



HOW DID “JESUS CHRIST” BECOME PUBLICLY ACCEPTABLE ONLY AS A CURSE?

THE GIANT CON THAT TRANSFORMED AMERICA FROM THE MOST EVANGELICAL NATION OF THE MODERN WORLD TO AN ATHEIST PARADISE

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Remember how Jesus said that you can tell whether a tree is good or evil by its fruit? We are now in the 70th anniversary of the Supreme Court *Separation of Church and State* ruling and are thereby able to see the ripe “fruit” of the decision. Three generations after the high court edict, it is painfully obvious that the “Separation” reinterpretation of the First Amendment has poisoned America. It transformed the US from *what it was* for most of American history to an anti-Christian, anti-Bible nation - in

a steep nosedive.

In the science of interpretation, context is key to, for example, analyzing and solving a crime. And so, to understand one of the most devastating, bizarre Supreme Court decisions, we must go back to its 1947 context. Is it mere coincidence that the “Separation of Church and State” decision was born along with Bill Clinton and the largest generation in American history, the so-called “baby boomers?” From grade school on, the “Boomers” were taught that this atheist doctrine came from the founders.

Let’s pause to remember a Supreme Court decision a half century earlier. In 1892, after a decade of study of, among other things, official documents from the founding of America on, the Supreme Court ruled in the “Trinity” decision that America was without the shadow of doubt, “a Christian country.” But then, a mere 50 years later, a new High Court ruling - the “Separation” reinterpretation of the First Amendment to the Constitution - effectively denied the previous ruling. We must wonder how the 1892 Supreme Court missed, in its review of state documents, what the 1947 court discovered? These two decisions are contradictory and say a lot about the spiritual state of the Supreme Court in the latter part of the 19th century and then a half-century later in the “New Deal” middle of the 20th century.



Thomas Jefferson

The 1947 atheist edict transformed America from the most biblically shaped nation of the Reformation era into a socialist-atheist country where Christianity and the Bible are under communist-style persecution and oppression. Let's pause to remember Thomas Jefferson's 1800 letter to the Danbury Baptists, which the Court used to buttress the 1947 ruling. And let's not forget that Jefferson was living in Paris when the Constitution was written. So, we must wonder how he became *The Great Authority* on the Constitution?

The point is - Jefferson's letter was sent to assure the Baptists that the First Amendment erected "a high wall of separation" *that would protect the church* from government oppression. How ridiculously ironic then that American government is persecuting and oppressing American Christians today instead of giving them the freedom of expression the First Amendment guarantees? As a direct result of the Separation ruling, the religion that bore and nurtured America for most of its history is now treated like a disease that must be *prophylactically separated*, sealed from infecting the pure politics and anti-Christian theology of the Democrat Party.

The Supreme Court can declare, and liberals can believe that "America is NOT a Christian nation," but the world in general, and America's enemies in particular, aren't buying it. Try telling the world's largest religion, Islam, that America is not a Christian nation. Muslim leaders will laugh in your face.

"SEPARATION" SUPPORTERS ACT LIKE HYSTERICAL PARANOIDS

A bigger question is why the hysterical paranoid tone of the "Separation" zealots is treated with respect? The hyper-allergic reaction liberal Democrats and their courts have to the slightest whisper of anything Christian or biblical in public is remarkably similar to the reaction of the deranged man who breaks out in terror and hives at the sight of an orange. The media goes on ad nauseum about "Islamophobia" and "Homophobia," as if Islamic Jihad or the Sodomite Revolution against America is harmless. Only ignorant, prejudiced fundamentalists believe Islam and the Homosexual agenda are a danger, are at war with America!

Christophobia, the fear of Christ, on the other hand is a *bona fide* mental disease that affects nearly a third of the nation. The 1947 decision that sailed across the chaos of the end of WW II has become today a politically correct form of paranoia among liberals. Christianity and the Bible are to courts, the media and liberals like the orange is to that sad, unhinged man. The Bible beliefs of American Christians that were the common driver of American culture and politics for centuries are now treated like they are America's enemy-within.

