

April 9, 2015

The day started out normally; I woke at my usual time ... zero dark thirty, and started my usual daily routine. I crept out of bed, so as not to wake the boss, and went into the pantry for the first of my morning meetings with the cappuccino machine. (I have been advised by my doctors to cut down on the caffeine, so New Orleans Coffee Roasters designed a perfect mix of beans for me ... 25% decaf and only 75% caffeinated.) A little sugar free vanilla flavor and steamed milk ... the perfect start for the day.

For the benefit of those of you who are judgmental, and would criticize me for not reading the Bible to start the day; a year after brain surgery, I am still learning to talk, and I practice by reading my bible out loud to the boss, and having a devotional in mid-morning.

The world, and the US, is so out of control, I had decided it was past time for me to write a cathartic vent. I went back to bed with my cappuccino and iPad, and started to read the morning papers. Some of the headlines:

Saudi Coalition Bombs Houthis in Yemen

US Attacks Tikrit in Support of the Iranians

Obama Administration Confident on Deal with Iran

Co Pilot of German Plane Deliberately Flew into the French Alps

I switched to the Internet news magazine ZITE. Surely, I could find some good news there. Some of the ZITE headlines:

Mayor of Irving, Texas under attack by Muslims, because she opposes Sharia law

Federal Workers Owe More Than 3.5 Billion Dollars in Back Taxes

Navy Bans Chaplain from Ministering To The Family Of Dead Sailor

Cop Arrested After Video Shows Her Shoot Unarmed Man in The Back

Hysteria Over Cruz Illustrates What We're Up Against

Everything the White House Told You About Bowe Bergdahl Was Wrong

U.S. Dean Explains How to Start Islamic Club On Campus

I DVR the CBS Morning News, FOX News, and the BBC news, in the early morning, but after watching the news, I was so discouraged, I got another cup of cappuccino and watched Sports Center on ESPN.

Our country is so fouled up, and there so many things going wrong, that I couldn't decide what to vent about. Well, the bottom line is that we have a President who can't tell the truth, and even worse, half of the population believes him. He has consistently bypassed Congress with unconstitutional decisions, and the Congress does not try to stop him.

He is diminishing the military when China and Russia are in expansionist moods, and the Mideast and much of Africa is in turmoil.

There are people all over the world who want to destroy us, but they could save their resources and be patient, because to quote that great philosopher Pogo, "we have met the enemy, and he is us." Political correctness has even invaded our churches, and many churches, in the interest of not offending, have started teaching that Jesus is "a way," but not the only way to Heaven.

John 14:6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

We have lost our moral compass. I am an expert on what it's like to not have a moral compass, because mine was seriously flawed until I surrendered Jesus Christ.

I have a friend who is a successful lawyer in a major Florida city, and he wrote his perspective to a few friends, last week. He has given me permission to forward it. He is a Jew, and I have long wondered how Jews can keep voting for democrats. He says it's "infinite stupidity." I think it's Isaiah 6:9

An enlightened Jewish lawyer's perspective:

"WHEN I was young and it was time to vote, I registered as a Democrat. There really was no alternative. Florida, with the exception of Pinellas County (populated by retirees from some cold world), was solid Democratic. If you wanted to have any meaning to your ballot, you needed to vote in a Democratic Primary. Otherwise, your vote was meaningless.

With age, things changed. Florida became more evenly mixed between Democrats and Republicans. The nasty campaigning by both parties became commonplace and the "win at all cost" behavior of both parties became and remains reminiscent of a high school football game where each team through their cheerleaders works their side into a winning frenzy. Where the goal of a great competitive game which will benefit both

schools and all of the athletes, is lost forever; caught up in a quagmire of "love your team and hate the other team."

The distinction that needs to be made is that we are all one nation. It is as if the football game is a scrimmage where both teams are from the same school. We want the teams to play fairly, not try to hurt the other players and to play their best to enhance the strength of the full team. We should expect the same from each party. Their goals should be to always work toward the betterment of this Nation....not the betterment of their party.

I was so proud and happy that this Nation elected a minority President. I cried with pride that our Nation had matured. After four years, I cried again this time at his reelection. I have never seen such a divisive force in the leadership of this Nation. With the exception, of course, of our very soon to be leaving Attorney General.

I earned a degree in Political Science, followed by a law degree from a nationally ranked law school. I was a state prosecutor and felony division chief. I personally tried over 100 jury trials and thousands of non-jury trials just in the first five years of my practice. I was in private practice for many years and taught Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, Constitutional Law and various other criminology courses at Florida's second largest State University for 30 years. And, the Constitution that I love so dearly, and have taught to my students so enthusiastically, and with such respect bears no resemblance to the document that our Great Leader chooses to espouse.

One of the worst things that a person can do, in my opinion, is to tell significant untruths. I can forgive one untruth and, over time, forget the transgression. But I do not have anything to do with a compulsive repetitive liar. Starting with his campaign (1st), Transparency Honesty ... Openness.... Working across party lines.... Accountability and his Oath of Office, defend and support the Constitution of the United States! When has he told the truth??????

I see a Nation now that is so full of inner animosity as to border on civil unrest. I see a Nation now that has repudiated and is otherwise turning our backs to our only democratic and formerly our greatest ally in the Middle East. I see most, if not all other, Middle Eastern Nations laughing at our ineptitude and fearing nothing from us. I see our nation totally controlled by people who want everything for nothing and want any and all others to supply all of their desires free. I see a leader who has thrown open our borders, and/ or refuses to close them, no matter the threat to the Nation health-wise, security-wise, or economy-wise. He has brought this Nation under the cloak of machine politics as never before! And, we continue to do nothing.

Now, without consulting Congress, he has brought us into a quasi-treaty with Iran which allows for Iran to arm themselves with nuclear warheads to be aimed at Israel, the United States and all other infidel nations.

And, the American Jews, in their infinite stupidity, continue to support him. Further, they want to replace him with a female that tries to reinvent herself every other week.

I urge you to google how she spoke to the secret service people (google how Hillary treated secret service) who were defending her life when she was living in the White House. I have encountered pool hustlers who spoke with more class than did she while in the White House. But, "at this point, what difference does it make?" And as much as her history shows her cooperative nature, I'm certain (almost) that she really did not try to conceal anything pertinent when those dadburn emails got erased.

At this time in my life when I am so proud to be a Jew, Lois Lerner embarrasses me to tears. Her ass needs to be prosecuted and should be ... except that she was doing the bidding for the party faithful, and it ain't gonna happen!

1+1=2! political misbehavior + political misbehavior = self destruction!"