a vacant lot next to C.S. Fly's Photographic Studio and boarding House where Doc Holliday was a boarder there. He was a dentist turned gunman who was a friend of the Earp brothers; Wyatt, Virgil, and Morgan. In the end, as most of us know, this bad blood ended in an infamous shootout.

Of course, our most well-known feud, and the deadliest, was between the North and the South, which is well-documented. This bad blood resulted in well over 620,000 people being killed in that conflict. But there is one feud that most Americans know little of, or not at all, and that is a feud that simmered between two founding fathers, Alexander Hamilton and Aaron Burr, and to a point it boiled over

7:00am one morning. Trash talk, along with the fact that both had come to detest one another, fueled the decision for one of them to end their feud in a duel, which culminated in Burr killing Alexander in New Jersey. At the time, Aaron Burr was Vice President of the United States under President Thomas Jefferson.

According to an online biography of Burr:

“In 1800, Burr ran for the U.S. presidency with Thomas Jefferson. Because they each received the same amount of electoral votes, members of the House of Representatives were left to determine the winner. When the House met to discuss the election, Burr's rival, Hamilton, vocalized his support for Jefferson and his disapproval of Burr. In the end, Jefferson secured the presidency and Burr became vice president under the Democratic-Republican Party. Burr was incensed, believing that Hamilton had manipulated the vote in Jefferson's favor.”

Some believe that because of this, and Hamilton's unwavering trash talk about Burr, which got into the tabloids of the time, infuriated Burr to no end. To defend his honor, he challenged Hamilton to a duel, and the rest is history. My point is this, bad blood often leads to bad decisions and bad consequences. It also takes our eyes and minds off of life and liberty issues, and who the *real* enemy is. This is when we get broadsided, and often creamed, by the *real* opposition. Folks, it is true, the saying, “united we stand, divided we fall.” The Greeks knew this when their separate, and sometimes, warring states came together to defend all of Greece against the invading army of Persia, as I note during some of my speeches. Two of Greece's famous rivals, Athens and Sparta, led the fight, one on land with Greece's most feared army, and one on the high seas, with Greece's most capable naval fleet. A year later, they were victorious and sent the Persians (now Iran) fleeing back to their homeland.

I don't have all of the answers, and do not profess to. But I do know that just over the horizon, a massive army is gathering, an army hellbent on conquering us and making us submit to their global view of life and their Utopian dreams of how we should be governed, which would be a living nightmare for every lover of freedom. Why? Because in order to achieve their goal, oppressing us, they will have to take away our ability to resist them, meaning our rights, our liberties, our religious freedom, and our guns, some of this which was suppressed during COVID, when they kept families away from their loved ones, some dying loved ones, in hospitals, assisted living communities, and hospices. No, I do not want any form of socialism in America. So, I am here at the frontline preparing to do battle with the enemies of America. When others on our side finish with their internal battles, some which are quite legitimate and necessary, you are welcomed to come join the vanguard, who are prepping and setting the stage, on the battlefield, for the defense of this great republic. We welcome you by the thousands and by the millions. It is you and your children we are fighting for.

Understand, we are at war, though some on our side think that the MAGA crowd is overreacting. I say, make no mistake, this *is* about good v. evil. This is about being governed by someone like Charlie Crist, rather than Ron DeSantis. This is like having a man who in the White House, who is being led about like a puppet by shadowed puppet masters behind the scene, while at the same time, destroying the country, verses having someone in the White House who articulates himself quite well, though not

always to our liking, but he get things accomplished. This a man who is a fighter and a patriot and is not afraid to stand up to the Establishment. This is a man, and leader, who will hold all of them accountable this time around, once back in office, that is, if we put him back in. He is a leader and a thorn in the side of the left, and a pain in the rear ends of RINOs.

From a RINO's perspective, this man, and the leader I speak of, is a buffoon and an unpolished and unscripted embarrassment to what they consider inside the beltway civility and decorum. Their idea of a leader is one who speaks eloquently, presidential-like, and is from an Ivy league-like pedigree, or hails from a powerful and privileged upper-class background, such as the Bush family, and is of the mindset that, legislatively, we get some of what we want, and the other side should get some of what they want. That works well if what both sides want what is in the best interest of America and Americans, and not themselves. As for RINOs, a true leader, they wouldn't recognize if he was standing in front of them giving a speech on the State of the Union. They would likely, in private, write little notes applauding Nancy Pelosi for ripping up the drafted copy of the speech at the end of this man's speech. I am talking about a person who has shown he is a true leader and wants to do what is in the best interest of the country, and its citizens, who has already proven himself, and for it, he has been attacked, vilified, and his supporters attacked and berated. He is not a politician, nor a perfect human being, but may be the very vessel the Almighty works His perfect will. And remember, we are not sending him to Washington to attend a Sunday school picnic. The inside the DC Beltway crowd is more like Tombstone or even Lebanon in the 70s and 80s when it comes to politicians at both the city and national level. Thankfully, our side has someone who remains committed to cleaning up the SWAMP and saving this republic. Such a controversial figure and magnanimous personality he is, that I have no need to mention his name. You already know who he is.