THE NAME OF THE MAN ON WHOSE VOW TO RETURN TO THE WORLD COUNTS TIME IS NOW PUBLICLY ACCEPTABLE ONLY AS A CURSE

Who could have imagined in 1947 that the mere mention of the name of the most influential man of history - the man on whose promise to return that the world counts time - would be acceptable in public only as a curse? "Jesus Christ!" is invoked more in raunchy movies than in many churches today. By contrast, America's founders regarded biblical Christianity as the foundation on which the nation was set and stood. They believed exiling Christ and Christianity would remove the spiritual foundation of America. This may explain why America is surrounded, infiltrated and menaced by the greatest number - and most powerful - enemies in its history.

WHY DO AMERICANS REFER TO THE 1947 RULING BY THE WORDS OF THE SOVIET CONSTITUTION RATHER THAN THOSE OF AMERICA'S CONSTITUTION?

The words, "there shall be a separation of the church and the state" are in the constitution of the former Soviet Union. How did they get pasted over the words of the US Constitution? The American Constitution merely banned the legalization of a state church, but what Americans remember today are the words of the Soviet Constitution - "there shall be a separation of the church and state." What kind of a country takes a key doctrine from an enemy's constitution and pastes it over the words of its own constitution just as war is breaking out between them? Doesn't that seem kind of . . . well . . . insane?

There is an enormous difference between the legalization of Christianity as the Church of America and having "In God We Trust" as a national motto or beginning the school day with prayer. Ninety percent of Americans claim in polls to believe in God and to pray regularly. Why is the "Separation" decree so starkly at odds with the American people and, on the other hand, so characteristic of communists, socialists and that marginal cult of loud anti-American Americans?

The plain facts of history are that without a passionate belief in Christ and the Bible, there would have been neither an American Revolution to found the nation nor a Civil War to prevent it from collapsing. Let's state the obvious - something historians once acknowledged. The American Revolution was the ripe fruit of the most biblically shaped nation of the 18th century. Does anyone remember that the greatest revolution of the modern age began in America's original Bible Belt, Puritan Massachusetts?

At every stage of American development, the Bible and Christianity were key drivers of politics and culture well up to the end of the 20th century. To get an idea of how powerful the Bible has been in American history, let's remember the last president of the 20th century. The "Separation of Church and State" Bill Clinton carried a large Bible in photographs for political effect, i.e., to rescue his presidency from the revelation of his sleazy acts and character.

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE SHOWS THE BIBLICAL MIND OF FOUNDERS

The 1947 edict from on high is a brazen denial of American history. If its re-interpretation of the First Amendment is true, then America's founders were communist atheists. But that's not what their primary document, the Declaration of Independence, shows. It is a "creationist" warrant for revolt so boldly biblical that, were it presented today, it would be furiously denounced as a "fundamentalist" violation of the constitutional *Separation of Church and State*.

Three things to know about the 1947 High Court Separation-of-Church-and-State ruling.

1. THE SOCIALIST ARCHITECT OF THE COURT THAT DELIVERED THE RULING



Franklin D. Roosevelt

The architect of the "Separation" court was President Franklin Roosevelt (FDR) who "packed" the Supreme Court with Democrat-socialists. The media has hidden the well-documented facts that FDR was a closet Euro-socialist who befriended the president of the Soviet Union, who he affectionately called, "Uncle Joe" (Joseph Stalin). FDR oddly enlarged the Soviet Union by giving Stalin large chunks of Eastern Europe. So even though the most socialistic president in US history had been dead for nearly two years when the 1947 ruling was delivered, it had his fingerprints all over it. It was as alien to America as snuff boxes and crowns.