Yes, there are some who believe there is no difference between the two parties, but this is where they are in error, though not completely. You see, the only similarities of the two parties, I believe, lie within the ranks of our leadership, who are less concern about the country's well-being and more concern about their own political power, longevity, and influence. But their is a difference between the supporters of the two parties, and it is this; those on the left will generally back their leaders no matter how corrupted and self-serving they are, and no matter how much they are willing to destroy our country. Those on the right have clearly identified and targeted their corrupted and self-serving leaders, based on their poor record, who have often joined forces with the left when it served their interests, rather than the country, and they want these political hacks purged from the party. We call these traitors of America, RINOs.

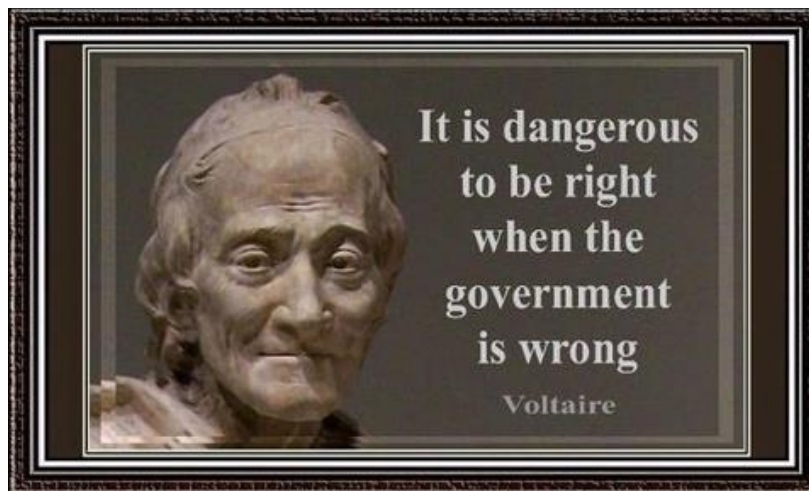
In addition, many people feel that political parties are divisive, and they are. But few take the time to look into why they are. It's as simple as this; there is one political party whose leadership is hellbent on fundamentally changing America, and in the process, they are stripping us of our rights and freedoms and our culture and traditions. They want to censor us, and legislate how we view human life, when in the mother's womb. They also want to force this gender identification agenda on us, while flooding the

airwaves with men kissing men and women kissing other women, and then call this the new normal. They have bastardized our voting process in order to steal elections they cannot legitimately win, then, aided and abetted by the media, claim that everything about the process was above board. No, there was no fraud, they say, many of them even boast.

Then there is that opposing political party whose core followers'(not necessarily their leaders) aim is to protect and preserve our rights and freedoms. They are known as republicans. One can feel free to say anything they want to about party politics but when it comes down to it, if you want to have a voice in what is going on in Washington, and the policies they come up with that affect all of us, and you want your vote to count, then you will have to either vote democrat or republican...period! There is no way around this. It is not a perfect platform, but it is the only platform we have to work with when we want to influence policy, our leaders, and our republic's future.

In closing, my hope, and prayer, is that we wrap up all feuding, and put it behind us as quickly as possible, then let us join forces so that we can be ready in November's midterm elections to reclaim the House and the Senate, and with fresh new blood. We win that battle, then we can focus on 2024. Actually, I am looking forward to it. The sooner 2024 arrives, the sooner we get to reclaim and secure our lives, privacy, liberties, and freedoms. I am ready to defend this republic, but I do not want to destroy another republican in the process. Dueling is outlawed in the United States, though feuding is not. Actually, dueling was banned at the time Vice President Burr shot and killed Hamilton, but that did not matter to those two. It just goes to show that when tempers flare up, bad things happen in spite of what is written in law. The left is good at turning a blind eye to the law, when it may impact their interests, and agenda, at the time. Let's not allow our feuding to go that far...

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