2. A KU KLUX KLAN “GRAND WIZARD” AUTHORED THE SEPARATION EDICT



Hugo Black

Also hidden or pooh-pooed by the media is the background of the man who wrote the court decree. Hugo Black was a top leader, a “Grand Wizard” of the Democrat terrorist cabal, the Ku Klux Klan. Black was also a devout grandson of the Confederacy, which declared war on America in 1861. The KKK is the son of the Democrat Confederacy. So, Black - a KKK-Neo-Confederate figure - authored an edict that smells like a new Confederate declaration of war on Christian America. Hindsight is 20-20. As we survey the devastating effects of Black’s edict on its 70th anniversary, it has the feel of a stealth resurrection of the Confederate war against the “Christian America” that defeated the Confederacy. The truth is that the “Separation” ruling sneaked atheism into the Constitution, which then became a sacred American doctrine in the last half of the 20th century. In the hands of the courts and the media the “Separation” ruling became a *legal nuke* against what the world regards as “Christian America.”

3. THE BACKGROUND OF THE 1947 DECISION

And then there’s the breathtakingly surreal background of the ruling. In 1947, the Soviet Union was starting the “Cold War” against America, which led to both the Korean and Vietnam wars. In another 30-some months, America would become terrified by the revelation that the FDR administration was infested with Soviet spies and the further revelation that America was full of Soviet-paid communist infiltrators and spies. Why then would America’s High Court import a key doctrine from the enemy’s Constitution and paste those words over the words of the American Constitution just as the Soviets were declaring cold war on America?

Americans were sure there was an American communist conspiracy in the very middle of the 20th century, as the cold war was rising. But right on cue, the left half of the media began ridiculing the obvious truth, jump starting the Big Propaganda Point - there are no conspiracies. Charging right in the face of obvious reality, the media were able to fool the most naive and gullible Americans into believing them. They borrowed the mind control trick that had worked very well in character assassinating American “fundamentalism.” Only paranoid, stupid, ignorant “fundamentalists” believe in conspiracies.

How many Americans know the First Amendment merely bans the legalization of a state church? How bizarre that an anti-Christian Euro-atheist doctrine is now imbedded as sacred law in Christian America - i.e., in a nation where most citizens and holidays are Christian? Virtually every president has publicly declared himself a Christian - including the Islam-friendly Barack Obama.

The idea of separation-of-church-and-state is genealogically rooted in Europe during the French Revolution as the antidote to the Roman Church’s ancient, corrupt theocracy. The post-WW II timing of the “Separation” ruling was key to its success. Were it delivered in the 19th century, the anti-Christian edict would have caused a revolution in a nation where the Supreme Court ruled America was without doubt, “a Christian Nation.”

The fact that Christianity worked effectively, hand-in-glove with the American government, to produce a new thing - electoral government - shocked French diplomat Alexis DeTocqueville. He had seen how the French Revolution and its demolition of the Roman Church in France had not worked as was intended. The devoutly atheist French Revolution, unlike the evangelical American Revolution created a monstrous bloodbath and devastated Europe for decades.

The idea of a separation of church and state was first introduced in America when Thomas Jefferson helped institute the first “Separation” law in America when he was governor of the Virginia colony. However, even then, it was an anti-Christian law that caused outrage among Virginia colonies. The well-hidden truth is that Jefferson made it abundantly clear that he was not Christian. He declared himself a Unitarian and he deliberately edited God out of his Unitarian “Jefferson Bible.” He was a passionate lover of the atheist French Enlightenment.

Jefferson was the classic example and a leader of the tiny minority of “deists” among the founders. The vast majority of the founders were products of the most evangelical culture in the world. They were so influenced by Bible that it is said the founding documents read like church documents. Unlike today’s evangelical leaders, they believed America was forecast in the Bible, and was God’s *supernatural* nation. Jefferson thus stands out like a sore thumb from the vast majority of the founders.

As we will see next month, the spiritual descendants of the founding fathers, America’s evangelical leaders, became one of the primary supporters of the “Separation” ruling.

NEXT MONTH - Does Christ believe in a separation of church and state?

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